

**Question for written answer E-014284/2015  
to the Commission**

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Subject: Crisis in the aluminium industry

High energy costs arising from EU regulations and commercial dumping by China are making life incredibly difficult for European aluminium producers, whilst demand for aluminium continues to rise in Europe.

Does the Commission think the situation with regard to the aluminium industry in Europe has improved since the Commission drew up its most recent report in 2013?

What steps is the Commission planning to take to prevent the death of European industry in general and of the aluminium industry in particular that do not involve using European dumping to tackle Asian dumping?