

**Question for written answer E-002379/2022  
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Islands Pact

On 7 June 2022, during its plenary session in Strasbourg, the European Parliament adopted a resolution on EU islands and cohesion policy: current situation and future challenges (2021/2079(INI)).

The document calls on the Commission to start discussions on including all islands in the common classification of territorial units. It also calls on the Commission to draw up and implement an islands pact 'with the participation of the principal stakeholders, namely national, regional and local authorities, economic and social operators, civil society, academia and non-governmental organisations, along the lines of the Urban Pact and the future Rural Pact'.

In the light of this:

1. Will the Commission accede to Parliament's request and start work on an islands pact in the form of a programming document along the lines of the Urban Pact and the future Rural Pact?