WRITTEN QUESTION E-1829/02 by Pere Esteve (ELDR) to the Council

Subject: Persons missing in unknown circumstances

In response to the current problem of persons missing in unknown circumstances, it seems that a collective working group of six Member State countries has been formed with the objective of creating an international database for identifying missing persons and unidentified corpses.

Is the Council aware of this working group and, if so, of what it involves?

Is the Council involved in this type of initiative, or does it intend to put forward a proposal for a similar initiative at European Union level?