

**Question for written answer E-004081/2014  
to the Commission**  
Rule 117  
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Subject: Access to higher education for non-nationals

Following the ruling by the European Court of Justice in the Bressol case, does the Commission believe that discrimination against non-national EU citizens in the area of access to higher education could be legal under the objectively justified test on grounds other than a risk to public health?

Even including public health grounds, would the Commission regard discrimination in the area of higher education access targeted at specific nationals, i.e. those originating from one Member State, rather than all non-national EU citizens to be legal under EU law?