

**Question for written answer E-006871/2015
to the Commission**
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Subject: Revolving doors

The so-called 'revolving doors' phenomenon (whereby a person moves suddenly from the private sector to a high-level post in the European civil service, or vice versa) is being perceived with increasing concern by the public as one of the ways in which particular interest groups exert pressure and influence on the institutional decision-making process.

Within the framework of the review of the standards and principles governing codes of conduct in the European civil service, what basic guidelines is the Commission considering in order to avoid continuing lack of transparency and accountability in this regard?