

**Question for written answer E-002915/2022
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Long-term rental housing shortage on Formentera

Following a request from the Commission to justify certain social and environmental regulations on Formentera, the island council sent a 16-page legal response in July 2020.

1. How did the Commission respond to that letter?
2. If the Commission has not answered it yet, how does it intend to follow up on the issue?
3. Has the Court of Justice judgment of 22 September 2020, which clearly states that combating the long-term rental housing shortage constitutes an overriding reason relating to the public interest, had any bearing on the exchange between the Commission and the island council?