

**Question for written answer E-002905/2015  
to the Commission**

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Subject: Access for humanitarian organisations in Sudan

In response to the arrest of Dr Amin Mekki Medani, a known human rights activist and former President of the Sudan Human Rights Monitor, the European Parliament, in its meeting on 18 December 2014, expressed its concern at the worsening humanitarian situation in several regions of Sudan and, in particular, the ongoing limitations imposed on international humanitarian agencies and organisations.

How has the Commission applied diplomatic pressure to ensure that humanitarian agencies are granted safe, timely and unrestricted access to all areas, in particular those afflicted by the conflict, in accordance with international humanitarian principles?