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*Committee on Transport and Tourism*

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**2014/2130(DEC)**

11.03.2015

## **OPINION**

of the Committee on Transport and Tourism

for the Committee on Budgetary Control

on discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the SESAR  
Joint Undertaking for the financial year 2013  
(2014/2130(DEC))

Rapporteur: Dominique Riquet

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## **SUGGESTIONS**

The Committee on Transport and Tourism calls on the Committee on Budgetary Control, as the committee responsible, to incorporate the following suggestions in its motion for a resolution:

1. Welcomes the finding of the Court of Auditors that the accounts of the SESAR Joint Undertaking ('the Undertaking') for the 2013 financial year are in order;
2. Notes that the Undertaking's annual budget for 2013 was EUR 64,3 million in commitment appropriations and EUR 105,4 million in payment appropriations and that the implementation rates were 99,6 % and 94,7 % respectively;
3. Highlights the Undertaking's vital role in coordinating and implementing research into the SESAR project, which is a pillar project of the Single European Sky; notes also that 2014 marks the beginning of the deployment phase of the SESAR project;
4. Notes that as of 31 December 2013, the the Undertaking development phase consisted of project work by 16 members (including Eurocontrol) on programme activities involving more than 100 private and public entities and subcontractors; notes that of the 358 SESAR programme projects, 333 (93 %) were being implemented or had been completed;
5. Welcomes the fact that the the Undertaking has put in place specific measures to prevent conflicts and that the improvements as regards the ex ante control area have been implemented; calls furthermore for the application of a general principle of transparency;
6. Proposes that Parliament grant the Executive Director of the Joint Undertaking discharge in respect of the implementation of its budget for the financial year 2013.

## RESULT OF FINAL VOTE IN COMMITTEE

<b>Date adopted</b>	24.2.2015
<b>Result of final vote</b>	+: 38 -: 5 0: 0
<b>Members present for the final vote</b>	Lucy Anderson, Marie-Christine Arnautu, Georges Bach, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Deirdre Clune, Michael Cramer, Luis de Grandes Pascual, Andor Deli, Karima Delli, Isabella De Monte, Ismail Ertug, Jacqueline Foster, Bruno Gollnisch, Tania González Peñas, Dieter-Lebrecht Koch, Merja Kyllönen, Miltiadis Kyrkos, Bogusław Liberadzki, Peter Lundgren, Marian-Jean Marinescu, Georg Mayer, Gesine Meissner, Cláudia Monteiro de Aguiar, Jens Nilsson, Markus Pieper, Gabriele Preuß, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Dominique Riquet, Massimiliano Salini, Claudia Schmidt, Claudia Tapardel, Keith Taylor, Pavel Telička, István Ujhelyi, Wim van de Camp, Elissavet Vozemberg, Janusz Zemke, Roberts Zile, Kosma Złotowski, Elżbieta Katarzyna Łukacijewska
<b>Substitutes present for the final vote</b>	Rosa D'Amato, Werner Kuhn, Jörg Leichtfried