

WRITTEN QUESTION E-0691/05

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to the Commission

Subject: Statement by Danuta Hübner on relocations

At a time when the economic and social situation in the European Union remains a great concern, relocations are draining the life blood of industrial areas within EU regions, resulting among other things in major job cuts and the depopulation of many regional centres. How does the Commission view the recent statements by one of its members, Danuta Hübner, European Commissioner for Regional Policy, recommending that relocations within Europe be encouraged?