

**Question for written answer E-003729/2025
to the Commission**
Rule 144
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Subject: CRC general comment No 26 and violence inflicted on animals

The Committee on the Rights of the Child published CRC/C/GC/26¹, which included a reference to the right of children and adolescents not to be exposed to violence inflicted on animals. The comment calls on all the countries that are parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child² to take action to this end, and it is linked to events such as the death of a torero in the bullring in Lisbon³ and bullfighting displays in Spain aimed at children⁴.

In the light of the above:

1. Is the Commission going to take any action regarding this comment?
2. Is the Commission aware of the breach of children's and adolescents' human rights in activities such as bullfighting?

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¹ <https://www.ohchr.org/en/documents/general-comments-and-recommendations/crcgc26-general-comment-no-26-2023-childrens-rights>

² <https://www.ohchr.org/en/instruments-mechanisms/instruments/convention-rights-child>

³ <https://www.abc.es/cultura/toros/fallece-forcado-portugues-manuel-trindade-tras-sufrir-20250823173524-nt.html>.

⁴ https://www.eldiario.es/andalucia/gobierno-andaluz-sostiene-ninos-adquieren-toros-conciencia-ecologica-empatia-animales_1_12338033.html.