

MEP Survey 2000

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SECTION I. BASIC INFORMATION

1. In which member state were you elected?

2. What is your NATIONAL political party?

3. What is your Party Group in the European Parliament?

4. Which region, locality or city do you represent (if any)?

5. On what date did you become an MEP?

6. Are you also a member of your national parliament (either house)?

Yes . No .

7. Are you a member of an executive organ of your national party?

Yes . No .

8. Are you, or have you ever been, a President, Vice-President
or Quaestor of the EP?

Yes . No .

9. Are you, or have you ever been, a member of the Bureau of your
EP party group?

Yes . No .

10. Are you, or have you ever been, a Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson
of one of the EP committees?

Yes . No .

SECTION II. BACKGROUND

11. What was your age at the beginning of July 1999 (in years)? _____ YEARS

12. What is your gender? Male
Female

13. What do you consider your social class background (e.g. the occupation of your father)? **(please tick one box only)**

- Manager or company director
- Private sector professional/white collar
- Public sector professional/white collar
- Self-employed
- Skilled worker
- Manual worker

14. How old were you when you stopped full-time education?

- Younger than 16 years
- Between 16 and 19 years
- Older than 20 years

SECTION III. CAREER

15. Have you ever held, or do you currently hold, any of these positions? **(please tick as many boxes as apply)**

- | | | | |
|------------------------------------|---|---|---|
| Member of national parliament | . | Official (<i>fonctionnaire</i>) in the EP | . |
| Member of national government | . | Official in another EU institution | . |
| Regional elected office | . | Official in a professional association | . |
| Local elected office | . | Official in a trade union | . |
| European Commissioner | . | Official in a student organisation | . |
| National party office | . | Official in a women's organisation | . |
| Regional/local party office | . | Official in a regional/local interest group | . |
| European party office | . | Official in a national interest group | . |
| Assistant to an MEP | . | Official in a European interest group | . |
| Assistant to a national politician | . | A 'lobbyist' in Brussels | . |

16. Where would you most like to be 10 years from now?

(tick as many boxes as you wish)

- | | |
|---|---|
| Member of the European Parliament | . |
| Chair of an EP committee | . |
| Chair of an EP party group | . |
| Member of national parliament | . |
| Member of national government | . |
| European Commissioner | . |
| Head of a European/International Agency | . |
| Retired from public life | . |

SECTION IV. ATTITUDES

17. Where would you place yourself on the Left-Right spectrum? **(tick one box only)**

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1		2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		
LEFT																				RIGHT

18. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? **(tick one box per line)**

	Agree Strongly	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Disagree Strongly
a. Greater effort should be made to reduce inequality of income
b. Tougher action should be taken against criminals
c. Government should play a greater role in managing the economy
d. Women should be free to decide for themselves on abortion
e. Current welfare spending should be maintained even if it means raising taxes
f. The use of marijuana should be decriminalised
g. It is more important to reduce inflation than to reduce unemployment

19. Where would you place yourself on the question of European integration? **(tick one box only)**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
European integration has gone much too far					The EU should become a federal state immediately				

20. Taking everything into consideration, would you say that your country has benefited or not from EU membership?
(tick one box only)

Benefited

Not Benefited

Don't Know

21. Do you identify most with Europe, your member state, or your region, and which second and third? **(tick one box per column)**

	First	Second	Third
Europe	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
My member state	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
My region	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION V. EU POLICIES

22. Do you think there should be more or less EU-wide regulation in the following areas? **(tick one box per line)**

	A lot more	A little more	About the same	A little less	A lot less
a. Health and safety at work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Labour rights (e.g. working time rules)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Consumer protection standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. Environmental protection standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Food safety standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Taxation rates (e.g. harmonised business taxes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g. media, broadcasting and audiovisual standards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

23. Do you think more or less of the EU budget should be spent on the following areas? **(tick one box per line)**

	A lot more	A little more	About the same	A little less	A lot less
a. Agricultural price support	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Economic and social cohesion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Scientific research and development	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. Development aid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Direct unemployment assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Support for member states with the most refugees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

24. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about EMU and EU monetary policies?
(tick one box per line)

	Agree Strongly	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Disagree Strongly
a. The current interest rate of the European Central Bank is too low
b. EcoFin (not the ECB) should set inflation targets in the Euro-zone
c. The EP should have more power to influence interest rates in EMU
d. The minutes of the ECB Governing Council should be available to the public
e. Governments should be allowed to run deficits of more than 3% of GDP

25. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about EU trade policies? **(tick one box per line)**

	Agree Strongly	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Disagree Strongly
a. The EU should promote global free trade at all costs
b. The EU should abide by all World Trade Organization rules and rulings
c. The EU should support uniform global labour standards
d. The EU should support uniform global environmental standards
e. All trade barriers between the EU and the USA should be abolished

26. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about EU Justice and Home Affairs policies?

(tick one box per line)

	Agree Strongly	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Disagree Strongly
a. The EU should agree common rules for granting political asylum	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. The EU should agree common rules for granting EU citizenship	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. For serious crimes, the police in each member state should be able to issue arrest warrants which apply throughout the EU	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. For serious crimes, national courts should automatically recognise rulings by courts in other member states	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. The Council should vote by QMV on all JHA issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. JHA policies should be adopted using the Co-decision Procedure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

27. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about EU foreign and defence policies?

(tick one box per line)

	Agree Strongly	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Disagree Strongly
a. "Mr. CFSP" should have the power to set the EU foreign policy agenda	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. The Commission should have the power to set the EU foreign policy agenda	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. The Council should vote by QMV when adopting 'joint actions'	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. The EP should have the power to reject some foreign policy decisions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. The EU should have its own military units available for 'rapid reaction'	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. The EU rather than NATO should be responsible for Europe's defence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION VI. INSTITUTIONAL REFORM

28. To what extent do you agree/disagree with the following statements about reform of the EU? **(tick one box per line)**

	Agree Strongly	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Disagree Strongly
a. The member states, not the Commission nor the European Parliament, ought to remain the central pillars of the EU	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. It is imperative that the European Commission becomes the true government of the European Union	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. QMV should be used in all legislative decisions in the Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. The voting-weights of the larger member states (under QMV) should be increased	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. The larger states should have no more than one Commissioner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Member states should NOT have an automatic right to a Commissioner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g. The powers of the ECJ should be curtailed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
h. The European Parliament should have the right to initiative legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
i. The European Parliament should have equal legislative power with the Council in ALL areas of EU policy-making	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
j. The EP should be able to amend ALL areas of expenditure in the EU budget	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
k. The Commission President should be nominated by the EP, rather than the national governments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
l. Commissioners should be individually approved by the EP under the Assent Procedure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
m. The EP should be able to remove individual Commissioners from office	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
n. The President of the Commission should be directly-elected	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
o. The EP should be allowed to hold all its plenary sessions in Brussels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION VII. REPRESENTATION

29. When thinking about your work as an MEP, how important are the following aspects of your work? **(tick one box per line)**

	Of little importance				Of great importance
	1	2	3	4	5
Taking part in legislation	-	-	-	-	-
Parliamentary oversight	-	-	-	-	-
Articulation of important societal needs and interests	-	-	-	-	-
Developing common strategies for EU policies	-	-	-	-	-
Mediation between different interests in society	-	-	-	-	-
Representation of individual interests of individual citizens	-	-	-	-	-

30. How important is it to you to represent the following groups of people in the European Parliament? **(tick one box per line)**

	Of little importance				Of great importance
	1	2	3	4	5
All people in Europe	-	-	-	-	-
All people in my member state	-	-	-	-	-
All the people who voted for my party	-	-	-	-	-
All the people in my constituency	-	-	-	-	-
My national party	-	-	-	-	-
My EP party group	-	-	-	-	-
A specific group in society	-	-	-	-	-
Which one? _____	-	-	-	-	-

31. How much time do you spend on political work in your home country rather than work at the European Parliament?

- (tick one box only)**
- Most of my time each week
- Some of my time each week
- Limited time, mostly at weekends
- Little or no time
- Don't Know

32. MEPs receive requests for information or action both from constituents and from interest groups. About how many requests from the following might you receive in a typical week? **(tick one box per line)**

	0-10	10-25	25-50	50-100	>100
a. Individuals from my constituency	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Other individuals from my country	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Individuals from other countries	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. National interest groups	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. European interest groups	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

33. Which of the following forms of contact with individuals voters do you have? **(tick all the boxes that apply)**

- Access via a permanently staffed office of my own
- Access via a permanently staffed office shared with other MEPs
- Access via party-ran regional or national office
- A PO box or an Automated Telephone Link
- Regular consultation sessions (surgeries) for individual constituents
- Occasional consultation sessions (surgeries) for individual constituents

SECTION VIII. CONTACTS

34. How frequently are you in contact with the following groups, people or institutions? **(tick one box per line)**

	At least once a week	At least once a month	At least every three months	At least once a year	Less often	No contact
Ordinary citizens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Organised groups	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lobbyists	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Journalists	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leaders of my EP party group	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MEPs of other parties from my member state	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Officials in the Commission	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
European Commissioners	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Officials in the Council Secretariat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Members of COREPER	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ministers in the Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Members of the Economic and Social Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Officials in the European Court of Justice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Members of the Committee of the Regions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Members of my national party executive	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MPs from my national parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ministers from my national government	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Civil servants from my national government	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

35. How frequently are you in contact with the following interest groups? **(tick one box per line)**

	At least once a week	At least once a month	At least every three months	At least once a year	Less often	No contact
<i>National Interest Groups</i>						
Consumer associations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Environmental organisations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trade unions	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professional associations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Agriculture/fisheries organisations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Industry organisations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transport associations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trade and commerce associations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Banking and insurance associations	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>European Interest Groups</i>						
Consumer associations (e.g. EUROCOOP, BEUC)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Environmental organisations (e.g. EEB, Greenpeace)	-	-	-	-	-	-
European trade unions (e.g. ETUC)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professional associations (e.g. SEPLIS)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Agriculture/fisheries organisations (e.g. COPA)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Industry organisations (e.g. UNICE)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transport associations (e.g. LR/RU)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trade and commerce associations (e.g. FIPMEC)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Banking and insurance associations (e.g. GCECEE)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Human rights organisations (e.g. Amnesty)	-	-	-	-	-	-

SECTION IX. LEGISLATIVE BEHAVIOUR

36. How often do you receive recommendations on which way to vote from the following parties or groups? **(tick one box per line)**

On almost every vote Never

1 2 3 4 5

You national party leadership

Your EP party group leadership

Your national party delegation of MEPs

Your EP committee leadership

The European Commission

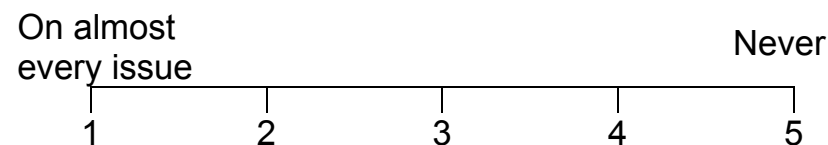
Your national government

European interest groups

National interest groups

Private citizens

37. On issues in the EP, how often is your position the same as the majority in these Party Groups? **(tick one box per line)**



- European People's Party/European Democrats (PPE/DE)
- Party of European Socialists (PSE)
- European Liberal Democrat and Reform Party (ELDR)
- Greens/European Free Alliance (V/ALE)
- European United Left/Nordic Green Left (GUE/NGL)
- Union for a Europe of Nations (UEN)
- Technical Group of Independents (TDI)
- Group for a Europe of Democracies and Diversities (EDD)

38. In many cases people have different views concerning matters before the European Parliament. On which of the following would you be most inclined to base your decision in such cases? **(tick one box per column)**

	1st choice	2nd choice	3rd choice
Follow my own judgement	.	.	.
Follow the views of the voters of my party	.	.	.
Follow the view of my national party leadership	.	.	.
Follow the view of my EP party group	.	.	.

39. If you had the chance to win any of the following posts, which one would you choose? **(tick one box per column)**

	1st choice	2nd choice	3rd choice
President of my EP party group	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leader of my national party delegation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
President of the European Parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chairperson of my EP committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

40. Here are a list of reasons why MEPs choose which EP committee to join. How important were each of these reasons in deciding which committee to join after the 1999 European elections? **(tick one box per line)**

	Extremely Important	Moderately important	Somewhat important	Only a little important	Not at all important
a. The committee concerns my personal interests	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. The committee is important to my constituents	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. The committee tackles topics in which I have professional expertise	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d. The committee covers important issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. I was asked to serve on the committee by my EP party group	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. I was asked to serve on the committee by my national party	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g. I was a member of this committee in the last European Parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>