

**Question for written answer E-005273/2017  
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: 27 300 EU citizens will receive unemployment benefit in a Member State other than that in which they worked

According to the Commission, 27 300 EU citizens will receive unemployment benefit in a Member State other than that in which they worked<sup>1</sup>.

As at 1 January 2017, the Commission employed 32 578 persons, including 10 686 who were not officials<sup>2</sup>. Some of these staff members will register as unemployed when their contracts expire.

1. How many former staff of the Commission, the other institutions and the EU agencies received unemployment benefit in 2016?
2. How many of these persons were registered as unemployed in their last place of employment?

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<sup>1</sup> p. 2 Summary of the impact assessment accompanying the document: Proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems and Regulation (EC) No 987/2009 laying down the procedure for implementing Regulation (EC) No 883/2004,  
[http://www.emeeeting.europarl.europa.eu/committees/agenda/201706/EMPL/EMPL%282017%290621\\_1/sitt-6157043](http://www.emeeeting.europarl.europa.eu/committees/agenda/201706/EMPL/EMPL%282017%290621_1/sitt-6157043);

<sup>2</sup> [http://ec.europa.eu/civil\\_service/docs/europa\\_sp2\\_bs\\_dist\\_staff\\_en.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/civil_service/docs/europa_sp2_bs_dist_staff_en.pdf)