

**Question for written answer E-001238/2021
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Migration against the backdrop of COVID-19 measures

On 17 December 2020 we learned that agreement on a new pact on migration and asylum was being sought which would ensure effective control of the Union's external borders, also with regard to Europe's response to health crises¹.

1. Does the Commission have figures for the level of migration to the EU while COVID-19 measures have been in place?
2. Have immigrants arriving while the measures have been in place been tested for the SARS-CoV-2 virus?
3. Does the Commission believe there to be a health risk due to migration in terms of the spread of the SARS-CoV-2 virus?

¹ https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/detail/en/ip_20_2340