

**Question for written answer P-008510/2011
to the Commission**

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Subject: State of implementation of the preparatory action 'Your first EURES job'

As a member of the Committee on Budgets, the author of this question participated in the approval of the preparatory action 'Your first EURES job', whose aim is to test approaches to supporting professional mobility for young people, with the long-term goal of ensuring greater youth employment opportunities and encouraging youth recruitment in all Member States.

In view of the importance of this initiative, can the Commission:

1. provide information on the state of implementation of this preparatory action;
2. specify its implementation timetable;
3. explain what means of communication will be used for publicising this action among young people?