



EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

2009 - 2014

---

*Committee on Budgets*

---

**2010/2002(BUD)**

12.5.2010

# **AMENDMENTS**

## **1 - 174**

**Draft report**  
**Sidonia Elżbieta Jędrzejewska**  
(PE439.418v01)

on the mandate for the trilogue on the 2011 draft budget  
(2010/2002(BUD))

AM\815461EN.doc

PE441.198v01-00

**EN**

*United in diversity*

**EN**

AM\_Com\_NonLegReport

**Amendment 1**  
**Norica Nicolai**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph -1 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**-1a. Calls on the Commission to develop clear qualitative and quantitative performance indicators for the budget execution of CFSP and Instrument for Stability, which should be in line with the sound financial management principle and in particular with the economy, efficiency and effectiveness principles;**

Or. en

**Amendment 2**  
**Vladko Todorov Panayotov**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph -1 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**-1a. Calls on the Commission to increase the investments in SMEs throughout the policy lines in order to better tackle the economic crisis;**

Or. en

**Amendment 3**  
**Vladko Todorov Panayotov**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 2a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**2a. Calls on the Commission to further develop and present to the European**

*Parliament the key qualitative and quantitative performance indicators for budget execution which are additional to RAL and RAC;*

Or. en

**Amendment 4**  
**Vladko Todorov Panayotov**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 2b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*2b. Calls on the Commission to correlate the programme and project objectives with the EU 2020 strategy objectives and the sound financial management principle in order to develop an objectives driven budget. Therefore technical assistance and studies projects budgets shall be revised in order to incorporate the efficiency and effectiveness principle. In addition to that, the Framework Contracts functioning mode also shall be revised in order to incorporate the economy principle of the sound financial management;*

Or. en

**Amendment 5**  
**Anne E. Jensen**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 4a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*4a. Furthermore, stresses that the margin in heading 2, might actually be lower as market conditions may change;*

**Amendment 6**

**Dominique Riquet, Isabelle Durant, Anne E. Jensen on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

***5. Recalls, in that respect, that a proposal for substantial budget review is awaited, and that the difficulties encountered in the previous budgetary procedures to react properly and satisfactorily to various challenges that have arisen render the revision of the current MFF unavoidable;***

*Amendment*

***5. Underlines that when the current Multiannual Financial Framework was adopted in 2006:***

- the economic and financial crisis that the EU has undergone since 2008 and its consequences were not foreseen;***
- the Lisbon Treaty was not in force;***
- specific needs linked to a number of new programmes and procedures (implementation of the Lisbon Treaty, new financial supervision authorities, GMES, Stockholm programme, etc.) didn't exist;***

**Amendment 7**

**Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

***5. Recalls, in that respect, that a proposal for a substantial budget review is awaited, and that the difficulties encountered in previous budgetary procedures in reacting***

*Amendment*

***5. Welcomes the publication by the Commission of the Report on the functioning of IIA (COM 2010/185) and recalls, in this respect, that a proposal for***

properly and satisfactorily to various challenges that have arisen render a revision of the current MFF unavoidable;

substantial **revision** is awaited and that the difficulties encountered in the previous budgetary procedures to react properly and satisfactorily to various challenges that have arisen render the revision of the current MFF unavoidable; **recalls that it expects the Commission to make some concrete proposals for a revision of the MFF before the end the 1st semester 2010;**

Or. en

**Amendment 8**  
**Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm, Estelle Grelier**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**5a. Underlines the importance of a strong European reaction to the crisis and to the instability of financial market that should logically imply additional financial capacity and flexibility for EU Budget;**

Or. en

**Amendment 9**  
**Alexander Alvaro**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**5a. Recalls that in order for the EU's budgetary programming to be effective, efficient use of the available funds is paramount at any time, not only times of economic crisis;**

Or. en

**Amendment 10**

**Dominique Riquet, Isabelle Durant, Anne E. Jensen on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 6**

*Motion for a resolution*

***6. Points out the important number of outstanding procedures involving far reaching budgetary consequences that have to be concluded by the two branches of the budgetary authority in 2011 (budget review, setting up of the European External Action Service (EEAS), Amending Budgets, revision of the IIA, revision of the Financial Regulation etc.);***

*Amendment*

***6. Stresses that, under these conditions, a profound review of the EU budget must be considered rapidly, as regards resources as well as budget appropriations, in order to adapt it to a completely new situation and to meet the EU citizens' expectations; recalls that the adaptation capacities of the EU budget within the framework of the Multiannual Financial Framework have reached their limit;***

Or. en

**Amendment 11**

**Dominique Riquet, Isabelle Durant, Anne E. Jensen on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

***7. Takes note of the priorities set out by the Commission (namely supporting the EU economy post-crisis, and adapting to new requirements, i.e. implementation of the Lisbon Treaty, new financial supervision authorities, financing of GMES, implementation of the Stockholm Programme, etc.) and questions whether the modest increase in CA compared to 2010 Budget is relevant to address them;***

*Amendment*

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 12**  
**Sidonia Elżbieta Jędrzejewska**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 7 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***7a. Request, from the Council and the Commission, further and detailed information on the consequences that the European Financial Stabilisation Mechanism decided on the Extraordinary Ecofin Council on 9/10 May 2010 might have on the budget of the EU;***

Or. en

**Amendment 13**  
**Vicky Ford**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 7a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***7a. Considers that in the light of the economic crisis and due to severe budgetary constraints in some member states the European Union must take a lead in promoting fiscal restraint by refusing to countenance any non-structural increases in its own budget; and that the Commission must identify savings to be made in areas where spending is discretionary or non-essential; notes that several budget lines are consistently underused; requests that the sums allocated to such budget lines be modified downwards to a more appropriate level, and that any savings resulting from such moves be returned to Member States and not reallocated within***



*the EU budget;*

Or. en

**Amendment 14**  
**Göran Färm, Francesca Balzani**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 7a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*7a. deplores the impossibility to clearly identify, from a budgetary point of view, the financial implication in the Draft Budget 2011 of the EU 2020 Strategy flagship initiatives , such as "innovation Union", "Youth on the Move", "Resource efficient Europe", "New skills and jobs", "Industrial policy for the globalisation era" and expresses its strong doubts regarding the capacity to ensure, in the context of the present financial framework, an adequate funding for these key initiatives;*

Or. en

**Amendment 15**  
**Pervenche Berès on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

8. Recalls that, as stated in its resolution of 25 March 2010 on budgetary priorities for the year 2011, Youth is one of the key priorities for the budget 2011, which should be promoted as an EU cross-cutting theme, developing synergies between different policy areas relating to 'Youth', notably education, employment,

8. Recalls that, as stated in its resolution of 25 March 2010 on budgetary priorities for the year 2011, Youth is one of the key priorities for the budget 2011, which should be promoted as an EU cross-cutting theme, developing synergies between different policy areas relating to 'Youth', notably education, employment,

entrepreneurship, health, while facilitating and encouraging the *mobility and skills development* of young people; reminds that youth has to be defined broadly, encompassing the ability of individuals to change positions and status several times throughout their lives, switching without restriction among settings such as apprenticeships, academic or professional environments and vocational training and that, to this end, one of the objectives would be the transition from the education system to the labour market;

entrepreneurship, health, while facilitating and encouraging *social inclusion, empowerment abilities, the skills development and mobility* of young people, *bearing in mind that mobility alone can not be the solution to unemployment*; reminds that youth has to be defined broadly, encompassing the ability of individuals to change positions and status several times throughout their lives, switching without restriction among settings such as apprenticeships, academic or professional environments and vocational training and that, to this end, one of the objectives would be the transition from the education system to the labour market;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 16**

**Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm, Estelle Grelier**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 8**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

8. Recalls that, as stated in its resolution of 25 March 2010 on priorities for the 2011 budget, youth is one of the key priorities for the 2011 budget, which should be promoted as an EU cross-cutting theme, developing synergies between different policy areas relating to youth, notably education, employment, entrepreneurship and health, while facilitating and encouraging young people's mobility and skills development; points out that 'youth' should be seen as a broad concept encompassing the ability of individuals to change positions and status several times throughout their lives, switching without restriction between settings such as apprenticeships, academic or professional environments and vocational training, and

##### *Amendment*

8. Recalls that, as stated in its resolution of 25 March 2010 on priorities for the 2011 budget, youth is one of the key priorities for the 2011 budget, which should be promoted as an EU cross-cutting theme, developing synergies between different policy areas relating to youth, notably education, employment, entrepreneurship and health, while facilitating and encouraging young people's *social inclusion, empowerment*, mobility and skills development; points out that 'youth' should be seen as a broad concept encompassing the ability of individuals to change positions and status several times throughout their lives, switching without restriction between settings such as apprenticeships, academic or professional

that, to this end, one of the objectives would be transition from the education system to the labour market;

environments and vocational training, and that, to this end, one of the objectives *should* be transition from the education system to the labour market *also taking into account the economic needs related to this process*;

Or. en

**Amendment 17**  
**Angelika Werthmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

8. Recalls that, as stated in its resolution of 25 March 2010 on priorities for the 2011 budget, youth is one of the key priorities for the 2011 budget, which should be promoted as an EU cross-cutting theme, developing synergies between different policy areas relating to youth, notably education, employment, entrepreneurship and health, while facilitating and encouraging young people's mobility and skills development; points out that 'youth' should be seen as a broad concept encompassing the ability of individuals to change positions and status several times throughout their lives, switching without restriction between settings such as apprenticeships, academic or professional environments and vocational training, and that, to this end, one of the objectives would be transition from the education system to the labour market;

*Amendment*

8. Recalls that, as stated in its resolution of 25 March 2010 on priorities for the 2011 budget, youth is one of the key priorities for the 2011 budget, which should be promoted as an EU cross-cutting theme, developing synergies between different policy areas relating to youth, notably education, employment, entrepreneurship and health, while facilitating and encouraging young people's mobility and skills development; points out that 'youth' should be seen as a broad concept encompassing the ability of individuals to change positions and status several times throughout their lives, switching without restriction between settings such as apprenticeships, academic or professional environments and vocational training, and that, to this end, one of the objectives would be transition from the education system to the labour market; *highlights that youth is a key figure for a bright economic, social and cultural future of the European Union*;

Or. en

**Amendment 18**  
**Damien Abad, Pascale Gruny**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

9. Deplores the fact that, in spite of an extremely high profile and a very high implementation rate – reaching between 95-100% every year over the period 2007-2009 – the increase in appropriations proposed in the DB for the key youth instruments and programmes, such as Lifelong Learning, Youth in Action and Erasmus Mundus, is rather symbolic; considers that this increase does not allow the EU to adequately address this priority and therefore intends to provide further support for these programmes; recalls, in this context, that these programmes have an indisputable European added value and greatly contribute to the creation of a strong European civil society, despite the modest financial allocation that they receive;

*Amendment*

9. Deplores the fact that, in spite of an extremely high profile and a very high implementation rate – reaching between 95-100% every year over the period 2007-2009 – the increase in appropriations proposed in the DB for the key youth instruments and programmes, such as Lifelong Learning, Youth in Action and Erasmus Mundus, is rather symbolic; considers that this increase does not allow the EU to adequately address this priority and therefore intends to provide further support for these programmes; recalls, in this context, that these programmes have an indisputable European added value, ***concrete implications in the European citizens daily life*** and greatly contribute to the creation of a strong European civil society, despite the modest financial allocation that they receive;

Or. en

**Amendment 19**  
**Dominique Riquet, Isabelle Durant, Anne E. Jensen on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

10. While acknowledging the efforts made for the presentation of administrative expenditure outside Heading 5, calls for further clarification in the allocation between operational and administrative expenditure; notes that an already

*Amendment*

10. While acknowledging the efforts made for the presentation of administrative expenditure outside Heading 5, calls for further clarification in the allocation between operational and administrative expenditure; notes that an already

substantial amount of what is, in reality, administrative expenditure, *for instance that of EU agencies*, is financed from operational allocations;

substantial amount of what is, in reality, administrative expenditure is financed from operational allocations;

Or. en

## **Amendment 20**

**Jutta Haug**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 10**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

10. Calls for further clarification of the breakdown between operational and administrative expenditure, while acknowledging the efforts made as regards the presentation of administrative expenditure outside heading 5; notes that an already substantial amount of what is, in reality, administrative expenditure, *for instance that of EU agencies*, is financed from operational appropriations;

##### *Amendment*

10. Calls for further clarification of the breakdown between operational and administrative expenditure, while acknowledging the efforts made as regards the presentation of administrative expenditure outside heading 5; notes that an already substantial amount of what is, in reality, administrative expenditure is financed from operational appropriations;

Or. en

## **Amendment 21**

**Göran Färm, Francesca Balzani**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 11a new**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

##### *Amendment*

***11a. Underlines the fact that the EU budget is very limited compared to national budgets; recalls therefore, in order to implement common EU strategies, the need for creating synergies between the EU budget and national budgets; stresses that coherence creates a greater impact for European policies,***

*achieving a true European added value, while supporting long term policy objectives; is convinced that the EU budget can play an instrumental role in key areas to support long term investments and jobs; expects the Council to take that duly into consideration when deciding on the EU budget and to refrain from "across the board cuts" even if the context for national public finances is extremely difficult;*

Or. en

**Amendment 22**

**Göran Färm, Francesca Balzani, Edit Herczog, Olle Ludvigsson**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 13a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*13a. Is very concerned about the decrease regarding CIP - Entrepreneurship and innovation, particularly given the key role that the SMEs have in driving the economic recovery; has taken note of the problems described by the Commission in keeping payments at a high level in times of crisis, but is not convinced that the payments need to be drastically reduced to the very low level that has been proposed; urges the Commission to look further into this issue;*

Or. en

**Amendment 23**

**Ingeborg Gräßle**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 13a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***13a. Regards overcoming the euro crisis as a central component of cooperation between the institutions in the years to come; points to the problems resulting from seriously deteriorating budgetary situations in the Member States; points to the additional burdens on the Community budget as a result of greater provision of Union funds and credit guarantees; insists, with a view to avoiding crises in future, on an efficient monitoring system involving direct mandatory reporting to the European Parliament; calls on the Commission to inform it immediately about prospective measures in connection with a possible EU crisis mechanism;***

Or. de

**Amendment 24**

**Andreas Schwab, Olle Ludvigsson, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Sven Giegold, Jürgen Klute on behalf of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 14a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***14a. Stresses that the new financial supervision authorities - the European Banking Authority (EBA), the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority (EIOPA) and the European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA) - must be accurately financed, which inter alia means that if the legislator decides to entrust these authorities with increased tasks compared to what was originally proposed by the Commission, the corresponding allocation of additional resources should be provided for;***

Or. en

**Amendment 25**  
**Monika Hohlmeier, Paul Rübiger**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***15a. recalls that SMEs play an important role in the recovery and boosting of the whole EU economy; calls for enhanced support for all programmes and instruments aiming at fostering SMEs; confirms its intention to amend the Draft Budget and to hand in proposals for pilot projects accordingly;***

Or. en

**Amendment 26**  
**Angelika Werthmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

16. Welcomes the increases in appropriations for the main programmes (FP7, 13.8%; CIP, 4.4%; Lifelong Learning, 2.6%; TEN 16.8%), and stresses that these programmes provide essential leverage in the EU *post*-crisis economic strategy;

16. Welcomes the increases in appropriations for the main programmes (FP7, 13.8%; CIP, 4.4%; Lifelong Learning, 2.6%; TEN 16.8%), and stresses that these programmes provide essential leverage in the EU *counter*-crisis economic strategy;

Or. en

**Amendment 27**  
**Andreas Schwab, Olle Ludvigsson, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Sven Giegold, Jürgen Klute on behalf of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16a new**

PE441.198v01-00

16/95

AM815461EN.doc



*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***16a. Is concerned about the very modest - below the rate of inflation - increase in appropriations for the Programme for the Modernisation of European Enterprise and Trade Statistics (MEETS) programme, which is not really in line with the intention declared by the Commission to give high priority to the policy area of statistics;***

Or. en

**Amendment 28**

**Andreas Schwab, Olle Ludvigsson, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Sven Giegold, Jürgen Klute on behalf of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 17**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

17. Stresses that heading 1a includes many EU2020 strategy flagship initiatives, such as Innovation Union, Youth on the Move, Resource-efficient Europe, New Skills and Jobs, and Industrial Policy for the Globalisation Era; deplores the fact that it is impossible to identify clearly, from a budgetary point of view, the financial implications of the EU2020 strategy and expresses its doubts regarding the capacity to ensure, in the context of the current financial framework, adequate funding for these initiatives;

17. Stresses that heading 1a includes many EU2020 strategy flagship initiatives, such as Innovation Union, Youth on the Move, Resource-efficient Europe, New Skills and Jobs, and Industrial Policy for the Globalisation Era; deplores the fact that it is impossible to identify clearly, from a budgetary point of view, the financial implications of the EU2020 strategy; expresses its doubts regarding the capacity to ensure, ***given the very limited room for manoeuvre available*** in the context of the current financial framework, adequate funding for these initiatives; ***underlines that these new policy initiatives should go beyond the mere re-labelling of already existing policies and deserve new financial means in order to get off to a good start;***

Or. en

**Amendment 29**  
**Damien Abad, Pascale Gruny**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Recalls that the priorities for 2011, with a view to the EU2020 strategy, will be financed mainly from this heading, and that the EU competences stemming from the entry into force of the Treaty are likely to have budgetary implications; emphasises that space policy, seeking to promote European scientific, technological and environmental progress and industrial competitiveness, requires both the EU and the Member States to make a real financial effort within the context of the GMES;

*Amendment*

18. Recalls that the priorities for 2011, with a view to the EU2020 strategy, will be financed mainly from this heading, and that the EU competences stemming from the entry into force of the Treaty are likely to have budgetary implications; emphasises that space policy, ***which constitutes a concrete example of an European industrial policy promoting European scientific, technological and environmental progress whilst reinforcing industrial competitiveness***, requires both the EU and the Member States to make a ***further*** financial effort within the context of the GMES;

Or. en

**Amendment 30**  
**Angelika Werthmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Recalls that the priorities for 2011, with a view to the EU2020 strategy, will be financed mainly from this heading, and that the EU competences stemming from the entry into force of the Treaty ***are likely to have*** budgetary implications;

*Amendment*

18. Recalls that the priorities for 2011, with a view to the EU2020 strategy, will be financed mainly from this heading, and that the EU competences stemming from the entry into force of the Treaty ***have*** budgetary implications;

Or. en

**Amendment 31**  
**Vladko Todorov Panayotov**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***18a. Calls upon the fact that 2011 Budget priorities should respond to the objectives set in EU 2020 strategy and should address crucial issues such as the economic crisis, energy security, in particular renewable energy, and resource supply in view of creating opportunities for economic recovery, sustainable growth, social security and new jobs in the EU***

Or. en

**Amendment 32**  
**Franziska Katharina Brantner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

19. Welcomes the Commission's Youth on the Move initiative seeking to enhance the performance and international attractiveness of Europe's higher education institutions and raise the overall standard of education and training in the EU; wishes to stress the importance of ensuring sufficient funding for an ambitious policy in the area of education and training, which plays a crucial role in the EU2020 strategy; stresses that the EU will bring all its resources to bear in meeting this ambitious challenge, which creates an unprecedented momentum for the development of a comprehensive EU youth policy; stresses, nevertheless, that the launch of such an over-arching flagship initiative covering a

19. Welcomes the Commission's initiative "Youth on the move" aiming at enhancing the performance and international attractiveness of Europe's higher education institutions and raise the overall quality of level of education and training in the EU; ***strongly supports the promotion of equal opportunity in order to enable all young people no matter their educational background to be able to profit from the EU's diverse youth programmes and policies***; wishes to stress the importance of ensuring sufficient funding for an ambitious policy in the area of education and training which plays a crucial role in the EU2020 strategy; stresses that the EU shall use all its means to achieve such an

number of distinct and well-established EU programmes in this area should not lower the profile of the individual programmes;

ambitious challenge, which creates an unprecedented momentum for the development of a comprehensive EU youth policy; underlines, nevertheless, that the launch of such an over-arching flagship initiative covering a number of distinct and well-established EU programmes in this area should not obscure their visibility;

Or. en

**Amendment 33**  
**Damien Abad, Pascale Gruny**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Welcomes the Commission's Youth on the Move initiative seeking to enhance the performance and international attractiveness of Europe's higher education institutions and raise the overall standard of education and training in the EU; wishes to stress the importance of ensuring sufficient funding for an ambitious policy in the area of education and training, which plays a crucial role in the EU2020 strategy; stresses that the EU will bring all its resources to bear in meeting this ambitious challenge, which creates an unprecedented momentum for the development of a comprehensive EU youth policy; stresses, nevertheless, that the launch of such an over-arching flagship initiative covering a number of distinct and well-established EU programmes in this area should not lower the profile of the individual programmes;

*Amendment*

19. Welcomes the Commission's Youth on the Move initiative seeking to enhance the performance and international attractiveness of Europe's higher education institutions and raise the overall standard of education and training in the EU; ***stresses that this initiative should not focus exclusively in higher education mobility***; wishes to stress the importance of ensuring sufficient funding for an ambitious policy in the area of education and training, which plays a crucial role in the EU2020 strategy; stresses that the EU will bring all its resources to bear in meeting this ambitious challenge, which creates an unprecedented momentum for the development of a comprehensive EU youth policy; stresses, nevertheless, that the launch of such an over-arching flagship initiative covering a number of distinct and well-established EU programmes in this area should not lower the profile of the individual programmes;

Or. en

**Amendment 34**  
**Riikka Manner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Welcomes the Commission's initiative "Youth on the move" aiming at enhancing the performance and international attractiveness of Europe's higher education institutions and raise the overall quality of level of education and training in the EU; wishes to stress the importance of ensuring sufficient funding for an ambitious policy in the area of education and training which plays a crucial role in the EU2020 strategy; stresses that the EU shall use all its means to achieve such an ambitious challenge, which creates and unprecedented momentum for the development of a comprehensive EU youth policy; underlines, nevertheless, that the launch of such an over-arching flagship initiative covering a number of distinct and well-established EU programmes in this area should not obscure their visibility;

*Amendment*

19. Welcomes the Commission's initiative "Youth on the move" aiming at enhancing the performance and international attractiveness of Europe's higher education institutions and raise the overall quality of level of education and training in the EU; ***notes however that the potential of the vocational education should not be forgotten***; wishes to stress the importance of ensuring sufficient funding for an ambitious policy in the area of education and training which plays a crucial role in the EU2020 strategy; stresses that the EU shall use all its means to achieve such an ambitious challenge, which creates and unprecedented momentum for the development of a comprehensive EU youth policy; underlines, nevertheless, that the launch of such an over-arching flagship initiative covering a number of distinct and well-established EU programmes in this area should not obscure their visibility;

Or. en

**Amendment 35**  
**Morten Løkkegaard, Anne E. Jensen**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Stresses that the budgetary resources made available in the future for instruments such as the Lifelong Learning programme and cross-cutting skills, such as e-skills, international skills,

*Amendment*

20. Stresses that the budgetary resources made available in the future for instruments such as the Lifelong Learning programme and cross-cutting skills, such as e-skills, international skills,

entrepreneurial skills and multilingualism, reflect *the* European added value *they deliver*;

entrepreneurial skills and multilingualism, reflect *high* European added value *and hence should be given priority in the 2011 budget*;

Or. en

**Amendment 36**  
**Angelika Werthmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Stresses that the budgetary resources made available in the future for instruments such as the Lifelong Learning programme and transversal skills such as e-skills, international skills, entrepreneurial skills, multilingualism reflect the added European-value they deliver;

*Amendment*

20. Stresses that the budgetary resources made available in the future for instruments such as the Lifelong Learning programme and transversal skills such as e-skills, international skills, entrepreneurial skills, multilingualism reflect the added European-value they deliver; *as well as support European identity*;

Or. en

**Amendment 37**  
**Pervenche Berès on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 20 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*20a. Takes note of the very modest increase in appropriations of the European Training Foundation, the European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions (subsidy under titles 1 and 2) and the European Agency for Safety and Health at Work (subsidy under title 3), which remains below the deflator rate. Questions the stark decrease in*

*appropriations for the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training, at a time when the European Commission puts lifelong learning and skills at the heart of its EU2020 strategy and identifies these areas as major tools in the fight against unemployment stemming from the worst crisis the Union has ever faced;*

Or. en

**Amendment 38**

**Dominique Riquet, Bogusław Liberadzki, Isabelle Durant, Anne E. Jensen on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 20 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*20a. Welcomes the effort that has been made on TEN-Ts but, as regards the budget for transport, which is strategic for the European economy and social life, expresses concern about the constraints and lack of margin that weighs upon all remaining transport policies;*

Or. en

**Amendment 39**

**Dominique Riquet, Bogusław Liberadzki, Isabelle Durant, Anne E. Jensen on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 20 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*20b. Is disappointed that tourism, which indirectly generates more than 10% of the EU's GDP and which has become a full competence of the EU with the*

*ratification of the Lisbon Treaty, is not clearly identified in the 2011 DB;*

Or. en

**Amendment 40**

**Bogusław Liberadzki, Dominique Riquet, Anne E. Jensen on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 20 c new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*20c. Insists that new resources generated by transport should be specifically allocated to transport; stresses that Cohesion and Regional Funds should be linked to TEN-T projects;*

Or. en

**Amendment 41**

**Isabelle Durant, Dominique Riquet on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 20 d new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*20d. Encourages the Commission to also support innovative projects in the field of sustainable transport related research and development, with particular attention for interoperable safety systems as well as for intermodal mobility chains "walking-cycling-public/collective transport-carsharing-carpooling" in urban areas and combined freight transport;*

Or. en



## Amendment 42

**Miguel Portas on behalf of Confederal Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left**

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 21

##### *Motion for a resolution*

21. Notes, for the first time, the inclusion of payment appropriations for the European Globalisation Fund, and considers this an important element in the overall reflection on the management and visibility of this fund;

##### *Amendment*

21. Notes, for the first time, the inclusion of payment appropriations for the European Globalisation Fund, and considers this an important element in the overall reflection on the management and visibility of this fund; ***notes that the use of a transfer for the EGF should mean a speedier process, and calls for the need for the further simplification of the practical modalities of the procedure, as mentioned on the report from the Commission to the European Parliament and Council on the functioning of the Interinstitutional Agreement on the Budgetary discipline and sound financial management of 27 April 2010;***

Or. en

## Amendment 43

**Barbara Matera**

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 21

##### *Motion for a resolution*

21. Notes, for the first time, the inclusion of payment appropriations for the European Globalisation Fund, and considers this as an important element in the overall reflexion on the management and visibility of this fund;

##### *Amendment*

21. Notes, for the first time, the inclusion of payment appropriations for the European Globalisation Fund, and considers this as an important element in the overall reflexion on the management and visibility of this fund; ***reiterates its demand not to finance EGF applications exclusively through transfers from ESF lines and calls on the Commission to***

*identify and use without further delay different budget lines for this purpose. Underlines, according to the Commission's Evaluation Report on the IIA, the necessity to shorten and simplify the procedure for the mobilization of the fund;*

Or. en

**Amendment 44**

**Pervenche Berès on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. *Notes*, for the first time, the inclusion of payment appropriations for the European Globalisation Fund, and considers this as an important element in the overall reflexion on the management and visibility of this fund;

*Amendment*

21. *Welcomes*, for the first time, the inclusion of payment appropriations for the European Globalisation Fund, and considers this as an important element in the overall reflexion on the management and visibility of this fund;

Or. en

**Amendment 45**

**Pervenche Berès on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*21a. Welcomes the allocation of 25 million euros to the European Microfinance Facility for Employment and Social Inclusion; recalls the political agreement reached between the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission to use article 37 of the Interinstitutional Agreement of 17 May 2006 between the European Parliament,*

*the Council and the European Commission on budgetary discipline and sound financial management in order to increase the annual appropriations of Progress until 2013;*

Or. en

**Amendment 46**

**Pervenche Berès on behalf of the Committee on Employment and Social Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*21b. Takes note of the very modest increase or stagnation (compared to the 2010 budget) of commitment appropriations for EURES and for the 3 budget lines supporting industrial relations and social dialogue; believes that in the current context of massive layoffs and restructuring due to the crisis, these lines should be reinforced;*

Or. en

**Amendment 47**

**Olga Sehnalová**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 22 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*22a. Calls on the Commission to consider tourism as a very important tool of European integration and recognition of all forms of cultural heritage including industrial heritage, traditional culture and customs. Tourism has also a great impact on health and healthy life style of European citizens and their social life.*

*Suggests also to build on ongoing project of social tourism - Calypso and extend its focus on family with children to promote children friendly tourism in Europe. Therefore urges the Commission to prepare the flagship projects in this budget;*

Or. en

**Amendment 48**  
**Andrea Cozzolino**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Doubts that the adjustments made, notably through the allocation of delayed payments as a ratio of expected payments in future years, are fully appropriate to address all additional payment needs stemming notably from the following:

- recent legislative changes, which notably aim at facilitating the management of EU funding and accelerating investments;
- 2011 will be the first full year when all Management and Control Systems will be approved, which is a precondition for interim payments, which means that the implementation of programmes will reach cruising speed, projects being already selected for more than 93 billion or 27% of the total financial volume for the period, as per end of March 2010;
- the closure of the 2000-2006 programmes is expected to continue in 2011, thereby requiring final payments to be made but also freeing up some resources to further speed up implementation of 2007-2013 programmes;

*Amendment*

25. Doubts that the adjustments made, notably through the allocation of delayed payments as a ratio of expected payments in future years, are fully appropriate to address all additional payment needs stemming notably from the following:

- recent legislative changes, which ***introduce a derogation to "n+2" rule for the year 2009 and*** notably aim at facilitating the management of EU funding and accelerating investments;
- 2011 will be the first full year when all Management and Control Systems will be approved, which is a precondition for interim payments, which means that the implementation of programmes will reach cruising speed, projects being already selected for more than 93 billion or 27% of the total financial volume for the period, as per end of March 2010;
- the closure of the 2000-2006 programmes is expected to continue in 2011, thereby requiring final payments to be made but also freeing up some resources to further speed up implementation of 2007-2013 programmes;

**Amendment 49**  
**Andrea Cozzolino**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***25a. Notes that the approval of major projects is proceeding slowly and calls for more information on the reasons for the delay and possible steps to speed up the process; stresses the impact that the approval of major projects will have on the level of payments;***

Or. en

**Amendment 50**  
**Carl Haglund**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

26. Considers moreover that adequate resources for cohesion policy are crucial in order to accelerate the recovery of the European economy and to contribute to the Europe 2020 strategy for the regions; calls, therefore, on the Commission and Council to present and adopt an amending budget without delay, should payment appropriations not be sufficient to cover needs;

26. Considers moreover that adequate resources for cohesion policy are crucial in order to accelerate the recovery of the European economy and to contribute to the Europe 2020 strategy for the regions; ***emphasises the synergetic effects of EU macro-regional cooperation in achieving the goals of the Europe 2020 strategy and the need to allocate sufficient resources to the implementation of existing macro-regional strategies***; calls, therefore, on the Commission and Council to present and adopt an amending budget without delay, should payment appropriations not be sufficient to cover needs;

**Amendment 51**  
**Riikka Manner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers moreover that adequate resources for Cohesion policy are crucial to accelerate the recovery of the European economy and to contribute to the Europe 2020 strategy for the regions; invites therefore the Commission and the Council to present and adopt swiftly any amending budget in case payment appropriations are not sufficient to cover the needs;

*Amendment*

26. Considers moreover that adequate resources for Cohesion policy are crucial to accelerate the recovery of the European economy ***and that linking the funds to the goals of the Europe 2020 strategy can be an effective mechanism in the contribution*** to the Europe 2020 strategy for the regions; invites therefore the Commission and the Council to present and adopt swiftly any amending budget in case payment appropriations are not sufficient to cover the needs;

**Amendment 52**  
**Helga Trüpel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

***26a. Calls on the Commission to acknowledge the crucial role the local and regional level plays in combating climate change and to respond to this challenge by revising the list of categories of expenditure (Lisbon earmarking) in Annex IV according to Article 9(3) of Council regulation (EC) No 1083/2006 laying down general provision on structural funds and by introducing categories targeted to tackle the impacts of climate change in time for being taken***

*into account for the implementation of the 2011 budget;*

Or. en

**Amendment 53**  
**Angelika Werthmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 27**

*Motion for a resolution*

27. Requests the Commission to keep on working closely especially with those Member States with a low absorption rate, in order to further improve the situation regarding absorption on the ground;

*Amendment*

27. Requests the Commission to keep on working closely especially with those Member States with a low absorption rate, in order to further improve the situation regarding absorption on the ground; *is aware that a slow absorption rate may jeopardize progressive implementation of EU policies;*

Or. en

**Amendment 54**  
**Monika Hohlmeier**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28**

*Motion for a resolution*

28. Asks to Commission also to continue its reflection on how to reshuffle the complex system of rules and requirements imposed by the Commission and/or Member States, in order to focus more on achieving objectives and less on legality and regularity, without departing from the key principle of sound financial management; stresses that such a reflection should also contribute to better drafting of the next programming period's basic regulation; recalls in this context the

*Amendment*

28. Asks to Commission also to continue its reflection on how to reshuffle the complex system of rules and requirements imposed by the Commission and/or Member States, in order to focus more on achieving objectives and less on legality and regularity, without departing from the key principle of sound financial management; stresses that such a reflection should also contribute to better drafting of the next programming period's basic regulation *and to better considering the*

November 2009 Joint Declaration on simplification and a more targeted use of structural and cohesion funds in the context of the economic crisis;

*needs of small and medium sized enterprises*; recalls in this context the November 2009 Joint Declaration on simplification and a more targeted use of structural and cohesion funds in the context of the economic crisis;

Or. en

**Amendment 55**  
**Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 29**

*Motion for a resolution*

29. Recalls that one of the main changes introduced by the TFEU is the abolition of the distinction between compulsory and non-compulsory expenditure, allowing, at last, the two branches of the budgetary authority to negotiate on a equal footing on annual appropriations and multiannual financial programming for an heading which accounts for almost 42% of the overall draft budget for 2011;

*Amendment*

29. Recalls that one of the main changes introduced by the TFEU is the abolition of the distinction between compulsory and non-compulsory expenditure *in the budget procedure*, allowing, at last, the two branches of the budgetary authority to negotiate on a equal footing on all annual appropriations, *recalls that compulsory expenditures accounted for almost 34% of the overall budget most of which were under heading 2*;

Or. en

**Amendment 56**  
**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*30a. Notes that the commitments budgeted for agriculture and rural development are stable, with €43 375 million committed for direct payments and market related expenditure and € 14 431 million for rural*



*development;*

Or. en

**Amendment 57**  
**Helga Trüpel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***30a. Regrets the absence of defining clear priorities under this Heading in favour of sustainable farming systems, which preserve biodiversity, protect water resources and soil fertility, respect animal welfare and employment;***

Or. en

**Amendment 58**  
**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***30b. Welcomes the margin of €852 million foreseen for Heading 2, which is considerably higher than had earlier been anticipated and arises from the Commission's expectation of lower expenditure for market related measures in 2011, when compared with the current budgetary year;***

Or. en

## **Amendment 59**

**Luis Manuel Capoulas Santos, Stéphane Le Foll, Francesca Balzani, Paolo De Castro**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 31**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

31. Notes that, despite the claim that appropriations remain stable, assigned revenue is down by more than 25 % in 2011, that market support is down by almost 22% (to EUR 3 491 million), and that appropriations for veterinary and plant protection measures show a fall of 7.8%;

##### *Amendment*

31. Notes that, despite the claim that appropriations remain stable, assigned revenue is down by more than 25 % in 2011, ***and expresses its concern*** that market support is down by almost 22% (to EUR 3 491 million), and that appropriations for veterinary and plant protection measures show a fall of 7.8%, ***considering increased market volatility as well as vulnerability of agricultural activity to sanitary hazards;***

Or. en

## **Amendment 60**

**Helga Trüpel**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 31 a new**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

##### *Amendment*

***31a. Requests the Commission to ensure that rural development measures under all axes will be measured against more refined performance indicators for farming systems and production methods so as to respond to the challenges related to climate change, water protection, biodiversity and renewable energies;***

Or. en

**Amendment 61**  
**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 31 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***31a. Expresses its concern about the Commission's optimistic assumptions with regard to the evolution of agricultural markets in 2011, in particular in the cereal and dairy markets, resulting in a reduction of around €900 million in market expenditure; urges the Commission to carefully monitor developments in agricultural markets and to be prepared to react swiftly and effectively with the necessary safety net measures to counter adverse market developments and volatility in market prices (which has lead to a drastic reduction in farm incomes since 2008);***

Or. en

**Amendment 62**  
**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 31 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***31b. Raises its concern about the planned decrease in commitment appropriations for public health, veterinary and phyto-sanitary measures to €340 million, stresses the need to remain vigilant when it comes to animal disease eradication;***

Or. en

**Amendment 63**  
**Helga Trüpel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 31 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***31b. Regrets that direct aids are not further conditioned to achievements of environmental and social objectives;***

Or. en

**Amendment 64**  
**Estelle Grelier, Francesca Balzani**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

32. Welcomes the increase of appropriations for decoupled direct aid (9,7%), school fruit and vegetables scheme (50%, to 90 million), and school milk (5,3%), **and** notes with satisfaction the constant decrease of export refunds since 2007 (to 166 million in DB 2011);

32. Welcomes the increase of appropriations for decoupled direct aid (9,7%), school fruit and vegetables scheme (50%, to 90 million), and school milk (5,3%), **as well as the appropriations foreseen for the program "aid for deprived persons" for which it expects the Council to eventually reach an agreement on the Commission's proposal to change the legal basis;** notes with satisfaction the constant decrease of export refunds since 2007 (to 166 million in DB 2011);

Or. en

**Amendment 65**  
**Angelika Werthmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32**

*Motion for a resolution*

32. Welcomes the increase of appropriations for decoupled direct aid (9,7%), school fruit and vegetables scheme (50%, to 90 million), and school milk (5,3%), and notes with satisfaction the constant decrease of export refunds since 2007 (to 166 million in DB 2011);

*Amendment*

32. Welcomes the increase of appropriations for decoupled direct aid (9,7%), school fruit and vegetables scheme (50%, to 90 million), and school milk (5,3%) ***and suggests a diversification of supply, e.g. soy-milk in addition to cow's milk, considering the increase of allergies among Europeans***, and notes with satisfaction the constant decrease of export refunds since 2007 (to 166 million in DB 2011);

Or. en

**Amendment 66**  
**Franziska Katharina Brantner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32**

*Motion for a resolution*

32. Welcomes the increases in appropriations for decoupled direct aid (9,7%), the school fruit and vegetables scheme (up 50% to EUR 90 million), and school milk (5,3%), and notes with satisfaction the constant decrease in export refunds since 2007 (to EUR 166 million in the 2001 DB);

*Amendment*

32. Welcomes the increases in appropriations for decoupled direct aid (9,7%), the school fruit and vegetables scheme (up 50% to EUR 90 million), and school milk (5,3%), and notes with satisfaction the constant decrease in export refunds since 2007 (to EUR 166 million in the 2001 DB); ***calls for further reductions of the export funds in the future;***

Or. en

**Amendment 67**  
**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***32a. Recalls that the phasing-in of direct payments in the new member states creates an additional budgetary need of approximately €800 million per year, which regrettably is not covered by an increase in the overall agricultural budget; welcomes the fact that the significant margin in Heading 2 means that the financial discipline mechanism will not be exercised in 2011; is concerned that the margin for the 2012 Budget is likely to be much reduced; notes with alarm the Commission's warning that financial discipline will be required in 2013;***

Or. en

**Amendment 68**

**Helga Trüpel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 32 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***32a. Regrets the continued subsidising of the tobacco production in the EU, which is contrary to the objectives of the EU health policy;***

Or. en

**Amendment 69**

**Monika Hohlmeier**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 32 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**32a. notes that only payments of about 500 million euro are foreseen in 2011 to fund agreed IT-broadband projects in rural area; notes that there are no commitments related to broadband in 2011; calls for new commitments in 2011 to further advance broadband projects in rural areas;**

Or. en

**Amendment 70**  
**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**32b. Notes the increase foreseen for the school fruit scheme, welcomes the Commission decision to reallocate funds unspent by several member states to other member states successfully implementing the programme;**

Or. en

**Amendment 71**  
**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 33**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

33. Notes that climate action is a priority, as set out in the Europe 2020 strategy, and notes the change in the heading of Title 07 to 'Environment and climate action'; takes

33. Notes that climate action is a priority, as set out in the Europe 2020 strategy, and notes the change in the heading of Title 07 to 'Environment and climate action'; takes

note of the increase in appropriations proposed for the implementation of EU policy and legislation on climate action and a new preparatory action on mainstreaming climate action and adaptation;

note of the increase in appropriations proposed for the implementation of EU policy and legislation on climate action, and a new preparatory action on mainstreaming climate action and adaptation; *asks for further attention to reforestation;*

Or. en

**Amendment 72**  
**Patrice Tirolien, Estelle Grelier**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 33 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*33a. Is surprised that the appropriations earmarked in the 2011 draft budget for the Programme of Options Specifically Relating to Remoteness and Insularity (POSEI) (Item 05 03 02 50) are lower than in the 2010 budget, whereas the trading agreements recently negotiated by the Union (the Agreement on Trade in Bananas, signed at the WTO in December 2009, and the EU-Colombia/Peru free-trade agreement) could directly affect European producers in the banana, sugar and rum sectors and those producers' compensation requirements could increase; calls on the Commission to carry out an impact assessment promptly on this matter;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 73**  
**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 33 a new**



*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**33a. Requests an adequate budgetary consideration of climate change issues, including EU contribution to international efforts, in the next Multiannual Financial Framework proposal which Commission envisages to adopt before 1 July 2011;**

Or. en

**Amendment 74**  
**Vladko Todorov Panayotov**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 34**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

34. Welcomes the increase in CA for LIFE+ to EUR 333.5 million (up by 8.7%) and welcomes the sharp increase in PA (24,3%, to EUR 268.2 million) in line with improved implementation rates;

34. Welcomes the increase in CA for LIFE+ to EUR 333.5 million (up by 8.7%), **also in view of the follow up actions from the planned biodiversity strategy in 2010**, and welcomes the sharp increase in PA (24,3%, to EUR 268.2 million) in line with improved implementation rates;

Or. en

**Amendment 75**  
**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 34**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

34. Welcomes the increase in CA for LIFE+ to EUR 333.5 million (up by 8.7%) and welcomes the sharp increase in PA (24,3%, to EUR 268.2 million) in line with

34. Welcomes the increase in CA for LIFE+ to EUR 333.5 million (up by 8.7%) and welcomes the sharp increase in PA (24,3%, to EUR 268.2 million) in line with

improved implementation rates;

improved implementation rates *also in view of the follow up actions from the planned biodiversity strategy in 2010; asks to Commission to put more emphasis on LIFE+ projects dealing with water pollution in the Mediterranean and Black Sea and its effects on the seacoast;*

Or. en

**Amendment 76**  
**Helga Trüpel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 34**

*Motion for a resolution*

34. Welcomes the increase in CA for LIFE+ to EUR 333.5 million (up by 8.7%) and welcomes the sharp increase in PA (24,3%, to EUR 268.2 million) in line with improved implementation rates;

*Amendment*

34. Welcomes the increase in CA for LIFE+ to EUR 333.5 million (up by 8.7%) and welcomes the sharp increase in PA (24,3%, to EUR 268.2 million) in line with improved implementation rates; *but points out that the LIFE+ appropriations are very limited compared to the vast environmental challenges the EU faces;*

Or. en

**Amendment 77**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 34 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*34a. Recalls that water and water management is of high importance for the European Union; asks the Commission to fund adequately the monitoring of the correct implementation of EU water legislation to conduct in-*

*depth studies on water accounts at river basin level as well as on the ongoing work on environmental and ecosystem accounts;*

Or. en

**Amendment 78**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 34 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***34b. Recalls the priority to ensure correct implementation of the EU environment aquis, and insists that sufficient resources be dedicated to monitoring implementation and follow up of complaint; highlights the importance of associating stakeholders to the preparation and implementation of environmental legislation and calls for adequate resources for supporting NGOs as regards their contribution to this task;***

Or. en

**Amendment 79**

**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 35**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

35. Recalls that the Milk Fund adopted under the 2010 budget to mitigate the consequences of the dairy crisis was supposed to be a one-off action; asks the Commission to forward its evaluation of this measure, together with proposals for a

35. Recalls that the Milk Fund adopted under the 2010 budget to mitigate the consequences of the dairy crisis was supposed to be a one-off action; asks the Commission ***to examine how the €300 million in exceptional funding for the***

permanent approach and concrete proposals for dealing with price volatility in this sector;

*dairy sector is being used by the member states and* to forward its evaluation of this measure, together with proposals for a permanent approach and concrete proposals for dealing with price volatility in this sector;

Or. en

**Amendment 80**  
**Franziska Katharina Brantner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35**

*Motion for a resolution*

35. Recalls that the Milk Fund adopted under the 2010 budget to mitigate the consequences of the dairy crisis was *supposed to be a one-off action*; asks the Commission to forward its evaluation of this measure, together with proposals for a permanent approach and concrete proposals for dealing with price volatility in this sector;

*Amendment*

35. Recalls that the Milk Fund adopted under the 2010 budget to mitigate the consequences of the dairy crisis *was supposed to be and should be handled as a one-off action*; asks the Commission to forward its evaluation of this measure, together with proposals for a permanent approach and concrete proposals for dealing with price volatility in this sector;

Or. en

**Amendment 81**  
**Göran Färm, Francesca Balzani, Paolo De Castro, Luis Manuel Capoulas Santos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35**

*Motion for a resolution*

35. Recalls that the "Milk Fund" adopted in 2010 Budget to mitigate the consequences of the dairy crisis was supposed to be a one-off action; asks the Commission to forward its evaluation of this measure and its proposals for a permanent approach and concrete proposals for dealing with price

*Amendment*

35. Recalls that the "Milk Fund" adopted in 2010 Budget to mitigate the consequences of the dairy crisis was supposed to be a one-off action; asks the Commission to forward its evaluation of this measure and its proposals for a permanent approach and concrete proposals for dealing with price

volatility in this sector;

volatility in this sector; *including measures to correct the unfair competition currently existing in the dairy sector, where farmers receive less for their products, whilst the price for consumers stays at the same level;*

Or. en

**Amendment 82**  
**Giovanni La Via, Damien Abad**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35**

*Motion for a resolution*

35. Recalls that the Milk Fund adopted under the 2010 budget to mitigate the consequences of the dairy crisis was supposed to be a one-off action; asks the Commission to forward its evaluation of this measure, together with proposals for a permanent approach and concrete proposals for dealing with price volatility *in this sector*;

*Amendment*

35. Recalls that the Milk Fund adopted under the 2010 Budget to mitigate the consequences of the dairy crisis was supposed to be a one-off action; asks the Commission to forward its evaluation of this measure, together with proposals for a permanent approach *for all agricultural sectors* and concrete proposals for dealing with price volatility *in their markets*;

Or. en

**Amendment 83**  
**Ulrike Rodust, Carl Haglund, Isabella Lövin**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*35a. Point out that the funds proposed for the development of an integrated Maritime Policy (IMP) are not sufficient to cover the most important aspects of the launch of this new policy; stresses that a new European Union maritime policy could develop to the detriment of the*

*existing priority areas of the CFP in so far as their budgetary funding is concerned; stresses, that in future the IMP should also be financed by means provided from budgetary lines foreseen for transport policies;*

Or. en

**Amendment 84**

**Ulrike Rodust, Salvador Garriga Polledo, Carl Haglund, Isabella Lövin**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 35 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*35b. Expresses its concern that the political importance of the Common Fisheries Policy(CFP) is not adequately reflected in the draft budget for 2011; points out that the funds proposed for the development of an Integrated Maritime policy are not sufficient to cover the most important aspects of the launch of this new policy; stresses that a new European Union maritime policy could develop to the detriment of the existing priority areas of the CFP in so far as their budgetary funding is concerned; stresses, that in future such a policy will require adequate financing under more than one budget line;*

Or. en

**Amendment 85**

**Ulrike Rodust, Carl Haglund**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 35 c new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***35c. Expresses its concern that the political importance of the Common Fisheries policy (CFP) is not adequately reflected in the draft budget 2011, as the European Commission proposes a decrease in commitment appropriations by 0,6% compared to the 2010 budget;***

Or. en

**Amendment 86  
Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 35 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***35a. Considers that an Erasmus-type programme should be established for young farmers and students in agricultural colleges, which would allow for a cross-border exchange of best practices in farm management, in particular with regard to the challenges facing European agriculture;***

Or. en

**Amendment 87  
Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 35 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***35b. Reiterates its call for the setting up a European coordinated network for animal welfare<sup>1</sup> and suggests that a new budget***

---

<sup>1</sup> European Parliament resolution of 5 May 2010 on evaluation and assessment of the Animal Welfare Action

*line should be created to support this network and its coordinating body;*

Or. en

**Amendment 88**  
**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35 c new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*35c. Considers that the Commission should establish a pilot project to examine the price formation of agricultural produce, particularly within the milk market; notes that as producers, farmers bear most of the market risks when the sector encounters problems;*

Or. en

**Amendment 89**  
**Helga Trüpel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35 anew**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*35a. Considers effective fisheries' management of crucial importance in order to preserve fish stocks and prevent overfishing; in that context considers necessary to allocate increased funding to basic research into marine ecology, to the collection of scientific data and to the Fisheries Control Agency as well as to Member states' control activities; the EU should also contribute to improved controls in the waters of developing*



*countries;*

Or. en

**Amendment 90**  
**Mairead McGuinness**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35 d new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***35d. Calls on the Commission to establish a pilot project aimed at disseminating information to consumers through campaigns, for example, in schools and points of sale, regarding European agri-food produce and the high standards achieved by European producers in terms of quality, food safety, animal welfare and environmental standards; draws attention to the work of organisations throughout the EU that enhance public understanding of the vital role played by agriculture in society; asks the Commission to examine the possibility of exchanging information and best practices between such organisations;***

Or. en

**Amendment 91**  
**Salvatore Iacolino, Simon Busuttil, Mario Mauro, Wim Van De Camp**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 36 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***36a. Points to the need for better-funded action to improve conditions for prisoners, in particular in jails known to be overcrowded, not least because there are convicts from third countries, as***

*stated in Parliament's resolution of 25 November 2009 on the Stockholm Programme; points to the need for priorities to include the appropriate social inclusion measures, with schemes for reintegration into society, as provided for in that programme;*

Or. it

**Amendment 92**

**Miguel Portas, Marie-Christine Vergiat on behalf of Confederal Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 36 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*36a. Notes with satisfaction the overall increase in payment appropriations for the fundamental rights and justice item, but regrets the reduction in payment appropriations for the budget heading on fundamental rights and citizenship in spite of the entry into force of the Treaty of Lisbon, the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the Union, the Union's obligation to accede to the European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms (ECHR) and the Commission's Green Paper on a Citizens' Initiative; notes furthermore the stagnation of the budget of the Union's Agency for Fundamental Rights Agency;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 93**

**Miguel Portas, Marie-Christine Vergiat on behalf of Confederal Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 36 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***36b. Calls on the Commission and Council to allocate a specific budget - separate from that of the European Data Protection Supervisor - for safeguarding personal data and privacy, having regard to public awareness of this and to Article 16 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union; very much deplores the fact that, despite the non-existence of a Commission legislative proposal, a budget heading has been introduced, with a significant funding allocation, albeit entered in the reserve, in order to establish an agency for the operational management of large-scale information technology systems;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 94**

**Salvatore Iacolino, Simon Busuttil, Mario Mauro, Wim van De Camp**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 36 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***36b. Considers that anti-drugs action should be stepped up - with suitable funding - through prevention and rehabilitation, without prejudice, where necessary, to measures to lessen the harm caused;***

Or. it

**Amendment 95**  
**Alexander Alvaro**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 36 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***36a. Notes that the Stockholm programme includes the promotion of a legal framework applicable to cyberspace within the Union ensuring a very high level of network security and better reactions in the event of cyber attacks; Deplores that no significant steps have as yet been taken to develop and fund a European model for cyber security;***

Or. en

**Amendment 96**  
**Miguel Portas, Marie-Christine Vergiat on behalf of the Confederal Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and welcomes, ***in the field of immigration and*** support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %) ;

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and welcomes ***the increase of the*** support for the integration of immigrants ***and the increase in CA for the DAPHNE programme (fight against violence) ; regrets the reduction of payment appropriations for the prevention and fight against crime and the lack of budgetary information on various measures and actions to protect children; deeply regrets that as the action plan of the Stockholm program proposed by the Commission the draft budget continues to focus on migration policies and on the monitoring and management of borders of the Union to the detriment of the promotion of justice and the protection and***

*enhancement of civil liberties; regrets the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %) ;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 97**

**Francesca Balzani, Andrea Cozzolino, Patrizia Toia, Gianni Pittella**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 37**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and welcomes, in the field of immigration and support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %);

###### *Amendment*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and welcomes, in the field of immigration and support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %); ***this requires the Commission to equally reinforce all financial instruments aimed at strengthening the political, economic and development partnership with countries of origin and transit, including best practices in the use of labour remittances for development projects;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 98**

**Mario Mauro, Giovanni La Via, Sergio Paolo Francesco Silvestris, Giovanni Collino, Barbara Matera**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 37**

*Motion for a resolution*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and welcomes, in the field of immigration and support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %);

*Amendment*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and welcomes, in the field of immigration and support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %); ***this requires the Commission to reinforce all programmes aimed at dealing with migration issues in the countries of origin;***

Or. en

**Amendment 99**  
**Jürgen Klute**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37**

*Motion for a resolution*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and **welcomes**, in the field of immigration and support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %);

*Amendment*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and ***strongly disapproves***, in the field of immigration and support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed ***huge*** increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %), ***which constitutes the most considerable CA increase of this whole draft budget;***

Or. en

**Amendment 100**  
**Francesca Balzani**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37**

*Motion for a resolution*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and welcomes, in the field of immigration and support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %);

*Amendment*

37. Takes note, in this respect, of the Commission's communication on an Action Plan to implement the Stockholm Programme, and welcomes, in the field of immigration and support for the integration of immigrants, the proposed increase in CA for the External Borders Fund (254 million, +22 %) and the European Return Fund (114 million, + 29 %); ***regrets the small increase of the appropriations on the European Refugee Fund (94 million, +1.3 %)***;

Or. en

**Amendment 101**  
**Jürgen Klute**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

***37a. Points out that such an increase clearly reflects the Commission's commitment to an exclusively safety oriented migration policy, without a sufficient consideration of the other ways to manage migration flows;***

Or. en

**Amendment 102**  
**Simon Busuttil, Wim van De Camp**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 38**

*Motion for a resolution*

**38. Acknowledges that the proposed decrease of appropriations foreseen for FRONTEX in 2011 despite its growing tasks stems from an updated evaluation of its unused appropriations and annual surpluses;**

*Amendment*

**38. Reaffirms the political priority that it has always attributed to FRONTEX and the need to ensure that this agency has sufficient financial resources to be able to perform its mandate; notes that the imminent review of the mandate of the agency will include decisions, such as on the ability of the agency to purchase or hire its own assets and equipment, which will imply significant financial considerations;**

Or. en

**Amendment 103**

**Simon Busuttil, Wim van De Camp**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 38 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

**Amendment 104**

**Simon Busuttil, Wim van De Camp**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 38 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**38a. Calls for an urgent review of the funds of the 'Solidarity and Management of Migration Flows' General Programme in order to assess their level of implementation and whether their objectives should be reviewed in the light of experience and best practices;**

Or. en

*Amendment*

**38b. Welcomes the adoption of the**



*regulation on the establishment of a European Asylum Support Office (EASO) and calls on the Commission to ensure that the EASO commences its operations in good time before 2011 and that enough financial resources are made available for the office to commence its mandate;*

Or. en

**Amendment 105**

**Miguel Portas, Marie-Christine Vergiat on behalf of the Confederal Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 39**

*Motion for a resolution*

39. *Deplores* that pending the proposal for a Regulation on EUROPOL, EU agency financed on the Union's budget since 2010, foreseen in 2013, the level of appropriations for 2011 (82,9 million) is almost unchanged as compared to 2010 (79,7 million) although the Stockholm Programme called for a strengthening of EUROPOL;

*Amendment*

39. *Notes* that pending the proposal for a Regulation on EUROPOL, EU agency financed on the Union's budget since 2010, foreseen in 2013, the level of appropriations for 2011 (82,9 million) is almost unchanged as compared to 2010 (79,7 million) although the Stockholm Programme called for a strengthening of EUROPOL;

Or. en

**Amendment 106**

**Monika Hohlmeier**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 40**

*Motion for a resolution*

40. notes that despite the timetable for development and entry into operation of the Schengen Information System II (SIS II) being uncertain, proposed CA decrease only slightly from 35 million to 30 million

*Amendment*

40. notes that despite the timetable for development and entry into operation of the Schengen Information System II (SIS II) being uncertain, proposed CA decrease only slightly from 35 million to 30 million

while payment appropriations increase from 19,5 million to 21 million; *notes nevertheless satisfactorily the evolution compared to financial programming for SIS II and VIS (as planned in January 2010) when 112 million were programmed, whereas DB foresees only 51,2 million;* deems necessary, as the perspective of a migration to SIS II grows unlikely and a replacement option is currently prepared, to hold in reserve a part of these funds instead pending further analysis;

while payment appropriations increase from 19,5 million to 21 million; *recalls that the Commission had calculated with 27,91 million until the entry into operation of SIS II in the fourth quarter of 2011; points out that the development of the SIS II is already behind the foreseen schedule and will most likely not be finalised by the end of 2011;* deems necessary, as the perspective of a migration to SIS II grows unlikely and a replacement option is currently prepared, to hold in reserve a part of these funds instead pending further analysis;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 107**

**Miguel Portas, Marie-Christine Vergiat on behalf of the Confederal Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 40**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

40. Notes that despite the timetable for development and entry into operation of the Schengen Information System II (SIS II) being uncertain, proposed CA decrease only slightly from 35 million to 30 million while payment appropriations increase from 19,5 million to 21 million; notes nevertheless *satisfactorily* the evolution compared to financial programming for SIS II and VIS (as planned in January 2010) when 112 million were programmed, whereas DB foresees only 51,2 million; deems necessary, as the perspective of a migration to SIS II grows unlikely and a replacement option is currently prepared, to hold in reserve *a part of* these funds *instead pending* further analysis;

##### *Amendment*

40. Notes that despite the timetable for development and entry into operation of the Schengen Information System II (SIS II) being uncertain, proposed CA decrease only slightly from 35 million to 30 million while payment appropriations increase from 19,5 million to 21 million; notes nevertheless the evolution compared to financial programming for SIS II and VIS (as planned in January 2010) when 112 million were programmed, whereas DB foresees only 51,2 million; deems necessary, as the perspective of a migration to SIS II grows unlikely and a replacement option is currently prepared, to hold in reserve these funds *and to conduct* further *precise* analysis *of the situation*;

Or. en

**Amendment 108**  
**Monika Hohlmeier**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 40 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***40a. emphasises that the financing of the planned Agency for the operation management of large-scale IT systems in the area of freedom, security and justice must not lead to the development of additional IT systems as long as SIS II or an alternative solution and VIS are not yet operable; asks for a clear specification of costs of this Agency and its projects;***

Or. en

**Amendment 109**  
**Angelika Werthmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 41**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

41. Recalls that heading 3b covers issues of key concern to the citizens of Europe, such as youth, educational and cultural programmes, public health, consumer protection, the civil protection instrument and communication policy; ***notes*** therefore with great concern that the global appropriations decrease for a second consecutive year, reducing CA by 0,03% (at 667,8 million) and PA by 3,1% (at 638,9 million) compared to Budget 2010, leaving a margin of 15,2 million;

41. Recalls that heading 3b covers issues of key concern to the citizens of Europe, such as youth, educational and cultural programmes, public health, consumer protection, the civil protection instrument and communication policy; ***deplores***, therefore with great concern that the global appropriations decrease for a second consecutive year, reducing CA by 0,03% (at 667,8 million) and PA by 3,1% (at 638,9 million) compared to Budget 2010, leaving a margin of 15,2 million;

Or. en

**Amendment 110**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 42 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***42a. Regrets that Commission was not able to present a timely proposal on how to fund measures to improve public awareness of the harmful effects of tobacco consumption via the Community's Tobacco fund in 2011 which results in a p.m. on budget line 17 03 02; requests from the Commission a proposal before the budget negotiations commence between the European Parliament and the Council;***

Or. en

**Amendment 111**

**Damien Abad, Pascale Gruny**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 43**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

43. Reiterates that coordinated and multidisciplinary investment in youth must be started without delay as a cross-policy theme, and that an increase in youth policy instrument funding should accordingly be proposed; deplores the lack of ambition shown by the Commission in failing properly to address this priority and confirms its intention to amend the draft budget in order to provide appropriate funding for this priority;

43. Reiterates that coordinated and multidisciplinary investment in youth must be started without delay as a cross-policy theme, and that an increase in youth policy instrument funding should accordingly be proposed; deplores the lack of ambition shown by the Commission in failing properly to address this priority and confirms its intention to amend the draft budget in order to provide appropriate funding for this priority; ***in this context, the "Youth in Action" programme should be considered as a priority;***

Or. en

## Amendment 112

Cătălin Sorin Ivan, Francesca Balzani, Estelle Grelier

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 44

##### *Motion for a resolution*

44. Recalls that encouraging and promoting cooperation in the field of youth and sports is a priority for the 2011 budget and stresses that financial support for special annual events is an important tool to this end; deplores the fact that no CA have been included in the draft budget for 2011 (p.m. in CA and only EUR 2.9 million in PA), as against EUR 9.8 million and EUR 10.25 million respectively in the 2010 budget;

##### *Amendment*

44. Recalls that encouraging and promoting cooperation in the field of youth and sports is a priority for the 2011 budget and stresses that financial support for special annual events is an important tool to this end; deplores the fact that no CA have been included in the draft budget for 2011 (p.m. in CA and only EUR 2.9 million in PA), as against EUR 9.8 million and EUR 10.25 million respectively in the 2010 budget; ***furthermore underlines that sport is a new competence under the Lisbon Treaty which should be adequately funded in the 2011 budget;***

Or. en

## Amendment 113

Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 45

##### *Motion for a resolution*

45. Welcomes the launch of the European Year on Volunteering in 2011, building on the preparatory action introduced under the 2010 budget 2010, and recalls Parliament's decision to increase the overall allocation provided for in the relevant legislative act to EUR 8 million;

##### *Amendment*

45. Welcomes the launch of the European Year on Volunteering in 2011, building on the preparatory action introduced under the 2010 budget 2010, and recalls Parliament's ***and Council's*** decision to increase the overall allocation provided for in the relevant legislative act to EUR 8 million;

Or. en

**Amendment 114**  
**Franziska Katharina Brantner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45**

*Motion for a resolution*

45. **Welcomes** the launch of the European Year on Volunteering in 2011, building on the preparatory action introduced under the 2010 budget 2010, and recalls Parliament's decision to increase the overall allocation provided for in the relevant legislative act to EUR 8 million;

*Amendment*

45. **Strongly supports** the launch of the European Year on Volunteering in 2011, building on the preparatory action introduced under the 2010 budget 2010, and recalls Parliament's decision to increase the overall allocation provided for in the relevant legislative act to EUR 8 million;

Or. en

**Amendment 115**  
**Sylvie Guillaume, Estelle Grelier, Francesca Balzani, Cătălin Sorin Ivan**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**45a. Takes the view that the resources currently given over to citizenship, i.e. 0.5% of the Community budget, are nowhere near enough to genuinely realise our objective of bringing Europe closer to citizens;**

Or. fr

**Amendment 116**  
**Cătălin Sorin Ivan, Morten Løkkegaard**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**45a. Is concerned about the proposed decreases in commitments for communication and the media in the draft budget (Chapter 16 02) on certain budget lines, particularly for 'information for the media', and underlines the importance of these lines for communicating the European project to its citizens; asks the European Commission to provide further justification on these proposed cuts;**

Or. en

**Amendment 117**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 45 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**45a. Recalls that in light of the pan-epidemic flu H1N1 and the continuing challenges such as increasing antimicrobial resistance in Europe, that public health is an important priority; therefore considers that it is necessary to adequately fund the ECDC to fulfil its legal obligations;**

Or. en

**Amendment 118**

**Cătălin Sorin Ivan, Francesca Balzani, Estelle Grelier**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 45 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**45a. Deplores the cuts of nearly 4 million in commitments for the programme 'Europe for Citizens' and recalls the importance of this programme in the development of European citizenship through support for concrete actions such as town-twinning;**

Or. en

**Amendment 119**

**Sylvie Guillaume, Zita Gurmai, Gerald Häfner, Ramón Jáuregui Atondo**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 45 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**45a. The European Parliament calls for extra budgetary means in order to facilitate the implementation of the European citizens' initiative for the citizens, with the aim of provide help and assistance to citizens who wish to make use of this new instrument;**

Or. en

**Amendment 120**

**Roberto Gualtieri, Francesca Balzani**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 46 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46a. Recalls once again the very tight margins available in heading 4, in spite of the fact that this heading is regularly confronted to recurring international crisis and emergencies, as**



*highlighted also in the Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on the on the functioning of the Interinstitutional Agreement on budgetary discipline and sound financial management (COM(2010) 185 final);*

Or. en

**Amendment 121**

**Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Gunnar Hökmark, Traian Ungureanu**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 46 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***46a. Calls on the European Commission that in order to fulfil the objectives and secure effective implementation of the Eastern Partnership, extra financial assistance should be provided for the new ENPI Multi-Annual Indicative Programmes and National Indicative Programs for the period 2011-2013 covering Eastern Partnership countries.***

Or. en

**Amendment 122**

**José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra, Roberto Gualtieri on behalf of the Committee on Foreign Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 47**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

47. Is extremely worried by the proposed decrease of more than 32% for CA for financial assistance to Palestine, the peace process and UNRWA; considers that the Commission's statement on "the exceptionally high allocations of previous

47. Is extremely worried by the proposed decrease of more than 32% for CA for financial assistance to Palestine, the peace process and UNRWA; considers that the Commission's statement on "the exceptionally high allocations of previous

years [that] cannot be maintained without jeopardising the funding for other countries in the region" reinforces the urgent need for a substantial revision of financing capacities under heading 4, and should not lead to a decreased financial assistance which is vital for the Palestinian people, the Palestinian Authority, and UNRWA;

years [that] cannot be maintained without jeopardising the funding for other countries in the region" reinforces the urgent need for a substantial revision of financing capacities under heading 4, and should not lead to a decreased financial assistance which is vital for the Palestinian people, the Palestinian Authority, and UNRWA; ***reiterates its support for the Palestinian Authority in reinforcing its institutional capacities, which is essential to set up an independent and viable, democratic Palestinian State in the context of the peace process and the achievement of the two-state solution;***

Or. en

**Amendment 123**  
**Franziska Katharina Brantner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47**

*Motion for a resolution*

47. Is extremely worried by the proposed decrease of more than 32% in CA for financial assistance to Palestine, the peace process and UNRWA; considers that the Commission's statement on 'the exceptionally high allocations of previous years [that] cannot be maintained without jeopardising the funding for other countries in the region' reinforces the urgent need for a substantial revision of financing capacities under heading 4, and should not lead to a decrease in financial assistance which is vital for the Palestinian people, the Palestinian Authority, and UNRWA;

*Amendment*

Is extremely worried by the proposed decrease of more than 32% for CA for financial assistance to Palestine, the peace process and UNRWA; ***bearing in mind with great concern that already the current level of UNRWA funding has been insufficient and needed to be backed up by extra funds stemming from the Stability Instrument;*** considers that the Commission's statement on "the exceptionally high allocations of previous years [that] cannot be maintained without jeopardising the funding for other countries in the region" reinforces the urgent need for a substantial revision of financing capacities under heading 4, and should not lead to a decreased financial assistance which is vital for the Palestinian people, the Palestinian Authority, and UNRWA;

**Amendment 124**  
**Ingeborg Gräßle**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 49**

*Motion for a resolution*

49. Takes note of the substantial increase in appropriations (13.2%) to cover the enlargement process, in which further progress is expected in 2011 (ongoing and potential negotiations with Croatia, Iceland, FYROM, Turkey and Western Balkans);

*Amendment*

49. Takes note of the substantial increase in appropriations (13.2%) to cover the enlargement process, in which further progress is expected in 2011 (ongoing and potential negotiations with Croatia, Iceland, FYROM, Turkey and Western Balkans); ***expects that the Commission reinforces its activities in these countries to fight corruption and to encourage the implementation of projects strengthening the independence of the judiciary and the development of professional law enforcement;***

**Amendment 125**  
**Francesca Balzani, Andrea Cozzolino, Patrizia Toia, Gianni Pittella**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 50 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

***50a. Stresses the need to increase the Community budget for funding measures designed to address migration phenomena, with a view to improving the management of legal migration, slowing down illegal migration and optimising the impact of migration on development;***

*Amendment*

**Amendment 126**

**Mario Mauro, Giovanni La Via, Sergio Paolo Francesco Silvestris, Giovanni Collino,  
Barbara Matera**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 50 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***50a. Stresses the need to increase the  
Community budget for funding measures  
designed to address migration  
phenomena, with a view to improving the  
management of legal migration, slowing  
down illegal migration and optimising the  
impact of migration on development;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 127**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food  
Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 50 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***50a. Draws attention to the importance of  
predictable and reliable international  
financing for climate efforts in developing  
countries as a precondition for  
international climate agreement for the  
period after 2012; expresses its concern  
regarding coherence and visibility of the  
EU fast start finance contribution in the  
Copenhagen Accord and calls for  
Member States to make information  
promptly available for the Commission to  
ensure full transparency and additionality  
of the EU contribution;***

**Amendment 128**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 50 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***50a. Welcomes the agreement of EUR2.4 billion a year for mitigation and adaptation to climate change but insists that this 'fast start' climate finance package must be genuinely additional and does not come at the expense of existing development cooperation programmes; requests confirmation that the EU share of this package — EUR 65 million proposed for 2011 — is not redeployed from the Development Cooperation Instrument and is therefore additional; is concerned that the draft budget for 2011 foresees over EUR 1 million less for the environment and sustainable management of natural resources than in 2010;***

**Amendment 129**

**Franziska Katharina Brantner**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 51**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***51. Recalls its support for the principle of financial assistance for the main ACP banana supplying countries, but reiterates its firm opposition to the financing of Banana Accompanying Measures via the***

***51. Recalls that the constrained margin of the heading does not allow the financing of such measures that were not foreseen when the MFF was adopted in 2006 and recalls that until now the Commission has failed***

*use of the margin;* recalls that the limited margin under the heading does not allow the financing of such measures, which were not provided for when the MFF was adopted in 2006; is also firmly opposed to any redeployment from existing instruments within heading 4 that would jeopardise existing priorities;

*to return funds (240 Million) used for the Food Facility to heading 4 and especially the Instrument for Stability as demanded by the Committee on Budgets in paragraph 23 of report A7-0038/2009 adopted on 12. October 2009;* is also firmly reluctant towards any redeployment from existing instruments within heading 4 that would jeopardise existing priorities;

Or. en

**Amendment 130**  
**Peter Šťastný**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 51 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***51a. Supports to finance programs for banana-producing countries with strictly prioritizing poorest LDCs;***

Or. en

**Amendment 131**  
**José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra, Roberto Gualtieri on behalf of the Committee on Foreign Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 51 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***51a. Reiterates its intention to provide the European External Action Service with the necessary administrative means to fulfil its mission; points in particular to the need to ensure that EU Delegations to multilateral organisations are adequately staffed in order to cope with the onerous***

*additional tasks resulting from the fact that they take over the role of rotating Presidency of the Council; underlines however that the allocation of new resources for the inclusion of personnel originating in the diplomatic services of the Member States and the costs for the necessary infrastructure should be linked to an appropriate increase of the EU budget related to external action;*

Or. en

**Amendment 132**

**José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra, on behalf of the Committee on Foreign Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 51 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*51b. Is of the view that EU Special Representatives should carry out their mandate, as set out in Art. 33, within the EEAS, under the authority of the High Representative, and that their mandate, defined by the Council, should continue to be financed under the CFSP budget;*

Or. en

**Amendment 133**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Kader Arif**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 51 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*51a. Firmly rejects any attempts to finance the programme for ACP banana-producing countries through*

*redeployment of development appropriations within heading 4, in particular from the budget lines for development cooperation; is particularly opposed to the proposal in the draft budget to redeploy for this purpose EUR 13 million from the Development Cooperation Instrument and EUR 5 million from the Civil Protection Financial Instrument;*

Or. en

**Amendment 134**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Kader Arif**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 51 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***51b. Welcomes the proposal to amend the regulation creating an instrument for industrialised countries<sup>1</sup> but resolutely opposes its being financed with appropriations programmed for use under the Development Cooperation Instrument; stresses that funds earmarked for development cooperation must target poverty alleviation; is extremely dissatisfied that of the EUR 70,6 million total appropriations earmarked for this new instrument in the draft budget, EUR 45 million are taken from the Development Cooperation Instrument;***

<sup>1</sup> Proposal for a Regulation amending Regulation EC N° 1934/2006 establishing a financing instrument for cooperation with industrialised countries and other high-income countries and territories

Or. en



### Amendment 135

Kader Arif, Roberto Gualtieri Marielle De Sarnez, Yannick Jadot on behalf of the Committee on International Trade

#### Motion for a resolution

##### Paragraph 51 b new

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***51b. Welcomes the proposal to amend the regulation creating an instrument for industrialised countries but resolutely opposes its being financed with appropriations programmed for use under the Development Cooperation Instrument; stresses that funds earmarked for development cooperation must target poverty alleviation; is extremely dissatisfied that of the EUR 70,6 million total appropriations earmarked for this new instrument in the draft budget, EUR 45 million are taken from the Development Cooperation Instrument;***

Or. en

### Amendment 136

Ingeborg Gräble

#### Motion for a resolution

##### Paragraph 52

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

52. Welcomes the increase in appropriations for the CFSP to EUR 327.4 million (CA), as provided for in the financial programming and in line with the ever more ambitious role the EU wishes to play in zones undergoing a stabilisation process or affected by conflicts; takes note of the emptying of the budget line for EU Special Representatives, as provided for in connection with the setting up of the

52. Welcomes the increase in appropriations for the CFSP to EUR 327.4 million (CA), as provided for in the financial programming and in line with the ever more ambitious role the EU wishes to play in zones undergoing a stabilisation process or affected by conflicts; ***asks for more detailed information about the increase of the appropriations;*** takes note of the emptying of the budget line for EU

EEAS, and recalls that the specific provisions regarding the CFSP in the IIA will have to be substantially rethought in the framework of the negotiations on a revised IIA and of the adoption of a proposal on the EEAS;

Special Representatives, as provided for in connection with the setting up of the EEAS, and recalls that the specific provisions regarding the CFSP in the IIA will have to be substantially rethought in the framework of the negotiations on a revised IIA and of the adoption of a proposal on the EEAS;

Or. en

**Amendment 137**  
**Riikka Manner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 52**

*Motion for a resolution*

52. Welcomes the increase of appropriations for CFSP to 327,4 million (CA), as foreseen in the financial programming and in line with the ever ambitious role the EU wishes to play in zones in a stabilisation process or affected by conflicts; takes note of the emptying of the budget line for EU Special Representatives, as foreseen in the setting up of the EEAS, and recalls that the specific provisions regarding CFSP in the IIA will have to be substantially rethought in the framework of the negotiation on a revised IIA and of the adoption of a proposal on the EEAS;

*Amendment*

52. Welcomes the increase of appropriations for CFSP to 327,4 million (CA), as foreseen in the financial programming and in line with the ever ambitious role the EU wishes to play in zones in a stabilisation process or affected by conflicts **and crises**; takes note of the emptying of the budget line for EU Special Representatives, as foreseen in the setting up of the EEAS, and recalls that the specific provisions regarding CFSP in the IIA will have to be substantially rethought in the framework of the negotiation on a revised IIA and of the adoption of a proposal on the EEAS;

Or. en

**Amendment 138**

**Miguel Portas on behalf of the Confederal Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 52**

*Motion for a resolution*

52. **Welcomes** the increase in appropriations for the CFSP to EUR 327.4 million (CA), as provided for in the financial programming and in line with the ever more ambitious role the EU wishes to play in zones undergoing a stabilisation process or affected by conflicts; takes note of the emptying of the budget line for EU Special Representatives, as provided for in connection with the setting up of the EEAS, and recalls that the specific provisions regarding the CFSP in the IIA will have to be substantially rethought in the framework of the negotiations on a revised IIA and of the adoption of a proposal on the EEAS;

*Amendment*

52. **Regrets** the increase in appropriations for the CFSP to EUR 327.4 million (CA), as provided for in the financial programming and in line with the ever more ambitious role the EU wishes to play in zones undergoing a stabilisation process or affected by conflicts; takes note of the emptying of the budget line for EU Special Representatives, as provided for in connection with the setting up of the EEAS, and recalls that the specific provisions regarding the CFSP in the IIA will have to be substantially rethought in the framework of the negotiations on a revised IIA and of the adoption of a proposal on the EEAS;

Or. en

**Amendment 139**

**José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra on behalf of the Committee on Foreign Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 52**

*Motion for a resolution*

52. Welcomes the increase of appropriations for CFSP to 327,4 million (CA), as foreseen in the financial programming and in line with the ever ambitious role the EU wishes to play in zones in a stabilisation process or affected by conflicts; takes note of the emptying of the budget line for EU Special

*Amendment*

52. Welcomes the increase of appropriations for CFSP to 327,4 million (CA), as foreseen in the financial programming and in line with the ever ambitious role the EU wishes to play in zones in a stabilisation process or affected by conflicts; **deletion** recalls that the specific provisions regarding CFSP in the

Representatives, as foreseen in the setting up of the EEAS, and recalls that the specific provisions regarding CFSP in the IIA will have to be substantially rethought in the framework of the negotiation on a revised IIA and of the adoption of a proposal on the EEAS;

IIA will have to be substantially rethought in the framework of the negotiation on a revised IIA and of the adoption of a proposal on the EEAS;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 140**

**José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra on behalf of the Committee on Foreign Affairs**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 52 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***52a. Underlines that pending the adoption of the revised regulation on the cooperation with industrialised countries (ICI), ways have to be found to finance non-ODA assistance to middle-income countries;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 141**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Michèle Striffler**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 52 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***52a. Welcomes the recognition under the Treaty of Lisbon of humanitarian aid as a European policy in its own right; underlines the increasingly serious consequences of natural or man-made disasters, particularly those linked to climate change, to the changing nature of***

*conflicts and to violations of international humanitarian law; calls therefore for an increase in humanitarian aid funding, incorporating disaster risk reduction;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 142**

**Kader Arif, Roberto Gualtieri, Marielle De Sarnez, Yannick Jadot on behalf of the Committee on International Trade**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 52 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*52a. Recalls the EU political commitment to dedicate 2 billion euros per year (1 billion from the EU BUDGET and 1 billion from the Member States) to Trade Related Assistance (TRA), requests the Commission to submit to the Parliament an annual report on the funds dedicated to TRA in particular as well as Aid for Trade (AfT) in general; this report should specify what are the exact sources of funding ( per EU multi annual programs as well as through EDF) , broken down by country, region and category of assistance; requests that the report also contains specific information on the history of the measures financed, the involvement of the relevant partners, and the implementation of the pledges;*

Or. en

**Amendment 143**  
**Peter Šťastný**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 52 c new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***52c. Bearing in mind that after the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty the European Parliament has been granted new powers in the field of international trade agreements, urges the Commission to fully respect the new EP prerogatives, particularly regarding transparency and flow of information; underlines that the EP might use all means at its disposal if it is not satisfied with the way the European Commission treats the EP in that respect;***

Or. en

**Amendment 144**  
**Kader Arif, Roberto Gualtieri, Marielle De Sarnez, Yannick Jadot on behalf of the Committee on International Trade**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 52 c new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***52c. Takes note of the proposed increase in the Draft Budget 2011 compared to Budget 2010 on the Macro Financial Assistance budget line (01 03 02); recalls that the mobilisation of this instrument for each third country falls under the ordinary legislative procedure and requests the Commission to provide further explanation on its proposed increase;***

Or. en

**Amendment 145**  
**Jürgen Klute**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 53 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***53a. Regrets the lack of commitment of the Commission to support civil society initiatives for conflict resolution and peace making, given the efficiency of those initiatives on the one hand and their lack of resources of the other;***

Or. en

**Amendment 146**  
**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Michèle Striffler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 53 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***53a. Is surprised at the reduction in appropriations, over 2010, proposed in the 2011 draft budget for Article 23 03 06 on civil protection in third countries when the recent disaster in Haiti clearly demonstrated the need to bolster the Community civil protection mechanism; calls in addition on the Commission to provide details of the specific measures it proposes to put in hand in setting up a preparatory action for a European Voluntary Humanitarian Aid Corps;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 147**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Michèle Striffler**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 53 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***53b. Welcomes the proposed 30% increase in the contribution to the global fund to fight AIDS, tuberculosis and malaria but considers that supporting basic health services is ultimately more effective than such than vertical health funds when it comes to improving health standards in developing countries;***

Or. en

**Amendment 148**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Michèle Striffler**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 53 c new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***53c. Notes the vital contribution played by improved access to financial services, such as microfinance schemes, in helping smallholder farmers, particularly women, achieve food self-sufficiency and food security; welcomes the success of financing in the 2009 and 2010 budgets to support such schemes and stresses the need for this to be continued and extended;***

Or. en



**Amendment 149**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Michèle Striffler**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 53 d new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***53d. Calls on the Commission to extend and increase funding for existing preparatory actions that target developing countries' specific needs, such as improving water management and combating the economic and financial crisis in non-ACP developing countries; asks the Commission, where necessary, to change the legal basis of these initiatives in order to give them permanent status;***

Or. en

**Amendment 150**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Michèle Striffler**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 53 e new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***53e. Points out to the Council the increasing discrepancy between the chronic underfunding of heading 4 and the Council's new political commitments, particularly where development policy is concerned; demands a revision of the heading 4 ceiling for the years 2011-13;***

Or. en

**Amendment 151**

**Thijs Berman, Gay Mitchell, Catherine Grèze, Charles Goerens, Michèle Striffler**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 53 f new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***53f. Insists that the Commission and Council refrain from reducing heading 4 administrative spending budget lines, as these are necessary for full and effective implementation of the multiannual programmes; sincerely regrets that the Commission's draft budget proposes significant cuts to administrative expenditure for development programmes;***

Or. en

**Amendment 152**

**Miguel Portas on behalf of the Confederal Group of the European United Left – Nordic Green Left**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 54**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

54. ***Notes*** that total administrative expenditure for all institutions is estimated at EUR 8 266.6 million, i.e. an increase of 4.5%, leaving a margin of EUR 149 million;

54. ***Regrets*** that total administrative expenditure for all institutions is estimated at EUR 8 266.6 million, i.e. an increase of 4.5%, leaving a margin of EUR 149 million;

Or. en

**Amendment 153**

**Andreas Schwab, Olle Ludvigsson, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Sven Giegold, Jürgen Klute on behalf of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 56 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**56a. Welcomes the proposed increases in administrative appropriations for competition policy, which is a crucial field not least in times of crisis, as well as for statistics, where recent developments have demonstrated the vital importance of having access to reliable data on financial markets and public finances; is, however, deeply concerned about the proposed decrease in administrative expenditures for the coordination and surveillance of the economic and monetary union, given the ongoing turbulence in the Eurozone; recalls that it has several times in the past underlined the need to allocate enough resources to the functioning of the Eurogroup;**

Or. en

**Amendment 154**

**Salvador Garriga Polledo**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 60**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

60. **Welcomes** the 13% decrease in the EPSO budget, which is linked to the lower level of expenditure on competitions resulting from the new system proposed in the EPSO Development Programme, provided that this decrease does not come at the expense of the quality, transparency,

60. **Notes** the 13% decrease in the EPSO budget, which is linked to the lower level of expenditure on competitions resulting from the new system proposed in the EPSO Development Programme, provided that this decrease does not come at the expense of the quality, transparency, fairness,

fairness *and* impartiality of EU selection procedures; expects solid guarantees from the Commission in this respect;

impartiality *and multilingual character* of *all* EU selection procedures; ***Reminds EPSO that under Regulation 45/2001 candidates have an inalienable right to access their personal data, including questions and answers, and calls on EPSO to guarantee such right;*** expects solid guarantees from the Commission in this respect;

Or. en

**Amendment 155**  
**Monika Hohlmeier**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 62 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***62a. requests the Commission to specify in the remarks of the corresponding budget lines the amounts budgeted for all building projects having significant financial implications for the budget and subject to a consultation of the budgetary authority under Art. 179 (3) Financial Regulation;***

Or. en

**Amendment 156**  
**Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 63**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***63. Reiterates its serious concern over the Commission's recurring habit of not entering any CA for almost all pilot***

*deleted*

*projects and preparatory actions; notes the very selective approach followed for the inclusion of CA for an extremely limited number of pilot projects and preparatory actions, and requests the Commission to explain the reasoning behind the distinction made between different projects and actions;*

Or. en

**Amendment 157**  
**Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 65**

*Motion for a resolution*

65. Stresses the importance of pilot projects and preparatory actions as key tools for the formulation of political priorities and for paving the way for new initiatives that might turn into EU activities and programmes; confirms, therefore, already at this stage in the procedure, that it is determined to use all the means at its disposal to ensure the adoption of its proposals regarding pilot projects and preparatory actions for the 2011 budget;

*Amendment*

65. Stresses the importance of pilot projects and preparatory actions as key tools for the formulation of political priorities and for paving the way for new initiatives that might turn into EU activities and programmes *improving the lives of the citizen*; confirms, therefore, already at this stage in the procedure, that it is determined to use all the means at its disposal to ensure the adoption of its proposals regarding pilot projects and preparatory actions for the 2011 budget;

Or. en

**Amendment 158**  
**Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 67**

*Motion for a resolution*

67. Intends to forward to the Commission, as provided for in Annex II, part D of the IIA, a first provisional list of potential pilot projects and preparatory actions for the 2011 budget 2011, in order for the Commission to contribute to Parliament's definition of a global and balanced final package on this issue; stresses that this first provisional list does not preclude the formal tabling and adoption of amendments concerning pilot projects and preparatory actions during Parliament's reading of the budget;

*Amendment*

67. Intends to forward to the Commission, as provided for in Annex II, part D of the IIA, a first provisional list of potential pilot projects and preparatory actions for the 2011 budget 2011, in order for the Commission to contribute to Parliament's definition of a global and balanced final package on this issue, ***expects the Commission to provide a well reasoned analysis of EP's indicative proposals***; stresses that this first provisional list does not preclude the formal tabling and adoption of amendments concerning pilot projects and preparatory actions during Parliament's reading of the budget;

Or. en

**Amendment 159**  
**Helga Trüpel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 67 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***67a. Recalls that the Paulsen report on the evaluation and assessment of the Animal Welfare Action Plan 2006-2010, (PE 430.922 v02-00, A7-0053/2010), called for the setting up of a European coordinated network for animal welfare which should perform the tasks referred to in the Commission communication of 28 October 2009 on options for animal welfare labelling and the establishment of a European Network of Reference Centres for the protection and welfare of animals (COM (2009)0584); the network, guided by one coordination body, should become a support tool providing assistance and information to the***

*Commission, Member States, food chain actors and citizens regarding training and education, best practices and consumer communication; it should collect and store data about the benefits of animal welfare enforcement as well as the economic costs of animal welfare measures; these data will provide input to future impact assessments and policy decisions; consequently, proposes to set up a pilot project for financial support to such a network for the year 2011;*

Or. en

**Amendment 160**  
**François Alfonsi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 67 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*67a. Provides herewith a provisional indication of pilot projects that may be submitted to the Commission;*

Or. en

**Amendment 161**  
**François Alfonsi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 67 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*67b. Recalls that no studies have been done and published by the Commission giving a precise diagnostic on endangered languages in the European Union; taking into account the EUROMOSAIC report which gives an overview on minority*

*languages, it is necessary to point out the lack of investigation and methodological expertise on the field of threatened languages. Proposes therefore the setting up of a pilot project in order to make a study that should investigate endangered languages, with serious criteria (such as UNESCO) to have an assessment on diversity languages that the commission could use as a reference for multilingualism programs and funding;*

Or. en

**Amendment 162**  
**François Alfonsi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 67 c new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*67c. Points out that under the Culture programme, sub category "literary translation", which has as its objective to encourage the transnational circulation of cultural and artistic products and works, only works in the EU official or classic languages are eligible for funding, whereas other languages that equally form part of our cultural and literary heritage, some of which are in danger of disappearing, are not. Proposes therefore the setting up of a pilot project to encourage the mobility of cultural and artistic products and works also in non-official languages to preserve and enhance cultural and linguistic diversity;*

Or. en



**Amendment 163**  
**Jutta Haug**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 68**

*Motion for a resolution*

68. Welcomes the overall stabilisation of EU budget expenditure on decentralised agencies at EUR 679.2 million; ***notes that the budget increases*** proposed for the ***six*** new and three phasing-in agencies ***are offset by the Chemicals Agency becoming self-financing***;

*Amendment*

68. Welcomes the overall stabilisation of EU budget expenditure on decentralised agencies at EUR 679.2 million; ***is aware of the fact that the establishment of new agencies requires adequate funding as*** proposed for the ***five*** new (footnote 1) and three phasing-in (footnote 2) agencies;

footnote 1: Agency for the operational management of large-scale IT systems in the area of freedom, security and justice; European Asylum Support Office; European Banking Authority; European Securities and Markets Authority; European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority  
footnote 2: European Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators; Body of European regulators for Electronic Communication; European Institute for Gender Equality

Or. en

**Amendment 164**  
**Jutta Haug**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 68 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

***68a. Is concerned that the Commission defies Parliament's vote regarding the handling of assigned revenues of fee depending agencies in three consecutive years; notes Commission's intention with this approach to increase margins artificially, especially under tight headings such as heading 1A; requests an immediate correction of this attitude;***

*Amendment*

**Amendment 165**  
**Jutta Haug**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 69 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***69a. Notes further that Commission applies its policy for zero growth in staff also to decentralised agencies even given additional tasks need implementation, therewith producing a disproportionate increase of contractual staff working as "modern slaves" in highly scientific or regulatory areas; is convinced that under those circumstances it is rather difficult for some decentralised agencies to attract highly qualified personnel to carry out tasks defined by the EU legislator;***

**Amendment 166**  
**Jutta Haug**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 70 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***70a. Requests from the European Commission to present without delay an Amending Budget to the Budgetary Authority when the European Legislators has come to a political agreement on dossiers relating to extending tasks of decentralised agencies; reminds in this context that Commission has followed itself the approach "to outsource"***

*certain tasks to decentralised agencies;*

Or. en

**Amendment 167**  
**Jutta Haug**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 70 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***70b. Reminds Commission to consider in its assessment of budgetary needs for decentralised agencies that appropriations generated by fees paid by industry can not be used for preparatory actions to implement European legislation;***

Or. en

**Amendment 168**  
**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 71**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***71. Takes note of the expected increase from EUR 86.5 million to EUR 226.2 million in the Chemicals Agency's revenue; considers that, although this agency will not be EU-funded any more, any surpluses should continue to be paid back into the EU budget;***

***deleted***

Or. en

**Amendment 169**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 71 a new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***71a. Is convinced that the Financial programming 2011-2013 for the Chemicals agency is too optimistic and considers the self-financing of this agency in 2011 as very unrealistic; points out that the anticipated fee income in 2011 is based on assessments carried out in 2006; asks for the setting-up of precautionary measures which apply in the case of need;***

Or. en

**Amendment 170**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 71 b new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***71b. Notes the introduction of two new budget lines called 'Chemicals Agency - activities in the field of Biocides legislation'; reminds in this context that no fees generated by industry can be used for preparatory measures in this field; is alert that additional funds must be made available to the agency if preparatory tasks are necessary for the future implementation of additional tasks within the scope of ECHA;***

Or. en

**Amendment 171**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 71 c new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***71c. Observes Commission's (DG SANCO) intended delay to comply with article 45 of Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council which asks for a consultation paper on the feasibility and advisability of European legislation on fees for the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) by March 2005; reminds in this context that an amount has been put in reserve on the same issue in the 2010 budget;***

Or. en

**Amendment 172**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 71 d new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***71d. Notes that the EU contribution to the European Medicines Agency (EMA) is decreasing over the years despite the fact that the EU legislator is assigning additional public health issues to the agency that should be financed by EU subsidies; notes further, that as a consequence more and more public health activities have to be cross-subsidised by***

*fee income with the result that public health related activities will need to be reduced as the Agency needs to cover its fee related activities as a priority; is therefore worried about Commission's approach to included again EMA's assigned revenues in the calculation of the DB foreseen for EMA;*

Or. en

**Amendment 173**

**Jutta Haug on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 71 e new**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*71e. Reaffirms EMA's legal obligation to process all medical applications that arrive within a given timeframe; as a consequence more applications not only render more fees but also trigger the requirement to process these applications by more staff; supports therefore EMA's request for 48 temporary agents as specialized scientific staff with professional experience with budgetary neutrality for the EU budget as the posts are solely financed by fees;*

Or. en

**Amendment 174**

**Francesca Balzani, Göran Färm**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 72**

*Motion for a resolution*

72. Recalls, as far as procedural aspects of the conciliation committee are concerned, that the institutions involved are supposed to reach agreement at the trilogue scheduled for July; considers, as far as the mandate regarding the 2011 draft budget is concerned, all aspects and points raised in this resolution to be of importance for this trilogue;

*Amendment*

72. Recalls, as far as procedural aspects of the conciliation committee are concerned, that the institutions involved are supposed to reach agreement at the trilogue scheduled for July; ***insist that the upcoming Presidency of the European Union, meant to adopt the budget, takes part in this trilogue***; considers, as far as the mandate regarding the 2011 draft budget is concerned, all aspects and points raised in this resolution to be of importance for this trilogue;

Or. en