

WRITTEN QUESTION E-3104/01
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to the Commission

Subject: Ratification of the Cotonou Agreement

The Cotonou Agreement between the European Union and the ACP countries has already had most of its provisions implemented in advance and on a provisional basis, but there appears to be a considerable delay in ratifying the agreement, particularly in the EU Member States.

Can the Commission provide a list of EU Member States and ACP countries which have ratified the agreement?

What measures does the Commission intend to take to speed up the ratification process?