

**Question for written answer E-002257/2023  
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Conflict of interest between AggregateEU tender process and Energy Platform's Industry Advisory Group

According to Commissioner Maroš Šefčovič, more than 76 companies have responded to the AggregateEU tender process for gas sellers.

1. Can the Commission disclose the names of these companies?
2. How many of them (and which) are sitting in the EU Energy Platform's Industry Advisory Group while taking part in this tender process?
3. How can the Commission guarantee that conflicts of interest are avoided effectively in the award decision?

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