

WRITTEN QUESTION E-5644/08
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to the Commission

Subject: Prohibition of discrimination

Is it incompatible with Community law for national legislation, without affecting the freedoms enshrined in the Treaties, to allow discrimination in relation to the various conditions governing the production of goods and the provision of services by undertakings established in a Member State (for example, differences between social security contributions or taxes depending on the region where the undertakings in question are established) provided such discrimination has no impact on intra-Community trade?