

**Question for written answer E-004620/2013
to the Commission
Rule 117
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Subject: Commission grants for certain non-governmental organisations

If I have understood the Commission's answer of 22 April 2013 to my question (E-000614/2013) correctly, Friends of the Earth 'intends to submit the cost of the publication as eligible expenditure under a much wider grant agreement between the EU Commission Development and Cooperation DG and "Milieu Defenseie"', of which Friends of the Earth is therefore only a sub-contractor.

How much is the grant agreement with 'Milieu Defenseie' worth in total?

Has DG Development concluded any other grant agreements of this kind and, if so, which ones and for how much?

Is there any agreement with Friends of the Earth, even for separate grants?

The publication referred to in my question was supported by DG Development and DG Environment. What financial allocations (grant agreements, subsidies and other funding) has DG Environment granted 'Milieu Defenseie' and Friends of the Earth?