

Amendment 145/rev

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Report**A8-0003/2017****Ian Duncan**

Cost-effective emission reductions and low-carbon investments
COM(2015)0337 – C8-0190/2015 – 2015/0148(COD)

Proposal for a directive**Recital 11***Text proposed by the Commission**Amendment*

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Justification

If we use the year 2015 as a reference year, we will achieve to present the relevant developments in the economic environment, rendering the System more fair and closer to the current economic reality.

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Proposal for a directive

Article 1 – paragraph 1 – point 2 ba (new)

Directive 2003/87/EC

Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point da (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(2ba) In Article 6 (2), the following point is inserted:

'(da) within the reporting requirements, social and labour provisions safeguarding professional integrity and jobs in those activities more exposed to carbon leakage risk and to potential social dumping due to unfair competition from outside the EU, shall be included to ensure full compliance with Union health and safety, worker protection and environmental law.

Or. en

Justification

Within the provisions of the Greenhouse gas emissions permits it's worthwhile to recall the full compliance of existing EU regulations regarding health and safety at work as well as the respect of related environmental directives.

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Proposal for a directive**Article 1 – paragraph 1 – point 6**

Directive 2003/87/EC

Article 10c – paragraph 1

*Text proposed by the Commission**Amendment*

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Proposal for a directive

Article 1 – paragraph 1 – point 7

Directive 2003/87/EC

Article 10d – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

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