Question for written answer E-010222/2014 to the Commission Rule 130 Barbara Kappel (NI)

Subject: Cooperation between the EU and Russia in the energy sector up to 2050

The EU-Russia energy dialogue coordinators, former European Commissioner for Energy Günther Oettinger and Russian Minister for Energy Alexander Nowak, signed the EU-Russia Energy Roadmap 2050 in Moscow on 22 March 2013. The European Union imports 36 % of all its gas, 31 % of all its crude oil and 30 % of all the coal it needs from Russia. This agreement has been negotiated in order to extend cooperation, simplify transportation and, above all, prevent a repeat of the 2009 gas and energy crisis.

- 1. Will cooperation in the energy sector, as described in the Energy Cooperation Roadmap, continue unimpeded despite the crisis in Ukraine?
- 2. What alternatives are available if Russia stops exporting oil, gas or coal (of its own volition or because it has no choice)?
- 3. How are (were) imported oil, gas and coal distributed across the Member States (broken down over the last 15 years)?

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