

**Question for written answer E-002624/2017
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: Activities of the Turkish secret service in the EU institutions

The Turkish secret service is suspected of having expanded its activities over the past few years to include the surveillance of German politicians¹. The allegations follow a significant expansion of the service's powers in 2014².

Does the Commission have information regarding the activities of the Turkish secret service in the EU institutions?

Are there reports indicating that Members of the European Parliament have become victims of espionage by the Turkish secret service?

¹ e. g. <http://www.zeit.de/politik/ausland/2017-03/spionagevorwurf-tuerkei-bundestag-michelle-muentefering-geheimdienst-mit>.

² <http://www.bbc.com/news/world-europe-27172043>.