

**Question for written answer E-000658/2014
to the Commission**
Rule 117
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Subject: Vehicle registration tax

Despite the ongoing single market integration process, motor vehicle registration problems remain a frequent barrier for businesses and citizens within the internal market.

In the 2010 EU Citizenship Report 'Dismantling the obstacles to EU citizens' rights', the Commission identified vehicle registration problems as one of the main obstacles faced by citizens when exercising their rights under EU law in their day-to-day lives and announced, among the actions envisaged to remove such obstacles, a simplification of the formalities and conditions for registration of vehicles registered in another Member State.

Given that it regards vehicle registration tax as one of the main obstacles, what further initiatives is the Commission planning to take in order to eliminate this barrier, and when?

What will the Commission do ensure it is effective in eliminating this obstacle within the shortest possible time?