

Question for written answer P-006253/2014
to the Commission (Vice-President / High Representative)
Rule 130
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Subject: VP/HR - Human rights violations by IS

The terrorist organisation Islamic State (IS) is systematically and deliberately violating human rights as it advances. Currently, the situation in the region Shingal in northern Iraq is escalating dramatically. Hundreds of thousands of members of the Yezidi religious community are threatened by genocide.

What steps will the VP / HR take to avert this imminent threat of genocide?