

**Question for written answer E-008766/2015
to the Commission**

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Subject: EU support for the fisheries sector

According to a recent survey carried out by Europêche, 84 % of Europeans are in favour of greater support for the fishing industry, considering it essential to the food supply and in relation to its economic weight.

Does the Commission think the EU is making enough effort to support the fishing industry, which currently takes up 1.7 % of the Community budget?