

**Question for written answer E-001509/2014
to the Commission**
Rule 117
Sir Graham Watson (ALDE)

Subject: Proposals for the marketing of plant reproductive material

Last year, the Commission published its proposal for a regulation on the production and making available on the market of plant reproductive material (COM(2013)0262).

Is the Commission satisfied that the original proposal contained adequate measures to:

1. safeguard ornamental plants and home gardeners?
2. safeguard small-scale fruit and vegetable producers?

With regard to small-scale fruit and vegetable producers, is the Commission satisfied that its own impact assessment has fully considered the effect of the regulation?