

Question for written answer E-007362/2014
to the Commission (Vice-President / High Representative)
Rule 130
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Subject: VP/HR - Ukrainian far right

In its Resolution of 13 December 2012 on the situation in Ukraine (P7_TA(2012)0507), the European Parliament expressed its concern at the rise of the far right in the country. At the same time, it condemned the Svoboda Party, criticised its 'racist, anti-Semitic and xenophobic views' and appealed to democratic parties not to associate themselves with it.

Does the High Representative share this view of the Svoboda Party, which currently holds high-ranking posts within the EU-supported government of Ukraine?

Has the High Representative made any statements condemning the far-right Svoboda Party?

Is the High Representative's silence on this matter due to a change in attitude towards this organisation or to the fact that the party supports the Association Agreement between Ukraine and the European Union?