

**Question for written answer E-008448/2013
to the Commission**
Rule 117
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Subject: The proper functioning of the free movement of capital

Is national legislation compatible with EU law, in particular with regard to the free movement of capital, when it only allows confiscated property to be returned once a Member State has joined the Union, in a process that provides for property to be returned only to EU citizens and excludes non-EU nationals, even where they are the legal heirs?