

**Question for written answer E-000698/2017
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: The Commission's evaluation of the IARC's findings

The American Chemistry Council has recently called for the reform of the World Health Organisation's International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), citing 'significant and process deficiencies that result in public confusion and misinformed policy-making'.

Given the fact that the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) as well as regulatory authorities in the US, New Zealand, Canada and Japan have all classified the active substance glyphosate as safe and not carcinogenic, does the Commission share the opinion of the American Chemistry Council concerning reform of the IARC?