

(English version)

**Question for written answer E-000661/26
to the Commission
Jorge Martín Frías (PPE)
(16 February 2026)**

Subject: Request for information on possible links between the European Commission and Code Pink

The US Department of State and US media recently published information identifying Code Pink, along with other far-left groups, as a vector of Chinese influence operations. ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾

Given that the organisation has participated in events and activities on European soil, as well as in international networks in which European organisations are also participants:

1. Has Code Pink received direct funding from the European Commission or from programmes financed by the EU budget?
2. Has Code Pink participated in EU-funded projects?
3. Has Code Pink participated in public consultations, official meetings, working groups or other forms of institutional interaction with the Commission or its agencies?

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**Answer given by Mr Serafin on behalf of the European Commission
(13 April 2026)**

The Commission invites the Honourable Member to consult the Financial Transparency System (FTS) ⁽¹⁾. The portal makes available to the public information on recipients of funds financed from the EU budget and implemented directly by the Commission (at Headquarters or in EU delegations to non-EU countries) and other EU bodies such as executive agencies ('direct management') or implemented indirectly by other international organisations or non-EU countries ('indirect management'), and beneficiaries of the European Development Fund ⁽²⁾.

A search for 'Code Pink' in the name of the beneficiary filter on the FTS produces no result.

Please note that data for the year 2025 is not included, as it is expected to be published in June 2026.

Code Pink is not registered in the Transparency register ⁽³⁾. Therefore, there is no publicly available information about its participation in meetings, membership in expert groups or public consultations to which it may have contributed.

The Commission requires registration of interest representatives in the Transparency register for their appointment to Commission expert groups or for meeting Members of the Commission, their members or Cabinet and/or Commission staff holding management functions.

¹ <https://brusselssignal.eu/2026/02/us-flags-alleged-china-linked-ngos-amid-growing-influence-battle-with-beijing/>.

² <https://nypost.com/2026/02/10/us-news/state-department-identifies-code-pink-and-other-far-left-groups-as-vectors-of-chinese-influence-operations/>.

⁽¹⁾ <https://ec.europa.eu/budget/financial-transparency-system/index.html>. The annual publications are based on Article 38 of the Financial Regulation (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1-222), and in accordance with the third paragraph of the article, data on recipients is not disclosed for very low value contracts below EUR 15 000 and where disclosure risks threatening the rights and freedoms of the persons or entities.

⁽²⁾ <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/EN/legal-content/summary/european-development-fund-edf.html>.

⁽³⁾ https://transparency-register.europa.eu/index_en.