Question for written answer P-005430/2018 to the Commission (Vice-President / High Representative) Rule 130 Udo Voigt (NI)

Subject: VP/HR - secret CIA flights: US henchmen tortured people on German soil as well

The answer to my Written Question E-000950/2015 of 23 January 2015 (CIA torture in Europe - how much does the EU know?) the Commission includes a reference to a Commission letter to the Member States in which it '[expressed] its concerns and [recalled] the obligation to ensure a full investigation of the allegations [concerning the CIA Detention and Interrogation Programme]'. Regrettably, following this 'full investigation' no findings have been made public.

- 1. In the light of the 'full investigation' carried out at its request into US detention and torture programmes in EU Member States, which it referred to in its 2015 answer, what information does the Commission have today about the scope and duration of the detention and interrogation procedures carried out by the US intelligence services or other US institutions on EU territory?
- 2. What information does the Commission have about whether and to what extent the US base in Ramstein, in the German region of Rhineland-Palatinate, is involved in the activities carried out by the US intelligence services and/or the US armed forces which constitute a breach of EU legal standards or Germany's status as a sovereign State?

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