

**Question for written answer E-001589/2016
to the Commission**

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Subject: The current situation regarding the market for windows made from synthetic materials

Referring to the written question of 30 November 2015 (No P-014308/2015) on the situation regarding the market for windows made from synthetic materials and the Commission's reply of 22 December 2015, clarification is requested on the following questions:

1. Why has the Commission provided no further details on the payment of approximately EUR 69 million to Polish window manufacturing companies during the period 2007-2013 from the European Fund for Regional Development programmes?
2. Why did the Member State concerned not request this missing information from the Commission?
3. Why has the Commission, as guardian of European Union law, not taken action against the Member State concerned on the grounds of incomplete information owing to neglect of its public disclosure obligations in the interests of transparency towards the final beneficiaries?