WRITTEN QUESTION E-4365/05 by Ana Mato Adrover (PPE-DE) to the Commission

Subject: Future legislation on cross-border workers

- 1. Is the Commission planning to draw up definitive Community rules covering the situation of cross-border workers with a view to removing the obstacles which discourage workers from moving around within the European Union?
- 2. Could such obstacles be detrimental to one of the pillars upon which the Lisbon Strategy is based namely, the intention to make Europe's economy the most competitive and dynamic in the world by 2010?
- 3. Is the Commission aware of the situation of various communities of worker who are employed in one Member State but have their permanent residence in another?

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