

**Question for written answer E-000143/2026
to the Commission**
Rule 144
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Subject: Ensuring the correct depiction of Greece's borders on all official EU material

The European Commission's recent publication of the booklet 'Let's explore Europe!', in which the Greek islands of the Eastern Aegean and the Dodecanese are depicted as Turkish, raises a serious issue. This incident represents a violation of the EU's obligation – also in accordance with the relevant applicable legislation – to respect the national sovereignty and territorial integrity of the Member States. Incorrect mapping is a cause for concern in an area with particular sensitivities and well-known Greek-Turkish disputes, and reduces citizens' trust in the EU.

Can the Commission answer the following:

1. How can it explain that a map depicting Greek islands as Turkish was approved and published and what binding measures will be taken to prevent such errors from occurring again?
2. How will the procedures for checking, approving and supervising EU educational and information publications be changed to ensure that Greece's internationally recognised borders are always respected?

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