

ORAL QUESTION H-0112/05
for Question Time at the part-session in March 2005
pursuant to Rule 109 of the Rules of Procedure
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to the Commission

Subject: Administrative reform of the European institutions

Opinion polls show that citizens see the European institutions as big bureaucratic centres which have a lot of power and are run with a lot of taxpayers' money. The Prodi Commission began to tackle this problem and Commissioner Kinnock was put in charge of administrative reform of the European institutions.

Has the 'Kinnock reform' even begun? Is it in progress? Or has it perhaps already been completed? And if it has been completed, what effects has it had? In your opinion, how many unnecessary administrative obstacles are there in EU regulations? Do you intend to draw up a programme of measures to combat red tape?

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