WRITTEN QUESTION E-3055/09 by Hélène Goudin (IND/DEM) to the Commission

Subject: EU internal market in defence equipment

The Commission has proposed that the EU should create an internal market in defence equipment (COM(2007)0766). Under the proposal, more of the arms trading in the EU would be subject to free competition on the internal market. The Commission has previously submitted other proposals of a similar nature (COM(2007)0766).

Will the Commission respect Sweden's neutrality by allowing exemptions from this proposal?

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