Question for written answer E-000340/2022 to the Commission Rule 138 Krzysztof Jurgiel (ECR)

Subject: State of play with regard to the amendment of Regulations (EC) Nos 883/2004 and 987/2009 on the coordination of social security systems

On 16 December 2021, tripartite negotiations took place between Parliament, the Council and the Commission which sought to reach a political agreement on the amendment of Regulations (EC) Nos 883/2004 and 987/2009 on the coordination of social security systems. However, the provisional agreement was rejected by the Council. From the outset, the same key sticking points have remained. These include the proposals concerning the prenotification of workers' travel with the compulsory prenotification required for workers in the construction sector, and the registration of the place of business for those operating in more than one Member State (pluriactivity), including the business' annual turnover as a criterion.

In light of the above:

- 1. Does the Commission plan to withdraw the draft amendments to the two regulations in view of the lack of political consensus present since negotiations began?
- 2. Does it agree with the assessment that Parliament's proposals concerning prenotification, exceptions to such notification and sectoral exemptions could lead to discriminatory practices and violate the principles of equal competition in the single market for services?