Question for written answer E-007884/2017 to the Commission Rule 130 José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra (PPE)

Subject: Situation faced by children in Yemen

Under 18s in Yemen are not immune from the country's humanitarian crisis: 9.6 million need aid (51% of the total number of children); 2 million do not go to school; 1.6 million are displaced; 462 000 under fives are severely malnourished and 1 275 have been recruited by the parties to the dispute. According to Unicef, every 10 minutes, a child under the age of five dies in Yemen from preventable diseases such as diarrhoea, pneumonia or measles because the country's health system is on the verge of collapse.

Will the Commission adopt new measures to improve the situation faced by children in Yemen?

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