

**Question for written answer E-000278/2023  
to the Commission**  
Rule 138  
**Clare Daly** (The Left)

Subject: Forestry and State aid rules

Coillte is a private limited company established under Irish law. It is operationally independent of the Irish State<sup>1</sup>. In regard to this body's acquisition and management of private lands for forestry, could the Commission detail the associated costs and other payments that may be funded by the Irish State without contravening State aid rules (e.g. acquisition, management, annual premiums to cover maintenance costs, etc.)?

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<sup>1</sup> See <https://www.oireachtas.ie/en/debates/question/2023-01-18/1783>.