

**Question for written answer E-001090/2017
to the Commission**

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Subject: Reference document on best available techniques for large combustion plants (LCP BREF)

The Commission is currently preparing an update of the LCP BREF (Reference Document on Best Available Techniques for Large Combustion Plants), which will set new operating conditions for plants in certain IPPC categories, in accordance with Directive 2010/75/EU of the EP and the Council on industrial emissions (IED). Such plants include combustion plants with a rated thermal input exceeding 50 MW, including plants for generating electricity. On 20 October 2016, the Forum for the exchange of information referred to in Article 13 of Directive 2010/75/EU was held in Brussels. At a meeting of Parliament's Environment Committee on 30 January 2017, an exchange of views with the Commission took place on the review of the LCP BREF. The Commission representatives did not answer all the questions asked then by MEPs, and we are therefore now asking this written question.

1. What date has been set for the meeting of the Commission committee pursuant to Article 75 of the IED?
2. What emission limit values is the Directorate-General for the Environment proposing for large combustion plants (LCP) with an installed capacity exceeding 300 MW for: NO_x, TSP, mercury and SO₂ for the deliberations of the Commission committee pursuant to Article 75 of the IED?
3. What value is the Directorate-General for the Environment proposing for the net efficiency of energy production (for plants with a thermal input exceeding 1 000 MW installed capacity) for the deliberations of the Commission committee pursuant to Article 75 of the IED? Will this value be binding?