

**Question for written answer E-006258/2018
to the Commission**
Rule 130
Karol Karski (ECR)

Subject: EU-Africa alliance

The European Commission has proposed a new 'Africa-Europe Alliance for Sustainable Investment and Jobs'. The alliance follows the commitments made at the African Union - European Union Summit in Abidjan, where representatives of the two continents decided to strengthen and broaden their partnership.

Therefore, I would like to put the following questions to the European Commission:

1. Which specific assumptions form the basis for the cooperation between the two continents?
2. Does the European Union intend, within the framework of the alliance, to allow the African continent free access to EU markets and, if so, in what manner and under what conditions?
3. What are the objectives of the external investment plan to be implemented by the European Union in relation to Africa?