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AMENDMENTS

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Draft report
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on the proposal for a decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund, in accordance with Point 13 of the Interinstitutional Agreement of 2 December 2013 between the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on budgetary discipline, on cooperation in budgetary matters and on sound financial management
(application EGF/2014/004 ES/Comunidad Valenciana metal)
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Amendment 1

Marita Ulvskog

on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2a. Welcomes that the application takes into account the experience with previous applications from the same region; suggests that the experiences and possible best practices of regions submitting several applications should be disseminated in the regular meetings of the EGF contact persons and experts;

Or. en

Amendment 2

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3a. Notes that the sector of fabricated metal products is a key provider of inputs to a wide range of manufacturing industries, in particular shipbuilding, construction and automotive sectors, all of which were significantly impacted across the Union by the economic crisis;

Or. en

Amendment 3

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3b. Notes that the case at hand typically reflects the social and economic landscape of a region with local economy characterised by a high percentage of SMEs and recalls the current difficulties encountered by SMEs in accessing to finance;

Or. en

Amendment 4

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Stresses that the 633 redundancies will further aggravate the unemployment situation in Comunidad Valenciana; notes that in 2008, there were 35 868 jobs in the metal sector in Comunidad Valenciana, while in 2012 the number of jobs had decreased to 20 873 which represents a decline by 43 %, ie. eight percentage points higher than at national level;

Amendment

4. Stresses that the 633 redundancies will further aggravate the unemployment situation in Comunidad Valenciana ***which is particularly fragile, since the metal sector represents 25,4 % of the jobs in the industrial sector in the region***; notes that in 2008, there were 35 868 jobs in the metal sector in Comunidad Valenciana, while in 2012 the number of jobs had decreased to 20 873 which represents a decline by 43 %, ie. eight percentage points higher than at national level;

Or. en

Amendment 5

Marita Ulvskog

on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4a. Notes with regret that only less than 50% of the eligible workers are expected to participate in the measures; considers that this estimation is based on experiences of the applying authority with previous applications for EGF intervention in the regions;

Or. en

Amendment 6

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4b. Stresses that the employment in the region has been seriously affected by the impact of the crisis on traditional sectors such as ceramics, footwear and construction, as well as textiles, which are very important for the region's economy;

Or. en

Amendment 7

Marita Ulvskog

on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4b. Welcomes that redundant workers are expected to participate in great numbers in vocational training and upskilling; appreciates that the upskilling is designed to build on skills and competencies gained

in the metal industry and with learning further specific techniques the workers can comply with future needs of the metal industry;

Or. en

Amendment 8

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Calls on the Commission to take necessary measures to guarantee that the Generalitat Valenciana effectively co-funds the actions and that the actions financed are carried out in accordance with principles of sound and efficient financial management;

Or. en

Amendment 9

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Regrets that out of the 633 eligible beneficiaries, only 300 are expected to participate in the proposed actions; considers that in regions with high unemployment rates the number of participants in training and retraining needs to be higher;

Or. en

Amendment 10

Marita Ulvskog

on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Notes the amount of EUR 3 000 to be granted to an expected 20 beneficiaries, to incentivise their return to the labour market by setting up their own business; considers that the estimation of the number of workers benefitting from this incentive is also based on experiences with previous EGF cases in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 11

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8. Welcomes the fact that the coordinated package of personalised services has been drawn up in consultation with ***the social partners*** FEMEVAL, UGT-PV and CCOO-PV, and that a policy of equality of women and men as well as the principle non-discrimination will be applied during the various stages of the implementation of and in access to the EGF;

8. Welcomes the fact that the coordinated package of personalised services has been drawn up in consultation with ***both employer's association*** FEMEVAL, ***and trade unions*** UGT-PV and CCOO-PV, and that a policy of equality of women and men as well as the principle non-discrimination will be applied during the various stages of the implementation of and in access to the EGF;

Or. en

Amendment 12

Marita Ulvskog

on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10a. Notes that the estimated cost of the welcome and information sessions, as a first measure in the list of proposed actions, has elevated by 50% compared to an application from the same region from the previous year;

Or. en

Amendment 13
Marita Ulvskog

on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13a. Reminds that in line with Article 7 of the EGF Regulation, the design of the coordinated package of personalised services should anticipate future labour market perspectives and required skills and should be compatible with the shift towards a resource-efficient and sustainable economy;

Or. en