

**Question for written answer E-000085/2022  
to the Commission**  
Rule 138  
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Subject:     Revision of Biological Agents Directive

In June 2020, an agreement was reached on the classification of COVID-19 in the Biological Agents Directive 2000/54/EC with a promise by the European Commission to propose a general revision of the Directive by the end of 2020.

When does the European Commission plan to propose a revision of this directive, making use of lessons learned from the pandemic, so as to improve levels of preparedness and response capacity in all areas?