

**Question for written answer E-004240/2021
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Afghanistan

In February 2020, former US president Donald Trump signed a deal with the Taliban on the withdrawal of US and allied troops from Afghanistan by May 2021. After his election, current US President Joe Biden maintained the plan for withdrawal but with a new end date of 31 August 2021.

1. How did the February 2020 deal influence the political and budgetary policies of the Commission?
2. In 2019, how much EU funding did the Commission invest in Afghanistan, Turkmenistan, Tajikistan, Pakistan, Iran and Uzbekistan, respectively?
3. How much was invested and how much does the Commission expect to invest in each country in 2020, 2021, and 2022? Please list the individual amounts separately for each country and year.