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Answer given by Ms Gabriel
on behalf of the European Commission
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The Commission is not in possession of any evidence regarding potential issues related to the use of Kaspersky Lab products.

The Commission is following closely debates and developments concerning the security of IT products and devices in general, including discussions about potential measures related to access to the EU market. The EU is an open market, which can be accessed by foreign companies in compliance with EU rules. In addition, Member States have the competence to decide whether to exclude companies from their markets for national security reasons.

Regarding reports or opinions published concerning the issue raised by the Honourable Member, the Commission did not commission any reports.