

**Question for written answer E-008500/2015  
to the Commission**  
Rule 130  
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Subject: The objectives of COP 21

At the sixth Petersberg Climate Dialogue, Germany and France declared their firm resolution to reach an ambitious agreement at the 21<sup>st</sup> session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 21), to be held in Paris next December, and reaffirmed their commitment to the 2 degrees Celsius objective.

Commissioner Cañete tweeted that 'an ambitious climate agreement in Paris is within reach'.

1. Can the Commission specify what its objectives will be at COP 21?
2. What steps does it intend to propose in order to help reach an ambitious agreement on this occasion?