

**Question for written answer E-002631/2023
to the Commission**

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Subject: Humanitarian aid to Artsakh

Despite the constant denunciations and condemnations of the Azeris for war crimes, what is happening in the region is nothing short of a genuine failure on the part of the European institutions. This failure is leading to catastrophe.

This is a humanitarian catastrophe, since, according to specialist forecasts and estimates, one in three inhabitants of the region will not survive the winter without heating, medicine and food. The situation there can only be described as tragic.

We cannot close our eyes to what the Armenians living in Artsakh have been going through for so long.

In view of the above:

1. Can the Commission say what action it is taking to ensure that Azerbaijan immediately halts its hostile acts against Armenian civilians?
2. What efforts are being made by the Commission to prevent any further worsening of the humanitarian crisis in the region?

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