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AMENDMENTS

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on the proposal for a decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund, in accordance with point 28 of the Interinstitutional Agreement of 17 May 2006 between the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on budgetary discipline and sound financial management (application EGF/2010/029 NL/Zuid-Holland and Utrecht Division 18 from the Netherlands)
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Amendment 1
Juozas Imbrasas

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the European *Union has set up the appropriate legislative and budgetary instruments* to provide additional *support* to workers who are *suffering from the consequences* of major structural changes in world trade patterns and to assist their reintegration into the labour market,

Amendment

A. whereas the European *Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF) was established* to provide additional *assistance* to workers who are *made redundant as a result* of major structural changes in world trade patterns *due to globalisation* and to assist their reintegration into the labour market,

Or. It

Amendment 2
Alexander Alvaro, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas the application fulfils the eligibility criteria set up by the EGF Regulation,

Amendment

E. whereas *the Commission concludes in its assessment that* the application fulfils the eligibility criteria set up by the EGF Regulation,

Or. en

Amendment 3
Zigmantas Balčytis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

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the adoption of the decisions on the mobilisation of the EGF, providing one-off, time-limited individual support geared to helping workers who have suffered redundancies as a result of globalisation and the financial and economic crisis; ***calls for the social partners to be duly informed and to participate at all stages with regard to the use and granting of financial assistance from the EGF***; emphasises the role that the EGF can play in the reintegration of workers made redundant into the labour market;

Or. It

Amendment 4
Alexander Alvaro, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Stresses that, in accordance with Article 6 of the EGF Regulation, it should be ensured that the EGF supports the reintegration of individual redundant workers into employment; reiterates that assistance from the EGF must not replace actions which are the responsibility of companies by virtue of national law or collective agreements, nor measures restructuring companies or sectors;

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Or. en

Amendment 5
Zigmantas Balčytis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

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3. Stresses that, in accordance with Article 6 of the EGF Regulation, it should be ensured that the EGF supports the reintegration of individual redundant workers into employment; ***calls for measures to ensure that the Member States have sufficient capacity to mobilise the funds effectively***; reiterates that assistance from the EGF must not replace actions which are the responsibility of companies by virtue of national law or collective agreements, nor measures restructuring companies or sectors;

Or. It

Amendment 6
Alexander Alvaro, Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. ***Welcomes the fact*** that following repeated requests from the Parliament, for the first time the 2011 budget shows payment appropriations of EUR 47 608 950 on the EGF budget line 04 05 01; recalls that the EGF was created as a separate specific instrument with its own objectives and deadlines and that therefore deserves a dedicated allocation, which will avoid transfers from other budget lines, as happened in the past, which could be detrimental to the achievement of the various policies objectives;

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5. ***Notes*** that following repeated requests from the Parliament, for the first time the 2011 budget shows payment appropriations of EUR 47 608 950 on the EGF budget line 04 05 01; recalls that the EGF was created as a separate specific instrument with its own objectives and deadlines and that therefore deserves a dedicated allocation, which will avoid transfers from other budget lines, as happened in the past, which could be detrimental to the achievement of the various policies objectives;

Or. en

Amendment 7
Zigmantas Balčytis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Calls on the Commission to conduct a detailed qualitative evaluation of the EGF;

Or. It