ORAL QUESTION H-0378/07 for Question Time at the part-session in June 2007 pursuant to Rule 109 of the Rules of Procedure by Philip Bushill-Matthews to the Council

Subject: Possible age discrimination towards pilots flying over France

Does France's refusal to allow pilots over the age of 60 to fly over its territory constitute a breach of the EU Equal Treatment in Employment Directive (2000/78/EC¹ of 27 November 2000), even when these pilots act as co-pilots in accordance with the International Civil Aviation Organisation's guidelines?

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OJ L 303, 2.12.2000, p. 16.