

**Question for written answer E-013404/2013
to the Commission**
Rule 117
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Subject: Discrimination against Sikhs at airports

In February 2013, legislation relating to appropriate Dastar (turban) search techniques at EU Member State airports was implemented. More than six months later, many Sikhs are continuing to experience discrimination at various airports, including Madrid, Paris and Rome.

What is the Commission doing to ensure that this legislation is being fully implemented in Member States?

Further, will the Commission introduce new measures to improve the training material for airport security staff so that the proper legislative guidelines are observed?