## Question for written answer E-005927/2020 to the Commission Rule 138 Javi López (S&D)

Subject: Announcement of a labour force adjustment plan for Faurecia in Abrera

The management of Faurecia has announced its intention to carry out a labour force adjustment plan involving the dismissal of 160 of the 308 workers at its plant in Abrera. The announcement follows various efforts by staff at the plant in terms of flexibility and an extension of a salary freeze.

Given the serious socio-economic repercussions of the Covid-19 pandemic, and taking into account the provisions of Article 2 of Directive 98/59/EC on collective redundancies:

- 1. Is the Commission aware of the situation at Faurecia and is it considering measures to combat company closure and collective redundancies?
- 2. Does the Commission believe that this company could benefit from Next Generation EU funding to invest in restructuring and thus avoid closure?