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## Oral Questions

**Pursuant to Rule 47a of the Rules of Procedure**

**for QUESTION TIME  
on 11 and 13 February 1980**



1. Question by Mr ALMIRANTE (H-333/79)<sup>1,2</sup>

Subject : Italian shipyard crisis

Italian shipyards are in a state of serious crisis because of the world surplus of ships and over-production in non-European countries, particularly Japan.

The European Community's Davignon plan, which provides for a significant reduction in European and Italian ship production, is contributing to this crisis.

This crisis has brought production to a standstill, particularly in shipyards in southern Italy and the Neapolitan area, and made hundreds of workers dependent on the fund to supplement earnings, with the result that they justifiably fear loss of their jobs.

1. What initiatives does the Commission intend to take, particularly as regards revision of the policy adopted to date, in order to cope with non-European competition and to collaborate with Italy in launching a systematic plan to stimulate the shipping industry, particularly in the South?
2. What initiatives does it intend to take to prevent shipowners from using unseaworthy ships, often flying flags of convenience, and to make it compulsory for shipowners to overhaul their ships properly and thus create new work for shipyards?
3. What initiatives does it intend to take to encourage the granting of credit to shipping firms which purchase new ships in Italy?

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1a. Question by Mr MORELAND (H-344/79)

Subject : Commission President's Lecture

Did the Commission President speak in a personal capacity or on behalf of the Commission when he recently lectured in the UK ('Dimbleby'-lecture), and if he spoke in a personal capacity will he state if he discussed the contents of his lecture with the college of Commissioners beforehand?

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<sup>1</sup> Former oral question without debate (0-100/79) converted into a question for question time.

<sup>2</sup> Will not be called if items 154 and 156 are kept on the agenda.

2. Question by Mr ANSQUER (H-367/79)

Subject : Supervision of Euro-credits

Given the inflationary character of Euro-credits and their threat to the world economy, does the Commission intend to propose a system of supervision without making one country or continent suffer, and without any adverse effect on investments?

3. Question by Mr PININFARINA (H-386/79)

Subject : Aid from the Italian State to partly state-owned industries in the clothing sector

Does not the Commission think that a speedy response to the action brought last May by the European Clothing Manufacturers' Association against the Italian Government for violation of Articles 90, 92 and 93 of the Treaty of Rome might help to bring some clarity into an area where irregular competition mechanisms have blocked possibilities of action and in certain cases have threatened the continued existence of healthy and productive enterprises without affording any advantages in the matter of prices policy or of employment policy?

4. Question by Mr PENDERS and BEUMER (H-427/79)<sup>1</sup>

Subject : Boycott measures by Arab States

In view of its official pronouncements and statements in the past on boycott measures in general and on boycott measures by a number of Arab States against Israel which affect Member States in particular, is the Commission prepared to provide the European Parliament as soon as possible with information and documentation on :

1. The nature and scale of occurrences such as :
  - (a) declarations of non-Jewish origin;
  - (b) negative goods declaration;
  - (c) declarations that no relations are maintained with Israel.
2. Statutory and other measures taken by the authorities of the Member States to prevent compliance with these demands?

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<sup>1</sup> Former oral question with debate (0-137/79 converted into a question for question time.

5. Question by Mr BERKHOUWER (H-338/79)

Subject : Trade negotiations between the EEC and the USSR

What steps have been taken to ensure that the USSR gives diplomatic recognition to the Community in the trade negotiations between the two parties?

6. Question by Lord O'HAGEN (H-347/79)

Subject : Cider tax

Does the Commission plan to recommend a tax on cider?

7. Question by Mr O'CONNELL (H-382/79)

Subject : Directorate-General for Consumer Affairs

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8. Question by Mr TURNER (H-392/79)

Subject: Failure to fulfil an obligation under the EEC Treaty

What practical steps are open to the Commission to ensure that France, which has failed to fulfil an obligation under the EEC Treaty in that it has not adhered to the Order of the European Court of Justice of 25th September 1979, on sheep-meat, will be required to take the necessary measures to comply with the Order pursuant to Article 171 of the EEC Treaty?

9. Question by Mrs VON ALEMANN (H-395/79)

Subject: Elimination of pollution at Seveso

Does the Commission not feel that it would be advisable to keep a close watch on the current work on eliminating chemical pollution in those areas of Seveso affected by the accident at the ICMESA plant in 1976, one purpose being to draw conclusions from the incident in order to prevent a recurrence and to organize any future assistance as rapidly and effectively as possible?

10. Question by Mrs EWING (H-397/79)

Subject: Spain's entry to EEC and fishing problems

In view of the Commission's recent attempts to speed up the negotiations on Spain's entry to the EEC, will the Commission give its view of the fishing problems which will arise from Spain's entry and its proposed solutions to such problems?

11. Question by Mr COLLINS (H-398/79)

Subject: Classical swine fever and UK pig farming

Is the Commission aware of the problems presented to British farming interests by the expiry on 31 December, 1979 of derogations concerning the imports of live pigs and fresh pig meat and will they indicate what action they propose to take to ensure the continued freedom in Britain from classical swine fever?

12. Question by Mr VAN AERSEN (H-399/79)

Subject: The Community's energy supplies

In the light of the disappointing results of the meeting of OPEC countries in Caracas in December 1979, does the Commission think that the Community will have adequate supplies of crude oil throughout 1980, or does it feel that there will be an even more serious oil shortage, at least in the second half of 1980 (world production of less than 49 million barrels/day), and that the crisis mechanism for safeguarding the Community's energy supplies will in effect have to be brought into operation?

13. Question by Mr SPINELLI (H-401/79)

Subject: Application of the first Community directive on limited companies

Is the Commission aware of the question by Mr MINERVINI, member of the Italian Chamber of Deputies, asking the reasons for the wholly incorrect application of the first Community directive on limited companies: if so, can it state what action it intends to take to ensure proper application of the directive in Italy, and, if possible, can it state how the directive is applied in all the other Member States of the Community?

14. Question by Mrs CASSANMAGNAGO-CERRETTI (H-402/79)

Subject : The position of Cambodian refugees in a number of camps and aid from the Community and the Member States

Is the Commission aware of the very worrying situation of Cambodian refugees accommodated in the SAKEO and the 'REAHON' camp at MANA MAK MOON where more than 235,000 people, including 120,000 children of whom 4,700 are orphans, are living in inhuman conditions without sufficient food or medical attention?

Can the Commission state whether it is now in a position to provide, in cooperation with the Member States, the necessary emergency aid to these refugees who are afflicted by hunger and illness?

15. Question by Mr BAUDIS (H-405/79)

Subject: Using dipped headlights in towns

Given the different laws in the Member States on the use of dipped headlights by motor vehicles in built-up areas, is the Commission planning to carry out further studies and possibly consult local representatives, in preparation for the European Conference of Ministers of Transport, in order to ensure greater protection for pedestrians likely to be dazzled by vehicle headlights when it is raining?

16. Question by Mrs SQUARCIALUPI (H-406/79)

Subject: Implementation of the Community directive on teaching the children of migrant workers their mother tongue

Can the Commission say what methods have been used in the Member States to teach the children of migrant workers the language of their country of origin, so that when the directive is implemented in 1981 those methods are chosen which have given the best results and which ensure that the directive is properly implemented?

17. Question by Mr PROVAN (H-407/79)

Subject: Scotch Whisky Imports

Will the Commission make certain that in the negotiations for entry to the Community with Greece the question of fair competition is properly agreed, so that restrictions imposed on Scotch Whisky imports applied as from 31st December 1979 can be removed and free and fair competition result?

18. Question by Mr REMILLY (H-408/79)

Subject: Development of wind energy

In view of the potential contribution of wind energy towards the Community's energy requirements over the next few decades, has the Commission drawn up plans for the development of this energy source in the Community?

19. Question by Mr GILLOT (H-417/79)

Subject: Directive on architects

In view of the fact that a draft directive on architects has been under consideration for more than 15 years, that it now bears only a slight resemblance to the text submitted for consideration by the Assembly of the European Communities, that it takes no account of the new significance attaching to the concern for the quality of life and that it has been repeatedly rejected by the Liaison Committee of the Architects of the United Europe, can the Commission indicate whether it plans to consider the proposals drawn up unanimously by the Liaison Committee of the Architects of the United Europe and whether it intends to consult the Assembly a second time, as required by the far-reaching amendments made to the initial text and warranted by the election by universal suffrage of the new Assembly?

20. Question by Mr PONCELET (H-418/79)

Subject: British Leyland/Honda agreement

In view of the agreement which has just been signed between the British company British Leyland and the Japanese company Honda on the manufacture and distribution of a car in the common market can the Commission indicate whether this agreement complies with the Treaty of Rome (Arts. 85 and 86), whether the engines and transmission gear manufactured in Japan will be subject to the common external tariff and, if not, whether it does not constitute a deflection of trade and a violation of the Treaty to sell a vehicle 'Made in Great Britain' when it is clearly Japanese?

21. Question by Mr PURVIS (H-419/79)

Subject : Distribution of Community aid to Kampuchea

What proportion at the most recent suitable date of aid granted and/or paid for by the Community for Kampuchea has been distributed to the starving people in need of it; what proportion remains undistributed in store in Kampuchea; what proportion has still not reached Kampuchea; and what steps the Commission will take to ensure that the aid is distributed as rapidly as possible to those most in need of it ?

22. Question by Mr KAVANAGH (H-420/79)

Subject : Problems in the Community textile industry

in view of the considerable threat to the Community textile industry, especially carpets, posed by imports of artificially low-cost fibre from the U.S.A., what protective action will the Commission propose pursuant to the Council's agreement last April to take such action, if the need arose ?

23. Question by Mrs CLWYD (H-421/79)

Subject : Social Security Regulations

Is the Commission aware that under the Social Security Regulations of the European Communities- viz. Certificate of Entitlement to Benefits in kind during a stay in a member state (E.111 available in the U.K.) that a wife can be covered as a dependent of her husband, but her husband may not be included as her dependant 'unless he is unable to support himself because of physical or mental disability' and can the Commission explain the unequal treatment of the sexes in the Regulations ?

24. Question by Sir John STEWART-CLARK (H-422/79)

Subject : Animal Welfare

In view of the real conflict of interest between animal welfare and the need to supply food at reasonable prices, that is revealed in the battery method of producing eggs and poultry; will the Commission confirm that satisfactory minimum standards of animal welfare apply to such production methods in all member states, and does the Commission have plans to monitor the observance of such standards in the interest of animal welfare and fair competition ?

25. Question by Mr MAHER (H-423/79)

Subject : Common policy for afforestation within the Community

In view of the high costs of imported timber, in view of the problems of land utilization for food production and in view of the need to save energy, when does the Commission propose to establish a common policy for afforestation within the Community ?

26. Question by Mr ESTGEN (H-424/79)

Subject: Year of the Child 1979

The United Nations declared 1979 'International Year of the Child' and appealed to all states to carry out specific actions in 1979 for the benefit of the child.

Can the Commission give details of the specific initiatives it undertook at Community level for the Year of the Child?

27. Question by Mr MUNTINGH (H-425/79)

Subject: Natural disasters

In view of the frequency of natural disasters and the scale of their impact on the environment and population, what preventive action and emergency measures to be implemented in the event of such disasters does the Commission intend to take?

28. Question by Mr HARRIS (H-430/79)

Subject: Road equivalent tariff for ferry services to Scotland's Western Isles

What is happening about the proposal that a road equivalent tariff should be introduced for ferry services to Scotland's Western Isles and has any consideration been given to the possibility of introducing such a subsidy for the Isles of Scilly?

29. Question by Mr BARBAGLI (H-431/79)

Subject: Distillation of table wine

Further to the answer given on 14 January 1980 in Strasbourg on the subject of the exceptional grape harvest in Italy, France and Spain in the 1979/80 marketing year, can the Commission state whether it intends to facilitate the distillation of appropriate quantities of table wine in order to safeguard the balance of the wine market and the earnings of wine-growers?

30. Question by Mr WELSH (H-432/79) (x)

Subject: Regulation of natural gas prices in Holland

Will the Commission undertake to make representations to the Dutch Government concerning their policy of artificially regulating the price of natural gas to fruit, vegetable and flower producers in Holland thus giving them an unfair competitive advantage vis à vis growers in other parts of the Community?

31. Question by Mr O'DONNELL (H-435/79)

Subject: Milk and sugar sectors

Is the Commission aware that recent proposals for the milk and sugar sectors would have disastrous economic and social repercussions for Ireland and are giving rise to grave concern and anxiety, and, if so, has the Commission, as yet, made a full assessment of the implications of these proposals for Ireland and, if not, when is it proposed to do so?

32. Question by Mr DELEAU (H-436/79)

Subject: Iron and steel works at Bagnoli

In its answer to my question (H-355/79), the Commission indicates that it has not yet approved the planned expansion of the works at Bagnoli. If it does give its approval, however, how can it justify its earlier pronouncement that an increase in total capacity (of which the Bagnoli works account for one quarter) would be contrary to Commission recommendations and accentuate the imbalance now in evidence in the flat-rolled products sector?

33. Question by Mrs DESMOND (H-439/79)

Subject : Community response to the UN Year of the Child

Can the Commission give details of the response within the Community in terms of legislation and other policies introduced, to the UN Year of the Child, and will it publish a separate chapter of its Report on the Social Situation for 1979 dealing with the subject ?

34. Question by Mr SCHMID (H-441/79)

Subject: Price of super-grade petrol and heating oil

On the basis of what information or calculations did a Member of the Commission state in an interview published in 'Bild Zeitung' on 23 December 1979 that in the second half of 1980 the price of super-grade petrol could well rise to DM 1.30 and that of heating oil to DM 1.00 per litre?

35. Question by Mr CRONIN (H-442/79)

Subject : Regional Fund aid for construction of tunnel under  
the Lee Estuary at Blackrock Castle, Cork

As the development of industrial sites in the Cork Harbour region would be greatly assisted by the construction of a tunnel under the Lee Estuary at Blackrock Castle, does the Commission consider that such a project would be eligible for a grant from the EEC's Regional Fund ?

36. Question by Mr LEONARDI (H-443/79)

Subject: International monetary system

How does the Commission intend to guarantee that the Community participates fully and effectively in the elaboration of a new international monetary system, and what will it do to ensure that the Member States adopt a common position in any negotiations?

37. Question by Mr DEBRÉ (H-444/79)

Subject: Aid to the victims of the hurricane on Réunion

In view of the extensive damage caused by the hurricane which devastated the island of Réunion between 22 and 25 January 1980, does the Commission feel that it will be able to comply with a request from the French Government for a special grant?

38. Question by Mr BERSANI (H-445/79)

Subject: Conclusions of the recent CILSS summit

At the summit of the Inter-Governmental Committee on measures to combat drought in the Sahel (CILSS) which met in Ouagadougou in mid-January last, the leaders of that particularly vulnerable region again appealed to the international community for assistance in dealing with the serious food shortage and the need to strengthen the structures of the CILSS and intensify measures to prevent further extension of the desert.

Can the Commission give specific details of the outcome of this CILSS ministerial meeting at which it was represented as an observer, and of the practical conclusions it has drawn with a view to future action in the region?

39. Question by Mr BEUMER (H-446/79)

Subject: Deficit in United Kingdom trade in manufactured products with the rest of the Community

According to figures issued by the British Department of Trade, the deficit in the United Kingdom's trade in manufactured products with the rest of the Community in 1978 amounted to £1,615 million whereas according to the Statistical Office of the European Communities the deficit was only £1,076 million. The latter figure is also based on figures obtained from British sources.

Would the Commission therefore indicate the correct figure?  
Does it not feel that identical figures must be used to enable an accurate assessment to be made of the effects of Community membership?

40. Question by Mr GOUTHIER (H-448/79)

Subject: Convergence and the British problem

Does not the Commission consider that the solution to the problem of the United Kingdom's contribution to the Community budget lies in a system of financial redistribution based on per capita gross national product and a transfer of financial responsibilities and commitments from national public expenditure to Community expenditure with strict control on Community agricultural spending?

41. Question by Mr IRMER (H-450/79)

Subject: Information on the non-toxicity of a medicinal product

Can the Commission provide the information necessary to allay fears about the marketing of DEBENDOX, the problem of which was recently raised by the Italian Government at Community level and the prescription of which has been suspended by the Italian General Medical Association?

42. Question by Mrs CASTLE (H-452/79)

Subject: Regional Fund

To ask the Commission under what circumstances payments may be made from the Regional Fund to assist industrial development in areas which are not receiving similar assistance from the national government ~~concerned~~ and whether the payment by a national government of aid towards the clearance of derelict land in regions requiring new industrial development would attract matching aid from the Community from the Regional Fund ?

43. Question by Mr RADOUX (H-456/79)

Subject: Measures to aid Turkey

What short-term measures have already been taken by the Commission or will be taken in the immediate future, in response to the current economic and financial situation in Turkey?

44. Question by Mr SERLER (H-457/79)

Subject: EC-Turkey Financial Protocols

What is the current position concerning the implementation of the provision of aid to Turkey under the Third Financial Protocol and what progress has so far been made on drawing up the Fourth Financial Protocol and implementing the proposed Cooperation Fund?

45. Question by Mr MEGAHY (H-459/79)

Subject: Opinion poll on Britain's membership of the EEC

What is the reaction of the Commission to the recent EEC public opinion poll which showed only 29% of the British public as looking favourably on Britain's membership of the EEC?

46. Question by Mrs LIZIN (H-462/79)

Subject: Cracks in the nuclear power station at Tihange

The Belgian Minister of Labour and Employment, Mr De Wulf, who is responsible in this area, has admitted to the existence of cracks in the reactor vessel of the nuclear power station at Tihange.

Does the Commission intend to look into this matter and take steps to ascertain the degree of safety of this power station as it is entitled to do under the Treaty provisions?

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QUESTIONS TO THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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47. Question by Miss CLWYD (H-326/79)

Subject : Implications to the South Wales Coal Industry

Is the Energy Council of Ministers aware of the implications to the South Wales Coal Industry of B.S.C.'s recently announced commitment to import Third Country coking coal into their works and are they taking this new development into account in reaching the decision they have promised, before the end of 1979, on the continuation and adjustment to new circumstances of the existing scheme to provide aids to the production and disposal of Community coking coal for the steel industry?

48. Question by Mr SIEGLERSCHMIDT (H-239/79)

Subject : Directive on product liability

In view of the importance which the Council has recently attached to the expeditious adoption of certain regulations and directives, what progress has it made in its negotiations on the amended proposal on product liability submitted by the Commission on 26 September 1979 and when does it expect to adopt this directive?

49. Question by Mr BUCHOU (H-346/79)

Subject : Statute for a European Company

Why has the Council not yet considered and adopted the directive on the European Company, even though the necessary opinions of the Community Institutions have been in its possession since 1974? Is the connection between the European Company and the 5th directive the reason? In other words, is the Council's failure to act attributable to a desire to adopt legislation embracing the provisions of both directives?

50. Question by Mrs DIENESCH (H-370/79)

Subject : Interim programme of research on poverty for 1981 and 1982

Does the Council intend rapidly to adopt for 1981 and 1982 an interim programme of research and pilot projects on the poverty of some of the poorest groups of people in the nine Member States?

51. Question by the Marquess of DOURO (H-375/79)

Subject : Spanish entry to EEC

When does the Council expect to conclude the negotiations with Spain about its accession to the EEC?

52. Question by Mr BATTERSBY (H-353/79)

Subject : The Community's Relations with China

Following the visit of Chairman HUA KUO-FENG to four Member States, what steps is the Italian Presidency taking in order to intensify the Community's relations with China ?

53. Question by Mr TURNER (H-391/79)

Subject: Failure to fulfil an obligation under the EEC Treaty

What practical steps are open to the Council to ensure that France, which has failed to fulfil an obligation under the EEC Treaty in that it has not adhered to the Order of the European Court of Justice of 25th September 1979, on sheep-meat, will be required to take the necessary measures to comply with the Order pursuant to Article 171 of the EEC Treaty?

54. Question by Mr COLLA (H-393/79)

Subject: Rise in energy prices

Does the Council not think that if the increase in energy prices is not taken into account or only partially taken into account in countries with automatic indexation, the lower income categories will be particularly hard-hit by the additional burden?

55. Question by Mrs EWING (H-404/79)

Subject: Protection of Community waters

What initiatives does the Council propose to take to ensure that Community waters are protected against the possible dangers caused by sub-standard tankers and tankers flying flags of convenience?

56. Question by Mr PONCELET (H-409/79)

Subject: Allocation of oil imports in 1980

What progress has the Council made towards an agreement on a binding allocation of oil imports among Member States for 1980?

57. Question by Mr ANSQUER (H-410/79)

Subject: Allocation of non-quota sums from the  
Regional Fund

Can the Council explain its delay over the allocation, in accordance with the Commission proposals, of the first payments from the non-quota section of the Regional Fund, which are earmarked in particular for south-west France?

58. Question by Mrs CHOURAQUI (H-416/79)

Subject: Reform of the international monetary system

Insofar as European exchange mechanisms are still closely linked to the fluctuations of the dollar does the Council plan to take the initiative in proposing a reform of the international monetary system, bearing in mind that the main currencies involved in the world monetary system could now be guaranteed by substantially revalued gold holdings.

59. Question by Mrs LIZIN (H-440/79)

Subject: Attitude to India

Does the Council not feel that Europe should adopt a more positive policy of practical support towards India, whose geographical position is becoming crucial, thereby helping it to fulfil its desire to remain independent and non-aligned?

60. Question by Mr KAVANAGH (H-451/79)

Subject: Outcome of Council of Fisheries Ministers of January 28/29th 1980

Can the Council report on the results of the recent Council of Fisheries Ministers, particularly relating to the problems of inshore fishermen?

61. Question by Mr FELLERMAIER (H-454/79)

Subject: Council policy towards Turkey

What measures does the Council intend to take to revive the relationship between the Community and Turkey?

62. Question by Mr RADOUX (H-455/79)

Subject: EC-Turkey Association Agreement

What are the Council's current objectives within the framework of the Association EC-Turkey, and what were the results of the meeting of the Association Council on 5 February?

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QUESTIONS TO THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE NINE MEMBER STATES OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMUNITY MEETING IN POLITICAL COOPERATION

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63. Question by Mr PAISLEY (H-379/79)

Subject : Members of the Community making claims over the territory of  
Member States

In view of the fact that the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Irish Republic are both members of the EEC and in view of the fact that the Constitution of the Irish Republic claims jurisdiction over Northern Ireland and in view of the fact that a parallel claim is made by Spain over the Rock of Gibraltar, what steps are they prepared to take to require members of the Community to cease making claims over the territory of Member States?

64. Question by Mr COLLA (H-394/79)

Subject: Situation in the Middle East

What steps do the Foreign Ministers meeting in political cooperation intend to take to study in depth the idea of granting development aid to Palestinians in Israeli-occupied territory as a means of breaking the deadlock in the Middle East?

65. Question by Mrs EWING (H-447/79)

Subject: Human Rights in South Africa

In view of the replies repeatedly given by the foreign ministers meeting in political cooperation condemning the violation of human rights involved in the apartheid policies of the present South African Government, in reply to questions in the European Parliament, is it not hypocritical that legislation permits South African companies, practising apartheid, to establish and operate financial companies and other bases inside the Community and will the foreign ministers bear particularly in mind in coordinating their position on these matters the case of Mrs Winnie Mandela, repeatedly imprisoned and now subject to severe harassment by the South African Government in flagrant violation of the European Human Rights Convention which the foreign ministers are pledged to uphold?

66. Question by Mr VAN AERSSEN (H-400/79)

Subject: Compatibility of the laws of the German Democratic Republic with international law

In European Parliament resolution 1-280/79 the Foreign Ministers were asked on 28 September 1979 to consider the German Democratic Republic's penal code, which was amended on 1 August 1979, from the point of view of its compatibility with the relevant provisions of international law and to inform the European Parliament of their findings.

Are the Foreign Ministers now in a position to submit their findings to Parliament as a considerable period of time has now elapsed?

67. Question by Mr MEGAHY (H-411/79)

Subject: Compensation for the victims of acts of violence

Which Member States of the European Communities have passed laws and other provisions concerning compensation for the victims of acts of violence?

68. Question from Mrs SEIBEL-EMMERLING (H-412/79)

Subject: Compensation for the victims of acts of violence

How wide are the differences in compensation for the victims of acts of violence between those EC Member States in which there is already legislation on compensation?

69. Question by Mrs VAYSSADE (H-413/79)

Subject: Compensation for the victims of acts of violence

What form of compensation is there for Community citizens who are the victims of an act of violence in Member States of the European Community where there are, as yet, no laws in force on compensation for the victims of acts of violence?

70. Question from Mr GLINNE (H-414/79)

Subject: Compensation for the victims of acts of violence

What member states of the Council of Europe and what EEC neighbouring countries which are not members of the Council of Europe but from and to which there is a considerable movement of persons have passed laws concerning compensation for the victims of acts of violence?

71. Question from Mr SIEGLERSCHMIDT (H-415/79)

Subject: Compensation for the victims of acts of violence

What are the ministers meeting in political cooperation prepared to do to expedite the introduction of as compact a reciprocal system of compensation as possible for the victims of acts of violence in the Member States of the EC, the Council of Europe and neighbouring countries from and to which there is a considerable movement of persons?

72. Question by Mr FERGUSON (H-429/79)

Subject: Afghanistan

What consultations is the Conference of Foreign Ministers pursuing with the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers in the light of their meeting in Islamabad ?

