

**Question for written answer E-001480/2017
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: Job cuts at Bombardier Transportation GmbH

According to repeated media reports over a short period of time, Bombardier Transportation GmbH, a subsidiary of Bombardier Inc. with registered office in Montreal, Canada, plans to cut a significant number of jobs at its sites in Germany. In January 2017, a meeting with the company's management took place in the German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy to advise on the future of the company. There is uncertainty among the workforces of the Bautzen and Görlitz sites about future developments because the outcomes of the consultations have not been published and there is a concern that more employees will lose their jobs.

1. To the Commission's knowledge, what is the current status of potential negotiations between the Commission and Member States' governments or regional governments with the company Bombardier?
2. To the Commission's knowledge, what amount of EU funds has Bombardier Transportation GmbH or its parent company received in the last ten years? (Please list in detail.)
3. In the event that the company plans to relocate sites, has Bombardier Transportation GmbH or one of its connected companies, to the Commission's knowledge, applied for or already received EU funds for the construction of the relevant new sites and, if yes, of what nature and to what extent?