

**Question for written answer P-007233/2014
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: EU homelessness strategy

During the 2009-2014 parliamentary term, the European Parliament adopted a resolution (P7_TA(2013)0246 of 11 June 2013) based on an own-initiative report on social housing in the EU. In the resolution Parliament called on the Commission to implement without delay Parliament's resolution on an EU homelessness strategy.

In January 2014 Parliament once again called on the Commission to launch a European strategy for the homeless, following on from a similar call in a resolution of 14 September 2011 (P7_TA(2011)0383), and from proposals made by other EU institutions and bodies.

1. Could the Commission advise as to the state of play with regard to social housing in the EU?
2. Could the Commission state what progress has been made with regard to the implementation of the EU homelessness strategy?