

(English version)

**Question for written answer E-003842/25
to the Commission
Friedrich Pürner (NI)
(2 October 2025)**

Subject: Costs in Case T-36/23 Stevi and The New York Times v Commission

In response to my Written Question P-001943/2025 ⁽¹⁾, President von der Leyen wrote on behalf of the European Commission:

‘The General Court has ordered the Commission to pay the costs of the case. Since [the costs] have not yet been liquidated, it is not possible to quantify them at this stage.’ ⁽²⁾

Some time has now passed since this reply. I therefore kindly ask:

How much has this legal dispute cost thus far?

Submitted: 2.10.2025

**Answer given by President von der Leyen on behalf of the European Commission
(9 December 2025)**

Since the reply given to the previous question made by the Honourable Member on the same issue, no new elements have been brought to the Commission’s attention. Therefore, the Commission has to reiterate that, at this stage, the amount of the legal costs connected to case T-36/23 have not been liquidated and it is not yet possible to quantify them.

¹ https://www.europarl.europa.eu/doceo/document/P-10-2025-001943_EN.html

² https://www.europarl.europa.eu/doceo/document/P-10-2025-001943-ASW_EN.html