Amendment 7
Janusz Wojciechowski on behalf of the ECR Group

Report
Albert Dess
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls for a fair distribution of CAP funding for the first and second pillars both among Member States and among farmers within a Member State, in which a pragmatic approach should be the fundamental principle for objective criteria; rejects major disparities in the distribution of these funds among Member States; takes the view that this will entail the gradual replacement, following a transitional period, of the system based on outdated historical reference values with support payments which are fair and thus allocated more effectively among countries, among different agriculture sectors and farmers; points out that this also calls for more effective support payments which are better targeted and offer greater incentives in order to help agriculture make a shift towards more sustainable farming systems; in line with the Commission Communication, rejects a uniform flat-rate direct payment for the whole of the EU which would not reflect European diversity; considers that preserving the diversity of farming and production locations in the EU is a central objective and therefore advocates taking account of the specific production conditions in the Member States as far as possible through a more targeted system.

Amendment

15. Calls for a fair distribution of CAP funding for the first and second pillars both among Member States and among farmers within a Member State to be based on objective criteria reflecting the goals of each of the two CAP pillars; rejects disparities in the distribution of funds among Member States due to their implications for the competitive position of farms; takes the view that this will entail the replacement of the system based on outdated historical reference values with support payments which are fair and thus allocated more effectively among countries, among different agriculture sectors and farmers; points out that this also calls for more effective support payments which are better targeted and offer greater incentives in order to help agriculture make a shift towards more sustainable farming systems; considers that preserving the diversity of farming and production locations in the EU is a central objective and therefore advocates taking account of the specific production conditions in the Member States, including agricultural labour and farm structure;
of direct payments;
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35 a (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment
35a. Takes the view that first- and second-pillar payments should be ruled out for land sown to GMO crops;

Or. en
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 41 a (new)

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41a. Believes that animal-welfare-friendly methods of production also have a positive impact on animal health, food quality and food safety while being more friendly for the environment; calls for the CAP to promote a move from highly intensive livestock production, inter alia by providing support to farmers who wish to apply high standards of animal welfare;

Amendment

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