

**Question for written answer E-002390/2020  
to the Commission**  
Rule 138  
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Subject: Prisoner well-being during the COVID-19 outbreak

1. How many people are being held in prisons and juvenile detention centres in each Member State?
2. What view does the Commission take regarding the risk to the health and lives of prisoners and detainees during the COVID-19 outbreak, and the compliance of Member State governments with their legal duty of care to these individuals?
3. Will it recommend the temporary release of all non-violent offenders in order to allow for effective social distancing?