

**Question for written answer E-001412/2015  
to the Commission**

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Subject:     Flaws of EU migration policy

The budget for Frontex was reduced from EUR 115 million in 2011 to EUR 85 million in 2013, while migration flows have significantly increased as a result of the conflicts in North Africa and the Middle East. Moreover, in 2013, just five Member States accounted for 70 % of all immigration applications registered in the EU-28.

These figures clearly show that the current EU migration system consists of a patchwork with no internal coherence, no fair system for sharing responsibility and no visibility for citizens.

1. Does the EU support the creation of a common EU migration policy?
2. If so, what is the view of the new Commissioner, Dimitris Avramopoulos, on this lack of coherence on migration policies?
3. Will the Commission review the Frontex regulation to ensure compulsory contributions from all Member States to the agency's operations and budget?