

ORAL QUESTION H-1066/05
for Question Time at the part-session in December 2005
pursuant to Rule 109 of the Rules of Procedure
by Christopher Beazley
to the Council

Subject: School fees

Would the Council please comment on the proposal of the British Government to impose financial penalties on Public Schools. Would the Council not agree that such a move would not only be highly damaging to the provision of education in the United Kingdom but is also in conflict with the EU's guiding economic principles of encouraging choice and openness?

Would the Council please give its view on whether this matter should be considered by the European Court of Justice and European Court of Human Rights?

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