

Question for written answer E-001211/2023

to the Vice-President of the Commission / High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy

Rule 138

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Subject: Intelligence service activities of the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability directorate

The Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC) directorate serves as the operational headquarters for the 11 civilian CSDP missions that the European External Action Service is currently running in Europe, Africa and Asia. Its tasks include security-related advisory activities, including in connection with policing and the rule of law 'in fragile environments'. The Union, and thus CPCC, has no mandate in the intelligence service field, however.

1. In what countries is CPCC currently carrying out advisory activities in connection with policing or border policing?
2. In the last two years, from what countries has CPCC received requests with regard to advisory or coordination activities in the intelligence service field or to cooperation by intelligence services with other authorities or the division of responsibilities between them?
3. In what countries is CPCC currently carrying out advisory or coordination activities in the intelligence service field?

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