Question for written answer E-011477/2015 to the Commission Rule 130 Siôn Simon (S&D)

Subject: Disabled employees at the Commission

In response to written question E-006968/2015, the Commission states that in the anonymous 2014 Commission Staff Opinion Survey showed that 5.7 % of respondents declared that their daily activities are affected by a disability (physical, mental or sensory).

How accurate does the Commission believe this survey is compared to the numbers of disabled employees and what percentage of employees participated in it?

Can the Commission guarantee that the 5.7 % of staff in this survey who declared that they are affected by a disability are getting the help and support that they need in order to work effectively?

Does the Commission believe that staff may have been put off declaring a disability owing to a fear of being discriminated against?

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