

**Question for written answer E-010550/2014
to the Commission**

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Subject: Human trafficking within the EU-28

According to the Commission's mid-term report on the EU's 2012-2016 strategy for the eradication of human trafficking, 30 146 victims were registered in the 28 Member States from 2010 to 2012, 80 % of whom were women and girls. 69 % of all victims, and up to 95 % of female victims, are trafficked for sexual exploitation. 71 % of male victims are trafficked for labour.

What steps has the Commission taken to counter this trafficking?