

**Question for written answer E-006706/2014
to the Commission**
Rule 130
Pavel Svoboda (PPE)

Subject: Freedom of religion

On 24 June 2013, the Foreign Affairs Council adopted the 'EU Guidelines on the promotion and protection of freedom of religion or belief'. These guidelines provide for the possibility of suspending cooperation with third countries whose citizens are denied their freedom of religion or belief.

Has the Commission suspended or modified its cooperation with any third country in line with the aforementioned recommendation concerning respect for freedom of religion or belief since the guidelines were adopted?

Can the Commission cite an example of a project aimed at promoting freedom of religion that an EU delegation has supported in a third country?