

WRITTEN QUESTION E-1538/09  
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to the Council

Subject: Tibet

In the light of the Chinese authorities' recent launch of a 'Strike Hard' campaign against Tibetans in Lhasa, raiding homes and businesses, questioning 5766 people and making at least 81 arrests on charges including possession of 'reactionary songs', what is the Council doing to promote the welfare of the Tibetans in its dialogues with China?