WRITTEN QUESTION E-0151/09 by Willy Meyer Pleite (GUE/NGL) to the Commission

Subject: Infringement proceedings against Spain for non-compliance with Directive 91/271/EEC

In its answer to question E-0437/06 of 23 March 2006, the Commission states that it has taken out infringement proceedings against Spain for non-compliance with Directive 91/271/EEC¹: a first procedure (2002/2123) over the failure to ensure adequate designation of sensitive areas and the existence of population units without tertiary treatment facilities; and a second (2004/2031), initiated in July 2004, over the fact that some 200 such units in Spain had not carried out the adjustments required under the obligations in force as of 31 December 2000.

Can the Commission name the population units which have been or are concerned?

Can it provide information on the state of play regarding the infringement proceedings?

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¹ OJ L 135, 30.5.1991, p. 40.