Question for written answer E-007829/2015/rev.1 to the Council Rule 130 Steven Woolfe (EFDD)

Subject: UK veto on burden sharing

It has been reported in the UK press that the newly elected Conservative government has threatened to veto plans to enact burden sharing of migrants throughout Member States¹.

Could the Council clarify if the UK has such veto power?

¹ Daily Mail, 11 May 2015, 'Tories "will veto EU plan to make us take more Med migrants": Minister in battle with Europe over demand to take 60 000 asylum seekers'.