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# **MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION**

pursuant to Rule 133 of the Rules of Procedure

on the financing arrangements for infrastructure investments and the energy transition

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**Motion for a European Parliament resolution on the financing arrangements for infrastructure investments and the energy transition**

*The European Parliament,*

- having regard to Rule 133 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas, according to a number of NGOs, the European Fund for Strategic Investments (the ‘Juncker Plan’) concerns too few green projects or those relating to the energy transition;
- B. whereas 15% of the selected projects are fossil fuel-based, which conflicts with the EU’s climate goals;
- C. whereas, however, some of the projects referred to are essential for network quality (in particular in public transport);
- D. whereas monetary financing by ‘helicopter money’ is the best model for supporting the environmental transition with minimum deadweight effect;
- E. whereas, however, such monetary policy is impossible on the eurozone scale given the structural imbalances it may produce;
- 1. Calls on the Commission to prioritise funding related to the energy transition;
- 2. Calls on the Commission to allow Member States to decide project allocation on the basis of each Member State’s contribution.