

**Question for written answer E-006480/2020
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Follow-up questions regarding the answer to written question E-005132/2020 on
'weapons and equipment for the permanent corps of Frontex'.

1. How many persons are included in category 1 of the standing corps of the Agency's statutory staff already recruited? What is the Commission's estimate of the need for firearms (estimated number)?
2. When is it envisaged that the clarification of the rules and procedures for the acquisition of weapons for Frontex and the subsequent procurement procedure will be completed?
3. What exactly are the rules and procedures currently being clarified?