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to the Commission

Subject: Granting of area subsidies in the new Member States

We would be grateful if the Commission could answer the following questions:

What is the value of the penalties for the months of July and August 2008 applied to Romania further to the delays in granting area subsidies for 2007?

What is the value of the penalties applied to Bulgaria further to the delays in granting area subsidies for 2007, with reference to the value of the allotted funds?

What was the value of the penalties applied further to the delays in granting area subsidies for 2005 in the case of each of the following countries, with reference to the value of the allotted funds – Hungary, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Slovenia, Malta, Cyprus, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland?