

WRITTEN QUESTION E-3026/10
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to the Commission

Subject: Transport of shooting sports ammunition on aeroplanes

Currently, people participating in shooting sports can transport up to 5 kg of ammunition for their particular firearm in a separate lockable box in their hold baggage on an aeroplane, for which they pay an additional charge. Attachment 5-B to Commission Regulation 185/2010¹ contains a 'List of Prohibited Articles', which includes ammunition. Can the Commission clarify whether an exception will still be allowed, enabling people participating in shooting sports to bring ammunition with them, as is currently the case, or will this now also be banned?

¹ OJ L 55, 5.3.2010, p. 1