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to the Commission

Subject: European list of occupational diseases

The European list of occupational diseases, which is supposed to be open-ended, should take into account the new risks related to insecurity, the pace of modern life, constant changes in people's jobs and working environments, and technological development, which all have psychosomatic effects (commonly referred to as 'stress') on the quality of life and health of workers.

In the light of various studies on the subject, will the Commission state to what extent this list of occupational diseases and new risks has been updated in recent years?