

**Question for written answer E-002910/2015  
to the Commission**

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Subject: Response to the European Parliament resolution on human rights in Burundi

In its meeting on 18 September 2014, the European Parliament adopted a joint resolution on the human rights situation in Burundi, with regard in particular to the case of Pierre Claver Mbonimpa, who has coordinated significant campaigns for freedom and democracy over the last twenty years. Paragraph 10 of the resolution calls on the Commission 'to consider launching consultations with Burundi under Article 96 of the Cotonou Agreement with a view to possible suspension from the Agreement and to take any appropriate measures while they are conducted'.

How has the Commission responded to this point in the European Parliament resolution?