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ORAL QUESTION (O-139/78)

without debate pursuant to Rule 46 of the Rules of Procedure
by Mr FELLERMAIER
to the Commission of the European Communities

Subject: Review body to examine the workings of the
Commission

In his statement to the European Parliament in February 1979,
the President of the Commission announced the creation of
a review body of independent persons (council of wise men)
to examine the workings of the Commission.

Would the Commission therefore state:

1. What were the criteria used in the selection of the members of this body?
2. Who are its members?
3. What are its terms of reference?
4. How many persons are involved in administrative support of the review body's work (e.g. secretarial and administrative assistance in the preparation of the report)?

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5. Are these persons independent of the Commission or are present or former staff of the Commission involved?
6. Will the Commission make the report available to the European Parliament?