

**Question for written answer E-006240/2018
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: Bioeconomy:

The European Commission has presented an action plan to develop a sustainable closed-loop Bioeconomy. It is one of the largest and most important sectors of the EU economy, including forestry, agriculture, fisheries, food, bioenergy and bio-based products. The plan also assumes that, by 2030, there will be real opportunities to create one million new 'green' jobs.

In the light of the above, I would like to ask the Commission the following:

- 1) Bioeconomy covers all sectors and systems where biological resources are used. Therefore, how does the European Union intend to transform waste, residues and discards into high-value products and environmentally-friendly chemicals, feed or textiles?
- 2) Will the bioeconomy contribute to the development of new sustainable biorefineries across Europe?