Question for written answer E-015937/2015 to the Commission (Vice-President / High Representative) Rule 130 Francisco José Millán Mon (PPE)

Subject: VP/HR - Ministerial Conference on Afghanistan

At the Ministerial Conference on Afghanistan held in London in 2014, President Ghani announced an ambitious reform programme aimed at continuing the process of stabilisation, development and progress pursued in recent years, which has recently been undermined by an upsurge in terrorism and a fresh insurgency.

The next Ministerial Conference, co-sponsored by the EU and the Afghan Government, is due to take place in Brussels on 4-5 October 2016. That Conference, along with the NATO Summit to be held in Warsaw in July 2016, will provide a good opportunity for the international community to reaffirm its commitment to Afghanistan.

Can the High Representative list the goals of the preparatory work being conducted for this Conference?

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