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AMENDMENTS

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Discharge 2015: General budget of the EU - Council and European Council
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Amendment 1
Tamás Deutsch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9 a. Emphasises that geographical balance, namely the relationship between staff nationality and the size of Member States, should still remain an important element of resources management particularly with respect to the Member States that have acceded to the Union since 2004; welcomes the fact that the European Council and the Council have reached an overall balanced composition of officials from the Member States which joined the European Union before and since 2004, but points out that these Member States are still underrepresented at the higher level of administration and in managerial posts for which progress is still awaited;

Or. en

Amendment 2
Petri Sarvamaa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. Notes the existence of a gender balance policy in the GSC; welcomes the positive trend of **women's representation** in management; calls on the Council to further strengthen **the gender balance** efforts pointing to the fact that **female representation** in the management posts reached only **30%** by the end of 2015;

10. Notes the existence of a gender balance policy in the GSC; welcomes the positive trend of **gender balance** in management; calls on the Council, **however**, to further strengthen **its** efforts pointing to the fact that **the level of gender balance** in the management posts **still** reached only **30 % / 70 %** by the end of 2015;

Or. en

Amendment 3
Tamás Deutsch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Reiterates its call for the institution's building policy to be provided to the discharge authority;

Amendment

16. Reiterates its call for the institution's building policy to be provided to the discharge authority; ***reminds the Council of Parliament's call for progress reports on building projects and a detailed breakdown of the costs incurred to date;***

Or. hu

Amendment 4
Tamás Deutsch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

21a. Insists that the expenditure of the Council must be scrutinised in the same way as that of other institutions and points out that the basics of such scrutiny have been laid down in its discharge resolutions of the past years;

Or. hu

Amendment 5
Marian-Jean Marinescu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. Regrets the failure in the past to grant the discharge due to insufficient cooperation between Parliament and the

Council; notes that there would appear to be greater good will on both sides and expresses optimism that progress will be made with a view to improving cooperation in the future, something that will improve the image of Parliament and the Council for the public at large; calls on Parliament and the Council to continue along this path;

Or. en

Amendment 6
Tamás Deutsch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22a. Considers that satisfactory cooperation between Parliament, the European Council and the Council as a result of an open and formal dialogue procedure can be a positive sign to be sent to the citizens of the Union.

Or. hu