

WRITTEN QUESTION E-3139/02  
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to the Commission

Subject: Genetic susceptibility of individuals to specific foodstuffs within Framework Programme 6

The European Commission is finalising arrangements for Framework Programme 6 which will establish the research strategy for the next five years. Although very helpful, the analysis of the Expressions of Interest (EoI) for FP6 remain somewhat unclear as to which areas will be supported.

With this in mind, would the Commission please clarify what priority will be given to an assessment of the genetic susceptibility of individuals to specific foodstuffs and food components within Framework Programme 6?