Question for written answer E-008768/2015 to the Commission Rule 130 Gabriel Mato (PPE) and Carlos Iturgaiz (PPE)

Subject: Warning of increased humanitarian aid requirements

The UN Secretary-General recently warned that the number of people needing humanitarian aid throughout the world has doubled in just 10 years. In this context, he called on the international community to construct a global humanitarian aid system capable of tackling the growing emergencies. These have increased greatly, mainly because of increased displacements due to conflicts.

- 1. What is the EU's position regarding this UN call to the international community?
- 2. What steps is the EU taking to tackle this increase in displacements due to conflicts, the largest since the end of the Second World War?