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# **AMENDMENTS**

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**Gabriel Mato**  
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European Maritime and Fisheries Fund

Proposal for a regulation  
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**Amendment 296**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Recital 36**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

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#### *Justification*

*Aid to inland activities is already covered by European Regional Development fund. In addition, inland fishing activities do not fall under the Maritime Policy and/or the Common Fisheries Policy.*

#### **Amendment 300**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

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## Amendment 304

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

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**Recital 38**

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Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos

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*Justification*

*The sustainable blue economy implies that economic, social and environmental activities are an integral part of the marine ecosystem and therefore it is necessary to maintain a balance to improve the living conditions and well-being of local coastal communities with the protection of marine ecosystems. A sustainable blue economy will only create economic value for the marine environment if it can be carried out in a way that conserves and protects marine resources and ecosystems.*

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## Amendment 312

Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström

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**Nils Torvalds, Norica Nicolai, António Marinho e Pinto, Fredrick Federley**

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**Amendment 316**  
**João Ferreira**

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**(42) With regard to security and defence, improved border protection and maritime security are essential. Under the European Union Maritime Security Strategy adopted by the Council of the European Union on 24 June 2014 and its Action Plan adopted on 16 December 2014, information sharing and the European Border and Coast Guard cooperation between the European Fisheries Control Agency, the European Maritime Safety Agency and the European Border and Coast Guard Agency are key to deliver on those objectives. The EMFF should therefore support maritime surveillance and coastguard cooperation under both shared and direct management, including by purchasing items for multipurpose maritime operations. It should also allow the relevant agencies to implement support in the field of maritime surveillance and security through indirect management.**

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**(42) With regard to security and defence, improved border protection and maritime security are essential. Under the European Union Maritime Security Strategy adopted by the Council of the European Union on 24 June 2014 and its Action Plan adopted on 16 December 2014, information sharing and the European Border and Coast Guard**

**(42) The EMFF should support the control of fishing activity exclusively through the European Fisheries Control Agency.**

*cooperation between the European Fisheries Control Agency, the European Maritime Safety Agency and the European Border and Coast Guard Agency are key to deliver on those objectives. The EMFF should therefore support maritime surveillance and coastguard cooperation under both shared and direct management, including by purchasing items for multipurpose maritime operations. It should also allow the relevant agencies to implement support in the field of maritime surveillance and security through indirect management.*

Or. es

### **Amendment 318**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Recital 42**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

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Or. en

### **Amendment 319**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Recital 43**

###### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(43) Under shared management, each Member States should prepare one single programme that should be approved by the Commission. In the context of regionalisation and with a view to encouraging Member States to have a more strategic approach during the preparation of programmes, the Commission should develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP. That analysis should guide both the Member States and the Commission in negotiating each programme taking into account regional challenges and needs. When assessing the programmes, the Commission should take into account the environmental and socio-economic challenges of the CFP, the socio-economic performance of *the* sustainable blue economy, the challenges at sea basin level, the conservation and restoration of marine ecosystems, the reduction of marine litter and climate change mitigation and adaptation.

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Or. en

### **Amendment 320**

**Alain Cadec**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Recital 43**

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(43) Under shared management, each Member States should prepare a single programme ***in collaboration with all the regions*** that should be approved by the Commission. In the context of regionalisation and with a view to encouraging Member States to have a more strategic approach during the preparation of programmes, the Commission should develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP. That analysis should guide both the Member States and the Commission in negotiating each programme taking into account regional challenges and needs. When assessing the programmes, the Commission should take into account the environmental and socio-economic challenges of the CFP, the socio-economic performance of the sustainable blue economy, the challenges at sea basin level, the conservation and restoration of marine ecosystems, the reduction of marine litter and climate change mitigation and adaptation.

Or. fr

*Justification*

*To ensure that the programmes developed reflect the needs and characteristics of the Union's regions, it is vital that these regions are involved in preparing the single programme.*

**Amendment 321**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Recital 43**

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Or. en

**Amendment 322**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Recital 43 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(43a) In order to ensure the effective implementation of the management measures at regional level, Member States should put in place a co-management scheme involving Advisory Councils, fishermen's organisations and competent institutions/authorities to strengthen dialogue and the engagement of the parties.***

Or. es

**Amendment 323**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Recital 44**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(44) Performance of *EMFF* support in Member States should be assessed on the basis of indicators. Member States should report on progress towards established milestones and targets and the Commission should carry out a performance review based on *annual* performance reports prepared by Member States, allowing for early detection of potential implementation issues and corrective actions. A monitoring and evaluation framework should be established for that purpose.

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(44) Performance of *EMFAF* support in Member States should be assessed on the basis of indicators. Member States should report *in every two years* on progress towards established milestones and targets and the Commission should carry out a performance review based on performance reports *in every two years* prepared by Member States, allowing for early detection of potential implementation issues and corrective actions. A monitoring and evaluation framework should be established for that purpose.

Or. en

*Justification*

*I cannot endorse the Member States' obligation on annual performance reporting. Member States and regional administrations are not able to collect the necessary data for reporting in each year. Two or three year's reporting would be feasible and would ensure the accuracy and credibility of the reports.*

**Amendment 324**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Recital 45**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(45) Pursuant to paragraphs 22 and 23 of the Interinstitutional Agreement between the European Parliament, the Council of the European Union and the European Commission of 13 April 2016 on Better Law-Making<sup>18</sup>, there is a need to evaluate the *EMFF* on the basis of information

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collected through specific monitoring requirements, while avoiding overregulation and administrative burdens, in particular on Member States. These requirements, where appropriate, can include measurable indicators, as a basis for evaluating the effects of the *EMFF* on the ground.

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Or. en

**Amendment 325**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Recital 46**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(46) The Commission should implement information and communication actions relating to the *EMFF*, and its actions and results. Financial resources allocated to the *EMFF* should also contribute to the corporate communication of the political priorities of the Union, as far as they are related to the priorities of the *EMFF*.

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Or. en

**Amendment 326**  
**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Recital 46 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(46a) The Commission should also provide adequate tools to inform society about fishing and aquaculture activities and the benefits of diversification of fish and seafood consumption.***

Or. es

*Justification*

*Diversification of fish consumption will reduce fishing pressure on the most popular stocks.*

**Amendment 327**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Recital 47**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(47) In accordance with Regulation (EU) No [Regulation on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union], Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>19</sup>, Council Regulation (Euratom, EC) No 2988/95<sup>20</sup>, Council Regulation (Euratom, EC) No 2185/96<sup>21</sup> and Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939<sup>22</sup>, the financial interests of the Union are to be protected through proportionate measures, including the prevention, detection, correction and investigation of irregularities, including fraud, the recovery of funds lost, wrongly paid or incorrectly used and, where appropriate, the imposition of administrative sanctions. In particular, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013 and Regulation (Euratom, EC) No 2185/96, the European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF) **might** carry out investigations, including on-the-spot checks and inspections, with a view to establishing whether there has been fraud, corruption or any other illegal activity affecting the financial interests of the Union. In accordance with Council

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Or. en

## **Amendment 328** **Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

### **Proposal for a regulation** **Recital 47**

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Or. en

## **Amendment 329**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Recital 48**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(48) In order to enhance transparency regarding the use of Union funds and their sound financial management, in particular reinforcing public control of the money used, certain information on the operations funded under the **EMFF** should be published on a website of Member State in accordance with Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions]. When a Member State publishes information on operations funded under **EMFF**, the rules on the protection of personal data set out in Regulation (EU) No 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>24</sup> are to be complied with.

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Or. en

**Amendment 330**  
**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
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*Amendment*

(48) In order to enhance transparency regarding the use of Union funds and their sound financial management, in particular reinforcing public control of the money used, *all* information on the operations funded under the EMFF should be published on a website of Member State in accordance with Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions]. When a Member State publishes information on operations funded under EMFF, the rules on the protection of personal data set out in Regulation (EU) No 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>24</sup> are to be complied with.

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**Amendment 331**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Recital 50**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(50) In order to ensure uniform conditions for the implementation of this Regulation, implementing powers should be conferred to the Commission in respect of the approval and amendment of the operational programmes, the approval and amendment of the national work plans for data collection, the suspension of payments and financial corrections.**

*deleted*

Or. pt

**Amendment 332**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Recital 51**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(51) In order to ensure uniform conditions for the implementation of this Regulation, implementing powers should be conferred to the Commission in respect of the procedures, format and timetables for the submission of the national work plans for data collection and the presentation of the annual performance reports.**

*deleted*

Or. pt

**Amendment 333**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**



**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 1 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

This Regulation establishes the European Maritime **and** Fisheries Fund (**EMFF**). It lays down the priorities of the **EMFF**, the budget for the period 2021-2027, the forms of Union funding and the specific rules for providing such funding, complementing the general rules applying to the **EMFF** under Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions].

*Amendment*

This Regulation establishes the European Maritime, Fisheries **and Aquaculture** Fund (**EMFAF**). It lays down the priorities of the **EMFAF**, the budget for the period 2021-2027, the forms of Union funding and the specific rules for providing such funding, complementing the general rules applying to the **EMFAF** under Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions].

Or. en

*Justification*

*The fund should be named "European Maritime, Fisheries and Aquaculture Fund (EMFAF)". The importance of aquaculture is growing steadily both in the World and in the EU, so this sector deserves to receive a separate chapter in both EU fisheries policy and funds.*

**Amendment 334**

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 1 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

This Regulation establishes the European Maritime **and** Fisheries Fund (EMFF). It lays down the priorities of the EMFF, the budget for the period 2021-2027, the forms of Union funding and the specific rules for providing such funding, complementing the general rules applying to the EMFF under Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions].

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Or. en

## *Justification*

*It should be clear that EMFF should cover support for aquaculture.*

### **Amendment 335**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 2**

###### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(2) 'common information sharing environment' (CISE) means an environment of systems developed to support the exchange of information between authorities involved in maritime surveillance, across sectors and borders, in order to improve their awareness of activities at sea;

###### *Amendment*

(2) 'common information sharing environment' (CISE) means an environment of systems developed to support the exchange of information between authorities involved in maritime surveillance, across sectors and borders, in order to improve their awareness of activities **made** at sea;

Or. en

### **Amendment 336**

**João Ferreira**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 3**

###### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(3) 'coastguard' means national authorities performing coastguard functions, which encompass maritime safety, maritime security, maritime customs, prevention and suppression of trafficking and smuggling, connected maritime law enforcement, **maritime border control**, maritime surveillance, protection of the marine environment, search and rescue, accident and disaster response, fisheries control and other activities related to those functions;

###### *Amendment*

(3) 'coastguard' means national authorities performing coastguard functions, which encompass maritime safety, maritime security, maritime customs, prevention and suppression of trafficking and smuggling, connected maritime law enforcement, maritime surveillance, protection of the marine environment, search and rescue, accident and disaster response, fisheries control and other activities related to those functions;

**Amendment 337**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(3) ‘coastguard’ means national authorities performing coastguard functions, which encompass maritime safety, maritime security, maritime customs, prevention and suppression of trafficking and smuggling, connected maritime law enforcement, maritime border control, maritime surveillance, protection of the marine environment, search and rescue, accident and disaster response, fisheries control and other activities related to those functions;

*Amendment*

(3) ‘coastguard’ means national authorities performing coastguard functions, which encompass maritime safety, maritime security, maritime customs, prevention and suppression of trafficking and smuggling, connected maritime law enforcement, maritime border control, maritime surveillance, protection of the marine environment, search and rescue, accident and disaster response, fisheries control, ***inspection*** and other activities related to those functions;

Or. en

**Amendment 338**

**Czesław Hoc**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 5**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

***(5) 'exploratory fishing' means fishing for stocks that have not been subject to fishing or have not been subject to fishing by a particular gear type or technique in the previous ten years;***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

Or. en

*Justification*

*This amendment is a consequence of the change proposed below in Article 13(e).*

### Amendment 339

Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López

#### Proposal for a regulation

##### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 5

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(5) 'exploratory fishing' means fishing for stocks that have not been subject to fishing or have not been subject to fishing by a particular gear type or technique in the previous ten years;

*Amendment*

(5) 'exploratory fishing' means fishing for stocks that have not been subject to **commercial** fishing or have not been subject to fishing by a particular gear type or technique in the previous ten years;

Or. en

### Amendment 340

Alain Cadec

#### Proposal for a regulation

##### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 6

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(6) 'fisher' means any natural person engaging in commercial fishing activities, as recognised by the relevant Member State;

*Amendment*

(6) 'fisher' means any natural person engaging in commercial fishing activities, **and who is either the owner of a fishing vessel or a worker**, as recognised by the relevant Member State;

Or. fr

### Amendment 341

Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López

#### Proposal for a regulation

##### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 6

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(6) 'fisher' means any natural person engaging in commercial fishing activities,

*Amendment*

(6) '**professional** fisher' means any natural person engaging in commercial

as recognised by the relevant Member State;

fishing activities, as recognised by the relevant Member State;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 342**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar, Gabriel Mato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 6 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(6 a) 'recreational fisheries' means non-commercial fishing activities exploiting marine biological resources for recreation, tourism or sport;**

Or. en

#### **Amendment 343**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 7**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(7) 'inland fishing' means fishing activities carried out for commercial purposes in inland waters by vessels or other devices, including those used for ice fishing;**

**deleted**

Or. en

#### *Justification*

*Aid to inland fishing activities is already covered by European Regional Development fund. In addition, inland fishing activities do not fall under the Maritime Policy and/or the Common Fisheries Policy.*

## Amendment 344

Alain Cadec

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 7 a (new)

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(7 a) (new) ‘on-foot fisher’: means any natural person engaging in commercial on-foot fishing activities, as recognised by the relevant Member State;**

Or. fr

*Justification*

*The situation for on-foot fishers is often similar to the situation for small-scale coastal fishers. This is why on-foot fishers should also be covered by the support provisions of the EMFF*

## Amendment 345

Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 9

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(9) ‘maritime policy’ means the Union policy that aims to foster integrated and coherent decision-making to maximise the sustainable development, economic growth and social cohesion of the Union, notably of the coastal and insular areas and of the outermost regions, **and of the sustainable blue economy sectors**, through coherent maritime-related policies and relevant international cooperation;

(9) ‘maritime policy’ means the Union policy that aims to foster integrated and coherent decision-making to maximise the sustainable development, economic growth and social cohesion of the Union, notably of the coastal and insular areas and of the outermost regions through coherent maritime-related policies and relevant international cooperation;

Or. es

## Amendment 346

João Ferreira

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 9

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*Text proposed by the Commission*

(9) ‘maritime policy’ means the Union policy that aims to foster integrated and coherent decision-making to maximise the sustainable development, economic growth and social cohesion of the Union, notably of the coastal and insular areas and of the outermost regions, and of the sustainable blue economy sectors, through coherent maritime-related policies and relevant international cooperation;

*Amendment*

(9) ‘**integrated** maritime policy’ means the Union policy that aims to foster integrated and coherent decision-making to maximise the sustainable development, economic growth and social cohesion of the Union, notably of the coastal and insular areas and of the outermost regions, and of the sustainable blue economy sectors, through coherent maritime-related policies and relevant international cooperation;

Or. pt

**Amendment 347**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 10**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

***(10) ‘maritime security and surveillance’ means the activities to understand, prevent wherever applicable and manage in a comprehensive way all the events and actions related to the maritime domain which would impact the areas of maritime safety and security, law enforcement, defence, border control, protection of the marine environment, fisheries control, trade and economic interest of the Union;***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

Or. pt

**Amendment 348**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 10**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(10) ‘maritime security and surveillance’ means the activities to understand, prevent wherever applicable and manage in a comprehensive way all the events and actions related to the maritime domain which would impact the areas of maritime safety and security, law enforcement, ***defence, border control***, protection of the marine environment, fisheries control, trade and economic interest of the Union;

(10) ‘maritime security and surveillance’ means the activities to understand, prevent wherever applicable and manage in a comprehensive way all the events and actions related to the maritime domain which would impact the areas of maritime safety and security, law enforcement, protection of the marine environment, fisheries control, trade and economic interest of the Union;

Or. es

**Amendment 349**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 12**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(12) ***‘productive aquaculture investments’ means investments in the construction, extension, modernisation or in the equipment of facilities for aquaculture production;***

***deleted***

Or. es

**Amendment 350**

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 12**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(12) ***‘productive aquaculture investments’ means investments in the construction, extension, modernisation or in the equipment of facilities for aquaculture production;***

***deleted***



*Justification*

*This amendment is in line with the deletion of the word "productive" in article 23 paragraph 3.*

**Amendment 351**

**Norbert Erdős**

**Proposal for a regulation****Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 12***Text proposed by the Commission*

(12) 'productive aquaculture investments' means investments in the construction, extension, modernisation or in the equipment of facilities for aquaculture production;

*Amendment*

(12) 'productive aquaculture investments' means investments in the construction, extension, modernisation or in the equipment of facilities ***including other general and special tools used by aquaculture producers*** for aquaculture production;

*Justification*

*The definition has to be determined with the necessary flexibility, it is worth identifying that any investment that improves the productivity of the aquaculture sector can be subsidized from EU sources.*

**Amendment 352**

**Annie Schreijer-Pierik**

**Proposal for a regulation****Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 12***Text proposed by the Commission*

(12) 'productive aquaculture investments' means investments in the construction, extension, modernisation or in the equipment of facilities for aquaculture production;

*Amendment*

(12) 'productive aquaculture investments' means investments in the construction, extension, modernisation, ***innovation*** or in the equipment of facilities for aquaculture production;

### Amendment 353

Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar, Gabriel Mato

#### Proposal for a regulation

##### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 13

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(13) 'sea basin strategy' means an integrated framework to address common marine and maritime challenges faced by Member States, and where appropriate third countries, in a sea basin or in one or more sub-sea basins, and promote cooperation and coordination in order to achieve economic, social and territorial cohesion; it is developed by the Commission in cooperation with the countries concerned, their regions and other stakeholders as appropriate;

*Amendment*

(13) 'sea basin strategy' means an integrated framework to address common marine and maritime challenges faced by Member States, and where appropriate third countries, in a **specific** sea basin or in one or more sub-sea basins, and promote cooperation and coordination in order to achieve economic, social and territorial cohesion; it is developed by the Commission in cooperation with the **Member States and third** countries concerned, their regions and other stakeholders as appropriate;

Or. en

### Amendment 354

João Ferreira

#### Proposal for a regulation

##### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) 'small-scale **coastal** fishing' means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than 12 metres and not using towed gear **as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006**<sup>26</sup>;

*Amendment*

(14) 'small-scale fishing' means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than 12 metres and not using **the** towed gear **listed in Table 3 Annex I to Commission Regulation (EC) No 26/2004 of 30 December 2003 on the Community fishing fleet register or, alternatively, those which stay at sea for a time (the duration of the tide) not exceeding 24 hours and the fish from which is sold fresh. In the case of the local fleet of outermost regions and remote islands a**

*maximum trip duration of 36 hours is permitted. For justified reasons based on local historical tradition, Member States may propose to extend the definition of ‘small scale fishing’ to fishing carried out by other vessels, as long as the gear used is highly selective and has little impact on the marine ecosystem;*

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

*((This amendment applies throughout the text. adopting it will necessitate corresponding changes throughout.))*

Or. pt

### **Amendment 355**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of ***an overall*** length of less than 12 metres ***and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup>***;

##### *Amendment*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of ***a*** length of less than 12 metres, ***characterised by short fishing trips, selective exploitation of resources, fresh produce, micro-enterprises and family businesses, and a sustainable and enriching contribution to the economic and social fabric and to the cultural identity of localities dependent on fishing. This sector includes shellfish or bivalve mollusc catching activities and trap fishing***;

<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

Or. es

### *Justification*

*La definición que plantea el artículo 2, apartado 1, del Reglamento (CE) n.º 1967/2006 del Consejo no refleja la realidad de la pesca artesanal de la UE. La FAO ha presentado un Plan de Acción para la pesca costera artesanal para el Mediterráneo y el Mar Negro, firmada en Malta el 26 de septiembre de 2018, donde se han definido los objetivos y los principios de la pesca costera artesanal. La pesca costera artesanal es algo más que la eslora de un barco. Ha de considerarse en este concepto la pesca de pequeña escala, desarrollada por buques pertenecientes a microempresas, en jornadas de pesca por lo general de lunes a viernes, con salida y entrada a puerto diaria. El Plan de acción para la pesca costera artesanal a que refiere el artículo 15 del presente Reglamento puede acotar con más detalle este segmento de flota, en función de las singularidades de la zona.*

## **Amendment 356**

**Ana Miranda**

### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ **means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than 12 metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup>;**

*Amendment*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing **as well as the gathering and rearing of shellfish. The definition must be flexible and realistic and must not only take account of the size of the vessel, but also of criteria defined in the light of specific competence, regional diversity and geomorphology, technical, social, cultural and environmental aspects.**

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the

Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

Or. es

### **Amendment 357**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than 12 metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup>;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

##### *Amendment*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than 12 metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup>, ***fishing on foot and shellfish gathering***;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

Or. es

##### *Justification*

*It is necessary to expressly state that fishing on foot is included in the small-scale coastal fishing sector. In the EMFF period 2014-2020 the Commission services replied to a consultation on the interpretation of the definition of small-scale coastal fishing that fishing on foot and shellfish harvesting are included in small-scale coastal fishing.*

### **Amendment 358**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than 12 metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup>;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

*Amendment*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than 12 metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup>, ***unless otherwise provided for in the national operational programme***;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

Or. es

**Amendment 359**  
**Sylvie Goddyn**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’: means fishing carried out by fishing vessels ***of an overall length of less than 12 metres*** and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup>;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing

*Amendment*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’: means fishing carried out by ***small*** fishing vessels, ***as defined by the Member States as part of their programme***, and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup>;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing

Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

Or. fr

### **Amendment 360**

**Nils Torvalds, António Marinho e Pinto**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than **12** metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup> ;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

##### *Amendment*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than **10** metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006<sup>26</sup> ;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

Or. en

### **Amendment 361**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than **12** metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No

##### *Amendment*

(14) ‘small-scale coastal fishing’ means fishing carried out by fishing vessels of an overall length of less than **10** metres and not using towed gear as listed in Article 2(1) of Council Regulation (EC) No

1967/2006<sup>26</sup> ;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

1967/2006<sup>26</sup> ;

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<sup>26</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 of 21 December 2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea, amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1626/94 (OJ L 409, 30.12.2006, p. 11).

Or. en

### **Amendment 362**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Gabriel Mato, Louis-Joseph Manscour, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, Maurice Ponga**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 14 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(14 a) 'small-scale fleet from outermost regions' means the small-scale fleets that operates at the outermost regions as defined in each national operational programs***

Or. en

### **Amendment 363**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(15) 'sustainable blue economy' means all sectoral and cross-sectoral economic activities throughout the single market related to oceans, seas, coasts and inland waters, covering the Union's outermost regions and landlocked countries,***

***deleted***



*including emerging sectors and non-market goods and services and being consistent with Union environmental legislation.*

Or. es

#### **Amendment 364**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(15) ‘sustainable blue economy’ means all sectoral and cross-sectoral economic activities throughout the single market related to oceans, seas, coasts and inland waters, covering the Union's outermost regions and landlocked countries, including emerging sectors and non-market goods and services **and being** consistent with Union environmental legislation.

##### *Amendment*

(15) ‘sustainable blue economy’ means all sectoral and cross-sectoral economic activities throughout the single market related to oceans, seas, coasts and inland waters, covering the Union's outermost regions and landlocked countries, including emerging sectors and non-market goods and services , **aimed at ensuring environmental, social and economic well-being for present and future generations while maintaining and restoring healthy marine ecosystems and protecting vulnerable natural resources**, consistent with Union environmental legislation.

Or. es

##### *Justification*

*The sustainable blue economy implies that economic, social and environmental activities are an integral part of the marine ecosystem and therefore it is necessary to maintain a balance to improve the living conditions and well-being of local coastal communities with the protection of marine ecosystems. A sustainable blue economy will only create economic value for the marine environment if it can be carried out in a way that conserves and protects marine resources and ecosystems.*

#### **Amendment 365**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(15) ‘sustainable blue economy’ means all sectoral and cross-sectoral economic activities throughout the single market related to oceans, seas, coasts and inland waters, covering the Union's outermost regions and landlocked countries, including emerging sectors and non-market goods and services and being consistent with Union environmental legislation.

*Amendment*

(15) ‘sustainable blue economy’ means all sectoral and cross-sectoral economic activities ***within ecological limits*** throughout the single market related to oceans, seas, coasts and inland waters, covering the Union's outermost regions and landlocked countries, including emerging sectors and non-market goods and services and being consistent with Union environmental legislation ***to restore and maintain marine ecosystems and protect vulnerable natural resources, goods and services.***

Or. en

### Amendment 366

João Ferreira

#### Proposal for a regulation

### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(15) ‘sustainable blue economy’ means all sectoral and cross-sectoral economic activities ***throughout the single market*** related to oceans, seas, coasts and inland waters, covering the Union's outermost regions and landlocked countries, including emerging sectors and non-market goods and services and being consistent with Union environmental legislation.

*Amendment*

(15) ‘sustainable blue economy’ means all sectoral and cross-sectoral economic activities related to oceans, seas, coasts and inland waters, covering the Union's outermost regions and landlocked countries, including emerging sectors and non-market goods and services and being consistent with Union environmental legislation.

Or. pt

### Amendment 367

Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström

#### Proposal for a regulation

### Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15 a (new)

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(15 a) co-management means a partnership arrangement in which government, the community of local resource users (fishers), external agents (non-governmental organizations, research institutions), and sometimes other fisheries and coastal resource stakeholders (boat owners, fish traders, credit agencies or money lenders, tourism industry, etc.) share the responsibility and authority for decision-making over the management of a fishery.***

Or. en

*Justification*

*FAO definition from the FAO term portal. <http://www.fao.org/faoterm/en/>*

**Amendment 368**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(15a) 'co-management' means the process of managing resources for the fulfilment of CFP objectives in which national governments share their authority with regional governments, advisory councils and local actors in the fisheries sector, by conferring specific responsibilities and rights to them as regards the taking of decisions concerning the responsible management of fisheries resources.***

Or. es

**Amendment 369**

**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(15 a) ‘unforeseen cessation’ means when a small scale fisher is restricted from conducting fishing operations due to unsafe weather conditions,***

Or. en

**Amendment 370**  
**Ole Christensen**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(15 a) ‘recreational fisheries’ means non-commercial fishing activities exploiting marine living aquatic resources for recreation, tourism or sport.***

Or. en

**Amendment 371**  
**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(15a) ‘environmental incident’ means an accidental phenomenon of natural or human origin resulting in the degradation of the environment.***

Or. es

*Justification*

*The concept of environmental incident used in Article 18.1.d is not defined and should be so, in the interests of legal certainty.*

**Amendment 372**

**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15 b (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(15b) Co-management: “fisheries co-management” is a partnership arrangement between government and the representatives of a defined group of fishers to share the responsibility and authority for the management of activities that impact on fishery resources and the wider aquatic ecosystem in a designated area where they fish (e.g. a protected area, inshore fishing zone etc.), ideally on a parity basis through a co-management committee. The decisions of the co-management committee are advised by scientists in consultation with other stakeholders.***

Or. en

**Amendment 373**

**Ole Christensen**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point 15 b (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(15b) ‘recreational fisheries sector’ means all segments of recreational fisheries and the businesses and jobs dependant on or generated by these fisheries.***

**Amendment 374**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

The **EMFF** shall contribute to the implementation of the CFP and of the maritime policy. It shall pursue the following priorities:

*Amendment*

The **EMFAF** shall contribute to the implementation of the CFP and of the maritime policy. It shall pursue the following priorities:

Or. en

*Justification*

*The fund should be named "European Maritime, Fisheries and Aquaculture Fund (EMFAF)". The importance of aquaculture is growing steadily both in the World and in the EU, so this sector deserves to receive a separate chapter in both EU fisheries policy and funds.*

**Amendment 375**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(1) Fostering sustainable fisheries and **the** conservation of marine biological resources;

*Amendment*

(1) Fostering sustainable fisheries **to achieve socio-economic and environmental benefits as well as job creation in coastal areas and the protection, restoration** and conservation of marine biological resources;

Or. es

**Amendment 376**  
**Elisabetta Gardini**

**Proposal for a regulation**

#### Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 1

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(1) fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources;

*Amendment*

(1) fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources, ***taking socio-economic factors into account;***

Or. it

*Justification*

*EMFF support should be targeted and calibrated within the framework of a balance between environmental, social and economic factors. This amendment therefore aims to reinstate the socio-economic objectives among the priorities.*

#### **Amendment 377**

**Renata Briano**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(1) fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources;

*Amendment*

(1) fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources, ***taking socio-economic factors into account;***

Or. it

#### **Amendment 378**

**Nicola Caputo**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(1) fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources;

*Amendment*

(1) fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources, ***taking socio-economic factors into account;***

*Justification*

*EMFF support should be targeted and calibrated within the framework of a balance between environmental, social and economic factors. This amendment therefore aims to reinstate the socio-economic objectives among the priorities.*

**Amendment 379****Rosa D'Amato****Proposal for a regulation****Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 1***Text proposed by the Commission*

(1) fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources;

*Amendment*

(1) fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources, ***taking socio-economic factors into account***;

*Justification*

*EMFF support should be targeted and calibrated within the framework of a balance between environmental, social and economic factors. This amendment therefore aims to reinstate the socio-economic objectives among the priorities.*

**Amendment 380****João Ferreira, Younous Omarjee****Proposal for a regulation****Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 1***Text proposed by the Commission*

(1) Fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources;

*Amendment*

(1) Fostering sustainable fisheries and the ***protection, restoration and*** conservation of marine biological resources;



**Amendment 381**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(1) Fostering sustainable fisheries and the conservation of marine biological resources;

*Amendment*

(1) Fostering sustainable fisheries and ***aquaculture and*** the conservation of ***freshwater and*** marine biological resources;

Or. en

**Amendment 382**  
**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 1 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(1 a) Fostering sustainable aquaculture;***

Or. en

*Justification*

*A priority on aquaculture is added for more clarity. Priorities - and obviously their content - must be balanced.*

**Amendment 383**  
**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union through ***competitive and sustainable*** aquaculture ***and markets***;

(2) Contributing to food security ***and quality*** in the Union through ***a supply of sustainably sourced fresh fish from fisheries or*** aquaculture;

**Amendment 384**

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union *through competitive and sustainable aquaculture and markets*;

*Amendment*

(2) ***Promoting competitive and sustainable fisheries and aquaculture markets and processing sectors*** contributing to food security in the Union;

Or. en

*Justification*

*A priority on aquaculture is added for more clarity. Therefore this priority needs to be adapted.*

**Amendment 385**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union through ***competitive and sustainable aquaculture and*** markets;

*Amendment*

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union through sustainable markets;

Or. es

**Amendment 386**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union through competitive and sustainable aquaculture and markets;

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union through competitive and sustainable **seawater and freshwater** aquaculture and markets;

Or. en

*Justification*

*It should be made clear that the aquaculture sector is based on two pillars, seawater aquaculture and freshwater fish farming.*

**Amendment 387**  
**Werner Kuhn**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(2) contributing to food security in the Union through competitive and sustainable aquaculture and markets;

*Amendment*

(2) contributing to food security in the Union through competitive and sustainable **fishing**, aquaculture and markets;

Or. de

*Justification*

*The fact that fishing also contributes to food security, and not just aquaculture, needs to be made clear.*

**Amendment 388**  
**Sylvie Goddyn**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union through competitive and sustainable aquaculture and markets;

*Amendment*

(2) contributing to food security in the Union through competitive and sustainable **fisheries**, aquaculture and markets;

Or. fr

### Amendment 389

Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López

#### Proposal for a regulation

##### Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 2

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union through competitive and sustainable aquaculture and markets;

*Amendment*

(2) Contributing to food security in the Union through competitive and sustainable **fisheries**, aquaculture and markets;

Or. en

### Amendment 390

Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström

#### Proposal for a regulation

##### Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 3

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(3) Enabling **the growth of** a sustainable blue economy **and fostering** prosperous coastal communities;

*Amendment*

(3) **Restoring the seas to good environmental status and** enabling a sustainable blue economy **that develops within ecological limits and fosters** prosperous coastal communities;

Or. en

### Amendment 391

Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos

#### Proposal for a regulation

##### Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 3

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(3) Enabling **the growth of** a sustainable blue economy **and fostering** prosperous coastal communities;

*Amendment*

(3) Enabling **favourable conditions for** a sustainable blue economy **that fosters a healthy marine environment and** prosperous coastal communities;

Or. es

## *Justification*

*The sustainable blue economy implies that economic, social and environmental activities are an integral part of the marine ecosystem and therefore it is necessary to maintain a balance to improve the living conditions and well-being of local coastal communities with the protection of marine ecosystems. A sustainable blue economy will only create economic value for the marine environment if it can be carried out in a way that conserves and protects marine resources and ecosystems.*

### **Amendment 392**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(3) Enabling *the growth of a sustainable blue economy* and fostering prosperous coastal communities;

*Amendment*

(3) Enabling *good living conditions for those working in the fisheries sector* and fostering prosperous coastal communities;

Or. es

### **Amendment 393**

**João Ferreira, Younous Omarjee**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(3) Enabling the growth of a sustainable blue economy and fostering prosperous coastal communities;

*Amendment*

(3) Enabling the growth of a sustainable blue economy and fostering prosperous *and economically and socially cohesive* coastal communities;

Or. fr

### **Amendment 394**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(3) Enabling the growth of a sustainable blue economy and fostering prosperous coastal communities;

(3) Enabling the growth of a sustainable blue economy and fostering prosperous coastal ***and waterfront*** communities;

Or. en

*Justification*

*In my opinion, it is necessary to support all communities along the (seawater and freshwater) waterfront.*

**Amendment 395**

**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(3) Enabling the growth of a sustainable blue economy and fostering prosperous coastal communities;

(3) Enabling the growth of a sustainable blue economy and fostering prosperous coastal ***and island*** communities;

Or. en

**Amendment 396**

**John Flack, Stefan Eck, Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

Support under the EMFF shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental and climate change mitigation and adaptation objectives of the Union. That contribution shall be tracked in accordance with the methodology set out in Annex IV.

***Support under the EMFF shall contribute to meeting the needs of both producers and consumers.*** Support under the EMFF shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental and climate change mitigation and adaptation objectives of the Union. That contribution shall be tracked in accordance with the methodology set out

in Annex IV.

Or. en

*Justification*

*One CFP Objective is 'take into account the interests of both consumers and producers' and it is important in recognising the value of welfare projects that the interests of consumers are firmly embedded.*

**Amendment 397**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

Support under the **EMFF** shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental and climate change mitigation and adaptation objectives of the Union. That contribution shall be tracked in accordance with the methodology set out in Annex IV.

*Amendment*

Support under the **EMFAF** shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental and climate change mitigation and adaptation **and food security** objectives of the Union. That contribution shall be tracked in accordance with the methodology set out in Annex IV.

Or. en

*Justification*

*In addition to valuable environmental services, the EMFAF should also play a major role in ensuring the EU's food security.*

**Amendment 398**

**João Ferreira, Younous Omarjee**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 4 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

Support under the EMFF shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental and climate change mitigation and adaptation objectives of the Union. That contribution shall be tracked in accordance

*Amendment*

Support under the EMFF shall contribute **as a matter of priority** to the achievement of the environmental and climate change mitigation and adaptation objectives of the Union. That contribution shall be tracked

with the methodology set out in Annex IV.

in accordance with the methodology set out in Annex IV.

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 399**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 4 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

Support under the EMFF shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental and climate change mitigation and adaptation objectives of the Union. That contribution shall be tracked in accordance with the methodology set out in Annex IV.

##### *Amendment*

Support under the EMFF shall *also* contribute to the achievement of the environmental and climate change *fight*, mitigation and adaptation objectives of the Union. That contribution shall be tracked in accordance with the methodology set out in Annex IV.

Or. en

#### **Amendment 400**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 4 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 a (new)**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

##### *Amendment*

*(1a) The pursuit of those priorities shall not result in an increase in fishing capacity.*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 401**

**Younous Omarjee, Liadh Ní Riada**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 4 a (new)**



*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**Article 4 a**

**Outermost Regions**

***All the provisions of this Regulation must take into account the specific constraints recognized in Article 349 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union.***

Or. en

**Amendment 402**

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon, Norbert Erdős**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 5 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 140 000 000** in current prices.

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 867 000 000 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. EUR 7 739 000 000** in current prices).

Or. en

*Justification*

*This is in line with the EP Budget Committee opinion on EMFF.*

**Amendment 403**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López, Maurice Ponga, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 5 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 140 000 000** in

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 867 000 000 in**

current prices.

**2018 constant prices (i.e. 7 739 000 000 in current prices).**

Or. en

#### **Amendment 404**

**Isabelle Thomas**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 5 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 140 000 000** in current prices.

*Amendment*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 866 943 600 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. EUR 7 739 176 524 in current prices).**

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 405**

**Ulrike Rodust, Ivare Padar**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 5 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 140 000 000** in current prices.

*Amendment*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 866 943 600 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. EUR 7 739 176 524 in current prices).**

Or. en

#### **Amendment 406**

**Alain Cadec**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 5 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period **2021-2027** shall be EUR **6 140 000 000** in current prices.

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period **2014-2020** shall be ***maintained for the period 2021-2027*** (EUR **6 400 000 000** in current prices).

Or. fr

*Justification*

*The EMFF is a vital tool for reaching the objectives set by the Common Fisheries Policy. Reducing its financial envelope would not only jeopardise existing projects, it would also make new challenges, such as the blue economy, harder to tackle. The EMFF must keep up with political activity in the fisheries sector, and must not suffer losses for the period 2021-2027.*

**Amendment 407**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 5 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the **EMFF** for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 140 000 000** in current prices.

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the **EMFAF** for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 400 000 000** in current prices.

Or. en

*Justification*

*In addition to sustainable fisheries, the interests of the aquaculture sector also require that the current budget of the fisheries fund, the EUR 6.4 billion for seven years, should be preserved in the future.*

**Amendment 408**

**Ana Miranda**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 5 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 140 000 000** in current prices.

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 400 000 000** in current prices.

Or. es

**Amendment 409**  
**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 5 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR **6 140 000 000** in current prices.

1. The financial envelope for the implementation of the EMFF for the period 2021-2027 shall be EUR (...) \* in current prices.

Or. pt

*Justification*

*\* The proposed sums are clearly insufficient; the overall appropriations from the EMFF must be significantly increased, where any of them may be less than the amounts set out in the MFF 2014-2020*

**Amendment 410**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 5 – paragraph 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

2. The part of the financial envelope allocated to the **EMFF** under Title II shall be implemented in shared management in accordance with Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions] and Article 63 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation on the financial rules

2. The part of the financial envelope allocated to the **EMFAF** under Title II shall be implemented in shared management in accordance with Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions] and Article 63 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation on the

applicable to the general budget of the Union].

financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union].

Or. en

#### **Amendment 411**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 5 – paragraph 3**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

3. The part of the financial envelope allocated to the **EMFF** under Title III shall be implemented either directly by the Commission in accordance with Article 62(1)(a) of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union] or within the framework of indirect management in accordance with Article 62(1)(c) of that Regulation.

##### *Amendment*

3. The part of the financial envelope allocated to the **EMFAF** under Title III shall be implemented either directly by the Commission in accordance with Article 62(1)(a) of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union] or within the framework of indirect management in accordance with Article 62(1)(c) of that Regulation.

Or. en

#### **Amendment 412**

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon, Norbert Erdős**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 6 – paragraph 1**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be EUR **5 311 000 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

##### *Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be EUR **6 965 100 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

Or. en

## *Justification*

*The proportion between shared management and direct / indirect management under the current EMFF should be maintained.*

### **Amendment 413**

**Isabelle Thomas**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 6 – paragraph 1**

###### *Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be **EUR 5 311 000 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

###### *Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **EUR 6 031 674 028 in constant prices (i.e. EUR 6 797 811 771** in current prices) in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

Or. fr

### **Amendment 414**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 6 – paragraph 1**

###### *Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be **EUR 5 311 000 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

###### *Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be **86.5% of the EMFF financial envelope corresponding to EUR 5 940 000 000 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. 6 694 000 000** in current prices) in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

Or. en

### **Amendment 415**

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**Ulrike Rodust, Ivari Padar**

**Proposal for a regulation  
Article 6 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be **EUR 5 311 000 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be **EUR 5 939 794 374 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. EUR 6 694 261 648** in current prices) in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

Or. en

**Amendment 416  
Alain Cadec**

**Proposal for a regulation  
Article 6 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be **EUR 5 311 000 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be **90% of the total EMFF budget (EUR 5 740 000 000)** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

Or. fr

*Justification*

*The EMFF is a vital tool for reaching the objectives set by the Common Fisheries Policy. Reducing its financial envelope would not only jeopardise existing projects, it would also make new challenges, such as the blue economy, harder to tackle. The EMFF must keep up with political activity in the fisheries sector, and must not suffer losses for the period 2021-2027.*

**Amendment 417  
Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation  
Article 6 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be EUR **5 311 000 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be EUR **5 740 000 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

Or. en

*Justification*

*The budget of the previous fund, as well as the same share allocated under shared management and under direct management, should be maintained. The budget of the previous fund, as well as the same share allocated under shared management and under direct management, should be maintained.*

**Amendment 418**  
**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 6 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be EUR **5 311 000 000** in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under shared management as specified in Title II shall be EUR (...) \* in current prices in accordance with the annual breakdown set out in Annex V.

Or. pt

*Justification*

*\* The sums are clearly insufficient and must be significantly increased; under no circumstances may they be less than the amounts set out in the MFF 2014-2020.*

**Amendment 419**  
**Norbert Erdős**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 6 – paragraph 1 a (new)**



*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**1 a. A specific sub-budget shall be determined for seawater and freshwater aquaculture.**

Or. en

*Justification*

*Sustainable seawater and freshwater aquaculture is a specific and important sector which has to be clearly separated from fisheries. Therefore, a specific sub-budget and a genuine chapter has to be established within the EMFAF and the CFP regulation.*

**Amendment 420**

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(a) EUR **102 000 000** for the Azores and Madeira;

(a) EUR **123 340 000** for the Azores and Madeira;

Or. en

*Justification*

*This is in line with the EP Budget Committee opinion on EMFF.*

**Amendment 421**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, Juan Fernando López Aguilar, José Blanco López, Maurice Ponga, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(a) EUR **102 000 000** for the Azores and Madeira;

(a) EUR **114 000 000 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. 128 566 000 in current prices)** for the Azores and Madeira;

Or. en

**Amendment 422**

**Isabelle Thomas, Louis-Joseph Manscour**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) EUR **102 000 000** for the Azores and Madeira;

*Amendment*

(a) EUR **113 076 262 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. EUR 127 439 106 in current prices)** for the Azores and Madeira;

Or. fr

**Amendment 423**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) EUR **102 000 000** for the Azores and Madeira;

*Amendment*

(a) EUR (...) \* for the Azores and Madeira;

Or. pt

*Justification*

*\* The sums are clearly insufficient and must be significantly increased; under no circumstances may they be less than the amounts set out in the MFF 2014-2020.*

**Amendment 424**

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) EUR **82 000 000** for the Canary Islands;

*Amendment*

(b) EUR **104 110 000** for the Canary Islands;

Or. en

### *Justification*

*This is in line with the EP Budget Committee opinion on EMFF. The extra increase to the budget for the Canary islands, this is in order to take into account the programming under the current EMFF and the real needs today.*

#### **Amendment 425**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, Juan Fernando López Aguilar, José Blanco López, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) EUR **82 000 000** for the Canary Islands;

*Amendment*

(b) EUR **91 700 000 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. 103 357 000 in current prices)** for the Canary Islands;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 426**

**Isabelle Thomas, Louis-Joseph Manscour**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) EUR **82 000 000** for the Canary Islands;

*Amendment*

(b) EUR **90 708 367 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. EUR 102 223 062 in current prices)** for the Canary Islands;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 427**

**João Ferreira**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(b) EUR **82 000 000** for the Canary Islands;

(b) EUR (...) \* for the Canary Islands;

Or. pt

*Justification*

*\* The sums are clearly insufficient and must be significantly increased; under no circumstances may they be less than the amounts set out in the MFF 2014-2020.*

**Amendment 428**

**Younous Omarjee, Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(c) EUR **131 000 000** for Guadeloupe, **French Guiana**, Martinique, Mayotte, **Réunion and Saint-Martin**.

(c) EUR **172 900 000** for Guadeloupe, **Guyana**, Martinique, Mayotte, **Reunion and Saint Martin**

Or. en

*Justification*

*Allows maintenance compared to the previous programming of the same amounts for the envelope costs.*

**Amendment 429**

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(c) EUR **131 000 000** for Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique, Mayotte, Réunion and Saint-Martin.

(c) EUR **158 407 000** for Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique, Mayotte, Réunion and Saint-Martin.

Or. en

*Justification*

*This is in line with the EP Budget Committee opinion on EMFF.*

**Amendment 430**

**Isabelle Thomas, Louis-Joseph Manscour**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(c) EUR **131 000 000** for Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique, Mayotte, Réunion and Saint-Martin.

*Amendment*

(c) EUR **149 509 709 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. EUR 168 500 296 in current prices)** for Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique, Mayotte, Réunion and Saint-Martin.

Or. fr

*Justification*

*These outermost regions require a more favourable allocation key to enable them to combat the risks of IUU fishing.*

**Amendment 431**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, Juan Fernando López Aguilar, José Blanco López, Maurice Ponga, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(c) EUR **131 000 000** for Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique, Mayotte, Réunion and Saint-Martin.

*Amendment*

(c) EUR **146 500 000 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. 165 119 000 in current prices)** for Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique, Mayotte, Réunion and Saint-Martin.

Or. en

**Amendment 432**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(c) EUR **131 000 000** for Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique, Mayotte, Réunion and Saint-Martin.

(c) EUR (...) \* for Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Martinique, Mayotte, Réunion and Saint-Martin.

Or. pt

*Justification*

*\* The sums are clearly insufficient and must be significantly increased; under no circumstances may they be less than the amounts set out in the MFF 2014-2020.*

**Amendment 433**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**3. The compensation referred to in Article 21 shall not exceed 50 % of each of the allocations referred to in points (a), (b) and (c) of paragraph 2.**

*deleted*

Or. pt

**Amendment 434**

**Sylvie Goddyn**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**3. The compensation referred to in Article 21 shall not exceed 50 % of each of the allocations referred to in points (a), (b) and (c) of paragraph 2.**

*deleted*

**Amendment 435**  
**Younous Omarjee, Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 6 – paragraph 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

3. The compensation referred to in Article 21 shall not exceed **50% of each of the allocations** referred to in *points (a), (b) and (c) of paragraph 2*.

*Amendment*

3. The compensation referred to in Article 21 shall not exceed **annually: (a) EUR 6 450 000 for the Azores and Madeira; (b) EUR 8 700 000 for the Canary Islands; (c) EUR 12 350 000 for the outermost French regions** referred to in *Article 349 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union*.

Or. en

**Amendment 436**  
**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 6 – paragraph 4**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

4. At least **15%** of the Union financial support allocated per Member State shall be allocated to the areas of support referred to in Articles 19 and 20. Member States with no access to Union waters may apply a lower percentage with regard to the extent of their control and data collection tasks.

*Amendment*

4. At least **30%** of the Union financial support allocated per Member State shall be allocated to the areas of support referred to in Articles 19 and 20. Member States with no access to Union waters may apply a lower percentage with regard to the extent of their control and data collection tasks.

Or. en

*Justification*

*Public resources should be allocated to help operators and Member States to provide greater data for stock management and comply with the rules of the CFP. Fisheries control and data collection is of utmost importance for the implementation of the CFP. Certain obligations*

*foreseen by the Control Regulation and its revision will require specific and increased support for an efficient enforcement by Member states and fishers.*

**Amendment 437**  
**Norica Nicolai**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 6 – paragraph 4**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

4. At least **15%** of the Union financial support allocated per Member State shall be allocated to the areas of support referred to in Articles 19 and 20. Member States with no access to Union waters may apply a lower percentage with regard to the extent of their control and data collection tasks.

*Amendment*

4. At least **20%** of the Union financial support allocated per Member State shall be allocated to the areas of support referred to in Articles 19 and 20. Member States with no access to Union waters may apply a lower percentage with regard to the extent of their control and data collection tasks.

Or. en

**Amendment 438**  
**António Marinho e Pinto, Norica Nicolai**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 6 – paragraph 4 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**4 a. At least 20% of the Union financial support allocated per Member State shall be allocated to the areas of support referred to in Article 22 and Article 27.**

Or. en

*Justification*

*In order to ensure that the EMFF contributes to the environmental challenges facing our oceans ring-fencing of 25% of the budget is needed for each MS to dedicate to activities linked to the protection and restoration of marine biodiversity and ecosystems.*



**Amendment 439**

**Nils Torvalds, Norica Nicolai, Ulrike Rodust, António Marinho e Pinto, Gesine Meissner**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 4 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**4 a. Any funding that is not spent under Articles 19 and 20 on control and data collection may be reallocated to the European Fisheries Control Agency**

Or. en

**Amendment 440**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 4 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**4 a. At least 30% of the Union financial support allocated per Member State shall be allocated to the areas of support referred to in Article 22 and 27.**

Or. en

*Justification*

*In order to ensure that the EMFF contributes to the environmental challenges facing our oceans, ring-fencing of 30% of the budget is needed for each Member State to dedicate to activities linked to the protection and restoration of marine biodiversity and ecosystems.*

**Amendment 441**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 5 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

5. The Union financial support from the EMFF allocated per Member State to

5. The Union financial support from the EMFF allocated per Member State to

the areas of support referred to in **Articles 17(2) and 18** shall not exceed the higher of the following two thresholds:

the areas of support referred to in **Article 18** shall not exceed the higher of the following two thresholds:

Or. en

#### *Justification*

*Direct subsidy schemes like aid for permanent cessation of fishing activities have been used in the past with no regard to the objectives of capacity reduction or the sustainability of fishing resources and have worsened the imbalance between available fishing resources and fishing capacity of EU fleets. Public financial resources should be used to create added value for society as a whole, rather than financing the exit of vessels from the sector or activities aiming at keeping actors artificially in the sector, which brings little added value to fisheries and the marine environment.*

#### **Amendment 442**

**João Ferreira**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 6 – paragraph 5 – introductory part**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

5. The Union financial support from the EMFF allocated per Member State to the areas of support referred to in **Articles 17(2) and 18** shall not exceed the higher of the following two thresholds:

##### *Amendment*

5. The Union financial support from the EMFF allocated per Member State to the areas of support referred to in **Article 17(2)** shall not exceed the higher of the following two thresholds:

Or. pt

#### **Amendment 443**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 6 – paragraph 5 – introductory part**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

5. The Union financial support from the **EMFF** allocated per Member State to the areas of support referred to in Articles 17(2) and 18 shall not exceed the higher of the following two thresholds:

##### *Amendment*

5. The Union financial support from the **EMFAF** allocated per Member State to the areas of support referred to in Articles 17(2) and 18 shall not exceed the higher of the following two thresholds:

**Amendment 444**

**Nils Torvalds, António Marinho e Pinto, Gesine Meissner**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 5 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(a) EUR **6 000 000**; or

(a) EUR **5 000 000**; or

Or. en

**Amendment 445**

**Czesław Hoc**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 5 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(b) **10%** of the Union financial support allocated per Member State.

(b) **at least 20%** of the Union financial support allocated per Member State.

Or. en

*Justification*

*The current alarming state of fish stocks in the Baltic Sea is among others, caused by the adoption of excessively high TACs and the continuation of industrial fishing. Supporting industrial fishing policies has contributed to deterioration of stocks in the coastal zone. Increasing the threshold to 20% will allow direct support for Baltic fisheries, particularly small-scale coastal fisheries, which are currently in a very difficult situation. Without increasing the support thresholds for this measure, the Baltic Sea countries will not be able to effectively solve this the problem.*

**Amendment 446**

**Nils Torvalds, António Marinho e Pinto, Gesine Meissner**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 6 – paragraph 5 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) **10%** of the Union financial support allocated per Member State.

*Amendment*

(b) **8%** of the Union financial support allocated per Member State.

Or. en

**Amendment 447**  
**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 6 – paragraph 6**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

6. In accordance with Articles 30 to 32 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], the EMFF may support technical assistance for the effective administration and use of this Fund at the initiative of a Member State.

*Amendment*

6. In accordance with Articles 30 to 32 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], the EMFF may support technical assistance for the effective administration and use of this Fund at the initiative of a Member State. ***A 20% cap shall apply to administrative costs borne by state and semi-state bodies to prevent over-absorption of funding.***

Or. en

**Amendment 448**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 6 – paragraph 6**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

6. In accordance with Articles 30 to 32 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], the ***EMFF*** may support technical assistance for the effective administration and use of this Fund at the initiative of a Member State.

*Amendment*

6. In accordance with Articles 30 to 32 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], the ***EMFAF*** may support technical assistance for the effective administration and use of this Fund at the initiative of a Member State.

Or. en

## Amendment 449

Alain Cadec

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 8 – paragraph 1

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be EUR **829 000 000** in current prices.

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **10% of the total budget of the EMFF** (EUR **640 000 000** in current prices).

Or. fr

*Justification*

*The EMFF is a vital tool for reaching the objectives set by the Common Fisheries Policy. Reducing its financial envelope would not only jeopardise existing projects, it would also make new challenges, such as the blue economy, harder to tackle. The EMFF must keep up with political activity in the fisheries sector, and must not suffer losses for the period 2021-2027.*

## Amendment 450

Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 8 – paragraph 1

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be EUR **829 000 000** in current prices.

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be EUR **640 000 000** in current prices.

Or. en

*Justification*

*The budget of the previous fund, as well as the same share allocated under shared management and under direct management, should be maintained.*

## Amendment 451

**Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné, Francisco José Millán Mon, Norbert Erdős**

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 8 – paragraph 1

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be EUR **829 000 000** in current prices.

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be EUR **773 900 000** in current prices.

Or. en

#### *Justification*

*The proportion between shared management and direct / indirect management under the current EMFF should be maintained.*

## Amendment 452

**Nils Torvalds, António Marinho e Pinto, Gesine Meissner**

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 8 – paragraph 1

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **EUR 829 000 000** in current prices.

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **20 % of the total budget of the EMFF** in current prices.

Or. en

## Amendment 453

**Ulrike Rodust, Ivari Padar**

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 8 – paragraph 1

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope

*Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope

under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **EUR 829 000 000** in current prices.

under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **EUR 927 149 226 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. 1 044 914 876** in current prices).

Or. en

#### **Amendment 454**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 8 – paragraph 1**

###### *Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **EUR 829 000 000** in current prices.

###### *Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **13.5% of the EMFF financial envelope corresponding to EUR 927 000 000 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. 1 045 000 000** in current prices).

Or. en

#### **Amendment 455**

**Isabelle Thomas**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 8 – paragraph 1**

###### *Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **EUR 829 000 000** in current prices.

###### *Amendment*

1. The part of the financial envelope under direct and indirect management as specified in Title III shall be **EUR 835 269 572 in 2018 constant prices (i.e. EUR 941 364 753** in current prices).

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 456**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 8 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

The amount referred to in paragraph 1 may be used for technical and administrative assistance for the implementation of the **EMFF**, such as preparatory, monitoring, control, audit and evaluation activities including corporate information technology systems.

*Amendment*

The amount referred to in paragraph 1 may be used for technical and administrative assistance for the implementation of the **EMFAF**, such as preparatory, monitoring, control, audit and evaluation activities including corporate information technology systems.

Or. en

**Amendment 457**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 8 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

In particular, the **EMFF** may support, at the initiative of the Commission and subject to the ceiling of 1.7% of the financial envelope referred to in Article 5(1):

*Amendment*

In particular, the **EMFAF** may support, at the initiative of the Commission and subject to the ceiling of 1.7% of the financial envelope referred to in Article 5(1):

Or. en

**Amendment 458**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 8 – paragraph 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

3. The **EMFF** shall support the costs of information and communication activities linked to the implementation of this Regulation.

*Amendment*

3. The **EMFAF** shall support the costs of information and communication activities linked to the implementation of this Regulation.



**Amendment 459**

**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. In accordance with Article 16 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], each Member State shall prepare a single programme to implement the priorities referred to in Article 4.

*Amendment*

1. In accordance with Article 16 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], each Member State shall prepare a single ***national programme or regional operational programmes*** to implement the priorities referred to in Article 4.

Or. fr

**Amendment 460**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. In accordance with Article 16 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], each Member State shall prepare a single programme to implement the priorities referred to in Article 4.

*Amendment*

1. In accordance with Article 16 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], each Member State shall prepare a single ***national programme or regional operational programmes*** to implement the priorities referred to in Article 4.

Or. en

**Amendment 461**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 3 – point c a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(ca) where appropriate, sea-basin action plans for subnational or regional authorities responsible for fisheries, shellfish and maritime affairs.**

Or. es

*Justification*

*The formation of strategies and measures at maritime basin level could require, in the case of basins shared between Member States, an effort of planning and consensus with other regions and countries for a harmonised formulation of objectives, measures and financial resources. An example is the case of Andalusia, whose coastal areas include the Mediterranean basin, the South Atlantic basin and an area with its own characteristics - the Strait of Gibraltar - each one characterised by different situations.*

**Amendment 462**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 3 – point c a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(ca) where appropriate, the regional action plan or operational programme for the regional or subnational authorities responsible for fisheries and maritime affairs**

Or. es

**Amendment 463**

**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 3 – point c a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(ca) The action plan or a regional operational programme for those sub-national authorities responsible for**

*fisheries and maritime policies if required.*

Or. fr

**Amendment 464**  
**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 3 – point c a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*(c a) analysis of social and economic disparities between fleet segments, with particular attention to the situation of small-scale fleets.*

Or. en

**Amendment 465**  
**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

4. Member States concerned shall prepare as part of their programme an action plan for each of their outermost regions referred to in Article 6(2), which shall set out:

4. Member States concerned shall prepare as part of their programme, ***together with the authorities concerned,*** an action plan for each of ***their regions,*** ***including*** their outermost regions referred to in Article 6(2), which shall set out:

Or. fr

**Amendment 466**  
**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, Juan Fernando López Aguilar, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

4. Member States concerned shall prepare as part of their programme **an** action plan for each of their outermost regions referred to in Article 6(2), which shall set out:

*Amendment*

4. Member States concerned shall prepare as part of their programme **a specific** action plan for each of their outermost regions referred to in Article 6(2), which shall set out:

Or. en

**Amendment 467**

**António Marinho e Pinto, Norica Nicolai**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) a strategy for the sustainable exploitation of fisheries **and** the development of sustainable blue economy sectors;

*Amendment*

(a) a strategy for the sustainable exploitation of fisheries, the development of sustainable blue economy sectors **including the actions necessary to achieve the sustainability of coastal communities, as well as a strategy on the contribution of EMFF to achieving good environmental status, including through the Natura 2000 prioritised action frameworks;**

Or. en

*Justification*

*Member States have to develop prioritised action frameworks – financial plans for delivering their Natura 2000 sites – so the EMFF needs to link to how Member States intend to support their Marine Natura 2000 sites. The programme actions that Member States shall prepare for the implementation of the EMFF should not regard socio-economic performance in separation of conservation and restoration of marine ecosystems.*

**Amendment 468**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

a) a strategy **for** the sustainable exploitation of fisheries **and the development of sustainable** blue economy sectors;

a) a strategy **detailing the EMFF's contribution to achieving a good environmental status**, the sustainable exploitation of fisheries, **the Natura 2000 network and the sustainability** of blue economy sectors, **including the actions needed to achieve sustainable coastal communities**;

Or. es

*Justification*

*The sustainable blue economy implies that economic, social and environmental activities are an integral part of the marine ecosystem and therefore it is necessary to maintain a balance to improve the living conditions and well-being of local coastal communities with the protection of marine ecosystems. A sustainable blue economy will only create economic value for the marine environment if it can be carried out in a way that conserves and protects marine resources and ecosystems.*

**Amendment 469**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(a) a strategy for the sustainable exploitation of fisheries and the development of sustainable blue economy sectors;

(a) a strategy for the sustainable exploitation of fisheries and the development of sustainable blue economy sectors **that develop within ecological limits**;

Or. en

**Amendment 470**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

a) a strategy for the sustainable exploitation of fisheries and the *development of sustainable blue economy sectors*;

a) a strategy for the sustainable exploitation of fisheries and the *maintenance of the local small-scale fisheries sector*

Or. es

#### **Amendment 471**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point b – point i**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

i) the structural support to the fishery *and aquaculture* sector under Title II;

i) the structural support to the fishery sector under Title II;

Or. es

#### **Amendment 472**

**Norbert Erdős**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point b – point i a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*i a) detailed rules of compensation - area based - support (seawater and freshwater greening) for environmental and climate protection efforts by aquaculture producers;*

Or. en

#### *Justification*

*I would like to point out that both seawater and freshwater aquaculture producers provide significant environmental and ecosystem services that need to be compensated with appropriate support. As in the case of land-farmers, I think that it would be justified to have an area-based green payment for aquaculture producers: the introduction of seawater and freshwater greening payments.*

**Amendment 473**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point b – point ii**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

ii) the compensation for additional costs referred to in Article 21;

*Amendment*

ii) the compensation for additional costs referred to in Article 21, ***including the amounts of additional costs calculated by the Member State concerned and the amounts of aid estimated as compensation;***

Or. en

**Amendment 474**

**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point b – point ii**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

ii. the compensation for additional costs referred to in Article 21;

*Amendment*

ii. ***for the outermost regions,*** the compensation for additional costs referred to in Article 21;

Or. fr

**Amendment 475**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point b – point iii**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

***(iii) any other investment in the sustainable blue economy necessary to achieve a sustainable coastal development.***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

**Amendment 476**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 4 – point b – point iii**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

iii) any other investment in the sustainable blue economy necessary to achieve a sustainable coastal development.

*Amendment*

iii) any other investment in the sustainable blue economy necessary to achieve a sustainable coastal development ***that develops within ecological limits.***

Or. en

**Amendment 477**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 5**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

5. The Commission shall develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses of the sea basin with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013. Where applicable, this analysis shall take into account the existing sea basin and macro-regional strategies.

*Amendment*

5. The Commission shall develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses of the sea basin with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, ***and the achievement of Good Environmental Status, as referred to in Directive 2008/56/EC.*** Where applicable, this analysis shall take into account the existing sea basin and macro-regional strategies.

Or. en

**Amendment 478**

**Rosa D'Amato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

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## Article 9 – paragraph 5

*Text proposed by the Commission*

5. The Commission shall develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses of the sea basin with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013. Where applicable, this analysis shall take into account the existing sea basin and macro-regional strategies.

*Amendment*

5. The Commission, ***having obtained the opinion of the relevant Advisory Councils***, shall develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses of the sea basin with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013. Where applicable, this analysis shall take into account the existing sea basin and macro-regional strategies.

Or. it

*Justification*

*The purpose of the amendment is to develop a participatory consensus in the context of the basin strategy, in order to better capture strengths and weaknesses through the use of a bottom-up approach. To this end, the amendment aims to support the work of the Commission through the opinions of the Advisory Councils.*

### **Amendment 479**

**Renata Briano**

### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 9 – paragraph 5**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

5. The Commission shall develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses of the sea basin with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013. Where applicable, this analysis shall take into account the existing sea basin and macro-regional strategies.

*Amendment*

5. The Commission, ***having obtained the opinion of the relevant Advisory Councils***, shall develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses of the sea basin with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013. Where applicable, this analysis shall take into account the existing sea basin and macro-regional strategies.

Or. it

### *Justification*

*The purpose of the amendment is to develop a participatory consensus in the context of the basin strategy, in order to better capture strengths and weaknesses through the use of a bottom-up approach. To this end, the amendment aims to support the work of the Commission through the opinions of the Advisory Councils.*

#### **Amendment 480**

**Nicola Caputo**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 9 – paragraph 5**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

5. The Commission shall develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses of the sea basin with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013. Where applicable, this analysis shall take into account the existing sea basin and macro-regional strategies.

##### *Amendment*

5. The Commission, ***having obtained the opinion of the relevant Advisory Councils***, shall develop an analysis for each sea basin indicating the common strengths and weaknesses of the sea basin with regard to the achievement of the objectives of the CFP, as referred to in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013. Where applicable, this analysis shall take into account the existing sea basin and macro-regional strategies.

Or. it

### *Justification*

*The purpose of the amendment is to develop a participatory consensus in the context of the basin strategy, in order to better capture strengths and weaknesses through the use of a bottom-up approach. To this end, the amendment aims to support the work of the Commission through the opinions of the Advisory Councils.*

#### **Amendment 481**

**Gabriel Mato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point b a (new)**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

##### *Amendment*

***(b a) where applicable, the need to acquire, modernise or renew the fleet;***

**Amendment 482**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point b a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(ba) where applicable, the need to modernise or to renew the fleets**

Or. es

**Amendment 483**  
**Annie Schreijer-Pierik**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point d**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(d) the implementation of the landing obligation referred to in Article 15 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013;

(d) the implementation of the **restrictive** landing obligation referred to in Article 15 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013;

Or. nl

**Amendment 484**  
**Annie Schreijer-Pierik**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point d a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(da) control of invasive species that cause considerable damage to the productivity of fisheries;**

Or. nl

*Justification*

*European Parliament resolution of 12 June 2018 on towards a sustainable and competitive European aquaculture sector: current status and future challenges*

**Amendment 485**

**Annie Schreijer-Pierik**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point d b (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(db) support for the spreading of innovative selective fishing gear throughout the EU, with particular regard for Article 27 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013;**

Or. nl

**Amendment 486**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

e) the **most recent evidence on the socio-economic performance** of the sustainable blue economy, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture sector;

e) the **expected socio-economic and environmental contribution** of the sustainable blue economy **programme**, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture sector;

Or. es

*Justification*

*The European Commission should evaluate the environmental and socio-economic contributions of the proposed measures, rather than carrying out an evaluation of national programmes based on data.*

**Amendment 487**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

e) the ***most recent evidence on the socio-economic performance*** of the sustainable blue economy, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture sector;

*Amendment*

(e) the ***expected socio-economic contribution*** of the sustainable blue economy ***programme***, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture sector;

Or. es

**Amendment 488**  
**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) the ***most recent evidence on the socio-economic performance of*** the sustainable blue economy, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture sector;

*Amendment*

(e) the socio-economic ***contribution the programme is expected to make towards*** the sustainable blue economy, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture sector;

Or. fr

**Amendment 489**  
**Nils Torvalds, Norica Nicolai, António Marinho e Pinto, Fredrick Federley, Gesine Meissner**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) the most recent evidence on the socio-economic performance of the sustainable blue economy, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture sector;

*Amendment*

(e) the most recent evidence on ***the balance between the environmental priorities and*** the socio-economic performance of the sustainable blue economy, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture sector;

Or. en

## Amendment 490

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point e

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) the most recent evidence on the socio-economic performance of the **sustainable blue economy, and in particular the fishery and aquaculture** sector;

*Amendment*

(e) the most recent evidence on the socio-economic performance of the fishery sector;

Or. es

## Amendment 491

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point g

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(g) the contribution of the programme to the conservation and restoration of marine ecosystems, while the support related to Natura 2000 areas shall be in accordance with the prioritised action frameworks established pursuant to Article 8(4) of Directive 92/43/EEC;

*Amendment*

(g) the contribution of the programme to the conservation and restoration of marine **and freshwater** ecosystems, while the support related to Natura 2000 areas shall be in accordance with the prioritised action frameworks established pursuant to Article 8(4) of Directive 92/43/EEC;

Or. en

#### *Justification*

*It should be made clear that the aquaculture sector is based on two pillars, seawater aquaculture and freshwater fish farming.*

## Amendment 492

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

### Proposal for a regulation

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## Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point h

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(h) the contribution of the programme to the reduction of marine litter, in accordance with Directive xx/xx of the European Parliament and of the Council [Directive on the reduction of the impact of certain plastic products on the environment]<sup>27</sup> ;

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<sup>27</sup> OJ C [...], [...], p. [...].

*Amendment*

(h) the contribution of the programme to the **collection and** reduction of marine litter, in accordance with Directive xx/xx of the European Parliament and of the Council [Directive on the reduction of the impact of certain plastic products on the environment]<sup>27</sup> ;

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<sup>27</sup> OJ C [...], [...], p. [...].

Or. en

### Amendment 493

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

#### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point i

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(i) the contribution of the programme to climate change mitigation and adaptation.

*Amendment*

(i) the contribution of the programme to climate change **fight**, mitigation and adaptation.

Or. en

### Amendment 494

**João Ferreira, Younous Omarjee**

#### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 9 – paragraph 6 – point i a (new)

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(ia) the contribution of the programme to tackling IUU fishing**

Or. fr

**Amendment 495**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 7**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**7. Subject to Article 18 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], the Commission shall adopt implementing acts approving the programme. The Commission shall approve the proposed programme provided the necessary information has been submitted.** *deleted*

Or. pt

**Amendment 496**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 9 – paragraph 8**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**8. Subject to Article 19 of Regulation (EU) No [Regulation laying down Common Provisions], the Commission shall adopt implementing acts approving amendments to a programme.** *deleted*

Or. pt

**Amendment 497**

**Younous Omarjee, Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 11 – paragraph 3 – point a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*



*(a) For the fishery and aquaculture products listed in Annex I to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, to which Articles 107, 108 and 109 of that Treaty apply, the Commission may authorize, in accordance with Article 108 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, in the outermost regions referred to in Article 349 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, operating aid in the sectors of production, processing and the marketing of fishery and aquaculture products, aimed at alleviating the specific constraints on these regions linked to their remoteness, their insularity and their outermost region characteristics. Member States may grant additional financing for the implementation of the compensation plans referred to in Article 21. In this case, Member States shall notify to the Commission the State aid which it may approve in accordance with this Regulation, as part of these plans. State aid notified in this way is considered to be notified within the meaning of the first sentence of Article 108 (3) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union.*

Or. en

**Amendment 498**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 12 – paragraph 1 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. An application submitted by a beneficiary for support from the **EMFF** shall be inadmissible for an identified period of time laid down pursuant to paragraph 4, if it has been determined by the competent authority that the beneficiary concerned:

*Amendment*

1. An application submitted by a beneficiary for support from the **EMFAF** shall be inadmissible for an identified period of time laid down pursuant to paragraph 4, if it has been determined by the competent authority that the beneficiary concerned:

**Amendment 499**

Czesław Hoc

**Proposal for a regulation****Article 12 – paragraph 1 – introductory part***Text proposed by the Commission*

1. An application submitted by **a beneficiary** for support from the EMFF shall be inadmissible for an identified period of time laid down pursuant to paragraph 4, if it has been determined by the competent authority that the **beneficiary** concerned:

*Amendment*

1. An application submitted by **an applicant** for support from the EMFF shall be inadmissible for an identified period of time laid down pursuant to paragraph 4, if it has been determined by the competent authority that the **applicant** concerned:

Or. en

*Justification*

*The verification of admissibility should take place before the applicant concerned becomes a beneficiary.*

**Amendment 500**

Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos

**Proposal for a regulation****Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point a***Text proposed by the Commission*

a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;

*Amendment*

a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 **repeatedly or continuously and with persistent infringing behaviour**, or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;

<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and

<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and

eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

Or. es

### *Justification*

*Some of the infringements listed in Article 90 of Regulation 1224/2009 may occur unconsciously in the normal and habitual course of daily fishing operations. The focus should therefore be on persistent infringing behaviour. The Fisheries Control Agency should manage an official Community register of operators who have committed serious infringements, thus speeding up management and improving coordination between the administrations involved in the management of the EMFF.*

### **Amendment 501**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point a**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 ***or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;***

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

##### *Amendment*

a) has committed serious ***and repeated*** infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009;

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

Or. es

### *Justification*

*Article 90 of Regulation 1224/2009 proposes an exhaustive list of serious infringements, which, depending on the degree of non-compliance (amounts, profit obtained, etc.), may vary substantially. These infringements may even occur unconsciously in the normal and usual course of daily fishing operations. It is therefore suggested to introduce the term “repeated” in order to avoid excessive or redundant punishments (“Non bis in idem”) for these often unintentional acts.*

#### **Amendment 502**

**Rosa D'Amato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 ***or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;***

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

*Amendment*

(a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009;

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

Or. it

### *Justification*

*Article 12, paragraph 1 introduces an element of uncertainty in determining the beneficiary's eligibility for EMFF support. It is not, in fact, possible to establish a priori what the subsequent acts containing sanctioning factors, from which conditionality is derived, will be.*

#### **Amendment 503**

**Renata Briano**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 **or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;**

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

*Amendment*

(a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009;

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

Or. it

*Justification*

*Article 12, paragraph 1 introduces an element of uncertainty in determining the beneficiary's eligibility for EMFF support. It is not, in fact, possible to establish a priori what the subsequent acts containing sanctioning factors, from which conditionality is derived, will be.*

**Amendment 504**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and

*Amendment*

a) has committed serious **and repeated** infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council **within the framework of**

by the Council;

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

*the CFP;*

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

Or. es

### **Amendment 505**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point a**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

##### *Amendment*

(a) has committed serious infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 or under other **CFP related** legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

Or. en

## Amendment 506

Nils Torvalds, Christofer Fjellner, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Fredrick Federley, António Marinho e Pinto, Gesine Meissner, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point a

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) has committed *serious* infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

*Amendment*

(a) has committed infringements under Article 42 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008<sup>28</sup> or Article 90 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 or under other legislation adopted by the European Parliament and by the Council;

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<sup>28</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing, amending Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1936/2001 and (EC) No 601/2004 and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1093/94 and (EC) No 1447/1999 (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).

Or. en

## Amendment 507

Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point c

*Text proposed by the Commission*

c) has committed any of the environmental offences set out in Articles 3 and 4 of Directive 2008/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>29</sup>, *where the application is made for support under Article 23.*

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<sup>29</sup> Directive 2008/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19

*Amendment*

c) has committed any of the environmental offences set out in Articles 3 and 4 of Directive 2008/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>29</sup>

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<sup>29</sup> Directive 2008/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19

November 2008 on the protection of the environment through criminal law (OJ L 328, 6.12.2008, p. 28).

November 2008 on the protection of the environment through criminal law (OJ L 328, 6.12.2008, p. 28).

Or. es

#### **Amendment 508**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 12 – paragraph 1 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

c) has committed any of the environmental offences set out in Articles 3 and 4 of Directive 2008/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>29</sup>, ***where the application is made for support under Article 23.***

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<sup>29</sup> Directive 2008/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 November 2008 on the protection of the environment through criminal law (OJ L 328, 6.12.2008, p. 28).

*Amendment*

c) has committed any of the environmental offences set out in Articles 3 and 4 of Directive 2008/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>29</sup>.

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<sup>29</sup> Directive 2008/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 November 2008 on the protection of the environment through criminal law (OJ L 328, 6.12.2008, p. 28).

Or. es

#### **Amendment 509**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 12 – paragraph 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall continue to comply with the admissibility conditions referred to in paragraph 1 throughout the period of implementation of the operation ***and for a period of five years after the final payment to that beneficiary.***



**Amendment 510**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation  
Article 12 – paragraph 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall continue to comply with the admissibility conditions referred to in paragraph 1 throughout the period of implementation of the operation **and for a period of five years after the final payment to that beneficiary.**

*Amendment*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall continue to comply with the admissibility conditions referred to in paragraph 1 throughout the period of implementation of the operation.

Or. en

**Amendment 511**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation  
Article 12 – paragraph 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall continue to comply with the admissibility conditions referred to in paragraph 1 throughout the period of implementation of the operation and **for a period of five years** after the final payment to that beneficiary.

*Amendment*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall continue to comply with the admissibility conditions referred to in paragraph 1 throughout the period of implementation of the operation and after the final payment to that beneficiary.

Or. en

*Justification*

*No operator or beneficiary should commit serious infringements, be involved in IUU fishing or commit other environmental offenses at any time.*

## Amendment 512

Nils Torvalds, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Christofer Fjellner, António Marinho e Pinto, Gesine Meissner, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 12 – paragraph 2

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall continue to comply with the admissibility conditions referred to in paragraph 1 throughout the period of implementation of the operation and for a period of **five** years after the final payment to that beneficiary.

*Amendment*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall continue to comply with the admissibility conditions referred to in paragraph 1 throughout the period of implementation of the operation and for a period of **six** years after the final payment to that beneficiary.

Or. en

## Amendment 513

Rosa D'Amato

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 12 – paragraph 2

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall **continue to comply with** the admissibility conditions **referred to in** paragraph **1** throughout the period of implementation of the operation and for a period of five years after the final **payment** to that beneficiary.

*Amendment*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall **comply with** the admissibility conditions **laid down for that purpose in** paragraph **4** throughout the period of implementation of the operation and for a period of five years after the final **approval of** that beneficiary.

Or. it

*Justification*

*The amendment to paragraph 2 is linked to the subsequent paragraphs 3 and 4 in order to define more clearly the conditions and scope of the delegation to the Commission for determining the eligibility criteria for EMFF support.*

## Amendment 514

Renata Briano

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 12 – paragraph 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall ***continue to comply with*** the admissibility conditions ***referred to in*** paragraph 1 throughout the period of implementation of the operation and for a period of five years after the final ***payment*** to that beneficiary.

*Amendment*

2. The beneficiary, after submitting the application, shall ***comply with*** the admissibility conditions ***laid down for that purpose in*** paragraph 4 throughout the period of implementation of the operation and for a period of five years after the final ***approval of*** that beneficiary.

Or. it

*Justification*

*The amendment is linked to the subsequent paragraphs 3 and 4 in order to define more clearly the conditions and scope of the delegation to the Commission for determining the eligibility criteria for EMFF support.*

**Amendment 515**  
**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 12 – paragraph 4**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

4. ***The Commission shall be empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 52 concerning:***

***(a) the identification of the threshold triggering and the length of period of time of inadmissibility referred to in paragraphs 1 and 3, which shall be proportionate to the nature, gravity, duration and repetition of the serious infringements, offences or fraud, and shall be of at least one year's duration;***

***(b) the relevant starting or ending dates of the period of time referred to in paragraphs 1 and 3.***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

Or. pt

## **Amendment 516**

**Nils Torvalds, Christofer Fjellner, Sirpa Pietikäinen, António Marinho e Pinto, Fredrick Federley, Gesine Meissner, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy**

### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 12 – paragraph 4 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) the identification of the threshold triggering and the length of period of time of inadmissibility referred to in paragraphs 1 and 3, which shall be proportionate to the nature, gravity, duration and repetition of the *serious* infringements, offences or fraud, and shall be of at least one year's duration;

*Amendment*

(a) the identification of the threshold triggering and the length of period of time of inadmissibility referred to in paragraphs 1 and 3, which shall be proportionate to the nature, gravity, duration and repetition of the infringements, offences or fraud, and shall be of at least one year's duration;

Or. en

## **Amendment 517**

**Rosa D'Amato**

### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 12 – paragraph 4 – point a a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(aa) (a) any conditions under which the duration of the period of ineligibility is reduced***

Or. it

## **Amendment 518**

**Renata Briano**

### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 12 – paragraph 4 – point a a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(aa) any conditions under which the duration of the period of ineligibility [is] reduced;***

**Amendment 519**

**Rosa D'Amato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 12 – paragraph 4 – point a a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*(ba) (a) Definition of the conditions to be complied with after the submission of the request referred to in paragraph 2 and the arrangements for recovering the aid granted in the event of non-compliance, to be scaled according to the seriousness of the infringement committed.*

Or. it

**Amendment 520**

**Renata Briano**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 12 – paragraph 4 – point a a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*(ba) definition of the conditions to be complied with after the submission of the request referred to in paragraph 2 and the arrangements for recovering the aid granted in the event of non-compliance, to be scaled according to the seriousness of the infringement committed.*

Or. it

**Amendment 521**

**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 12 – paragraph 5 – subparagraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

Member States shall require that beneficiaries submitting an application under the *EMFF* provide to the managing authority a signed statement confirming that they respect the criteria listed in paragraphs 1 and 3. Member States shall verify the veracity of that statement before approving the operation, based on the information available in the national registers of infringements referred to in Article 93 of Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009, or any other available data.

*Amendment*

Member States shall require that beneficiaries submitting an application under the *EMFAF* provide to the managing authority a signed statement confirming that they respect the criteria listed in paragraphs 1 and 3. Member States shall verify the veracity of that statement before approving the operation, based on the information available in the national registers of infringements referred to in Article 93 of Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009, or any other available data.

Or. en

**Amendment 522**

**Nils Torvalds, António Marinho e Pinto**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 12 – paragraph 5 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***5 a. Member States may apply the inadmissibility period also to applications submitted by the fishers in inland waters, who have committed serious infringements as defined by national rules***

Or. en

**Amendment 523**

**Nils Torvalds, Norica Nicolai, António Marinho e Pinto**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 12 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***Article 12 a***

***Eligible operations***

***A variety of operations identified by the Member States in their programmes may***

*be supported by the EMFF, provided that they are covered by one or more of the priorities identified in this Regulation and is not among those deemed as ineligible*

Or. en

**Amendment 524**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 12 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

*Article 12 a*

*Eligible operations*

*In Member States programmes should be identified a variety of operations that may be supported by the EMFF, and this operations should be covered by one or more priorities of this Regulation.*

Or. en

**Amendment 525**

**Werner Kuhn**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(a) operations that increase the ***fishing capacity*** of a fishing vessel ***or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish;***

(a) operations that increase the ***GT or kW*** of a fishing vessel ***except where that increase is for the purpose of improving the safety of the crew, increasing the quality of the product or implementing the landing obligation.***

Or. de

### *Justification*

*The term 'fishing capacity' is not defined in Article 3. The rule contradicts the goal of improving the fleet's competitiveness. Improving the detection of fish can also increase energy efficiency and thereby assist in reaching climate policy targets.*

#### **Amendment 526**

**João Ferreira**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point a**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish;

##### *Amendment*

(a) operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish, ***except in the case of small-scale fishing and only if those operations were conducted without jeopardising the overall balance between fishing capacity and available fishing opportunities;***

Or. pt

#### **Amendment 527**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point a**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

a) operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish;

##### *Amendment*

a) ***a)*** operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish; ***capacity increases intended solely to improve liveability and safety on board shall not be considered as fishing capacity.***

Or. es



### *Justification*

*The construction or acquisition of fishing vessels is a widespread request from the sector and the regions, with special reference to the possibility of building new fishing units that provide crews with improved living conditions and safety.*

#### **Amendment 528**

**Czesław Hoc**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point a**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish;

##### *Amendment*

(a) operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel, ***unless within the limit allocated to the Member State concerned***, or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish;

Or. en

### *Justification*

*Where fishing vessels are modernised in order to increase fishing capacity, it is essential that the owner of the vessel concerned has additional capacity within the above limit. This capacity is usually derived from capacity reduction from another vessel. A Member State shall ensure that the capacity of its fleet does not exceed at any time the fishing capacity limits set out in Annex II and that there is therefore no legal basis for excluding from support those who invest in the development of their economic activities through the modernisation of their fishing vessels.*

#### **Amendment 529**

**Gabriel Mato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point a**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish;

##### *Amendment*

(a) operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish, ***unless otherwise is provided for in this***

**Regulation;**

Or. en

**Amendment 530**  
**Nils Torvalds, António Marinho e Pinto**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) operations that increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish;

*Amendment*

(a) operations that **may lead to an** increase the fishing capacity of a fishing vessel or support the acquisition of equipment that increases the ability of a fishing vessel to find fish;

Or. en

**Amendment 531**  
**Sylvie Goddyn**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) ***the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

Or. fr

**Amendment 532**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(b) ***the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or*** the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

(b) the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

Or. es

### **Amendment 533**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(b) ***the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or*** the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

(b) the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

Or. es

#### *Justification*

*The construction or acquisition of fishing vessels is a widespread request from the sector and the regions, especially for new vessels that offer crews improved living conditions and safety. The various CFP reforms have resulted in a high average age of the European fleet. This situation essentially leads to a deterioration in the working conditions of workers at sea. It is therefore necessary to renew the fleet without increasing the fishing effort or the fishing capacity of the vessel.*

### **Amendment 534**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(b) the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or the importation of fishing vessels, ***unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;***

(b) the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or the importation of fishing vessels, ***except in the case of small-scale fisheries***

Or. es

## Amendment 535

Czesław Hoc

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point b

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

*Amendment*

(b) the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or the importation of fishing vessels, unless ***such construction and such acquisition and such importation are within the limit of fishing capacity allocated to the member State concerned, unless*** otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

Or. en

*Justification*

*According to Article 22(7) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council, a Member State shall, ensure that the capacity of its fleet does not exceed at any time the fishing capacity limits set out in Annex II. So, as long as it is within a Member State's fishing capacity limit, the introduction of new technology is always environmentally friendly, i.e. it is better to build a new vessel within available fishing capacity than to renovate old and carbon-intensive vessels.*

## Amendment 536

Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point b

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) the construction ***and*** acquisition of fishing vessels or the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

*Amendment*

(b) the construction, acquisition ***or modernisation*** of fishing vessels, ***including through engine replacement*** or the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

Or. en

### *Justification*

*Modernising or replacing equipment is often associated with higher efficiency and a greater capacity to catch fish. As such engine modernisation and replacement measures would undermine SDG 14.6 which prohibits subsidies that increase fishing capacity. Even if modernising or replacing old engines is conditional upon making them equally or less powerful, it will not necessarily translate into a reduction of the vessel's ability to catch fish. The European Court of Auditors has stated that vessels equipped with 'fuel efficient' engines still have an incentive to increase their fishing effort, for instance by spending more hours at sea.*

#### **Amendment 537**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point b**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) ***the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or*** the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

##### *Amendment*

(b) the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

Or. es

### *Justification*

*The construction or acquisition of fishing vessels is a widespread request from the sector and the regions, with special reference to the possibility of building new fishing units that provide crews with improved living conditions and safety.*

#### **Amendment 538**

**João Ferreira**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point b**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) ***the construction and acquisition of fishing vessels or*** the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

##### *Amendment*

(b) the importation of fishing vessels, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

Or. pt

**Amendment 539**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point d**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(d) the temporary or permanent cessation of fishing activities, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;** **deleted**

Or. es

*Justification*

*For the sake of legal certainty, since other Regulation articles provide for the possibility of granting aid for temporary and permanent cessation, it is not understood that it should be approached generically.*

**Amendment 540**

**Sylvie Goddyn**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point d**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(d) the temporary or permanent cessation of fishing activities, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;** **deleted**

Or. fr

**Amendment 541**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point d**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(d) the temporary or permanent cessation of fishing activities, unless** **(d) the permanent cessation of fishing**

*otherwise provided for in this Regulation;* activities;

Or. en

**Amendment 542**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point d**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(d) the *temporary or* permanent cessation of fishing activities, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

(d) the permanent cessation of fishing activities, unless otherwise provided for in this Regulation;

Or. pt

**Amendment 543**

**Czesław Hoc**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(e) *exploratory fishing;*

*deleted*

Or. en

*Justification*

*This provision will result in a serious reduction in the implementation of innovations, including in testing of new fishing gear, which is incomprehensible in the context of the need to implement measures aimed at biodiversity, and at reduction of the pressure of fishing on the environment, particularly in the Baltic Sea basin.*

**Amendment 544**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(e) ***exploratory fishing;*** ***deleted***

Or. pt

**Amendment 545**

**Werner Kuhn**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(e) exploratory fishing; (e) exploratory fishing; ***except where otherwise provided for in this Regulation***

Or. de

**Amendment 546**

**Alain Cadec**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(e) ***exploratory*** fishing; (e) ***experimental*** fishing;

Or. fr

*Justification*

*The current EMFF stipulates that experimental fishing is not eligible. To correct this mistranslation, exploratory fishing should be changed to experimental fishing.*

**Amendment 547**

**Sylvie Goddyn**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point e a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(ea) ***electric pulse fishing;***



**Amendment 548**

**Norbert Erdős, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point f**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(f) the transfer of ownership of a business;

*Amendment*

(f) the transfer of ownership of a business, ***except for the transfer of an undertaking for young fishermen or young aquaculture producer under the age of 40;***

Or. en

*Justification*

*Rejuvenating fishermen and aquaculture producers is a very serious challenge in the fisheries policy and aquaculture sector as well. All legal and potential means shall help young fishermen and aquaculture producers to enter the sector.*

**Amendment 549**

**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point g**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(g) ***direct restocking, except explicitly provided for as a conservation measure by a Union legal act or in the case of experimental restocking;***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

Or. fr

*Justification*

*The restocking initiatives being experimented may be a way of conserving fishery resources*

**Amendment 550**

Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point g**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(g) direct restocking, except explicitly provided for as a conservation measure by a Union legal act or in the case of experimental restocking;

*Amendment*

(g) direct restocking, except explicitly provided for as a conservation measure by a Union legal act or in the case of experimental restocking ***or restocking associated with processes to improve the environmental and production conditions of the natural environment;***

Or. es

*Justification*

*Direct restocking is a fundamental part of many actions linked to the regeneration of unproductive areas for activities such as aquaculture, which is of great social, environmental and economic importance.*

**Amendment 551**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point g**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(g) direct restocking, except explicitly provided for as a conservation measure by a Union legal act or in the case of experimental restocking;

*Amendment*

(g) direct restocking, except explicitly provided for as a conservation measure by a Union legal act or in the case of experimental restocking ***or restocking associated with processes to improve the environmental and production conditions of the natural environment;***

Or. es

**Amendment 552**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point g**

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*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(g) direct restocking, except explicitly provided for as a conservation measure by a Union legal act or in the case of experimental restocking;

(g) direct restocking, except explicitly provided for as a conservation measure by a Union legal act or in the case of experimental restocking ***or restocking associated with processes to improve the environmental and production conditions of the natural environment;***

Or. es

*Justification*

*Direct restocking is a fundamental part of many actions linked to the regeneration of unproductive areas for activities such as shellfish-gathering, which is of great social, environmental and economic importance.*

**Amendment 553**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point h**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(h) the construction of new ports, new landing sites or new auction halls;***

***deleted***

Or. pt

**Amendment 554**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point h**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(h) the construction of new ports, new landing sites or new auction halls;

(h) ***with the exception of cases where*** the construction of new ports, new landing sites or new auction halls ***takes place in the ORs and peripheral and non-urban coastal areas;***

*Justification*

*The construction of ports and landing or sale facilities are essential in many non-urban coastal peripheral areas, as their distance from points of sale may make fishing unprofitable or unviable. We need only look at the example of Galicia, which has 128 ports to serve its entire coast.*

**Amendment 555****Izaskun Bilbao Barandica****Proposal for a regulation****Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point h***Text proposed by the Commission*

(h) the construction of new ports, new landing sites or new auction halls;

*Amendment*

(h) ***with the exception of cases where*** the construction of new ports, new landing sites or new auction halls ***takes place in the ORs;***

Or. es

**Amendment 556****Isabelle Thomas****Proposal for a regulation****Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point h***Text proposed by the Commission*

(h) the construction of new ports, new landing sites ***or*** new auction halls;

*Amendment*

(h) ***aside from ORs,*** the construction of new ports, new landing sites, ***excluding*** new auction halls;

Or. fr

**Amendment 557****Alain Cadec****Proposal for a regulation****Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point h**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(h) the construction of new ports, new landing sites **or new auction halls**;

(h) the construction of new ports, new landing sites;

Or. fr

*Justification*

*Fish markets should be added to the list of EMFF-supported investments.*

### **Amendment 558**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point h**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(h) the construction of new ports, new landing sites **or new auction halls**;

(h) the construction of new ports, new landing sites;

Or. es

*Justification*

*The construction of new auction halls or the renovation of existing auction halls is essential, as some of them have become obsolete due to their location in dilapidated urban areas or to a lack of services for the new requirements of traceability, control, landing obligations, etc. The construction of auction halls to replace obsolete ones, in the context of strategic planning that avoids risks of overcapacity, should not be excluded from EMFF support.*

### **Amendment 559**

**Nils Torvalds, António Marinho e Pinto**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point h a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ha) Notwithstanding point (h), such operations may be provided for in small, unmanned ports in remote areas, notably on remote islands***

Or. en

**Amendment 560**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point i**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(i) market intervention mechanisms aiming to temporarily or permanently withdraw fishery or aquaculture products from the market with a view to reducing supply in order to prevent price decline or drive up prices; by extension, storage operations in a logistics chain that would produce the same effects either intentionally or unintentionally;** *deleted*

Or. es

**Amendment 561**  
**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point i**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(i) market intervention mechanisms aiming to temporarily or permanently withdraw fishery or aquaculture products from the market with a view to reducing supply in order to prevent price decline or drive up prices; by extension, storage operations in a logistics chain that would produce the same effects either intentionally or unintentionally;** *deleted*

Or. es

**Amendment 562**  
**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point i**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(i) market intervention mechanisms** **deleted**  
**aiming to temporarily or permanently**  
**withdraw fishery or aquaculture products**  
**from the market with a view to reducing**  
**supply in order to prevent price decline or**  
**drive up prices; by extension, storage**  
**operations in a logistics chain that would**  
**produce the same effects either**  
**intentionally or unintentionally;**

Or. pt

**Amendment 563**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point i**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(i) market intervention mechanisms** **deleted**  
**aiming to temporarily or permanently**  
**withdraw fishery or aquaculture products**  
**from the market with a view to reducing**  
**supply in order to prevent price decline or**  
**drive up prices; by extension, storage**  
**operations in a logistics chain that would**  
**produce the same effects either**  
**intentionally or unintentionally;**

Or. en

*Justification*

*The question of crisis management must be resolved also in fisheries and aquaculture. This is why intervention mechanisms and, in particular, storage operations and aids are needed here.*

**Amendment 564**  
**Sylvie Goddyn**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point i**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(i) market intervention mechanisms aiming to temporarily or permanently withdraw fishery or aquaculture products from the market with a view to reducing supply in order to prevent price decline or drive up prices; ***by extension, storage operations in a logistics chain that would produce the same effects either intentionally or unintentionally;***

*Amendment*

(i) market intervention mechanisms aiming to temporarily or permanently withdraw fishery or aquaculture products from the market with a view to reducing supply in order to prevent price decline or drive up prices;

Or. fr

**Amendment 565**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point i**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(i) market intervention mechanisms aiming to temporarily or permanently withdraw fishery or aquaculture products from the market with a view to reducing supply in order to prevent price decline or drive up prices; ***by extension, storage operations in a logistics chain that would produce the same effects either intentionally or unintentionally;***

*Amendment*

(i) market intervention mechanisms aiming to temporarily or permanently withdraw fishery or aquaculture products from the market with a view to reducing supply in order to prevent price decline or drive up prices;

Or. en

**Amendment 566**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point j**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*



**(j) investments on board fishing vessels necessary to comply with the requirements under Union or national law, including requirements under the Union's obligations in the context of regional fisheries management organisations;** *deleted*

Or. pt

**Amendment 567**  
**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point j**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(j) investments on board fishing vessels necessary to comply with the requirements under Union or national law, including requirements under the Union's obligations in the context of regional fisheries management organisations;** *deleted*

Or. fr

*Justification*

*Fishers should not be deprived of the right to use the fund to help them make technical modifications to their vessels so that it is easier for them to fulfil their landing obligation*

**Amendment 568**  
**Remo Sernagiotto**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point j**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(j) investments on board fishing vessels necessary to comply with the requirements under Union or national law, including requirements under the Union's obligations in the context of** *deleted*

*regional fisheries management  
organisations;*

Or. it

**Amendment 569**

**Nicola Caputo**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point j**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(j) investments on board fishing vessels necessary to comply with the requirements under Union or national law, including requirements under the Union's obligations in the context of regional fisheries management organisations;** **deleted**

Or. it

*Justification*

*The rationale for prohibiting support for investments that are necessary in order to comply with legal obligations, such as new equipment, control systems, equipment modifications etc., is not understood.*

**Amendment 570**

**Rosa D'Amato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point j**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(j) investments on board fishing vessels necessary to comply with the requirements under Union or national law, including requirements under the Union's obligations in the context of regional fisheries management organisations;** **deleted**

*Justification*

*The rationale for prohibiting support for investments that are necessary in order to comply with legal obligations, such as new equipment, control systems, equipment modifications, other investments etc., is not understood*

**Amendment 571****Renata Briano****Proposal for a regulation****Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point j***Text proposed by the Commission**Amendment*

**(j) investments on board fishing vessels necessary to comply with the requirements under Union or national law, including requirements under the Union's obligations in the context of regional fisheries management organisations;** **deleted**

Or. it

*Justification*

*The rationale for prohibiting support for investments that are necessary in order to comply with legal obligations, such as new equipment, control systems, equipment modifications etc., is not understood.*

**Amendment 572****Sylvie Goddyn****Proposal for a regulation****Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point j***Text proposed by the Commission**Amendment*

**(j) investments on board fishing vessels necessary to comply with the requirements under Union or national law, including requirements under the Union's obligations in the context of regional fisheries management organisations;**

**(j) investments on board fishing vessels necessary to comply with the requirements under Union or national law, including requirements under the Union's obligations in the context of regional fisheries management organisations. *This***

*shall not apply to expenses linked to the landing obligation or any other obligation arising from Union law or national law that would lead to substantial costs for the operators;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 573**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(k) investments on board fishing vessels that have carried out activities at sea for less than 60 days in each of the two calendar years preceding the year of submission of the application for support.** *deleted*

Or. es

*Justification*

*Investments on board fishing vessels helps targets to be met for improving safety, energy efficiency and climate change mitigation, avoiding discards, etc. Vessels that have for whatever reason not reached 60 days of activity in the two preceding years should not be excluded.*

**Amendment 574**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(k) investments on board fishing vessels that have carried out activities at sea for less than 60 days in each of the two calendar years preceding the year of submission of the application for support.** *deleted*

**Amendment 575**

**Rosa D'Amato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(k) investments on board fishing vessels that have carried out activities at sea for less than 60 days in each of the two calendar years preceding the year of submission of the application for support.

*Amendment*

(k) investments on board fishing vessels that have carried out activities at sea for less than 60 days in each of the two calendar years preceding the year of submission of the application for support, ***without prejudice to the investments referred to in Article 16.***

Or. it

*Justification*

*this is simply a matter of coordination with the provisions of Article 16.*

**Amendment 576**

**Nicola Caputo**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(k) investments on board fishing vessels that have carried out activities at sea for less than 60 days in each of the two calendar years preceding the year of submission of the application for support.

*Amendment*

(k) investments on board fishing vessels that have carried out activities at sea for less than 60 days in each of the two calendar years preceding the year of submission of the application for support, ***without prejudice to the investments referred to in Article 16.***

Or. it

**Amendment 577**

**Renata Briano**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(k) investments on board fishing vessels that have carried out activities at sea for less than 60 days in each of the two calendar years preceding the year of submission of the application for support.

*Amendment*

(k) investments on board fishing vessels that have carried out activities at sea for less than 60 days in each of the two calendar years preceding the year of submission of the application for support, ***without prejudice to the investments referred to in Article 16.***

Or. it

*Justification*

*The amendment ensures consistency with the provisions of Article 16.*

**Amendment 578**  
**John Flack, Stefan Eck, Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ka) investments in aquaculture operations that have not implemented the recommendations of the Aquatic Animal Health Code of the World Organisation for Animal Health, and the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries of the Food and Agriculture Organisation, based on the assessment of the relevant national authorities.***

Or. en

*Justification*

*The EMFF is designed with the intention that funds are only available to operators that are operating sustainably. In wild capture fisheries this is well defined around environmental and management measures, especially the concept of Maximum Sustainable Yield. In absence of a definition of sustainable aquaculture, the recommendations of these intergovernmental organisations include baseline recommendations including sustainable use of resources, minimising use of medications, handling practices, and animal welfare.*

**Amendment 579**

**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ka) The replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine in a vessel if this increases the power in kW;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 580**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ka) the replacement or modernisation of the main or auxiliary engine of the vessel if it results in an increase in power in Kw.***

Or. es

*Justification*

*Replacing the propulsion or auxiliary engine cannot result in an increase in the power of the vessel and thereby an increase in the fishing effort.*

**Amendment 581**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ka) the replacement or modernisation of the main or auxiliary engine of the***

*vessel if it results in an increase in power in Kw;*

Or. es

**Amendment 582**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(ka) the production of genetically modified organisms**

Or. es

**Amendment 583**  
**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(ka) inland fishing activities**

Or. en

**Amendment 584**  
**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k b (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(kb) operating costs, such as insurance, overheads, fuel or equipment of the fishing vessel that make it merely operational or navigational, such as ropes, mandatory security or safety**



*requirements and maintenance services.*

Or. en

**Amendment 585**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k b (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(kb) the production of genetically modified organisms where it may adversely affect the natural environment.***

Or. es

*Justification*

*In the case of genetically modified organisms, it may be necessary to generate studies into and the production of strains resistant to pathologies that threaten the exploitation of certain species, such as bivalve molluscs, without negatively affecting the environment.*

**Amendment 586**

**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 13 – paragraph 1 – point k b (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(kb) The production of Genetically Modified Organisms***

Or. fr

**Amendment 587**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Title 2 – chapter 2 – title**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

Priority 1: Fostering sustainable fisheries **and** the conservation of marine biological resources

Priority 1: Fostering sustainable fisheries, the conservation of marine biological resources **and socio-economic stability**

Or. es

**Amendment 588**

**Nicola Caputo**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 14 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental, economic, social and employment objectives of the CFP, as set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013.

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental, economic, social and employment objectives of the CFP, as set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, **and will foster social dialogue between the parties.**

Or. it

*Justification*

*The reintroduction of measures to foster social dialogue is considered essential for maintaining relations between the parties and fostering the best working conditions on board and on land, including through training and incentives to promote good practices.*

**Amendment 589**

**Renata Briano**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 14 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental, economic, social and employment objectives of the CFP, as set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental, economic, social and employment objectives of the CFP, as set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 **and will foster social dialogue**

*Justification*

*The reintroduction of measures to foster social dialogue is considered essential for maintaining relations between the parties and fostering the best working conditions on board and on land, including through training and incentives to promote good practices.*

**Amendment 590****Rosa D'Amato****Proposal for a regulation****Article 14 – paragraph 1***Text proposed by the Commission*

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental, economic, social and employment objectives of the CFP, as set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013.

*Amendment*

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental, economic, social and employment objectives of the CFP, as set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 **and will foster social dialogue between the parties.**

*Justification*

*The reintroduction of measures to foster social dialogue is considered essential for maintaining relations between the parties and fostering the best working conditions on board and on land, including through training and incentives to promote good practices.*

**Amendment 591****João Ferreira, Younous Omarjee****Proposal for a regulation****Article 14 – paragraph 1***Text proposed by the Commission*

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the environmental, economic, social and employment objectives of the CFP, as set

*Amendment*

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute **as a matter of priority** to the achievement of the environmental, economic, social and employment

out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013.

objectives of the CFP, as set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013.

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 592**

**Nils Torvalds, António Marinho e Pinto, Gesine Meissner**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 14 – paragraph 1**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the ***environmental, economic, social and employment*** objectives ***of the CFP, as*** set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013.

*Amendment*

1. Support under this Chapter shall contribute to the achievement of the objectives set out in Article 2 of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, ***notably paragraph 2 thereof.***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 593**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 14 – paragraph 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. Where support under this Chapter is granted for a vessel, that vessel shall not be transferred or reflagged outside the Union during at least the ***five*** years from the final payment for the supported operation.

*Amendment*

2. Where support under this Chapter is granted for a vessel, that vessel shall not be transferred or reflagged outside the Union during at least the ***eight*** years from the final payment for the supported operation.

Or. en

#### **Amendment 594**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 14 – paragraph 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**3. Support under this Chapter shall also apply to inland fishing, with the exception of Articles 15 and 17.** **deleted**

Or. en

*Justification*

*Aid to inland activities is already covered by European Regional Development fund. In addition, inland fishing activities do not fall under the Maritime Policy and/or the Common Fisheries Policy.*

**Amendment 595**  
**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – title**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

15 Action plan for small-scale coastal fishing

15 Action plan for small-scale coastal, ***offshore, inshore and island*** fishing

Or. en

**Amendment 596**  
**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. Member States shall prepare as part of their programme an action plan for small-scale ***coastal*** fishing which shall set out a strategy for the development of profitable and sustainable ***small-scale coastal*** fishing. This strategy shall be structured along the following sections, where applicable:

1. Member States shall prepare as part of their programme, ***and in due collaboration with the small-scale coastal, inshore, offshore and island fishing sectors***, an action plan for small-scale, ***inshore and offshore*** fishing which shall set out a strategy for the development of profitable and sustainable fishing. This strategy shall be structured along the

following sections, where applicable:

Or. en

### **Amendment 597**

**Ana Miranda**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 15 – paragraph 1 – introductory part**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

1. Member States shall prepare as part of their programme an action plan for small-scale coastal fishing which shall set out a strategy for the development of profitable and sustainable small-scale coastal fishing. This strategy shall be structured along the following sections, where applicable:

##### *Amendment*

1. Member States shall prepare as part of their programme an action plan for small-scale coastal fishing, ***given the social, economic and environmental cohesion that this type of fishing entails***, which shall set out a strategy for the development of profitable and sustainable small-scale coastal fishing. This strategy shall be structured along the following sections, where applicable:

Or. es

### **Amendment 598**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 15 – paragraph 1 – introductory part**

##### *Text proposed by the Commission*

1. Member States shall prepare as part of their programme ***an*** action plan for small-scale coastal fishing which shall set out a strategy for the development of profitable and sustainable small-scale coastal fishing. This strategy shall be structured along the following sections, where applicable:

##### *Amendment*

1. Member States shall prepare as part of their programme ***a specific*** action plan for small-scale coastal fishing which shall set out a strategy for the development of profitable and sustainable small-scale coastal fishing. This strategy shall be structured along the following sections, where applicable:

Or. en

**Amendment 599**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) adjustment and management of fishing capacity;

*Amendment*

(a) adjustment and management of fishing capacity, ***not least through the reclassification or renovation of vessels, or of their engines, enabling longer stays at sea and making the activity safer;***

Or. pt

**Amendment 600**

**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) adjustment and management of fishing capacity;

*Amendment*

(a) adjustment and management of fishing capacity, ***while ensuring that the small-scale fishing fleet benefits from a fair share of the fishing rights;***

Or. en

**Amendment 601**

**John Flack, Stefan Eck, Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) promotion of low-impact, climate resilient and low-carbon fishing practices that minimize damage to the marine environment;

*Amendment*

(b) promotion of low-impact, climate resilient and low-carbon fishing practices that minimize damage to the marine environment ***and the impact on animal***

welfare;

Or. en

## Amendment 602

João Ferreira

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point c

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(c) reinforcement of the value chain of the sector and promotion of marketing strategies;

*Amendment*

(c) reinforcement of the value chain of the sector and promotion of marketing strategies, ***promoting any mechanisms that improve first-sale price, in order to benefit fishers by increasing their reward for their work, and that promote fair and appropriate distribution of value added throughout the sector's value chain, reducing intermediaries' margins, increasing the prices paid to producers and restricting the prices paid by end-consumers;***

Or. pt

## Amendment 603

Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point c

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(c) reinforcement of the value chain of the sector and promotion of marketing strategies;

*Amendment*

(c) reinforcement of the value chain of the sector and promotion of marketing strategies ***adapted to local specificities and which should include the possibility of direct selling, as provided for in Article 6 of the European Parliament resolution of 29 May 2018 on the optimisation of the value chain in the EU fishing sector (2017/2119(INI));***



**Amendment 604**

**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(c) reinforcement of the value chain *of the sector* and promotion of marketing strategies;

*Amendment*

(c) reinforcement of the value chain and promotion of marketing strategies *for the products obtained by the sector, including through the establishment of POs*;

Or. en

**Amendment 605**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point d**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(d) promotion of skills, knowledge, innovation and capacity building;

*Amendment*

(d) promotion of skills, knowledge, innovation and capacity building *for fishers, through vocational training and the creation of incentives that add value to the activity, thus contributing, in particular, to attracting young people to the industry*;

Or. pt

**Amendment 606**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point d**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(d) promotion of skills, knowledge, innovation and capacity building;

(d) promotion of skills, knowledge, innovation and capacity building, ***with the aim of ensuring the succession of new generations, especially in the craft sector;***

Or. es

#### **Amendment 607**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point d**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(d) promotion of skills, knowledge, innovation and capacity building;

*Amendment*

(d) promotion of skills, knowledge, innovation and capacity building ***for fishermen;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 608**

**Nicola Caputo**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point d a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(da) the facilitation of access to credit, insurance and financial instruments;***

Or. it

#### **Amendment 609**

**Renata Briano**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point d a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(da) the facilitation of access to credit, insurance and financial instruments;***

Or. it

*Justification*

*The introduction of this additional area is essential for the development of small-scale coastal fishing.*

**Amendment 610**

**Rosa D'Amato**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point d a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(da) the facilitation of access to credit, insurance and financial instruments***

Or. it

*Justification*

*Additional areas are introduced that are considered essential for the development of small-scale coastal fishing*

**Amendment 611**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels;

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels, ***paying particular attention to the specific medical problems affecting women working in the sector, such as net menders and shellfish gatherers;***

Or. es

## Amendment 612

Nicola Caputo

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point e

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels;

*Amendment*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels, ***making it possible to attract more young people and to significantly reduce the causes of maritime accidents;***

Or. it

## Amendment 613

Ana Miranda

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point e

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels;

*Amendment*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels ***and ashore in fishing-related activities;***

Or. es

#### *Justification*

*Improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels and ashore, due to the numerous fishing-related activities that take place once the catches arrive in port and at auction halls.*

## Amendment 614

Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point e

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) improvement of health,

*Amendment*

(e) improvement of health,

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safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels;

safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels **and in fishing on foot and shellfish harvesting**;

Or. es

*Justification*

*The activity of fishing on foot and harvesting shellfish is socially and economically important in the fishing areas. The fund should also provide improved health, safety and working conditions for on-foot fishers and shellfish gatherers.*

**Amendment 615**  
**Renata Briano**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels;

*Amendment*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels **and the promotion of ‘decent work’**;

Or. it

**Amendment 616**  
**Rosa D'Amato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels;

*Amendment*

(e) improvement of health, safety and working conditions on board fishing vessels **and the promotion of ‘decent work’**;

Or. it

**Amendment 617**

**Maria Lidia Senra Rodríguez**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point g**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(g) involvement in the participatory management of the maritime space, including Marine Protected Areas and Natura 2000 areas;

*Amendment*

(g) involvement ***of small-scale fishery professionals*** in the participatory management of the maritime space, including Marine Protected Areas and Natura 2000 areas;

Or. es

**Amendment 618**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point h**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(h) diversification of activities in the broader sustainable blue economy;

*Amendment*

(h) diversification of activities in the broader sustainable blue economy, ***which entail shoring up the culture of communities, promoting fishing by-products and products that, while they have potential, have no commercial value;***

Or. pt

**Amendment 619**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point h**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(h) diversification of activities in the broader sustainable blue economy;

*Amendment*

(h) diversification of activities in the broader sustainable blue economy, ***in particular redirecting fishermen to other activities to reduce fishing effort if***

*necessary;*

Or. en

### **Amendment 620**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point h**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(h) diversification of activities in the broader sustainable blue economy;

*Amendment*

(h) diversification of activities in the broader sustainable blue economy ***and in the development potential of the area in question;***

Or. es

#### *Justification*

*By limiting diversification to activities within the concept of the blue economy, i.e. tourism and aquaculture, other activities such as those linked to the marketing of local fishery products and other activities that may favour the blue economy are excluded, hence the term “development potential of the area in question”.*

### **Amendment 621**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point h**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(h) diversification of activities in ***the*** broader sustainable blue economy;

*Amendment*

(h) diversification of activities in ***a*** broader sustainable blue economy ***that develops within ecological limits ;***

Or. en

### **Amendment 622**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point i**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(i) collective organisation and participation in the decision-making and advisory processes.

*Amendment*

(i) collective organisation and participation in the decision-making and advisory processes, ***encouraging groups of fishers, professional bodies and NGOs relating to small-scale fishing, with a view to their coordination, preparation and participation in the Advisory Councils.***

Or. pt

**Amendment 623**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – paragraph 1 – point i a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ia) participation in the sustainable management and conservation of natural resources and ecosystems in Natura 2000 areas and coastal habitats of particular interest to fisheries;***

Or. es

*Justification*

*As fishers can actively participate in the sustainable exploitation of resources through management plans and also carry out actions for the conservation of the ecosystem and resources, consequently these actions should be included in the small-scale coastal fishing plan.*

**Amendment 624**  
**Ana Miranda**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – paragraph 1 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*



***(1a) Small-scale coastal fishing shall be excluded from the allocation of TACs and quotas where fisheries have their own organisational competences in the field of fisheries management.***

Or. es

**Amendment 625**  
**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – paragraph 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The action plan shall take into account the FAO voluntary guidelines for securing sustainable small-scale fisheries and, where appropriate, the regional plan *of action* for small-scale fisheries from the General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean.

*Amendment*

2. The action plan shall take into account the FAO voluntary guidelines for securing sustainable small-scale fisheries, ***notably the criteria towards economic, social and environmental sustainability (Guiding principle number 10)*** and, where appropriate, the regional plan *olfaction* for small-scale fisheries from the General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean.

Or. en

**Amendment 626**  
**Isabelle Thomas**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 15 – paragraph 3 – point 1 (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

***(1) To ease the administrative burden on small-scale coastal fishers, a single, simplified electronic application form should be included in the action plans for those measures covered by the EMFF.***

Or. fr

**Amendment 627**

**Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(3a) In order to alleviate the administrative burden on members of the maritime-fishing sector applying for aid, in particular those belonging to the small-scale coastal fleet segment, it is appropriate to include in the action plans a single simplified application form for EMFF measures.***

Or. es

*Justification*

*The vast majority of Galicia's maritime-fishing structure, including that dedicated to transformation, is made up of small family businesses. It is not only the vessel owners or crew members of the small-scale coastal fisheries who are the natural persons with limited administrative resources.*

**Amendment 628**

**Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López, Ricardo Serrão Santos**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(3a) In order to alleviate the administrative burden on members of the maritime-fishing sector applying for aid, it is appropriate to include in the action plans a single simplified application form for EMFF measures.***

Or. es

*Justification*

*Many of the companies that make up the fisheries sector are small family businesses with little administrative capacity.*

**Amendment 629**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 15 – paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(3a) In order to alleviate the administrative burden on members of the maritime-fishing sector applying for aid, it is appropriate to include in the action plans a single simplified application form for EMFF measures.***

Or. es

**Amendment 630**

**Marco Affronte, Linnéa Engström**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 16**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***Article 16***

***deleted***

***Investments in small-scale coastal fishing vessels***

***1. The EMFF may support the following investments in respect of small-scale coastal fishing vessels which belong to a fleet segment for which the latest report on fishing capacity, referred to in Article 22(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, has shown a balance with the fishing opportunities available to that segment:***

***(a) the first acquisition of a fishing vessel by a young fisher who, at the moment of submitting the application, is under 40***

*years of age and has worked a least five years as fisher or has acquired adequate vocational qualification;*

*(b) the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine.*

*2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be between 5 and 30 years old.*

*3. The support referred to in paragraph 1(b) may only be granted under the following conditions:*

*(a) the new or modernised engine shall not have more power in kW than the current engine;*

*(b) any reduction of fishing capacity in kW due to the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine shall be permanently removed from the Union fleet register;*

*(c) the engine power of the fishing vessel shall have been physically inspected by the Member State to ensure that it does not exceed the engine power stated in the fishing license.*

*4. No support shall be granted under this Article, if the assessment on the balance between fishing capacity and fishing opportunities in the latest report referred to in Article 22(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 for the fleet segment to which the vessels concerned belong, has not been prepared on the basis of the biological, economic and vessel use indicators set out in the common guidelines referred to in that Regulation.*

Or. en

**Amendment 631**  
**Peter van Dalen**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – title**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

Investments in ***small-scale coastal*** fishing vessels

Investments in fishing vessels

Or. en

**Amendment 632**  
**Liadh Ní Riada**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – title**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

16 Investments in small-scale coastal fishing vessels

16 Investments in small-scale coastal ***and island*** fishing vessels

Or. en

**Amendment 633**  
**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 1 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

1. The EMFF may support ***the following*** investments in respect of small-scale coastal fishing vessels which belong to a fleet segment for which the latest report on fishing capacity, referred to in Article 22(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, has shown a balance with the fishing opportunities available to that segment:

1. The EMFF may support investments in respect of small-scale coastal fishing vessels which belong to a fleet segment for which the latest report on fishing capacity, referred to in Article 22(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, has shown a balance with the fishing opportunities available to that segment, ***including, inter alia:***

Or. pt

**Amendment 634**  
**Norbert Erdős, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 1 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The **EMFF** may support the following investments in respect of small-scale coastal fishing vessels which belong to a fleet segment for which the latest report on fishing capacity, referred to in Article 22(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, has shown a balance with the fishing opportunities available to that segment:

*Amendment*

1. The **EMFAF** may support the following investments in respect of small-scale coastal fishing vessels which belong to a fleet segment for which the latest report on fishing capacity, referred to in Article 22(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, has shown a balance with the fishing opportunities available to that segment:

Or. en

**Amendment 635**  
**Peter van Dalen**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 1 – introductory part**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

1. The EMFF may support the following investments in respect of **small-scale coastal** fishing vessels which belong to a fleet segment for which the latest report on fishing capacity, referred to in Article 22(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, has shown a balance with the fishing opportunities available to that segment:

*Amendment*

1. The EMFF may support the following investments in respect of fishing vessels which belong to a fleet segment for which the latest report on fishing capacity, referred to in Article 22(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013, has shown a balance with the fishing opportunities available to that segment:

Or. en

**Amendment 636**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) the first acquisition of a fishing

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*Amendment*

(a) the first acquisition of a fishing

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vessel by a **young** fisher who, at the moment of submitting the application, **is under 40 years of age and has worked a least five years** as fisher or has acquired adequate vocational qualification;

vessel by a fisher who, at the moment of submitting the application, **has experience** as **a** fisher or has acquired adequate vocational qualification;

Or. es

#### **Amendment 637**

**Sylvie Goddyn**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) the first acquisition of a fishing vessel by a young fisher who, at the moment of submitting the application, is under **40** years of age and has worked a least **five** years as fisher or has acquired adequate vocational qualification;

*Amendment*

(a) the first acquisition of a fishing vessel by a young fisher who, at the moment of submitting the application, is under **45** years of age and has worked a least **two** years as fisher or has acquired adequate vocational qualification;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 638**

**Alain Cadec**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(a) the first acquisition of a fishing vessel by a young fisher who, at the moment of submitting the application, is under 40 years of age and has worked a least five years as fisher or has acquired adequate vocational qualification;

*Amendment*

(a) the first acquisition of a fishing vessel by a young fisher who, at the moment of submitting the application, is under 40 years of age and has worked a least five years as fisher or has acquired adequate vocational qualification, **including when he/she acquires the property as the majority shareholder in a company.**

Or. fr

### *Justification*

*A young fisher who is the majority shareholder in a company is not entitled to support for his/her first acquisition of a vessel. It would be disadvantageous to exclude the acquisition of the first vessel as a result of a young person acquiring stock in a company.*

#### **Amendment 639**

**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar, Gabriel Mato**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine.

*Amendment*

(b) the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine, ***or the modernization of any other component of the propulsion equipment, as well as the alterations and additions necessary for its installation on board.***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 640**

**Alain Cadec**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

##### **Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine.

*Amendment*

(b) the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine ***to reduce the emission of pollutants or greenhouse gases and increasing the energy efficiency of fishing vessels.***

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 641**

**Sylvie Goddyn**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**



## Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point b

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine.

*Amendment*

(b) the replacement or modernisation of a ***fishing vessel or of a*** main or ancillary engine.

Or. fr

## Amendment 642

Ana Miranda

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point b a (new)

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ba) The improvement and modernization of the small-scale fishing fleet with the aim of increasing its safety, capacity, living and working conditions, safety on board and preservation of catches so that it can carry out fishing in the most efficient, technical, and sustainable way both in terms of energy and the environment, without this implying an increase in fleet capacity.***

Or. es

## Amendment 643

Rosa D'Amato

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point a a (new)

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ba) (a) new construction, provided that the addition of new capacity with public aid is compensated by a withdrawal of capacity without public aid that is at least equal to the new capacity introduced, calculated in terms of both tonnage and***

*power.*

Or. it

*Justification*

*The amendment also enables generational replacement through the purchase of new vessels, which must not, however, affect total fishing capacity. A withdrawal of capacity without public aid is required to offset the capacity introduced by the new construction.*

**Amendment 644**

**Renata Briano**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point a a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ba) new construction, provided that the addition of new capacity with public aid is compensated by a withdrawal of capacity without public aid that is at least equal to the new capacity introduced, calculated in terms of both tonnage and power.***

Or. it

*Justification*

*The amendment also enables generational replacement through the purchase of new vessels, which must not, however, affect total fishing capacity. A withdrawal of capacity without public aid is required to offset the capacity introduced by the new construction.*

**Amendment 645**

**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 16 – paragraph 1 – b a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ba) the reclassification, renewal and resizing of vessels, when they are clearly obsolete, making it possible to improve fishing conditions and increase periods spent out at sea.***

**Amendment 646**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point b a (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(ba) renovation or construction of new vessels and adaptation for diversification***

Or. es

**Amendment 647**  
**Ana Miranda**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 1 – point b b (new)**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

***(bb) Innovation through the different financial instruments.***

Or. es

**Amendment 648**  
**Nils Torvalds, Norica Nicolai, Ulrike Rodust, António Marinho e Pinto**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 2**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing ***and be between 5 and 30 years old.***

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing.

Or. en

## Amendment 649

Isabelle Thomas

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 16 – paragraph 2

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be **between 5 and** 30 years old.

*Amendment*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be **under** 30 years old.

Or. fr

## Amendment 650

Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, José Blanco López

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 16 – paragraph 2

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be **between 5 and** 30 years old.

*Amendment*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be **less than** 30 years old.

Or. es

#### *Justification*

*It is proposed to consider vessels less than 30 years old, thus eliminating the exclusion of vessels between 0 and 5 years old.*

## Amendment 651

Francisco José Millán Mon, Gabriel Mato, Carlos Iturgaiz, Verónica Lope Fontagné

### Proposal for a regulation

#### Article 16 – paragraph 2

*Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be between 5 and **30** years old.

*Amendment*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be between 5 and **20** years old.

*Justification*

*The average age of fishing vessels in the EU is 22.6 years, so it may be inappropriate to finance the purchase of older vessels.*

**Amendment 652****Peter van Dalen****Proposal for a regulation****Article 16 – paragraph 2***Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be ***equipped for sea fishing and be*** between 5 and 30 years old.

*Amendment*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be between 5 and 30 years old.

Or. en

*Justification*

*The requirement “equipped for sea fishing” is superfluous, because a fishing vessel is by definition “equipped for commercial exploitation of marine biological resources”. Furthermore this requirement does not apply to inland vessels.*

**Amendment 653****Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar, Gabriel Mato****Proposal for a regulation****Article 16 – paragraph 2***Text proposed by the Commission*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be between 5 and 30 years old.

*Amendment*

2. The vessels referred to in paragraph 1 shall be equipped for sea fishing and be between 5 and 30 years old, ***when duly justified may apply to newer vessels.***

Or. en

**Amendment 654****Sylvie Goddyn**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 3**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**3. The support referred to in paragraph 1(b) may only be granted under the following conditions:** *deleted*

**(a) the new or modernised engine shall not have more power in kW than the current engine;**

**(b) any reduction of fishing capacity in kW due to the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine shall be permanently removed from the Union fleet register;**

**(c) the engine power of the fishing vessel shall have been physically inspected by the Member State to ensure that it does not exceed the engine power stated in the fishing license.**

Or. fr

**Amendment 655**  
**João Ferreira**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 3 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(a) the new or modernised engine shall not have more power in kW than the current engine;** *deleted*

Or. pt

**Amendment 656**  
**Ricardo Serrão Santos, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Sofia Ribeiro, Liliana Rodrigues, José Blanco López, Gabriel Mato**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 16 – paragraph 3 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

**(a) the new or modernised engine shall** **(a) the new or modernised engine shall**

not have more power in kW than the current engine;

not have more power in kW than the current engine, *without prejudice to the provisions of point 3a*;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 657**

**Czesław Hoc**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 16 – paragraph 3 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(a) the new or modernised engine *shall not have more power in kW than the current engine*;

(a) *the maximum power obtainable (in kW) of the new or modernised engine must not be greater than that stated in the fishing licence*;

Or. en

#### *Justification*

*It should be clarified that this is the maximum power obtainable, i.e. the power allowed and specified in the fishing licence. Such a provision takes account of the situation where it is only possible to purchase an engine with a rated power greater than the permissible power and it is necessary to limit it mechanically to that power level. Corresponds with the wording of point (c) of this paragraph.*

#### **Amendment 658**

**Peter van Dalen**

#### **Proposal for a regulation**

#### **Article 16 – paragraph 3 – point a**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

*Amendment*

(a) the new or modernised engine shall not have more power in kW than the current engine;

(a) the new or modernised engine shall not have more power in kW than the current engine *and shall emit 25% less CO<sub>2</sub>*;

Or. en

### *Justification*

*Reflecting the importance of tackling climate change in line with the Union's commitments to implement the Paris Agreement and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, the EMFF should contribute to mainstream climate actions. It is therefore necessary to add the condition of emission reduction. Furthermore, if you do not require the new or modernised engine to emit less, it is unclear how 40% of the expenditure related to the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine can contribute to calculation of support to environment-related objectives (see Annex IV).*

#### **Amendment 659** **Peter van Dalen**

#### **Proposal for a regulation** **Article 16 – paragraph 3 – point b**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(b) any reduction of fishing capacity in kW due to the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine shall be permanently removed from the Union fleet register;

*Amendment*

(b) ***where appropriate*** any reduction of fishing capacity in kW due to the replacement or modernisation of a main or ancillary engine shall be permanently removed from the Union fleet register;

Or. en

### *Justification*

*This requirement does not apply to inland vessels, because these vessels are not included in the Union fishing fleet register.*

#### **Amendment 660** **Peter van Dalen**

#### **Proposal for a regulation** **Article 16 – paragraph 3 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(c) ***the engine power of the fishing vessel shall have been physically inspected by the Member State to ensure that it does not exceed the engine power stated in the fishing license.***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

Or. en



*Justification*

*This is a disproportionate burden for Member States in the context of a subsidy.*

**Amendment 661**

**Nils Torvalds, Norica Nicolai, António Marinho e Pinto**

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 16 – paragraph 3 – point c**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(c) the engine power of the fishing vessel shall have been physically inspected by the Member State to ensure that it does not exceed the engine power stated in the fishing license.

*Amendment*

(c) the engine power of the fishing vessel shall have been physically inspected by the Member State to ensure that it does not exceed the engine power stated in the fishing license, ***if the vessel is over 10 meters of length.***

Or. en