Question for written answer E-010954/2014 to the Commission Rule 130 Lola Sánchez Caldentey (GUE/NGL)

Subject: EU-Mexico Global Economic Partnership, Political Coordination and Cooperation

Agreement

The EU-Mexico cooperation agreements assume respect for human rights and the rule of law. Recent events in Mexico raise doubts as to whether this assumption is being met. On the one hand, within the framework of human rights, a number of civil society organisations have reported that during the recent mass demonstrations, the Mexican law enforcement agencies used excessive violence against peaceful demonstrators, and are alleged even to have tortured certain individuals arrested in the protests.

Is the Commission monitoring this situation in order to ensure that the human rights of the Mexican people are not violated?

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