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Subject: Funding of human rights NGOs

The Qatargate scandal has laid bare the undue influence exerted by certain non-governmental organisations (NGOs) and non-EU states on Parliament's decisions. Communications between NGOs and Parliament's various secretariats have also revealed a level of favouritism concerning which NGOs receive information or requests for input. In this regard, it would be interesting to determine how much funding these NGOs receive from the EU.

1. Specifically, how much EU funding has gone to the following NGOs since 2014?

- a. Fight Impunity
- b. EuroMed Rights
- c. Amnesty International
- d. Front Line Defenders
- e. Open Society Foundations
- f. Civil Rights Defenders
- g. Droit au Droit – Right to Law
- h. No Peace Without Justice

2. How many meetings has the Commission held with the above-mentioned NGOs since 2014 and what was the nature of those meetings?

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