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Amendment 422

Jürgen Klute, Gabriele Zimmer, Cornelis de Jong, Cornelia Ernst, Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution

Subheading

Motion for a resolution

The right skills for tomorrow's workforce

Amendment

Employment creation, fighting poverty and social exclusion and the right skills for tomorrow's workforce

Or. en

Amendment 423

Jürgen Klute, Gabriele Zimmer, Cornelia Ernst, Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 45

Motion for a resolution

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes ***as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate;***

Amendment

45. Points to the importance of ***promoting employment creation with quality in work, improved social security and social inclusion, enhancing existing and introducing new workers rights, promoting health and safety at work, better social risk management, the reconciliation of work and non-work life and adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes; insists that Member States should take effective measures to phase out precarious and atypical employment and should promote the concept of Good Work (such as the ILO programme 'Decent Work') and working time reduction as a central pillar of employment strategies; notes that achievement of the early school leaving target requires on-going policy cooperation and coordination; stresses***

that the new focus on early childhood education and care should be strengthened as well as reinforcing ongoing efforts on the promotion and recognition of non-formal learning, as important measures for prevention of early school leaving, the promotion of the principle of inclusive education for all should be applied ensuring that people with disabilities and people from different minorities are included in the mainstream educational systems with adequate support;

Or. en

Amendment 424

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 45

Motion for a resolution

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility *and* lifelong learning programmes as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate;

Amendment

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility, *promotion of gender equality*, lifelong learning programmes as *well as measures aiming at adapting the labour market* as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate; *highlights that achieving this target will require not only a reduction in unemployment but also many of the inactive persons, most of them women, to enter the labour market, stresses that one of the main objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy – namely, to promote jobs and high-quality employment for all European citizens – will be achieved only if the necessary investments are made in favour of a knowledge society, research and development, innovation, SMEs and green and new technologies are made*

now and not delayed any longer; emphasises that the costs of the necessary transition to a low carbon society in the coming years should not be put on the ordinary families and working population of Europe and that the MFF should take into account the importance of promoting new green jobs as some of the old jobs disappear, as well as new training is required to prepare workers for the new low-carbon economy;

Or. en

Amendment 425
Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 45

Motion for a resolution

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes as this *would make* an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the *Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate;*

Amendment

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes as this *makes* an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the *targets for reducing the school drop-out rate (10%) and expanding the number of university students;*

Or. pt

Amendment 426
Helga Trüpel, Franziska Katharina Brantner, Elisabeth Schroedter, Isabelle Durant, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 45

Motion for a resolution

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong

Amendment

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding *and targeting* education, mobility

learning programmes as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate;

schemes for young people and lifelong learning programmes as this would make an important contribution to the fight against *early school leaving and unemployment, to decent and green job creation, cultural diversity and social inclusion and* towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate *for men and women*;

Or. en

Amendment 427
Damien Abad

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 45

Motion for a resolution

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate;

Amendment

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate; *whereas education remains Member States' competence, strongly believes that the EU should do more to promote mobility for Young people as it will enhance, not only the skills of the European workforce, but also the capacity of Young Europeans to concretely seize the opportunities existing in Europe.*

Or. en

Amendment 428
Richard Ashworth, Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 45

Motion for a resolution

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate;

Amendment

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, **training**, mobility **projects** and lifelong learning programmes as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate;

Or. en

Amendment 429

Ilda Figueiredo, Eva-Britt Svensson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 45

Motion for a resolution

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate;

Amendment

45. Points to the importance of adequately funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes **and care services** as this would make an important contribution to the fight against unemployment and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate **for women and men**;

Or. en

Amendment 430

Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 45

Motion for a resolution

45. Points **to the importance of adequately** funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes **as this would make**

Amendment

45. Points **out that while it is hoped** funding education, mobility and lifelong learning programmes **contributes** to the

an important contribution to the fight against unemployment *and towards reaching the Europe 2020 headline target of a 75 % employment rate*;

fight against unemployment *there is no evidence that past funding has improved unemployment rates, on the contrary, questions therefore the added value of EU funding in this area*;

Or. en

Amendment 431
Morten Løkkegaard

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 45 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

45a. Underlines the importance of enhancing business involvement in the Union's education and mobility programmes, since this will increase employability of young people and contribute to realising the flagship initiatives of the Europe 2020 strategy, in particular 'New skills for new jobs', 'Youth on the move' and 'Innovation Union';

Or. en

Amendment 432
Ilda Figueiredo, Eva-Britt Svensson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 45 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

45b. Recognises that through the integration of gender perspectives the effectiveness of policies to achieve growth and employment can be enhanced as it is often the case that insufficient attention has been given to gender analysis which has meant that women's contributions

and concerns have not been adequately addressed;

Or. en

Amendment 433
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46

Motion for a resolution

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; ***emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;***

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants;

Or. en

Amendment 434
Helga Trüpel, Franziska Katharina Brantner, Isabelle Durant, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46

Motion for a resolution

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; ***emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;***

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, ***women,*** disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; ***advocates a more strategic application of the European Social Fund (ESF) by directing funds dedicated to the EU2020 priority 'smart growth' to measures aimed at vocational training,***

mobility of young people, supporting active ageing, improving labour market access and re-integration, creating the right skills for a post-carbon resource and energy efficient society, combating unemployment, poverty, discrimination, loss of cultural diversity and social exclusion;

Or. en

Amendment 435

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46

Motion for a resolution

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and **migrants**; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, **women**, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people **migrants** and **Roma**; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving **equality between women and men**, labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion **and all forms of discrimination affecting the most vulnerable groups; takes the view that this flagship initiative should take in due consideration the need for education and training in the emerging sectors, such as new information technologies, communication or green jobs (energy efficiency and new sources of energy)**

Or. en

Amendment 436

Jürgen Klute, Cornelia Ernst, Gabriele Zimmer, Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46

Motion for a resolution

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people, ***ethnic and religious minority people and*** migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) ***will have to cover a wider range of activities (new skills and jobs, education targets, poverty target etc.) than before and therefore will need increased resources; underlines that the ESF*** should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment ***and discrimination in access to, as well as progress in, employment, and more resources for fighting poverty and*** social exclusion;

Or. en

Amendment 437
Cornelis de Jong

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46

Motion for a resolution

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that ***the European Social Fund (ESF)*** should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should ***be focused on decent work instead of flexicurity and*** allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that European ***cohesion policy*** should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Amendment 438**Evelyn Regner****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 46***Motion for a resolution*

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) **should provide** adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) **must be considerably strengthened, in terms of its substance and financing, so that it has** adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Or. de

Amendment 439**Jan Olbrycht****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 46***Motion for a resolution*

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion; **underlines the need to keep ESF within cohesion policy and the importance of improved coordination**

between ESF and ERDF to promote an integrated approach and to enable the combination of place-based and people-based actions;

Or. en

Amendment 440

Carmen Romero López, Andres Perello Rodriguez, Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46

Motion for a resolution

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed *increasing productivity among the workforce and reducing absenteeism by improving healthy lifestyles and promoting mental health at the workplace as well as measures aimed at* improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Or. en

Amendment 441

Reimer Böge, Sidonia Elżbieta Jędrzejewska on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46

Motion for a resolution

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school

leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) **and youth-related programmes** should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Or. en

Amendment 442

Ilda Figueiredo, Eva-Britt Svensson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46

Motion for a resolution

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, and social exclusion;

Amendment

46. Takes the view that the flagship initiative on new skills and jobs should allow wider focus on youth, early-school leavers, older people, **women**, disadvantaged and disabled people and migrants; emphasises that the European Social Fund (ESF) should provide adequate resources for measures aimed at improving labour market access, combating unemployment, **discrimination** and social exclusion;

Or. en

Amendment 443

Reimer Böge, Sidonia Elżbieta Jędrzejewska, José Manuel Fernandes on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Youth policy

46a. Stresses that youth should represent a strong priority for the Union and that the youth dimension should be visible and reinforced in EU policies and programmes; believes that youth should be perceived as an EU cross-cutting theme, developing synergies between different policy areas relating to youth, education and mobility, facilitating and encouraging European mobility, education and skills development, empowerment, employment, as well as social inclusion of young people; welcomes the ‘Youth on the Move’ flagship initiative as a cornerstone of the Europe 2020 Strategy; underlines in particular that the low cost per beneficiary, therefore high efficiency of youth-related programmes, combined with their European citizenship dimension prove they deserve a much stronger investment;

Or. en

Amendment 444
Ilda Figueiredo, Eva-Britt Svensson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

46b. Notes that increasing women’s employment rate is crucial to reaching the employment target of the 2020 Strategy and that therefore barriers to women’s labour market participation must be fully addressed; emphasises that the European Social Fund should provide adequate resources to tackle gender inequalities in labour market and that European Regional Development Fund must provide adequate financing for care infrastructure for children, elderly, and other dependents.

Amendment 445

Carmen Romero López, Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García, Andres Perello Rodriguez

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

46c. Health is seen as a driving force to create smart and inclusive growth, prevention of diseases and health promotion of age-related diseases are needed to ensure that Europe will have an active and healthy ageing population, health security planning is required to avoid or mitigate public health crisis, which will affect again the continuity of public and private services, ensuring that the economy of the EU will not endure the effects of the aftermath of a public health crisis, with an ageing population, the health work force will have an increasing role, ensuring a healthy workforce with less absenteeism contributes to Europe's productivity, as well, we have to consider encouraging better health for all workers and increase the labour capacity, bridging health inequalities to ensure better health for all and better access to health care systems will in turn improve citizens' capacity to contribute to society and to reduce poverty and social exclusion;

Or. en

Amendment 446

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

46d. Stresses, furthermore, that the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF) plays a complementary role in meeting these objectives, since its aim is to help workers who have lost their jobs as a result of globalisation or the economic crisis back into the labour market; believes, nonetheless, that the EGF differs from the ESF in the way in which it operates, the type of measures that it funds (i.e. personalised and specific measures) and its scope; considers, therefore, that the EGF should be made a permanent fund;

Or. fr

**Amendment 447
Elisabeth Schroedter**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 46 e (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Social policy agenda, equality and combating poverty and social exclusion

46e. Points to the importance of funding activities aimed at promoting gender equality, anti-discrimination, social justice combating poverty and social exclusion to reach the Europe 2020 headline target of lifting 20 million people out of poverty and to counter the social impact of the crisis; emphasises that sufficient financing for activities of the European Platform against Poverty as well as civil society organizations delivering these activities must be provided, underlines that programmes supporting small civil society organisations delivering tailor -made solutions on the ground are crucial for

promoting social inclusion, anti-discrimination and gender equality,

Or. en

Amendment 448

Franziska Katharina Brantner, Isabelle Durant, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Social policy agenda, equality and combating poverty and social exclusion

46f. Points to the importance of funding activities aimed at promoting gender equality, anti-discrimination, social justice combating poverty and social exclusion to reach the Europe 2020 headline target of lifting 20 million people out of poverty and to counter the social impact of the crisis; emphasises that sufficient financing for activities of the European Platform against Poverty as well as civil society organizations delivering these activities must be provided; Underlines that programmes supporting small civil society organisations delivering tailor -made solutions on the ground are crucial for promoting social inclusion, anti-discrimination and gender equality;

Or. en

Amendment 449

Ilda Figueiredo, Eva-Britt Svensson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 46 g (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Social policy agenda, equality and combating poverty and social exclusion

46g. Points to the importance of funding activities aimed at promoting gender equality, anti-discrimination, social justice combating poverty and social exclusion to reach the Europe 2020 headline target of lifting more than 20 million people out of poverty and to counter the social impact of the crisis; emphasises that sufficient financing for activities of the European Platform against Poverty as well as civil society organizations delivering these activities must be provided

Or. en

Amendment 450

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Subheading (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

‘Cohesion for growth and employment’

(N.B. If adopted, the corresponding chapter should be moved below paragraph 46)

Or. en

Amendment 451

Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 47

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

deleted

Or. en

**Amendment 452
Marta Andreasen**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) ***should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;***

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) ***has ceased to produce the effects it claims, such as helping poor farmers and ensuring good quality of food at low prices; asks for the CAP to be discontinued;***

Or. en

**Amendment 453
Cornelis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

47. ***Affirms*** that the common agricultural

47. ***Insists*** that the common agricultural

policy (CAP) should be *geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy* and that *both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;*

policy (CAP) should be *reformed and reduced; stresses that agriculture is not a regular market and that the first pillar of the reformed CAP only serves for small farmers, inter alia in their role as producers in the case of extreme market situations, and that second pillar green and blue services they provide should mainly be compensated by the Member States, underlines that part of the support for small farmers from the poorest countries comes from the Cohesion Fund and all agricultural innovation should be channelled through the new Innovation and Sustainability Fund;*

Or. en

Amendment 454

Arlene McCarthy, Christel Schaldemose, Emine Bozkurt, Thijs Berman, Brian Simpson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 47

Motion for a resolution

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in *a complementary way*; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, *stresses however the need for ambitious reform of the CAP in order for this to be achieved; the new CAP must also be in line with the radical change in the EU's internal as well as international context and with the emergence of new concerns and challenges*; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 455
Anneli Jäätteenmäki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47

Motion for a resolution

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; ***stresses that the administration of the CAP could be substantially simplified and the bureaucracy and administrative burdens affecting farmers should be significantly reduced***; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Or. fi

Amendment 456
Gunnar Hökmark

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47

Motion for a resolution

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy, ***increasing the competitiveness of the agriculture sector while at the same time transforming the sector into a knowledge driven sector***, and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment 457
Bas Eickhout, José Bové

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47

Motion for a resolution

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the *success* of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP *can* make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should *also* be geared towards contributing to the *achievement* of the *targets of the* Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP *must* make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment 458
Lorenzo Fontana

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47

Motion for a resolution

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable *and separate* contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment 459
Evelyn Regner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47

Motion for a resolution

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP *is* firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP ***must be*** firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Or. de

Amendment 460
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47

Motion for a resolution

47. Affirms that the common agricultural policy (CAP) should be geared towards contributing to the success of the Europe 2020 strategy and that both pillars of the CAP can make a valuable contribution to it, in a complementary way; emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks;

Amendment

47. Emphasises that the CAP is firmly anchored in the Treaty of Lisbon, which defines its objectives and tasks, ***the achievement of which will have an impact on the success of the Europe 2020 strategy;***

Or. pl

Amendment 461
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

47a. Stresses that farming is a special sector of the EU economy and that financial solidarity is one of the underlying principles of the CAP;

Or. pl

Amendment 462
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 47 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

47b. Supports food autonomy of developing countries considers that the new CAP must be in line with the EU concept of policy coherence for development, the Union must no longer use export subsidies for agricultural products and must continue to coordinate efforts with the world's major agriculture producers to cut trade distortion subsidies;

Or. en

Amendment 463
Marit Paulsen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural

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markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation **and mitigating climate change; Farmers need to be well paid for the delivery of climate and environmental services which go beyond basic legal requirements;**

Or. en

Amendment 464
José Bové, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. Stresses that the CAP **has a multifunctional** role **in** delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as **guaranteeing the Union's food security in** maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and **in** combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. Stresses that the CAP **primary** role **is to guarantee European Union food security while** delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, **preserving soils and water, preventing competition between food nature preservation and energy production, avoiding ecological and social dumping and** combating **climate change**, rural depopulation **and providing for employment and services of general interest in rural areas;**

Or. en

Amendment 465
Arlene McCarthy, Christel Schaldemose, Emine Bozkurt, Thijs Berman, Brian Simpson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods ***beyond agricultural markets***, such as ***guaranteeing the Union's food security in*** maintaining farm land ***in*** production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods, ***especially in the field of environmental protection***, such as maintaining farm land ***capable of*** production throughout Europe ***while*** shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, ***tackling climate change*** and in combating rural depopulation;

Or. en

Amendment 466

Reimer Böge, László Surján, Albert Deß on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and ***in*** combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security ***for the EU citizens as well as global food supply in times of rising food prices and food shortages in the world by*** maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and combating rural depopulation ***whereby it contributes to the important EU objectives of competitiveness, employment, innovation and education; emphasises that CAP needs to retain its status;***

Or. en

Amendment 467

Anneli Jäätteenmäki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation; ***stresses in this connection that Natural Handicap Payments under the second pillar are to be maintained in areas with natural handicaps, which include peripheral areas, so that it remains possible to farm viably throughout the territory of the Union;***

Or. fi

Amendment 468

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation, ***contributing to a more sustainable food production, reducing emissions, tackling climate***

*change and creating/supporting
renewable sources of energy;*

Or. en

Amendment 469
Jürgen Klute, Cornelia Ernst

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation, ***poverty and segregation, in particular by targeting most disadvantaged micro-regions;***

Or. en

Amendment 470
Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. Stresses that the CAP ***has*** a multifunctional role ***in delivering*** a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. Stresses that the ***reformed CAP must have*** a multifunctional role ***and deliver*** a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Amendment 471
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. **Stresses** that the CAP **has** a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. **Takes the view** that **justifying** the **continuation of the CAP by giving it** a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation **is not realistic**;

Or. en

Amendment 472
Cornelis de Jong

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 48

Motion for a resolution

48. Stresses that the CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Amendment

48. Stresses that the **reformed** CAP has a multifunctional role in delivering a variety of public goods beyond agricultural markets, such as guaranteeing the Union's food security in maintaining farm land in production throughout Europe, shaping the diversity of landscapes, enhancing biodiversity and animal welfare, and in combating rural depopulation;

Or. en

Amendment 473
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. *Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;*

Amendment

49. *Takes the view that the CAP should be discontinued;*

Or. en

Amendment 474
Pat the Cope Gallagher

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at **a more** effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by **more** targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at **an** effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. en

Amendment 475

Bastiaan Belder

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments **by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the** public goods expected by society **and by more targeted payments** in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments **as well as via introducing positive incentives like top-up payments rewarding farmers who deliver extra** public goods expected by society **or undertake efforts in the field of innovation, in** order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. en

Amendment 476

Anne E. Jensen, Marit Paulsen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, **in line with the Europe 2020 strategy**, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money; **considers that a reformed CAP should be geared towards regional competitiveness, innovation, productivity, resource efficiency and climate change mitigation;**

Amendment 477
Lorenzo Fontana

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments **by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and** by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by more targeted payments, in order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. it

Amendment 478
Czesław Adam Sikiński, Jan Olbrycht, Sidonia Elżbieta Jędrzejewska

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at **a more** effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a **fairer** distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at **objective**, effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a **fair** distribution of direct payments **between Member States, regions and farmers** by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money; **calls for a clean break to be made with the criteria used to date for allocating funding under**

the direct payments scheme;

Or. pl

Amendment 479

Reimer Böge, Albert Deß on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money; ***emphasises that this requires the maintenance of the two-pillar system of the CAP, while attention needs to be paid to the simplification of payment, control and sanction mechanisms;***

Or. en

Amendment 480

Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a ***fairer*** distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a ***fair and even*** distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods

society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. pl

Amendment 481
Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. ***Believes that farmers might be rewarded for the valuable public goods and services they provide in stewardship of the rural environment, and be provided with incentives to develop this role;*** Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. en

Amendment 482
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a

fairer distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

fair distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. en

Amendment 483
Cornelis de Jong, Jürgen Klute

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of *the* CAP budget, *inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments* by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of *a smaller* CAP budget, by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. en

Amendment 484
José Bové, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, *inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments* by strengthening conditionality towards

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, *inter alia, via a fairer distribution of direct payments between Member States and between*

delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

farmers by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. en

Amendment 485

Evelyn Regner

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 49

Motion for a resolution

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a *fairer* distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Amendment

49. Calls on the Commission to present proposals for a reformed CAP, which aim at a more effective and efficient allocation and use of the CAP budget, inter alia, via a *fair* distribution of direct payments by strengthening conditionality towards delivering the public goods expected by society and by more targeted payments in order to ensure best return for public money;

Or. de

Amendment 486

Patrice Tirolien

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 49 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

49a. Draws attention to the key role played by agricultural market volatility in food crises in Europe and around the world; expects the revised CAP to be equipped to deal with this problem;

Or. fr

Amendment 487

Jürgen Klute, Gabriele Zimmer, Cornelia Ernst

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 49 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

49b. Points out that CAP as part of EU internal policies has negative impacts on third countries, particularly developing countries, and will have to respect, therefore, the principle of policy coherence for development in the future MFJ;

Or. en

Amendment 488

Bas Eickhout, José Bové

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 49 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

49c. In particular considers that payments in the first pillar should be conditional upon mainstreaming sustainable farming practices and combine a sustainable production and decent employment component, with cross compliance becoming ecologically effective, administratively efficient, and a baseline of sustainability and actively re-balancing plant with animal production, imposing limits on livestock density and including compulsory enlarged crop rotation;

Or. en

Amendment 489
Bas Eickhout, José Bové

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

49d. Considers that such payments should be horizontal but may be differentiated according to specific geographical and infrastructural conditions, such as disadvantaged regions, high nature value areas, sensitivity to climate change etc, thus also including payments to Less Favoured Areas;

Or. en

Amendment 490
Bas Eickhout, José Bové

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 49 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

49e. Is of the opinion that export subsidies should be completely abolished, and that furthermore payments that support investment for industrial-style rearing and processing operations and payments to landowners without active agricultural production or nature protection activities should be excluded;

Or. en

Amendment 491
Gunnar Hökmark

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period;

deleted

Or. en

**Amendment 492
Marta Andreasen**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 50**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period;

deleted

Or. en

**Amendment 493
Cornelis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 50**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the **wide array** of **tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to**, the amounts allocated **to the CAP in the budget year 2013** should be **at least maintained** during the next financial programming period;

50. Insists that, given the **reform** of the CAP, the amounts allocated should be **greatly reduced** during the next financial programming period;

Amendment 494

Marit Paulsen, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy, Anne E. Jensen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, *given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during* the next financial programming period;

Amendment

50. Insists that the amounts allocated to the CAP should be *reviewed for* the next financial programming period *since the scarce EU resources must be used more efficiently and better targeted, in view of the Europe 2020 strategy; the CAP's share of the EU budget might need to be reduced to provide for funding of investments in education, infrastructure, research and innovation, also to the benefit of the agricultural community;*

Amendment 495

Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, given the *wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained* during the next financial programming period;

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the *reform of* the CAP, the amounts allocated *should be gradually reduced* during the next financial programming period, *without affecting small farmers or the safeguarding of public goods that this policy guarantees;*

Amendment 496

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Alexander Alvaro, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy , on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, *given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period;*

Amendment

50. Insists that *limited and precise cuts in the CAP may become possible, depending on the outcome of the current CAP reform;*

Or. en

Amendment 497

Richard Ashworth

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP *in the budget year 2013* should be *at least maintained during the next financial programming period;*

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP should be *sufficient to achieve its goals;*

Or. en

Amendment 498

Evelyn Regner

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called

to respond to, the *amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period*;

to respond to, the *allocation of budget resources for the next funding period should be geared to developing employment in the agricultural sector and meeting the needs of rural areas*;

Or. de

Amendment 499

Arlene McCarthy, Christel Schaldemose, Emine Bozkurt, Thijs Berman, Brian Simpson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, *given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period*;

Amendment

50. Insists that the amounts allocated to the CAP in the next financial programming period *should be set with regard to the need for significant reprioritisation within the MFF to fully fund Europe 2020 priorities that have the greatest impact on raising employment and growth levels*;

Or. en

Amendment 500

Lorenzo Fontana

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period;

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained *and/or increased* during the next financial programming period;

Or. it

Amendment 501
Bas Eickhout, José Bové

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that **the** CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period;

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that **a thus reformed** CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period;

Or. en

Amendment 502
Giovanni La Via, Paolo De Castro, Michel Dantin, Herbert Dorfmann, Lorenzo Fontana, Elisabeth Jeggle, Czesław Adam Siekierski, Albert Deß, Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 50

Motion for a resolution

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period;

Amendment

50. Insists that, given the wide array of tasks and objectives that the CAP is called to respond to, the amounts allocated to the CAP in the budget year 2013 should be at least maintained during the next financial programming period, **with a revaluation linked to the European inflation rate**;

Or. en

Amendment 503
Giovanni La Via, Paolo De Castro, Michel Dantin, Herbert Dorfmann, Lorenzo Fontana, Iratxe García Pérez, Elisabeth Jeggle, Czesław Adam Siekierski, Albert Deß

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 50 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

50a. Stresses, moreover, that the unspent or decommitted agricultural resources must remain in the CAP budget and cannot be used to finance other policies;

Or. en

Amendment 504

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

50b. Insists that the CAP-budget should be used to award farmers who have sustainable practices in their farms, that farmers should be encouraged via the CAP to protect and promote common goods such as biodiversity, carbon storage, watershed functionality etc; considers that the CAP should also support the production of renewable energy;

Or. en

Amendment 505

Bastiaan Belder

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 50 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

50c. Calls on the Commission, in addition, to make additional funding available specifically for innovation in agriculture, so that innovation can be assigned a stronger role within the future CAP;

Amendment 506
Richard Ashworth

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 51

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF), and other cohesion and structural funds in order to strengthen a territorial approach; asks the Commission to examine the extent to which better synergies could be achieved with regard to funding for non-agriculture related activities in the EAFRD and other relevant instruments; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 507
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 51

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF), and other cohesion and structural funds in order to strengthen a territorial approach; asks the Commission to examine the extent to which better synergies could be achieved with regard to funding for non-agriculture related activities in the EAFRD and other *deleted*

relevant instruments;

Or. en

Amendment 508
Cornelis de Jong

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 51

Motion for a resolution

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European *Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD)*, the *European Regional Development Fund (ERDF)*, and other cohesion and *structural funds* in order to strengthen a territorial approach; *asks the Commission to examine the extent to which better synergies could be achieved with regard to funding for non-agriculture related activities in the EAFRD and other relevant instruments;*

Amendment

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European cohesion *policy* and *the CAP* in order to strengthen a territorial approach;

Or. en

Amendment 509
Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 51

Motion for a resolution

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), the *European Regional Development Fund (ERDF)*, and other *cohesion and structural funds* in order to strengthen a territorial approach; *asks the Commission to examine the extent to which better synergies could be achieved with regard to funding for non-agriculture related activities in the*

Amendment

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD) *with* the other funds *that have territorial implications, as part of the common strategy, which defines shared priorities in relation to investment;*

Amendment 510

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 51

Motion for a resolution

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF), and other cohesion and structural funds in order to strengthen a territorial approach; asks the Commission to ***examine the extent to which*** better synergies could be achieved with regard to funding for non-agriculture related activities in the EAFRD and other relevant instruments;

Amendment

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF), and other cohesion and structural funds in order to strengthen a territorial approach; asks the Commission to ***present specific proposals on how*** better synergies could be achieved with regard to funding for non-agriculture related activities in the EAFRD and other relevant instruments; ***expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where agriculture is declining will increase over the period of the next MFF;***

Amendment 511

Evelyn Regner

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 51

Motion for a resolution

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF), and other cohesion and structural funds in order to strengthen a territorial approach; asks

Amendment

51. Calls for an increased coordination of the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD), the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF), and other cohesion and structural funds in order to strengthen a territorial approach; asks

the Commission to examine the extent to which better synergies could be achieved with regard to funding for non-agriculture related activities in the EAFRD and other relevant instruments;

the Commission to examine the extent to which better synergies could be achieved with regard to funding for non-agriculture related activities in the EAFRD and other relevant instruments ***and the extent to which funds should be transferred to the EAFRD;***

Or. de

Amendment 512
Bas Eickhout, Helga Trüpel, José Bové

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 51 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

51a. Believes that rural development programmes should integrate agricultural, environmental and cohesion policy objectives in a territorial approach with a new typology of rural areas, taking better account of population density, cultural and socio-economic situation and specific features and needs, recognising the differences between territories and improve rural territorial governance by drawing upon successful initiatives involving horizontal and vertical partnerships, with special focus on local research activities, strengthening local public infrastructure, helping the creation of small thriving businesses, promoting renewable energy projects and better livestock practices;

Or. en

Amendment 513
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 52

Motion for a resolution

52. ***Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF;***

Amendment

52. ***Takes the view that the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) should be discontinued as it has not proved efficient and has not protected fish stocks;***

Or. en

Amendment 514

Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 52

Motion for a resolution

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post

Amendment

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector ***a radical change in direction is required, promoting low impact fishing techniques, reducing energy consumption and eliminating excess fishing capacity, while halting all funding for the modernisation***

2013; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, ***expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase*** over the period of the next MFF;

of vessels and that in order to facilitate the ***full*** recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, ***supporting habitat management, improvement in selectivity in both marine and inland fisheries***, economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and ***improved monitoring, data collection and coordination of controls*** over the period of the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 515

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy, Pat the Cope Gallagher, Giommaria Uggias , on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 52

Motion for a resolution

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the ***only*** source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and ***sustainable*** fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of ***its*** fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need ***to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF;***

Amendment

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries ***and aquaculture*** sector and its activities are often the ***main*** source of livelihood and ***sustainable*** employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable, ***sustainable*** and ***enhanced*** fisheries ***and aquaculture*** sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of fish stocks and to tackle the social ***and economic*** aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort ***and to meet the new objectives of a reformed*** Common Fisheries Policy (CFP), ***this policy*** will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need ***for a long-term strategy for a fast and sustainable recovery of fish stocks in accordance with the***

maximum sustainable yield principle so that a stable and sustainable fisheries sector can be achieved;

Or. en

Amendment 516

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 52

Motion for a resolution

52. ***Points*** to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, ***and in order*** to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the ***need to shift*** support ***towards more*** sustainable fishery practices, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF;

Amendment

52. ***Stresses that fisheries resources constitute a public good which is vital for European and global food security; points*** to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks, and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the ***reform of the*** Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines ***that the European Fisheries Fund should be used*** to support sustainable fishery practices ***as well as improvement of marine ecosystems; underlines the importance of also guaranteeing workers' rights through a welfare policy and ensuring that industrial fishing also respects these principles and thus*** expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF; ***calls for adequate funding for enhanced support for aquaculture, the Integrated Maritime Policy and research on maritime ecosystems;***

Amendment 517**Richard Ashworth, Konrad Szymański****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 52***Motion for a resolution*

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF;

Amendment

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices ***while paying special attention to the small-scale fisheries sector and activities related to it***, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF;

Amendment 518**Cornelis de Jong, Jürgen Klute, Miguel Portas****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 52***Motion for a resolution*

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in

Amendment

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in

particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF;

particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions *of the poorest Member States* where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 519
Jan Olbrycht

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 52

Motion for a resolution

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over

Amendment

52. Points to the fact that the fisheries sector and its activities are often the only source of livelihood and employment, in particular in coastal, island and remote regions; considers that, in order to achieve its medium and long-term goals which aim at a stable and sustainable fisheries sector, and in order to facilitate the recovery of its fish stocks and to tackle the social aspects linked to the necessary reduction of fishing effort, the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP) will need adequate financial resources post 2013; ***recognises the need of increased coordination with cohesion policy***; underlines the need to shift support towards more sustainable fishery practices, expects that the expenses linked to the economic diversification in regions where

the period of the next MFF;

fisheries are declining and those for coordination of controls will increase over the period of the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 520

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 52 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

52a. stresses that increased attention should be directed to factors that negatively affect and change marine habitats and disturb ecosystems and biodiversity, such as the acidification of oceans, the increase of the temperature of oceans and seas, coastal erosion, and the environmental impacts of extractive activities and maritime transport;

Or. en

Amendment 521

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy, Giommara Uggias, on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution

Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Climate change and resource efficiency

Environment, climate change and resource efficiency

Or. en

Amendment 522

Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Climate change and resource efficiency

Climate change, **environment** and resource efficiency

Or. en

Amendment 523

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Climate change and resource efficiency

Climate change, **biodiversity** and resource efficiency

Or. en

Amendment 524

Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

deleted

Amendment 525
Cornelis de Jong

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

53. **Emphasises** that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Amendment

53. **Recognises the importance of European action against climate change; calls on the Commission to submit proposals for a new Innovation and Sustainability Fund; emphasises** that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Amendment 526
Reimer Böge, Pilar del Castillo Vera, Maria Da Graça Carvalho on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society **to keep** European industry **competitive** and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through

Amendment

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society **with a competitive European industry and affordable energy prices in order** to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that

reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, *for which a well-functioning internal market and infrastructure is a prerequisite*, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience; *stresses that energy poverty has to be taken very seriously by the European Parliament in the light of constantly rising energy prices*;

Or. en

Amendment 527
Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a *low-carbon* society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Amendment

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a *sustainable post-carbon resource and energy-efficient* society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption *in all sectors*, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy, *improved biodiversity protection* and ensuring ecosystem resilience, *efficient resource use, recycling and waste management*;

Or. en

Amendment 528
Herbert Reul, Markus Pieper

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive **and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment**; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, **through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience**;

Amendment

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society; **in that connection, calls for measures** to keep European industry competitive; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through **improved energy efficiency, measures to guarantee affordable energy prices and the completion of the internal energy market**; **emphasises that it takes very seriously the topic of energy poverty as a result of the steady increases in energy prices, which can be explained in part by the high levels of duty imposed, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to do the same, not least in view of the lack of money available for welfare budgets**;

Or. de

Amendment 529
Jürgen Klute, Cornelia Ernst, Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Amendment

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society **within the ecological limits of the planet** to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Amendment 530
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Amendment

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society, ***taking due account of specific national circumstances, in order*** to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Or. pl

Amendment 531
Christian Ehler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and

Amendment

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy, ***intensified research on nuclear fusion*** and

ensuring ecosystem resilience;

ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Or. en

Amendment 532

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 53

Motion for a resolution

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy and ensuring ecosystem resilience;

Amendment

53. Emphasises that the Union should lead the transformation towards a sustainable economy and promote a transition to a low-carbon society to keep European industry competitive and to ensure a clean and healthy living environment; stresses that this should be achieved, inter alia, through reduced energy consumption, the decentralisation of energy supply, increased use of renewable energy, ***improved biodiversity protection*** and ensuring ecosystem resilience; ***for this purpose believes that financial support programs for biodiversity need continuation as unique instruments to defend those priorities against other policies in terms of financial provisions;***

Or. en

Amendment 533

Thijs Berman, Judith A. Merkies

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 53 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

53a. Stresses the importance of the Resource-Efficient Europe flagship initiative and of efforts to decouple economic growth and well being from the

use of resources by supporting the shift towards a sustainable economy, stresses that focus and finance are essential for innovation supporting this crucial change;

Or. en

Amendment 534
Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

53b. Observes that meeting the EU commitments to halting biodiversity loss by 2020 and to restore ecosystem services by that date, will make a major contribution to meeting EU challenges regarding adaptation to climate change; Is therefore convinced that the future MFF must reflect the importance of services provided by healthy and biodiverse ecosystems; therefore cofinancing for Natura 2000 needs to be guaranteed from a dedicated source in the new EU budgetary framework and underlines the importance of the LIFE+ programme as it is the only EU instrument entirely dedicated to the environment.

Or. en

Amendment 535
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

53c. Underlines that existing financial support programmes as LIFE+ and Natura 2000 have been successfully implemented and have proven their importance in safeguarding environmental and nature protection; emphasizes that in order to safeguard further Europe's biodiversity the programmes should be continued as unique instruments to defend those priorities against other policies in terms of financial provisions;

Or. en

**Amendment 536
Bas Eickhout**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53 d (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

53d. Furthermore supports the continuation of a well endowed Environment Fund (LIFE+) for nature and biodiversity protection to achieve EU environmental objectives by supporting knowledge-based decision making , better implementation of environmental policies and promoting compliance and good governance;

Or. en

**Amendment 537
Robert Goebbels**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 53 e (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

53e. Points out that the EU's 27 Member States account for around 11% of global CO₂ emissions and that in the absence of an international agreement any further unilateral efforts made by the EU would be nullified by the growth in emissions by the US, China and other countries whose emissions are far higher than those of the EU as a whole;

Or. fr

Amendment 538

Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 53 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

53f. Regrets that currently only 6-8% of the budget is geared to climate change actions;

Or. en

Amendment 539

Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order

deleted

to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

Or. en

Amendment 540
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; *considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;*

Amendment

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field;

Or. pl

Amendment 541
Herbert Reul, Markus Pieper

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

54. Underlines the need *for a horizontal approach, combining* measures to *combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions* in all relevant *policy areas*, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are *the* key elements in order

Amendment

54. Underlines the need *to include* measures to *save energy and thus reduce our dependence on imports and to promote efforts to achieve climate-protection targets as cross-cutting tasks* in all relevant *expenditure* areas, including external policies; is convinced that,

to achieve the *Europe 2020 targets in this field*; *considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure*;

alongside voluntary commitments existing legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are key elements in order to achieve the energy and climate-protection objectives and that the Commission should allow sufficient scope for additional implementing measures, with a view to meeting the Europe 2020 targets; emphasises that what is primarily needed is national and local action, and calls on the Member States to step up their efforts at those levels;

Or. de

Amendment 542

Jürgen Klute, Cornelis de Jong, Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

Amendment

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat, ***mitigate and adapt to*** climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

Or. en

Amendment 543

Reimer Böge, Pilar del Castillo Vera, Maria Da Graça Carvalho on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that **legislation and** conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

Amendment

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions - in **particular energy saving measures - in** all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that **well-placed incentives such as** conditionality of EU expenditure **and legislation** are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure **and that it should be ensured that larger shares of the European emission trading scheme revenues are invested in mitigation and climate innovation;**

Or. en

Amendment 544

Carmen Romero López, Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García, Andres Perello Rodriguez

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

Amendment

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies, **underlines the impact of climate change on health and the need of health indicators in combination with environmental ones**; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

Amendment 545
Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

Amendment

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions, ***including management of Nature 2000 sites and climate change mitigation and adaptation measures, as well as appropriate indicators (climate and biodiversity proofing)*** should be mainstreamed in ***a binding way in*** all relevant sections of expenditure, ***doing away with climate harmful projects and subsidies***;

Amendment 546
François Alfonsi, Elisabeth Schroedter, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU

Amendment

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU

expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure ***and that climate proofing instruments should be introduced for all EU expenditure;***

Or. en

Amendment 547

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 54

Motion for a resolution

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure;

Amendment

54. Underlines the need for a horizontal approach, combining measures to combat climate change and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in all relevant policy areas, including external policies; is convinced that legislation and conditionality of EU expenditure are the key elements in order to achieve the Europe 2020 targets in this field; considers, consequently, that climate actions should be mainstreamed in all relevant sections of expenditure; ***recalls that the cause of climate change is mainly due to emissions from industrialised countries, underlines therefore the global responsibility that the EU has in tackling climate change;***

Or. en

Amendment 548

Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 55

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through introducing environmental criteria and increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat climate change, is one of the core objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 549
Herbert Reul, Markus Pieper

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 55

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through **introducing environmental criteria and increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat climate change**, is one of the core objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through increasing resource and energy efficiency, is one of the core objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

Or. de

Amendment 550
Giovanni La Via, Mario Mauro, Amalia Sartori

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 55

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through **introducing** environmental criteria and increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat climate change, is one of the

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through **a fair balance between economic, social and environmental criteria and by** increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat

core objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

climate change, is one of the core objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

Or. it

Amendment 551
Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 55

Motion for a resolution

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through introducing environmental criteria and increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat climate change, is one of the core objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

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55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through introducing environmental criteria, ***phasing out environmentally harmful subsidies*** and increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat climate change, is one of the core objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

Or. en

Amendment 552
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 55

Motion for a resolution

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through introducing environmental criteria and increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat climate change, is one of the ***core*** objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

Amendment

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through introducing environmental criteria and increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat climate change, is one of the objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

Or. pl

Amendment 553
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 56

Motion for a resolution

56. Supports, accordingly, the suggestion expressed in the Commission's Budget Review **to include an obligation to identify** in a transparent manner where sectoral programmes have promoted the 20/20/20 climate and energy objectives specified in the Europe 2020 strategy and contributed to meeting the 'Resource Efficient Europe' flagship initiative goals;

Amendment

56. Supports, accordingly, the suggestion expressed in the Commission's Budget Review **that it should be established** in a transparent manner where sectoral programmes have promoted the 20/20/20 climate and energy objectives specified in the Europe 2020 strategy and contributed to meeting the 'Resource Efficient Europe' flagship initiative goals;

Or. pl

Amendment 554
Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 56

Motion for a resolution

56. Supports, accordingly, the suggestion expressed in the Commission's Budget Review to include an obligation to identify in a transparent manner where sectoral programmes **have promoted** the 20/20/20 climate and energy objectives specified in the Europe 2020 strategy and **contributed** to meeting the 'Resource Efficient Europe' flagship initiative goals;

Amendment

56. Supports, accordingly, the suggestion expressed in the Commission's Budget Review to include an obligation to identify in a transparent **and measurable** manner where **and how** sectoral programmes **help achieve** the 20/20/20 climate and energy objectives specified in the Europe 2020 strategy and **contribute** to meeting the 'Resource Efficient Europe' flagship initiative goals;

Or. en

Amendment 555
Herbert Reul, Markus Pieper

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 56

Motion for a resolution

56. Supports, **accordingly**, the suggestion expressed in the Commission's Budget Review to include an obligation to identify in a transparent manner where sectoral programmes have promoted the 20/20/20 climate and energy objectives specified in the Europe 2020 strategy and contributed to meeting the 'Resource Efficient Europe' flagship initiative goals;

Amendment

56. Supports the suggestion expressed in the Commission's Budget Review to include an obligation to identify in a transparent manner where sectoral programmes have promoted the 20/20/20 climate and energy objectives specified in the Europe 2020 strategy and contributed to meeting the 'Resource Efficient Europe' flagship initiative goals; **emphasises, however, that climate protection cannot be the primary consideration in every area;**

Or. de

Amendment 556
Frank Engel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 56 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

56a. States that the EU has committed itself to the payment of around 7 billion euros annually with a view to alleviating the effects of climate change in the developing world after 2012, and that international commitments for the period after 2020 total 100 billion dollars annually, a third of which would have to be shouldered by the EU if the current proportion were maintained; demands that the European commitment be funded in a credible manner, and recalls that such funding could well mean that the product of any FTT and carbon emissions tax on the European level would have to be allocated to this sole purpose, thus making it unavailable for general EU budget funding;

Amendment 557

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy, Charles Goerens, on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 56 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

56b. Insists that existing and future spending pledges aimed at helping developing countries to combat climate change or to adapt to its effects must be additional to current development budgets, with an adequate level of coherence being maintained between the two policies; calls therefore for a clear structure defining the allocation of funds to the development sector on the one hand and to the mitigation of the effects of climate change for developing countries on the other hand;

Or. en

Amendment 558

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 56 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

56c. Takes the view that climate impacts assessments should be conducted for new projects funded by the EU budget; finds this important in order to make sure climate considerations are taken into consideration in the EU budget

Or. en

Amendment 559
Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 56 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Energy

56d. Underlines that the Commission estimates that a major increase in capital investments is needed for efficient post carbon energy and transport systems; points out that the EU budget can deliver added value also here in pooling resources, attracting further public and private finance or kick-starting projects, as energy efficiency and the switch to renewable energy sources will reduce the EU's average fuel costs and reduce dependency on energy imports and since delays will increase costs

Or. en

Amendment 560
Alain Lamassoure, Reimer Böge

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 56 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

56e. Notes that rising energy prices will be conducive to energy saving and the development of renewable energies; notes also that, at current world prices, the substantial investment required can be funded without the need for public subsidies; considers that, should a fall in market prices make subsidies necessary, the subsidies should be funded by means of an energy tax;

Amendment 561

Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 57

Motion for a resolution

57. ***Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase;*** believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies ***should remain*** key priorities; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Amendment

57. Believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies ***are*** key priorities ***that require significantly increased budget appropriations;*** calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Or. pt

Amendment 562

Cornelis de Jong, Jürgen Klute

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 57

Motion for a resolution

57. ***Is convinced*** that the ***energy's share in the next MFF should increase;*** believes ***that*** new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving ***policies should remain key priorities;*** calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Amendment

57. ***Believes*** that the new ***Innovation and Sustainability Fund should give priority to the developments of projects relating to*** renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Amendment 563
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 55

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

55. Takes the view that tackling the challenge of sustainability, through introducing environmental criteria and increasing resource and energy efficiency to combat climate change, is one of the core objectives of the Europe 2020 strategy;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 564
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 57

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should **remain** key priorities; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that **the diversification of sources of supply and energy transit routes**, new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should **be** key priorities; **points to the importance of identifying and exploiting the indigenous energy resources in the EU Member States**; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Amendment 565
Herbert Reul, Markus Pieper

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 57

Motion for a resolution

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that **new and renewable energy** technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving **policies** should remain key priorities; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Amendment

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that technologies, **in particular in the areas of** energy efficiency and energy saving, should remain key priorities; **emphasises that further research is needed into new forms of energy, including new forms of renewable energy**; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Or. de

Amendment 566
Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 57

Motion for a resolution

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that **new and** renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should **remain** key priorities; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Amendment

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should **be real** key priorities; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Amendment 567

Reimer Böge, Pilar del Castillo Vera, Maria Da Graça Carvalho on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 57

Motion for a resolution

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should remain key priorities; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

Amendment

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should remain key priorities **and calls for increasing European funding on these areas**; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination **or in relation to the National Energy Efficiency Action Plans for which the Commission should have the possibility to reject if they do not match the headline target for energy efficiency**;

Amendment 568

Herbert Reul, Markus Pieper

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 57

Motion for a resolution

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should remain key priorities; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed

Amendment

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should remain key priorities; calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed

targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;

targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination, ***provided that additional red tape is kept to a minimum;***

Or. de

Amendment 569
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 57

Motion for a resolution

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should remain key priorities; ***calls on the Commission to develop concrete benchmarks and to ensure that agreed targets are met and that they can be monitored within the framework of the European semester of policy coordination;***

Amendment

57. Is convinced that the energy's share in the next MFF should increase; believes that new and renewable energy technologies, energy efficiency and energy saving policies should remain key priorities;

Or. en

Amendment 570
Reimer Böge, Marian-Jean Marinescu, Jan Olbrycht, Danuta Maria Hübner, Sidonia Elżbieta Jędrzejewska, Czesław Adam Siekierski on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 57 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

57a. Reiterates the importance of a diverse EU energy mix, fully respecting the choice of each Member State, that should aim at achieving security of supply, competitiveness and sustainability

Amendment

in the long-term; recognises, in this context, the necessity for a thorough consideration of energy security as cross cutting issue that ought to follow EU-wide priorities;

Or. en

Amendment 571
Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 57 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

57b. Points out that current spending on energy projects reflects a wrong order of priorities with more money going to nuclear research than to non- nuclear energy research and more infrastructure spending for CCS and conventional energy than on renewable energies in the recovery plan; also believes that the late introduction of the eligibility of energy efficiency spending in housing for all EU countries and its limitation to 4% of the ERDF envelope is a missed opportunity which should be addressed more adequately in the new MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 572
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 57 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

57c. Considers that the massive investments foreseen in the EU energy strategy for the next 10 years should

primarily originate from the private sector but this would not be possible without creating appropriate incentives with EU and national public funds, especially in areas as cross-border interconnections, modernisation of existing energy grids, increasing energy efficiency of the buildings, the creation of a single energy market and the connection of the existing 'energy islands'; European funding sources, such as structural funds and project bonds should be made available on a larger scale in order to achieve the EU energy targets; an over reliance on the cohesion funds would both distort the EU budget and leave the energy sector largely underfunded;

Or. en

Amendment 573

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 57 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

57d. Notes that in the transition to sustainable energy consumption a special attention should be given to the vulnerable European citizens, facing or threatened by energy poverty it should be made possible to use EU funds to support vulnerable groups when they make energy efficiency improvements

Or. en

Amendment 574

Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 58

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 575

Cornelis de Jong, Jürgen Klute

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 58

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

58. Underlines the need to **increase** finance **in** research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

58. Underlines the need to **provide sufficient** finance **for** research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 576

Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 58

Motion for a resolution

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop **clean** energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Amendment

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop **sustainable** energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the **non nuclear part of the** already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 577

Herbert Reul, Markus Pieper

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 58

Motion for a resolution

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy **available for all**; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Amendment

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) **and for technologies not yet included in that plan, such as electricity storage**, and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Or. de

Amendment 578

Reimer Böge, Pilar del Castillo Vera, Maria Da Graça Carvalho on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 58

Motion for a resolution

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Amendment

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan)) **as well as those technologies such as electrical storage, that are not yet covered by this plan** and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF; **emphasises the need for public financial support in this area that will also enable the EU to live up to its international agreements;**

Or. en

Amendment 579

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy, Giommara Uggias, Graham Watson, on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 58

Motion for a resolution

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Amendment

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop clean energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation, **including appropriate funding**, during the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 580

Thijs Berman, Judith A. Merkies

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 58

Motion for a resolution

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop **clean** energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Amendment

58. Underlines the need to increase finance in research, technological development and demonstration in the area of energy in order to develop **renewable** energy available for all; highlights the lack of funding for the already adopted Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET-Plan) and calls for its full implementation during the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 581
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 58 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

58a. Given the huge financing needs in the areas of transport and energy infrastructure, and given the positive externalities of these projects, stresses the need to develop an incentive regulatory framework in order to promote public and private long term investment in these fields; ask in particular that accounting, fiscal and reporting rules be adapted to the specificities of this type of investment and that innovative financial instruments to be developed in cooperation with long term investors;

Or. en

Amendment 582
Niki Tzavela

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 58 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

58b. Believes that the EU needs to develop more its energy infrastructure and invest on its own sources and resources by exploration, exploitation, and extraction (e.g. shale gas, gas deposits) in order to assure long-term , sustainable growth and competitiveness; to that direction supports the creation of an EU project bonds system which in collaboration with the EIB and the guarantee of the EU budget will respond to the reluctance of the private investing and the serious constraints of the national budgets; therefore, urges the commission to move forward as soon as possible with concrete legislative proposals for the implementation of this alternative source of financing for big energy infrastructure projects carrying a European Added Value

Or. en

Amendment 583

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Anne E. Jensen, Giommaria Uggias, on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 58 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A Connected Europe

58c. Notes the importance of the transport sector in EU industrial policy, both in terms of its contribution to Gross Domestic Product and in terms of jobs; believes that the next financing period should give the EU transport sector the opportunity to consolidate its leadership

in green, safe and intelligent technologies that contribute to further economic development and greater economic and social cohesion;

Or. en

Amendment 584

Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution

Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Trans-European energy networks

European energy infrastructure

Or. en

Amendment 585

Cornelis de Jong, Miguel Portas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 59

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; ***takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;***

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets;

Or. en

Amendment 586
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 59

Motion for a resolution

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy *and climate* targets; ***takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;***

Amendment

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy targets;

Or. en

Amendment 587
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 59

Motion for a resolution

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the *internal* energy market, enhancing security of supply, and *to meet* energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to

Amendment

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising *diversifying supply routes and sources, increasing the share of renewable* energy, enhancing security of supply, and *meeting* energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000

maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to **funding** key European priority energy infrastructure projects;

billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to **fund** key **cross-border** European priority energy infrastructure projects;

Or. en

Amendment 588

Reimer Böge, Pilar del Castillo Vera, Maria Da Graça Carvalho on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 59

Motion for a resolution

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;

Amendment

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids, **including the development of large demonstration projects**, and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, **interconnections with third countries, diversifying sources and routes** enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field **by 2020 to be financed first and foremost by energy tariffs**; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding **for projects of European added value** and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;

Or. en

Amendment 589

Ilda Figueiredo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 59

Motion for a resolution

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for **realising the internal energy market**, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;

Amendment

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for **boosting investment in the public energy sector**, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;

Or. pt

Amendment 590
Anneli Jäätteenmäki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 59

Motion for a resolution

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;

Amendment

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field, **particularly in order to ensure transmission capacity, including new production capacity and investment in electricity grids**; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative

financial instruments to funding key
European priority energy infrastructure
projects;

Or. fi

Amendment 591
Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 59

Motion for a resolution

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes **the view** that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;

Amendment

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes **note of estimates** that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects **by concentrating clearly on fast investments in renewable energies, for high voltage transmission lines within the EU, storage facilities and de-centralised smart distribution grids;**

Or. en

Amendment 592
Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy, Giommara Uggias, Graham Watson, on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 59

Motion for a resolution

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects;

Amendment

59. Underlines the urgent need to modernise and upgrade the European energy infrastructure, to develop smart grids and build interconnections which are necessary for realising the internal energy market, enhancing security of supply, and to meet energy and climate targets; takes the view that substantial investments of approximately EUR 1000 billion are needed in this field; emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding and the opportunity offered by innovative financial instruments to funding key European priority energy infrastructure projects; ***stresses the need for a substantial allocation from the European Union budget for innovative financial instruments in this field;***

Or. en

Amendment 593

Markus Pieper, Lambert van Nistelrooij, Monika Hohlmeier

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 59 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

59a. Sees scope for the Structural Funds to support targeted investments in energy infrastructure; takes the view, however, that such investment must be confined to areas where political and geographical constraints severely hamper the ability of the market to meet energy supply needs; calls, further, for the provision of support from the Structural Funds always to be made contingent on the adoption of a commercial approach and on compliance with the principle of shared responsibility for funding;

Amendment 594

Maria Da Graça Carvalho, Pilar del Castillo Vera, Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 59 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

59b. Emphasises the need to maximise the impact of European funding by playing a catalytic role in mobilising, pooling and leveraging public and private financial resources for infrastructures of European interest, including the Southern Gas Corridor and other routes for diversification of gas supplies;

Or. en

Amendment 595

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 59 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

59c. emphasises that the TEN-E funding should as far as possible give priority to projects based on renewable energy

Or. en

Amendment 596

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Trans-European transport networks

Transport and Trans-European transport networks

Or. en

Amendment 597

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Anne E. Jensen, Giommaria Uggias, on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution

Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Trans-European transport networks

Transport and Trans-European transport networks

Or. en

Amendment 598

Brian Simpson, Saïd El Khadraoui, Bogusław Liberadzki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 59 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

59d. Recalls that transport underpins Europe's economic and social activity, that the transport sector represents 4.6% of the European Union's GDP, while employing 9.2 million individuals, and that, as well as allowing communication between individuals and communities and providing the network enabling growth in intra-European trade and the completion of the single market, the sector is significant in terms of its potential contribution to ensuring social, economic and territorial cohesion;

Amendment 599

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 60

Motion for a resolution

60. *Believes* that *the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;*

Amendment

60. *Underlines*, that *investing in effective cross border transport infrastructure has a key role for Europe to defend its competitiveness and pave the way for post-crisis long term economic growth, while spurring European industrial and technological growth, boosting employment and connecting isolated EU regions with the rest of Europe; believes it will provide a genuine European core network rather than the aggregation of national projects and should improve social and territorial cohesion, create a sustainable and interoperable transport system deploying new greener and environmentally efficient transport to address climate concerns, as well as improve safety, convenience and accessibility for Europe's citizens; considers cross-border transport to be a key priority in the next MFF; as should the further development of a Single European Sky;*

Amendment 600

Bogusław Liberadzki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 60

Motion for a resolution

60. *Believes* that *the Trans-European*

Amendment

60. *Underlines*, that *investing in effective*

transport *networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;*

cross border transport infrastructure has a key role for Europe to defend its competitiveness and pave the way for post-crisis long term economic growth, while spurring European industrial and technological growth, boosting employment and connecting isolated EU regions with the rest of Europe; it will improve social and territorial cohesion, create a sustainable and interoperable transport system deploying new greener and environmentally efficient transport to address climate concerns, as well as improve safety, convenience and accessibility for Europe's citizens; with TEN-T we can achieve resource efficient Europe;

Or. en

Amendment 601
Isabelle Durant, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 60

Motion for a resolution

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to ***removing bottlenecks and assure*** cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;

Amendment

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to ***assuring*** cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF ***but the financing of priority projects should be reviewed in the light of progress on the ground and evaluating whether projects that hitherto received the bulk of financial support are still credible or the most relevant for achieving EU 2020 climate and energy targets or the safety targets mentioned in the Commission White Paper on Transport;***

Or. en

Amendment 602
Richard Ashworth, Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 60

Motion for a resolution

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;

Amendment

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to ***developing of efficient, multimodal and comprehensive EU transport network and addressing the issue of lack of accessibility and low interoperability between various parts of the EU,*** removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 603
Ramon Tremosa i Balcells

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 60

Motion for a resolution

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;

Amendment

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks, ***eliminating physical barriers such as a different rail gauge,*** and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in ***and at the same time ensuring the removal of regulatory barriers to competition in the railway sector;*** considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next

MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 604

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Anne E. Jensen, Giommara Uggias, on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 60

Motion for a resolution

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;

Amendment

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, **and improve the use of traffic management and information systems** which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 605

Cornelis de Jong

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 60

Motion for a resolution

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a **key** priority in the next MFF;

Amendment

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a priority in the next MFF;

Or. en

Amendment 606
Ilda Figueiredo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 60

Motion for a resolution

60. Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;

Amendment

60 Believes that the Trans-European transport networks (TEN-T) provide important EAV as they contribute to removing bottlenecks and assure cross-border infrastructure, which the Member States alone would not invest in; considers that the TEN-T, ***which must be publicly owned and managed***, should, accordingly, be a key priority in the next MFF;

Or. pt

Amendment 607
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 60 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

60a. considers that conditionality should be enhanced by introducing the principle of ‘Use-it-or-lose-it’ (decommitment); when allocated funding has not been used the unspent or decommitted resources of transport funds remain in the EU budget and not be returned to the Member States;

Or. en

Amendment 608
Marta Andreasen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 61

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Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; ***considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;***

Amendment

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is ***not*** necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects;

Or. en

Amendment 609

François Alfonsi, Elisabeth Schroedter, Bas Eickhout, Isabelle Durant

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that ***an increase*** in TEN-T funds ***is necessary***, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; ***considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;***

Amendment

61. Considers that ***improvements in the use of*** TEN-T funds as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects, ***integrating sustainable development obligations, are necessary;***

Or. en

Amendment 610

Isabelle Durant, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that ***an increase in*** TEN-T

Amendment

61. Considers that ***strategic and project***

funds *is necessary, as well as* increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; *considers* that expenditure *used* from *the cohesion fund* should be conditional upon the observation of *general principles* of *European transport policy*;

assessment should be improved and consideration of viable alternatives made compulsory when deciding on allocating TEN-T funds, *that* increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects *is necessary and* that expenditure from *these funds* should be conditional upon the observation of *certain requirements such as avoiding external costs, contributing to a modal shift towards more sustainable modes* of transport, *adopting a high quality sustainable urban mobility plan when projects are related to urban strategies or have a direct or indirect impact on urban mobility*;

Or. en

Amendment 611
Richard Ashworth

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the *funds available for* TEN-T and the *cohesion* funding *for transport projects*; *considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles* of *European transport policy*;

Amendment

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the *EU and Member States and between the revised* TEN-T *Guidelines* and the *EU Cohesion strategic guidelines, in order to ensure consistency in funding priorities between the EU and national levels in full conformity with the Guidelines and thus to use better the available sources of financing and increase its added value in the implementation of EU objectives*;

Or. en

Amendment 612
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that ***an increase in*** TEN-T funds ***is necessary***, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Amendment

61. Considers that ***funding*** TEN-T funds ***will require a global investment of 500 billion euro in 2007-2020, out of which 270 billion euro for the priority axis with the clear commitment from the Member States*** as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Or. en

Amendment 613
Bogusław Liberadzki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Amendment

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds ***to 500 billion euro in 2007-2020, out of which 270 billion euro for the priority axis*** is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Or. en

Amendment 614
Reimer Böge, Markus Pieper, Marian-Jean Marinescu, László Surján on behalf of the

EPP Group

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Amendment

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T, ***cross border cooperation*** and the cohesion funding for transport projects; ***stresses the role that innovative financing instruments, including PPPs and project bonds, can play in the financing of those projects***; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund ***and other corresponding structural funds*** should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy; ***believes, at the same time, that TEN-T funding should actively contribute to the objectives of economic, social and territorial cohesion, as set out in Article 174 of the TFEU***;

Or. en

Amendment 615 Anneli Jäätteenmäki

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Amendment

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; ***stresses that, in preparing coordination, account should be taken of the views of regional authorities in TEN-T corridors and towns which serve as nodes***; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund

should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Or. fi

Amendment 616
Mathieu Grosch, Lambert van Nistelrooij

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the *cohesion* funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Amendment

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the funding for transport projects *within the framework of cohesion policy and territorial cooperation*; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Or. en

Amendment 617
Ilda Figueiredo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Amendment

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European *public* transport policy;

Amendment 618
Ramon Tremosa i Balcells

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 61

Motion for a resolution

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy;

Amendment

61. Considers that an increase in TEN-T funds is necessary, as well as increased coordination between the funds available for TEN-T and the cohesion funding for transport projects; considers that expenditure used from the cohesion fund should be conditional upon the observation of general principles of European transport policy. ***In particular, priority should be given to projects with a European added value and based on a cost-benefit analysis.***

Or. en

Amendment 619
Isabelle Durant, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 61 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

61a. Furthermore points to the benefits of support for strategies and new technologies for decreases in accidents (ERTMS), transport avoidance, internalisation of external costs, reduction of noise at the source, soft-networks, better use of the capacity provided by existing infrastructure (ERTMS, RIS, ITS, etc.), increases in energy efficiency technologies for vehicles, or local sourcing policies to ensure sustainable

Amendment 620
Cornelis de Jong

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62

Motion for a resolution

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; ***considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;***

Amendment

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality;

Amendment 621
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62

Motion for a resolution

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to ***address*** interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single

Amendment

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to ***find solutions to the*** interoperability between national ***as well as cross-border*** railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure

European Railway policy;

in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy; ***greater use of inland waterway and short sea shipping and the development of soft infrastructure and traffic management systems;***

Or. en

Amendment 622

Guy Verhofstadt, Carl Haglund, Anne E. Jensen, Giommaria Uggias, on behalf of the ALDE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 62

Motion for a resolution

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;

Amendment

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable ***and efficient*** transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy, ***and to ensure greater use of inland waterway and short sea shipping;***

Or. en

Amendment 623

Giovanni La Via, Mario Mauro, Antonio Cancian

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 62

Motion for a resolution

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more

Amendment

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more

sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;

sustainable transport flows, *such as railways and inland waterways*, while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;

Or. it

Amendment 624
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62

Motion for a resolution

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;

Amendment

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while *paying attention to member states' particularities and* providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;

Or. en

Amendment 625
Ramon Tremosa i Balcells

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62

Motion for a resolution

62. Calls on the Commission to take into

Amendment

62. Calls on the Commission to take into

account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;

account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to **prioritize European value added projects and** achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;

Or. en

Amendment 626
Ilda Figueiredo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62

Motion for a resolution

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy;

Amendment

62. Calls on the Commission to take into account, in particular, the need to shift freight and passenger flows towards more sustainable transport flows while providing efficient co-modality; considers that the upcoming revision of the TEN-T guidelines needs to address interoperability between national railway systems and introduce conditionality on EU expenditure in order to achieve a genuine Single European Railway policy, **based on public transport systems**;

Or. pt

Amendment 627
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

62a. emphasises that the TEN-T funding should as far as possible give priority to low-carbon transportation

Or. en

Amendment 628

Reimer Böge, Carlo Fidanza, Luis de Grandes Pascual, Marietta Giannakou, Ioannis Kasoulides, Giovanni La Via on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 62 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Tourism

62b. Recalls that tourism is a new EU competence under the Lisbon Treaty, which should, therefore, also be reflected in the next MFF; stresses the important contribution of tourism to the European economy and believes that the European strategy for tourism should aim at raising the competitiveness of the sector and be supported with adequate funding for the next period;

Or. en

Amendment 629

Reimer Böge, Marietta Giannakou, Ioannis Kasoulides on behalf of the EPP Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 62 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Maritime Policy

62c. Considers that the Integrated Maritime Policy must be pursued and geared towards tackling the challenges

faced by coastal zones and maritime basins, supporting blue growth and a sustainable maritime economy in line with the EU 2020 Strategy; requests that the EU increases its effort to support an ambitious EU maritime policy which will allow Europe to assert its position in this strategic sector; insists that the appropriate budgetary means be made available in favour of this policy;

Or. en

Amendment 630

Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 62 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

62d. Acknowledges that the seas and oceans will play an increasingly key role in global economic growth in the future; calls, accordingly, for the EU to step up its efforts in this area as part of an integrated maritime policy enabling Europe to compete with the world's other major blocs in this strategic sector;

Or. fr

Amendment 631

François Alfonsi, Elisabeth Schroedter, Bas Eickhout

Motion for a resolution

Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Cohesion for growth and employment

Economic, social and territorial cohesion

Or. en

Amendment 632
Evelyn Regner

Motion for a resolution
Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Cohesion *for* growth and employment

Social and territorial cohesion as a
guarantor of growth and employment

Or. de

Amendment 633
Jürgen Klute, Gabriele Zimmer, Cornelia Ernst, Cornelis de Jong

Motion for a resolution
Subheading

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Cohesion for growth *and employment*

Cohesion for *social inclusion, employment*
and growth

Or. en

Amendment 634
Göran Färm, Ivailo Kalfin, Eider Gardiazábal Rubial on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Cohesion for growth and employment

62e. Recalls that cohesion policy has an increased importance with the entry into force of the Treaty of Lisbon and with the anchorage of territorial cohesion therein and that a strong cohesion policy is the prerequisite for a successful joint action

of the EU.

Or. en

Amendment 635
Konrad Szymański

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

62f. Stresses that the EU budget is intended to help meet the objectives laid down in the Treaties, such as social, economic and territorial cohesion;

Or. pl

Amendment 636
Jürgen Klute, Cornelia Ernst, Gabriele Zimmer

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 62 g (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Cohesion for growth and employment

62g. Takes the view that cohesion policy is not subordinated to the EU 2020 Strategy, whereas it contributes to a great extent to the achievement of the EU 2020 strategy objectives; believes that a sound autonomous cohesion policy is the prerequisite for successful joint action by the EU as it contributes to reducing disparities at regional and local level and allows for a consolidation of strategic goals and local needs with potential on the ground; stresses that the cohesion policy with its horizontal character is contributing to all EU 2020 objectives and that this should be reflected in the

*structure of the post-2013 Multiannual
Financial Framework;*

Or. en