



Brussels  
EMPL.B.2/RAM/kt (2021)2823707

Petitioners

**Subject: Your complaint regarding the abuse of temporary contracts in Spanish public administrations**

Dear petitioner,

Thank you for your message in relation to potential cases of abuse of temporary contracts in Spanish public administrations.

The European Commission has received a large number of complaints similar to yours, pointing to a possible infringement of European Union law related to the implementation of Directive 1999/70/EC on fixed-term work in the field of public administration in Spain, in particular as regards the situation of fixed-term public servants.

Given the high number of complaints received regarding the same issue, the Commission registered all of them under a unique reference number CHAP (2013) 01917 and is treating them as a so-called multiple complaint, in line with Communication C(2016)8600.

The Commission is currently analysing the conformity of national legislation with the requirements of the Directive, and is in discussion with the Spanish authorities about the planned reform of the Basic Statute of the Public Employee.

Information on the current status of the file as well as future information on the results of the examination of the complaints and the follow-up measures that the Commission decides to take, are published at the following link:

[https://ec.europa.eu/info/about-european-commission/contact/problems-and-complaints/how-make-complaint-eu-level/joining-similar-complaints/decisions-multiple-complaints\\_es](https://ec.europa.eu/info/about-european-commission/contact/problems-and-complaints/how-make-complaint-eu-level/joining-similar-complaints/decisions-multiple-complaints_es)

Yours faithfully,

[signed]  
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