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Mr President, at the beginning of December the international community met with Afghani authorities at the Bonn II conference. Afghanistan made a commitment to include the upholding of human rights commitments in its constitution, including equality between men and women, which is to be welcomed and supported by the European Union.

Looking ahead to 2014 when the allied forces withdraw from Afghanistan and Afghanistan has full independence to run its own affairs, it is imperative that progress is not undone. The peace dialogue at present underway between the government and elements of the Taliban should in no way result in a deterioration of the rights acquired by women, and we as the EU should give support in this matter.