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DRAFT OPINION

of the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

for the Committee on Budgetary Control

on discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights for the financial year 2013 (2014/2089(DEC))

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SUGGESTIONS

The Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs 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 conclusions of the Court of Auditors that the annual accounts of the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA) present fairly, in all material respects, its financial position as at 31 December 2013 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended, and that the transactions underlying the annual accounts of the FRA for the financial year 2013 are legal and regular in all material respects;
2. Notes that the level of committed appropriations carried over to 2014 for titles II (administrative expenditure) and III (operating expenditure) was high, the main reason for that, with regard to title III, being the multiannual nature of the agency's operational projects;
3. Considers, in general, that the FRA should pay particular attention to ensuring sound financial management, i.e. to using its appropriations economically, efficiently and effectively in the performance of its duties.