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AMENDMENTS

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Draft opinion
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2015 discharge: Report on discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the European Union Agencies for the financial year 2015: performance, financial management and control
(2016/2206(DEC))

Amendment 1
Anne Sander

Draft opinion
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Or. fr

Amendment 2
Notis Marias

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

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1. Notes the simultaneous publication of proposals to revise the respective Regulations establishing the Union's three tripartite agencies, CEDEFOP, EU-OSHA and Eurofound; underlines the importance of ***improving*** the current full tripartite governance of those agencies;

Or. el

Amendment 3
Claude Rolin

Draft opinion
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Or. en

Amendment 4
Romana Tomc

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2

Draft opinion

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Or. sl

Amendment 5
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Draft opinion
Paragraph 2

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Or. el

Amendment 6
Claude Rolin

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Or. en

Amendment 7
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Or. sl

Amendment 8 **Notis Marias**

Draft opinion **Paragraph 3**

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3. *Welcomes* the cooperation and exchange of ideas and practices between the agencies within the framework of the Union agencies performance development network, which contributes to more balanced governance, improved efficiency and greater coherence between them;

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3. *Emphasises* the cooperation and exchange of ideas and practices between the agencies within the framework of the Union agencies performance development network, which contributes to more balanced governance, improved efficiency and greater coherence between them;

Or. el

Amendment 9 **Jean Lambert** on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion **Paragraph 4**

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Or. en

Amendment 10 **Claude Rolin**

Draft opinion **Paragraph 4**

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4. *Notes* the increasing systematisation in cooperation between the ETF and the CEDEFOP, creating further synergies in their respective mandates through their joint annual work programme, in particular through the development of a common Riga Monitoring Framework and their collaboration with the ILO on finalising work on six methodological guides on skills anticipation and matching tools and methods;

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Or. en

Amendment 11 **Notis Marias**

Draft opinion **Paragraph 5**

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Amendment 12 **Anne Sander**

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5. Notes the second progress report on the implementation of the Common Approach on EU¹ decentralised agencies and appreciates the progress made in many areas ***towards standardising and rationalising their functioning***; welcomes the Commission's and the agencies' efforts and progress made in the implementation of the roadmap;

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Or. fr

Amendment 13 **Amjad Bashir, Jana Žitňanská, Anthea McIntyre**

Draft opinion **Paragraph 6 a (new)**

Draft opinion

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6a. Welcomes the ongoing evaluation and fitness check of the EU Agencies under the remit of DG EMPL with a planned completion date in December 2017; takes the view that these

evaluations should contribute to informed decisions of the EP regarding the effectiveness and impact of agencies' contributions;

Or. en

Amendment 14

Amjad Bashir, Jana Žitňanská, Anthea McIntyre

Draft opinion

Paragraph 6 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6b. Stresses the need to exploit synergies in overlapping activities of the four agencies, as well as between the agencies and the Commission itself and to avoid duplication of work;

Or. en