

**Question for written answer E-001772/2025/rev.1
to the Commission**
Rule 144
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Subject: The Europe Union must condemn the holding of a conference of the Organisation of Turkic States in the occupied territories and any attempt to upgrade the pseudo-state

Unfortunately, despite the European institutions' belief that good progress is underway with regard to the Cyprus problem, negative developments persist and serve as a reminder of the bitter reality: the illegal occupation of part of the Republic of Cyprus continues.

The Council of the Elders of the Organisation of Turkic States met on 1 and 2 May 2025 in the occupied territories of Cyprus, understandably provoking reactions.

In view of the above:

1. Does the Commission condemn any meeting of the Organisation of Turkic States in the occupied territories?
2. What steps will the Commission take to prevent future similar meetings of the Organisation of Turkic States from being held in Cyprus in full violation of Protocol 10 on the accession of the Republic of Cyprus to the EU?
3. Will the Commission continue to stand by and watch as efforts are made to upgrade the status of the occupying authorities, or will it finally take decisive action - first and foremost out of self-respect?

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