

WRITTEN QUESTION E-0728/06
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to the Commission

Subject: ICT courses and teaching in Spain

In response to various questions (E-0383/05, E-1122/05, E-1502/05) relating to inaccuracies concerning the existence of ICT courses specialist teachers in compulsory and upper secondary school education in Spain that appear in the report entitled 'Key Data on ICT in Schools in Europe - 2004 Edition', the European Commission constantly refers to Spanish Royal Decree 3472/2000 and ends by saying that in the next edition, scheduled for 2006, special attention will be awarded to the observations made in these questions and, if necessary, that the relevant changes will be made.

On top of the errors referred to above, other errors have also recently been detected, such as the assertion that ICT forms part of initial teacher training in Spain.

In view of the above, we would again urge the Commission to respond with diligence and in an informed manner to the following questions and requests for information:

from what specific source did the Commission receive the information that it published in the report 'Key Data on ICT in Schools in Europe - 2004 Edition';

did it verify the accuracy of that information;

could it supply a copy of the documentation it received and used to draw up that report?