

**Question for written answer E-010971/2014
to the Commission**
Rule 130
Siôn Simon (S&D)

Subject: Poor representation of workers of black, Asian or minority ethnic (BAME) heritage in the Commission

Research undertaken by my office suggests that the percentage of workers of black, Asian or minority ethnic (BAME) heritage employed by the Commission is significantly lower than the percentage of BAME heritage citizens living in the EU.

1. Does the Commission believe this is acceptable?
2. How does the Commission plan to rectify this problem to better reflect the diversity of EU citizens?