

**Question for written answer E-001082/2019
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: East Naples

Since 1998, the former industrial zone in the eastern part of Naples and the adjacent waterfront have been designated as a site of national interest (SNI) and are accordingly in need of redevelopment. They cover an area of over 800 hectares and contain problem neighbourhoods such as San Giovanni a Teduccio, Poggioreale and Gianturco.

With public and private sector activities being carried out side by side, one particular problem that has come to light over the last 20 years has been pollution from gas and petroleum storage operations and facilities caused by a network of hydrocarbon pipelines running only a few metres away from private residences.

In 2011, the commission then responsible for redevelopment decided to initiate the necessary procedures and begin work on the refurbishment of the SNI in the eastern part of Naples, while at the same time securing the requisite funding and ensuring completion of the relevant legal formalities.

In view of this:

1. Can the Commission provide details of European regional development funding earmarked for this major refurbishment and redevelopment project in the eastern part of Naples under the ERDF 2007-2013 and 2014-2020 programming periods?
2. Will it be in a position to carry out ad hoc monitoring of amounts earmarked for this purpose?