

WRITTEN QUESTION P-3789/08
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to the Commission

Subject: Sums earmarked for Economic Partnership Agreements (EPAs) under the 10th EDF

The Commission has earmarked sums under the 10th EDF to finance adjustments linked to the implementation of EPAs in the countries and regions concerned.

Can the Commission indicate the total amount it intends to set aside for this purpose?

Can the Commission give a detailed breakdown of the amounts taken from the various individual EDF funding sectors (IRPs, INPs, or others) or from other EU budget headings?

Can the Commission indicate the criteria governing and the procedures for making payments to the regions/countries concerned?