

**Question for written answer E-003782/2015  
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: Technical Assistance and Information Exchange

1. How much has been spent since 2007 on Technical Assistance and Information Exchange (TAIEX) operations in the Turkish community of Northern Cyprus, and what proportion was spent on the development of statistics?
2. What progress has been made since 2007 in the Turkish community of Northern Cyprus towards the establishment of a statistical law and the creation of an independent statistics agency?