Amendment 1
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Implementation of the Ambient Air Quality Directives: (2020/2091(INI))

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11a. Calls on the Commission to put forward measures to promote investment by the Member States to improve monitoring networks, involving the construction of monitoring stations and the training and recruitment of specialists and analysts, and to provide support for more stringent oversight, control and monitoring procedures;

Or. pt

Amendment 2
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Implementation of the Ambient Air Quality Directives: (2020/2091(INI))

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12a. Considers it essential, with regard to air quality observation networks, to recommend that industrial impact monitoring stations carry out an analytical assessment of pollutants typically emitted by industrial processes where a direct link can be established;

Or. pt

Amendment 3
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Implementation of the Ambient Air Quality Directives: (2020/2091(INI))

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Notes that this situation has helped 16a. to identify and confirm car use as one of the principal causes of increased emissions of atmospheric pollutants, since it was the traffic monitoring stations that registered the largest increases in emissions following the easing of lockdown restrictions; points out that these data confirm existing findings of the impact of private vehicle use on air quality in large urban centres and that pollutant emissions from this source can only be reduced by promoting the more widespread use of less polluting public transport alternatives;

Or. pt

Amendment 4
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 16 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16b. Notes that Commission support for programmes such as the free public transport services provided in a number of European cities would be a major step towards meeting the targets set in the air quality directives, involving specific mitigation and prevention measures designed to reduce pollution to agreed levels;

Or. pt