

**Question for written answer E-003089/2018
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: Specific legislation for textiles

The EU has agreed to restrict over 30 hazardous substances found in clothing and other consumer textiles. These substances, which include lead, cadmium and other toxic metals and are used to colour and treat textile products, are raising significant concerns with regard to consumers' health. Nevertheless, the proposal targets only a small number of harmful substances used in textiles, and a more comprehensive approach to regulate all chemicals in textiles is required in order to better protect consumers.

Does the Commission envisage putting forward specific legislation for textiles, in order to protect consumers against all harmful chemicals found in them?