

**Question for written answer E-010761/2015
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: High-Level Group on energy-intensive industries

In its answer of 31 March 2015 to question E-000991/2015, the Commission said it was considering setting up a High-Level Group on energy-intensive industries. The steel sector would be a member of this new group, which would hold its first meeting in 2015. The intention is for the High-Level Group to look more broadly at initiatives which would benefit the iron and steel industry in the European Union.

Can the Commission tell us what progress has been made on preparatory work for the first meeting and whether a date for it has been set?