

**Question for written answer E-003111/2015
to the Commission
Rule 130
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Subject: Cooperation with countries involved in the Stabilisation and Association Process relating to the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction

In the Stabilisation and Association Process launched by the Union in connection with the countries of the Western Balkans, the fight against the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction is a key aspect of the political dialogue.

What is the Commission's assessment of the regional cooperation in the fight against the proliferation of these weapons?

Does this point include the fight against the transfer of nuclear weapons from 'possessing States' under the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons to countries involved in the Stabilisation and Association Process?