Question for written answer E-011083/2014 to the Commission (Vice-President / High Representative) Rule 130 Franz Obermayr (NI)

Subject: VP/HR - New financial resources for Ukraine: newspaper article dated 15.12.2014

According to reports in Die Welt newspaper on Monday, 15 December 2014, the EU High Representative for Foreign Affairs, Federica Mogherini, wants to indicate to the Ukrainian Prime Minister Arseniy Yatsenyuk that the EU is willing to make even more money available to Ukraine than before. However, this payment will be tied to certain conditions. The following question arise about this:

- 1. The EU has already invested in Ukraine on a considerable scale. One aim has been partial redemption of the country's debts for gas. If the EU High Representative for Foreign Affairs really has raised the prospect of paying further sums of money to Ukraine, what purpose will this money serve, and how large is this latest amount?
- 2. In case the EU High Representative for Foreign Affairs really has offered further financial aid to the Ukrainian Prime Minister, on what conditions will it be paid?

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