

**Question for written answer E-001534/2014
to the Commission**

Rule 117

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Subject: Demonstrations in Egypt

In recent days in Egypt, there has been further violence and unrest. Anti-government protests and bombings have taken the lives of almost 50 people. Since the overthrow last year of Mohammed Morsi, government persecution and violence has claimed more than 1 000 victims. These recent events in Egypt coincide with the third anniversary of the start of the revolution which overthrew the government of former Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak.

Does the Commission plan on being active in any specific way in light of the recent events in Egypt?