

**Question for written answer E-010753/2015
to the Commission (Vice-President / High Representative)**
Rule 130
Hugues Bayet (S&D)

Subject: VP/HR - Cooperation between the European External Action Service (EEAS) and Amnesty International

On 17 June 2015, the High Representative/Vice-President, Federica Mogherini, met the Secretary General of Amnesty International, Salil Shetty.

Mrs Mogherini said that Amnesty International and the European Union were fundamental partners. The two organisations agreed to pursue their cooperation in the areas of human rights and civil society.

Could the EEAS outline the main areas of its cooperation with Amnesty International and other civil society organisations concerning the defence of human rights?