Question for written answer E-001671/2021 to the Commission

**Rule 138** 

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Subject: Reform projects for jobs

On 2 March 2021 the Commission approved 226 projects for more jobs and sustainable growth in all 27 Member States. In all, over 60% of the projects, which were selected for the Technical Support Instrument for 2021, are linked to implementation of the Recovery and Resilience Plans. 30% of the projects focus on the Green Deal and 44% on the digital transition<sup>1</sup>.

Coronavirus measures have severely damaged the economy since last year, and 305 million full-time jobs are expected to be lost worldwide as a result of these measures<sup>2</sup>.

- 1. Does the Commission have studies at its disposal which show that measures taken under the Green Deal create more jobs than financial investment with no political-ideological stipulations?
- 2. Does the Commission have studies at its disposal which estimate the percentage of the jobs lost as a result of the coronavirus measures which will be recreated under these measures?
- 3. Does the Commission have studies at its disposal which analyse whether people who lose their jobs as a result of measures under the Green Deal can be given new jobs immediately or whether this sector of the population will join the ranks of the unemployed?

(https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/detail/en/ip 21 747)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> (https://www.gtai.de/gtai-de/trade/wirtschaftsumfeld/meldung-wirtschaftsumfeld/welt/arbeitsplatzverluste-in-der-corona-krise-247540)