Amendment 21
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution	*Amendment*
	1a. Recalls that the missed targets of the former 'Lisbon strategy', particularly as regards reducing poverty and creating jobs, have had a negative effect on a large part of the population in the Member States, and the continued implementation of these policies under the current Europe 2020 strategy shows that the EU's budget strategy for 2013 should instead focus on reaching solutions in terms of:
	(i) wealth creation (increased productivity),
	(ii) fair redistribution (combating income inequalities),
	(iii) combating social exclusion and unemployment;

Or. en

Amendment 22
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30 a (new)

Motion for a resolution	*Amendment*
	30a. Insists on an across-the-board increase in budget appropriations for social action; considers that the European Social Fund in particular needs to double in volume in order to cope with the social consequences of the crisis, especially unemployment and poverty;

Or. en

Amendment 23
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36 a (new)

Motion for a resolution	*Amendment*
	36a. Highlights the fact that in terms of CA the amount proposed for Heading 2 (preservation and management of natural resources) under the DB 2013 falls far short of the amount programmed for 2013 under the multiannual financial framework, falling by EUR 981.5 million, which represents a drop of 1.6% by comparison with the scheduled amount;

Or. en

Amendment 24
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46 a (new)

Motion for a resolution	*Amendment*
	46a. Notes with concern that the number of projects financed under the LIFE+ programme each year is below the indicative allocation in various Member States; invites the Commission to assess the reasons for this under-implementation and, where necessary, to propose changes to the rules governing the programme, particularly as regards co-financing levels;

Or. en

Amendment 25
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46 b (new)

Motion for a resolution	*Amendment*
	46b. Advocates greater Community accountability for the protection of natural resources in the Natura 2000 network, especially in terms of its financing; points to the difficulties encountered by various Member States with regard to the management of areas included in the Natura 2000 network owing to the lack of a specific financial instrument geared to the management of such areas, as a complement to the inclusion of biodiversity in sectoral policies;

Or. en

Amendment 26
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46 c (new)

Motion for a resolution	*Amendment*
	46c. Draws attention to the threats affecting numerous forest ecosystems, including dispersal of invasive exotic species, diseases (e.g. pine nematode) and forest fires; considers that suitable financial resources need to be channelled, via Community programmes and support measures, into the evaluation of ecological and plant health conditions in forests and rehabilitation measures, including reforestation;

Or. en

Amendment 27
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 48 a (new)

Motion for a resolution	*Amendment*
	48a. Stresses that the common fisheries policy (CFP) should bear responsibility for financing its costs, in particular the decisions and measures adopted as part of that policy;

Or. en

Amendment 28
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49 a (new)

Motion for a resolution	*Amendment*
	49a. Deplores the reduction in appropriations earmarked for the common organisation of the market in fishery products by comparison with the 2012 budget (a drop of 10.74% in CA and 6.56% in PA), which will restrict intervention mechanisms at a time when they have been made all the more necessary by the persisting and worsening socio-economic problems in the sector; believes it is essential to devote more budget resources to this area in order to boost stability and incomes in the fisheries sector;

Or. en