

**Question for written answer E-003613/2026/rev.1
to the Commission**
Rule 144
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Subject: Status of qualified electronic attestations of attributes and electronic attestations of attributes provided by or on behalf of a public sector body

According to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2025/1569 as regards qualified electronic attestations of attributes (QEAs) and electronic attestations of attributes provided by or on behalf of a public sector body responsible for an authentic source (Pub-EAs), the Commission was obliged to fulfil its obligations under Articles 6-9 of the Regulation by 19 August 2026.

1. Which Member States were (a) on time; (b) late; or (c) not yet ready to establish a list of public sector bodies or develop the verification mechanism for qualified trust service providers?
2. Why has the Commission not published either the list of public sector bodies, or the catalogues of attributes and of schemes for the attestation of attributes to this date?
3. Please explain the current level of uptake and use of Pub-EAs and QEAs across the EU, referring to the number of issuers and attestations created, and the reasons for it, such as major challenges that continue to hinder their uptake.

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