

**Question for written answer E-000695/2020
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: High-speed rail project completion times

On 23 January 2020 the Commission announced that the high-speed railway line to Galicia planned in the amended schedule for the Trans-European Transport Networks would be completed in 2022. As the Galician Nationalist Bloc (BNG) has pointed out several times, the delay in building Galicia's rail infrastructure is attributable to the negligence of the successive Spanish governments. The current government had stated that the line would be ready by 2021, expressly contradicting the Commission's announcement.

Can the Commission say how the ERDF funds earmarked for the Lubián (Zamora) to Taboadela (Ourense) stretch of track, linking Galicia to the European high-speed rail network, will be implemented?