

WRITTEN QUESTION P-1186/02
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to the Commission

Subject: Destruction of Palestinian infrastructure financed by the EU

Following the mass destruction and numerous acts of vandalism perpetrated by the Israeli army as part of its recent campaign to reoccupy the Palestinian autonomous territories, can the Commission reassess the damage caused to infrastructure financed by the EU and its Member States?

Given that basic legal principles call for reparation to be paid for the damage, what does the Commission intend to do to obtain the appropriate compensation from Mr Sharon's government?

Will the Commission undertake to assist the Palestinian Authority in its efforts to obtain fair reparations by all means available to it by law?