

**Question for written answer E-009599/2016  
to the Commission**  
Rule 130  
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Subject: Natura 2000 - Action Plan

On 7 December 2016 the Commission announced the development of an Action Plan to correct the deficiencies encountered in the implementation of the Birds and Habitats Directives. The decision came after the Commission had concluded – on the basis of an extensive evaluation – that both directives are fit for purpose, so that the focus should be placed on better implementation.

When will the Commission provide more details on this Action Plan?

When is adoption of the Action Plan expected?