

**Question for written answer P-000420/2015
to the Commission
Rule 130
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Subject: Information on the effects of introducing energy-saving bulbs

On 18 March 2008, the Commission adopted a regulation concerning non-directional household lamps, which set out a timetable (from 2009 to 2012) for a gradual ban on the sale of incandescent light bulbs.

Did the Commission conduct a study or any research on the effects of introducing energy-saving bulbs as regards energy efficiency and economic effectiveness for European households and the impact on consumer health?

Could it publish data showing the positive effects of adopting the regulation concerning the banning of incandescent light bulbs?

Does it have any information on whether the Member States are meeting the requirements for separate collection of end-use energy-saving bulbs in special containers for consumer electronics?