

**Question for written answer E-004169/2021  
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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**Subject:** Industrial technicians not included in the categories of technicians qualified to perform radon remediation work

Italy transposed Directive 59/2013/Euratom on protection against exposure to ionising radiation into law through Legislative Decree 101/2020.

In the part of Annex II that sets out the minimum requirements for specialists in radon remediation work, the eligibility conditions include qualification as a surveyor, engineer or architect, thereby excluding industrial technicians ('periti industriali').

Industrial technicians perform the same professional tasks as those reserved concurrently for the professions listed as able to perform radon remediation work.

In light of this discrimination between professionals performing work that is similar and, in some cases, overlaps:

1. Would the Commission not agree that this poses an obstacle to the free movement of professional service providers within the EU, in breach of the principles governing the internal market?
2. Has the transposition of Directive 59/2013/Euratom infringed the correct implementation of Directive 2005/36/EC on the mutual evaluation of professional qualifications, by failing to respect the proportionality assessments conducted by Member States, by introducing restrictiveness indicators and by infringing consumers rights?
3. How does the Commission account for the fact that in transposing this Directive all Member States, except Italy, have used the category 'technical experts' to identify the professions permitted to perform radon surveying work, without making it obligatory to have passed an exam qualifying a person for entry to a particular profession?