

Question for written answer E-000937/2023
to the Council
Rule 138
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Subject: Distribution of European Peace Facility funds

In March 2021, the Council of the European Union adopted a decision establishing the European Peace Facility (EPF) in order to enhance the EU's ability to prevent conflicts, build peace and strengthen international security under the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP)¹.

The EPF's implementing rules state that the principles of non-discrimination and transparency should be key when concluding contracts with European businesses². However, there is no public register of the contracts, and details thereof, awarded to defence companies in Member States.

In the light of the above:

When will the Council publish a detailed list of the contracts awarded to European businesses, including the amounts allocated and conditions established, broken down by Member State?

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¹ <https://www.consilium.europa.eu/en/policies/european-peace-facility/>

² <https://www.consilium.europa.eu/media/60848/epf-new-implementing-rules.pdf>