

**Question for written answer E-008612/2013
to the Commission**
Rule 117
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Subject: PRISM, TEMPORA and other surveillance programmes

Important revelations have emerged in recent weeks of massive international surveillance systems in use by the United States, the United Kingdom and France, as well as of targeted surveillance against EU offices. Programmes like PRISM and TEMPORA undermine the fundamental rights of European citizens and of people around the world.

In its resolution of 4 July 2013 on the US National Security Agency surveillance programme, surveillance bodies in various Member States and their impact on EU citizens' privacy, Parliament condemned the spying and called for urgent action on a number of fronts. The Commission has also expressed concern over the previously undisclosed mass-surveillance systems.

1. Has any information obtained by PRISM and/or TEMPORA been processed or otherwise included in analyses by Europol and/or Eurojust?
2. Has any information obtained by PRISM and/or TEMPORA been processed or otherwise included in analyses by the EU Intelligence Analysis Centre (INTCEN)?
3. What safeguards are in place, or will be put in place, in the Europol or Eurojust regulations to prevent the processing of data obtained illegally?