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Answer given by Mr Brunner
on behalf of the European Commission
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The Commission is determined to fight all forms and manifestations of antisemitism. To this aim, the Commission works closely with Member States. The protection of people, especially the most vulnerable to attacks including Jewish communities, is at the heart of the EU's work on security¹.

The Commission would like to refer the Honourable Member to the replies to written questions E-002886/2024 and E-002590/2025 as policing matters, including working conditions of law enforcement officers, fall under national competence. The Commission does not receive statistics about the number of Member States in which the behaviour of law enforcement officers which the Honourable Member describes would have occurred.

The Commission does not receive statistics regarding the number of EU citizens who have emigrated to Israel since 7 October 2023.

As indicated in the Commission's reply to written questions E-000900/2023 and E-002427/2023, Member States are competent to apply public security measures to prevent violence and hooliganism at sports events. The Arrangement for Cooperation between the Commission and the Union of European Football Associations acknowledges 'the importance of sport, and football in particular, in the prevention of and fight against racism and antisemitism in Europe'². Member States have established national football information points to increase the effectiveness of police cooperation in connection with football matches with an international dimension. Regarding the two topics the Honourable Member is interested in, the Commission does not have specific information as these issues are matters for the national authorities concerned.

¹ <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A52025DC0148>.

² https://sport.ec.europa.eu/sites/default/files/2022-10/C_2022_3721_1_EN_annexe_acte_autonome_part1_v5_0.pdf.