

**Question for written answer E-001145/2015
to the Commission (Vice-President / High Representative)**
Rule 130
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Subject: VP/HR - Kidnappings of girls in Nigeria

The terrorist group Boko Haram is continuing its reign of terror in north-eastern Nigeria. Following the spectacular kidnapping of hundreds of schoolgirls in the Chibok region of Nigeria in April 2014, news has now come that the group has kidnapped another 185 girls from the same region.

Despite the urgent resolution adopted by Parliament in July 2014, nothing has changed on the ground.

1. What action has the Vice-President/High Representative taken in response to these events?
2. Has the Vice-President/High Representative held talks with the Nigerian Government on ways of preventing further kidnappings?