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to the Council**

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Subject: Global Khartoum Process and forthcoming EU-Horn of Africa Migration Route Initiative

The Italian Presidency of the Council of the European Union opened a dialogue entitled the 'Khartoum process', which on 28 November 2014 led to a declaration calling for the launch of the 'EU-Horn of Africa Migration Route Initiative'<sup>1</sup>.

1. What has been the Council's involvement in the Khartoum process and now in the EU-Horn of Africa Migration Route Initiative?
2. Is there any specific involvement of the Latvian Presidency in this follow-up?
3. Can the Council provide detailed information on the content of cooperation with third countries, including Eritrea and Sudan, and especially on whether there have been any economic commitments?

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<sup>1</sup> <http://italia2014.eu/media/3785/declaration-of-the-ministerial-conference-of-the-khartoum-process.pdf>