

Question for written answer E-003285/2023

to the Vice-President of the Commission / High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy

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Subject: Assessment of European anti-terrorism instruments and programmes

The recent attack in Brussels on 16 October 2023 illustrates that terrorism remains a challenge for the EU. The Strategic Compass for Security and Defence set out the intention to carry out an assessment of European instruments and programmes contributing to counter-terrorism capacity building in the first half of 2023. Cooperation between Member States and other partners is extremely important to maximise our efforts against terrorism.

1. Have these assessments been carried out in the meantime?
2. If so, can the Vice-President of the Commission / High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy provide a (basic) overview of the results of these assessments?

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