

# 2021 BUDGETARY PROCEDURE

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## Draft amendment 994

=== CULT/5937 ===

Tabled by Committee on Culture and Education

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 07 20 04 01 — Multimedia actions

##### Amend figures and conditions for releasing the reserve as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 01	21 732 000	23 000 000	20 212 100	19 786 800	20 212 100	19 786 800	-17 480 100	-15 786 800	2 732 000	4 000 000
Reserve							18 000 000	18 000 000	18 000 000	18 000 000
Total	21 732 000	23 000 000	20 212 100	19 786 800	20 212 100	19 786 800	519 900	2 213 200	20 732 000	22 000 000

##### Conditions for releasing the reserve:

Add following text:

*The budget allocated to the cooperation with Euronews should be put in reserve, until the Commission has answered the concerns raised by the Court of Auditors and provided an assessment with regards to the cooperation with Euronews to the Parliament.*

##### Justification:

The Parliament supports the Commission's multimedia actions, which contribute to media coverage of Union affairs and help promote a common European public sphere. However, it has called on the Commission several times to increase transparency and accountability of the budget used for multimedia actions, especially for Euronews, as well as to diversify the communication channels funded under the multimedia action budget line. As the Parliament considers the actions taken by the Commission insufficient at this stage, the 18 000 000 EUR for Euronews should be put into reserve.

## Draft amendment 671

=== I-D//7753 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 07 20 04 01 — Multimedia actions

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 01	21 732 000	23 000 000	20 212 100	19 786 800	20 212 100	19 786 800	-10 106 050		10 106 050	19 786 800
Reserve										
Total	21 732 000	23 000 000	20 212 100	19 786 800	20 212 100	19 786 800	-10 106 050		10 106 050	19 786 800

##### Justification:

We do not need any European propaganda multimedia action.

## Draft amendment 4

=== AFCO/6426 ===

Tabled by Committee on Constitutional Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 07 20 04 02 — Executive and corporate communication services

##### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 02	42 065 180	41 717 996	47 105 200	39 676 000	47 105 200	39 676 000	3 373 016	10 385 595	50 478 216	50 061 595
Reserve										
Total	42 065 180	41 717 996	47 105 200	39 676 000	47 105 200	39 676 000	3 373 016	10 385 595	50 478 216	50 061 595

##### Remarks:

After paragraph:

Corporate communication products and services are ..... achieving a better image of the Commission and the EU.

Amend text as follows:

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure incurred within the Union for online multimedia and written information and other communication tools concerning the Union, for the purpose of providing all citizens with general information on the work of the Union institutions, the decisions taken and the stages in the building of the European Union. This is a public service task. Online and other communication tools make it possible to gather citizens' questions or reactions on European *topics, with a special focus on topics discussed in the course of the Conference on the Future of Europe*. These tools must be made accessible to people with disabilities, in accordance with Web Accessibility Initiative guidelines.

**Justification:**

It is important to further increase the level of the appropriations for this line. The EU budget should provide the European Institutions with the necessary means to ensure proper communication with citizens and encourage their interest and involvement in Union matters, especially in view of the forthcoming Conference on the Future of Europe, which will require constant communication between the leadership of the EU Institutions and the citizens on the future of the EU. Furthermore increased funding is needed to fight against disinformation and against the spreading of fake news.

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**Draft amendment 672**

=== I-D//7754 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 07 20 04 02** — Executive and corporate communication services

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 02	42 065 180	41 717 996	47 105 200	39 676 000	47 105 200	39 676 000	-23 552 600		23 552 600	39 676 000
Reserve										
Total	42 065 180	41 717 996	47 105 200	39 676 000	47 105 200	39 676 000	-23 552 600		23 552 600	39 676 000

**Justification:**

We do not need any propaganda measures with regard to this budgetary line.

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**Draft amendment 5**

=== AFCO/6427 ===

Tabled by Committee on Constitutional Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 07 20 04 03** — Commission Representations

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 03	27 427 000	25 744 650	27 356 000	23 497 000	27 356 000	23 497 000	2 813 700	4 822 115	30 169 700	28 319 115
Reserve										
Total	27 427 000	25 744 650	27 356 000	23 497 000	27 356 000	23 497 000	2 813 700	4 822 115	30 169 700	28 319 115

**Justification:**

It is important to increase the level of the appropriations for this line with 10 percent compared to the Budget 2020. Commission Representations play an important role in informing citizens about the EU's activities and fostering public debate on European matters, in particular they raise awareness of the European Citizens Initiative. They are also responsible for countering disinformation at local level. Their scope of activities and the workload will soon further increase through their direct engagement in the Conference on the Future of Europe.

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## Draft amendment 4306

=== BUDG/4306 ===

Tabled by Jens Geier, Committee on Budgets

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 07 20 04 03 — Commission Representations

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 03	27 427 000	25 744 650	27 356 000	23 497 000	27 356 000	23 497 000	5 000 000	2 500 000	32 356 000	25 997 000
Reserve										
Total	27 427 000	25 744 650	27 356 000	23 497 000	27 356 000	23 497 000	5 000 000	2 500 000	32 356 000	25 997 000

##### Justification:

The Europe Direct Information Centres provide a tailor-made approach for local citizens all over Europe to the European Union and its policy. In light of the increased interest from citizens shown by the high voter turnout of the elections to the European Parliament in 2019, the budget of these offices should be significantly strengthened.

## Draft amendment 673

=== I-D/7755 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 07 20 04 03 — Commission Representations

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 03	27 427 000	25 744 650	27 356 000	23 497 000	27 356 000	23 497 000	-5 471 200		21 884 800	23 497 000
Reserve										
Total	27 427 000	25 744 650	27 356 000	23 497 000	27 356 000	23 497 000	-5 471 200		21 884 800	23 497 000

##### Justification:

It seems reasonable to ask for some further reductions with regard to this budgetary line.

## Draft amendment 6

=== AFCD/6428 ===

Tabled by Committee on Constitutional Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 07 20 04 04 — Communication services for citizens

##### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 04	23 906 820	23 293 354	32 228 600	28 943 000	32 228 600	28 943 000	1 240 948	1 338 360	33 469 548	30 281 360
Reserve										
Total	23 906 820	23 293 354	32 228 600	28 943 000	32 228 600	28 943 000	1 240 948	1 338 360	33 469 548	30 281 360

##### Remarks:

###### After paragraph:

Communication actions can be organised in partnership ..... and communication activities on the European Union.

###### Add following text:

*This appropriation could also serve to fund specific communication actions in the framework of the Conference on the Future of Europe.*

##### Justification:

The funding for this budget line has been increased significantly but a further increase is needed in 2021 in order to finance specific actions in the course of the Conference on the Future of Europe. The Commission is

invited to present the necessary proposals, in case further appropriations will be needed.

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**Draft amendment 674**

=== I-D//7756 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 07 20 04 04** — Communication services for citizens

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 04	23 906 820	23 293 354	32 228 600	28 943 000	32 228 600	28 943 000	-24 171 450		8 057 150	28 943 000
Reserve										
Total	23 906 820	23 293 354	32 228 600	28 943 000	32 228 600	28 943 000	-24 171 450		8 057 150	28 943 000

**Justification:**

This is mainly propaganda in the exclusive interest for the European Union.

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**Draft amendment 675**

=== I-D//7757 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 07 20 04 05** — House of European History

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 05	3 000 000	3 000 000	3 000 000	3 000 000	3 000 000	3 000 000	-3 000 000		p.m.	3 000 000
Reserve										
Total	3 000 000	3 000 000	3 000 000	3 000 000	3 000 000	3 000 000	-3 000 000		p.m.	3 000 000

**Remarks:**

Delete following text:

~~Former article~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the financial contribution of the Commission to the House of European History for the operational costs incurred by the European Parliament in respect of exhibitions, events and workshops organised which will increase knowledge, awaken curiosity, and create opportunities to reflect on European history by means of a modern exhibition and documentation centre.~~

**Justification:**

This is mainly propaganda in the exclusive interest of the European Union.

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**Draft amendment 232**

=== EMPL/5609 ===

Tabled by Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 07 20 04 06** — Specific competences in the area of social policy, including social dialogue

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 06	47 497 000	37 735 000	48 091 000	41 861 900	48 091 000	41 861 900	-48 091 000	-41 861 900	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	47 497 000	37 735 000	48 091 000	41 861 900	48 091 000	41 861 900	-48 091 000	-41 861 900	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

Before paragraph:

Reference acts

Delete following text:

#### *Former items*

~~This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure related to support analytical studies in the field of employment and social affairs as well as to promote European social dialogue in three main areas, as well as cost of preliminary consultation meetings with trade union representatives; and analyses of and studies on the social situation, demographics and family.~~

~~Regarding actions on preliminary consultation meetings between European trade union representatives, the appropriation is intended to cover costs with a view to help them form their opinions and harmonise their positions regarding the development of Union policies. Costs are intended to cover in particular studies, workshops, conferences, analyses, evaluations, publications, technical assistance, the purchase and maintenance of databases and software and the part financing and support of measures relating to economic monitoring, analysis of the combination of measures and coordination of economic policies.~~

~~Regarding the promotion of European social dialogue, strong and competent social partners are needed in order to improve the process of relaunching and enhancing the functioning of social dialogue, as well as to support recovery and enhance competitiveness and fairness in the social market economy. Measures should help workers' organisations to address the overarching challenges facing European employment and social policy, notably within the context of Union initiatives to address the consequences of the economic crisis.~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure related to the promotion of European social dialogue and related measures, in particular for the following activities:~~

- ~~– studies, consultations, meetings of experts, negotiations, publications and other actions directly linked to the achievement of the objectives of the budget heading and any other expenditure on technical and administrative assistance not involving public authority tasks outsourced by the Commission under ad hoc service contracts;~~
- ~~– actions undertaken by social partners to promote social dialogue (including capacity building of social partners in member states and candidate countries) at cross industry, sector and company level; the appropriation is also intended to promote equal participation of women and men in the decision making bodies of both trade unions and employers' organisations;~~
- ~~– actions to improve knowledge and expertise on industrial relations across the Union and to exchange and disseminate relevant information;~~
- ~~– information and training measures for workers' organisation and actions to improve the degree and quality of involvement of workers' representatives in European policy and law making;~~
- ~~– actions on preliminary consultation meetings between European trade union representatives, notably to cover costs with a view to help them form their opinions and harmonise their positions regarding the development of Union policies.~~

~~The appropriation is also intended to cover costs on information, consultation and participation of representatives of undertakings, in particular for the following activities:~~

- ~~– measures aimed at developing employee involvement in undertakings meaning any mechanism, including information, consultation and participation, through which employees' representatives may exercise an influence on decisions to be taken within the company in particular by raising awareness and contributing to the application of EU law and policies in this area and the take up and development of European Works Councils;~~
- ~~– projects which seek to identify and address challenges in workers' involvement resulting from changes in the world of work e.g. restructuring, outsourcing/subcontracting, digitalisation/automation/artificial intelligence and new forms of work;~~
- ~~– initiatives to strengthen transnational cooperation between workers' and employers' representatives in respect of information, consultation and participation of employees within companies operating in more than one Member State and short training actions for negotiators and representatives in transnational information, consultation and participation bodies may be funded in that context, and may also involve social partners from candidate countries;~~
- ~~– measures to enable social partners to exercise their rights and duties as regards employee involvement, especially within the framework of European Works Councils, to familiarise them with transnational~~

- ~~company agreements and strengthen their cooperation in respect to Union law on employee involvement,~~
- ~~– innovative actions relating to employee involvement, with the view of supporting the anticipation resulting from changes in the world of work — e.g. restructuring, outsourcing / subcontracting, digitalisation / automation / artificial intelligence and new forms of work , or the need for a shift towards an inclusive, sustainable and low carbon economy.~~

~~Actions on analyses of and studies on the social situation, demographics and family aim to promote better policy responses in the EU and the Member States to demographic, employment and social challenges, including to the challenges of the digital and green transitions and the need to ensure just transitions and promote inclusive growth. The appropriation is intended to cover costs for producing and disseminating high quality analysis and comparative information in the context of the Commission's Political Guidelines and the EU's strategic objectives. This will support the identification of future priorities for employment and social policies, including gender specific measures and the development of analytical and data capacities for assessing, evaluating and monitoring the socio-economic impacts of transitions to a digital, climate neutral Europe, in particular through the following activities:~~

- ~~– actions promoting the development of comparative analysis and the exchange of views and experience at all relevant levels (regional, national, Union, international) regarding the employment, social and demographic situation and the socio-economic trends in the Union, as well as the gender pay gap and discrimination against women in the workplace,~~
- ~~– actions supporting an Observatory of the Social Situation, the cooperation with relevant activities in the Member States and with international organisations and the management of a technical support group for the European Alliance for Families,~~
- ~~– on studies, meetings of experts, dissemination of knowledge, information and publications directly linked to the achievement of the objectives of the strategy or measures falling under this item, and any other expenditure on technical and administrative assistance not involving public authority tasks outsourced by the Commission under ad hoc service contracts.~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover in particular expenditure on the reporting referred to in the TFEU, including Commission reports annually on Employment and social developments in Europe and a report on demographic change and its implications every 2 years, as well as (inputs to) reporting on socio-economic impacts of the transition to climate neutrality and to a digital Europe as well as Commission reports on problems concerning the social situation.~~

~~This appropriation is also intended to cover expenditure on analysis for the reporting referred to in TFEU, as well as for the dissemination of knowledge on major employment, social and demographic challenges and in particular challenges of the twin digital and green transition, and ways of tackling them.~~

After paragraph:

Reference acts

Delete following text:

~~Tasks resulting from specific powers directly conferred on the Commission by the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union pursuant to Article 154, 155, 159 and 161 thereof.~~

## **Justification:**

Commission proposal to merge different lines linked to social policy objectives raises concerns. New line 07 20 04 06 (Specific competences in the area of social policy, including social dialogue) merges 5 lines (04 03 01 01, 04 03 01 04, 04 03 01 05, 04 03 01 06, 04 03 01 08) ) - it is proposed to come back to previous nomenclature (so, the 5 different lines), increasing each budget line proportionately, by the same rate of increase planned in the 2021 budgetary proposal – commitments (CA) for 2021 = 101.3% of CA for 2020 and payments (PA) for 2021 = 110,93% of PA for 2020 . Hence the proposed deletion

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## **Draft amendment 676**

=== I-D//7758 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

## **SECTION III — COMMISSION**

**Item 07 20 04 06** — Specific competences in the area of social policy, including social dialogue

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 06	47 497 000	37 735 000	48 091 000	41 861 900	48 091 000	41 861 900	-24 045 500		24 045 500	41 861 900
Reserve										
Total	47 497 000	37 735 000	48 091 000	41 861 900	48 091 000	41 861 900	-24 045 500		24 045 500	41 861 900

**Justification:**

We do not consider this budgetary line as a priority.

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**Draft amendment 4307**

=== BUDG/4307 ===

Tabled by Francisco José Millán Mon, Esteban González Pons

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 07 20 04 08**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 08							2 000 000	2 000 000	2 000 000	2 000 000
Reserve										
Total							2 000 000	2 000 000	2 000 000	2 000 000

**Heading:**

*Special annual events: 'Xacobeo 2021'*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to contribute to cover costs of measures supported as special annual events, and in particular the 'Xacobeo 2021'.*

*EUR 2 000 000 is intended for various cross-border initiatives organised by the Government of the Autonomous Community of Galicia (Spain) as part of the 'Xacobeo 2021' programme for the Jubilee or Jacobean Year.*

*The traditional budget line for 'special annual events', present in past annual budgets, is thus restored.*

**Justification:**

In its resolution of 19 June 2020 on transport and tourism in 2020 and beyond (2020/2649(RSP)), the European Parliament recalled the importance of cultural tourism and heritage, which includes the European Cultural Routes, among them the Ways of St. James ('Camino de Santiago'), which in 2021 will celebrate a Jubilee or Jacobean Year.

The initiatives will increase awareness among EU citizens of the role of the Ways of St. James in creating a common European culture and identity.

The measures will boost cooperation and dialogue between various countries' cultural and social actors.

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**Draft amendment 277**

=== CULT/5930 ===

Tabled by Committee on Culture and Education

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 07 20 04 08**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 08							2 370 000	2 370 000	2 370 000	2 370 000
Reserve										
Total							2 370 000	2 370 000	2 370 000	2 370 000

**Heading:**

*Euranet+*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This appropriation shall support Euranet plus. This budget line is a split of the multimedia actions budget lines 07 20 04 01*

### Justification:

Create a new budget line dedicated to Euranet plus (previously inside the multimedia actions budget line 07 20 04 02)

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### Draft amendment 233

==== EMPL/5610 ====

Tabled by Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 07 20 04 08

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 08							455 850	371 616	455 850	371 616
Reserve										
Total							455 850	371 616	455 850	371 616

### Heading:

*Cost of preliminary consultation meetings with trade union representatives*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure on preliminary consultation meetings between European trade union representatives with a view to helping them form their opinions and harmonise their positions regarding the development of Union policies.*

*This appropriation is also intended to cover the cost of studies, workshops, conferences, analyses, evaluations, publications, technical assistance, the purchase and maintenance of databases and software and the part-financing and support of measures relating to economic monitoring, analysis of the combination of measures and coordination of economic policies.*

### Legal basis:

Add following text:

*Task resulting from the Commission's prerogatives at institutional level, as provided for in Article 58(2) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1).*

### Justification:

Commission proposal to merge different lines linked to social policy objectives raises concerns. New line 07 20 04 06 (Specific competences in the area of social policy, including social dialogue) merges 5 lines (04 03 01 01, 04 03 01 04, 04 03 01 05, 04 03 01 06, 04 03 01 08) - it is proposed to come back to previous nomenclature (so, the 5 different lines), increasing each budget line proportionately, by the same rate of increase planned in the 2021 budgetary proposal – commitments (CA) for 2021 = 101.3% of CA for 2020 and payments (PA) for 2021 = 110,93% of PA for 2020 . Hence the proposed allocation

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### Draft amendment 278

==== CULT/5931 ====

Tabled by Committee on Culture and Education

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 07 20 04 09

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 09							7 500 000	7 500 000	7 500 000	7 500 000
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total							7 500 000	7 500 000	7 500 000	7 500 000

## Heading:

*European Multilingual News Platform*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*With a view to contributing to Europe's digital sovereignty and to a European Open Space, the European Multilingual News Platform will provide European citizens with trusted information from across Europe in different languages.*

*This digital hub of news stories from and for journalists and broadcasters offers content of pan-European interest to citizens across the EU in their own language, thus broadening perspectives beyond the national and regional angles. News stories are provided by partner broadcasters and other journalistic outlets. An editorial committee identifies the themes; they will cover, for example, a global pandemic, the refugee and migrant crisis, European politics and integration, climate change. News stories from across Europe will support pan-European investigative journalism cooperation of the partners.*

*This collaborative editorial project is supported by a generic recommendation and language solution. It will use technical tools, including for translation (text to text, speech to text and speech to speech) and content recommendation. The technical solutions will combine AI-based and open-source technologies and should apply maximum transparency with regard to algorithms. Users should be informed about why they see what they see.*

*The technical solutions which are developed for the platform can be applied, in the long term, to other content genres (e.g. educational, sports, entertainment) and can be integrated into different digital applications (e.g. (Re) Players apps, News apps). This could lead to a European Multilingual Content Platform in the long term.*

*The European Open Space should be based on common values, the respect for human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, the rule of law and human rights, providing European citizens with a safe environment. Other projects offered by broadcasters and other journalistic outlets can of course complement the European Multilingual News Platform. Furthermore, other stakeholders, e.g. museums and libraries, can join the platform and contribute to it.*

*Is a split of the multimedia actions budget lines 07 20 04 01*

## Justification:

The multimedia activities of the Commission especially focus on the funding of one broadcaster and the European radio network Euranet Plus. In order to diversify the offer, it is necessary to create an online platform reaching especially younger audiences across borders. Furthermore, the platform can contribute to Europe's digital sovereignty as well as to promoting democracy and pluralism.

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## Draft amendment 234

== EMPL/5611 ==

Tabled by Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 07 20 04 09

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 09							3 710 619	3 327 900	3 710 619	3 327 900
Reserve										
Total							3 710 619	3 327 900	3 710 619	3 327 900

## Heading:

*Analysis of and studies on the social dimension, demographics and family*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*The objective of this activity is to promote better policy responses in the Member States to demographic*

*and social challenges by producing and disseminating comparative information in the context of the implementation of the Europe 2020 strategy and the identification of future priorities for social policies, including gender-specific measures.*

*This appropriation is intended to cover actions promoting the development of comparative analysis and the exchange of views and experience at all relevant levels (regional, national, Union, international) regarding the social and demographic situation and the socio-economic trends in the Union, as well as the gender pay gap and discrimination against women in the workplace. This appropriation is also intended to cover actions supporting an Observatory of the Social Situation, the cooperation with relevant activities in the Member States and with international organisations and the management of a technical support group for the European Platform for Investing in Children (EPIC).*

*This appropriation is intended to cover in particular expenditure on studies, meetings of experts, information and publications directly linked to the achievement of the objectives of the programme or measures falling under this item, and any other expenditure on technical and administrative assistance not involving public authority tasks outsourced by the Commission under ad hoc service contracts.*

*This appropriation is intended to cover in particular expenditure on Commission reports (including an annual report on the social situation and a report on demographic change and its implications every two years, in accordance with Article 159 TFEU, as well as Commission reports on problems concerning the social situation (which can be requested by the European Parliament pursuant to Article 161 TFEU)).*

*This appropriation is also intended to cover expenditure on analysis for the reporting referred to in TFEU, as well as for the dissemination of knowledge on major social and demographic challenges and ways of tackling them. In particular, the following activities can be pursued with due consideration of the gender aspect:*

- analysis of the impact of population ageing in the context of a society for all ages, in terms of trends in care and social protection needs, behaviour and flanking policies, including research on elderly minorities or migrants and the situation of informal carers,*
- analysis of the impact of demographic change on Union and Member State policies, measures and programmes, and formulation of recommendations for adjustments to economic and other policies, measures and programmes at Union and national levels in order to prevent the ageing of society from having a negative impact,*
- analysis of the links between family units and demographic trends,*
- analysis of trends in poverty, income and wealth distribution and their broader societal impact,*
- identification of the existing relations between technological development (impact on communication technologies, geographical and occupational mobility) and the consequences for households and society in general,*
- analysis of the links between disability and demographic trends, analysis of the social situation of people with disabilities and their families and the needs of children with disabilities within their families and communities,*
- analysis of trends in social objectives (in terms of safeguarding acquired rights or extending them) regarding both goods and services, taking account of new social challenges as well as demographic trends and changing the relationships between generations,*
- development of appropriate methodological tools (sets of social indicators, simulation techniques, data collection on policy initiatives at all levels, etc.), to underpin the reports on the social situation, on social protection and social inclusion with a solid quantitative and scientific foundation,*
- raising awareness and organising debates on the major demographic and social challenges with the aim of promoting better policy responses,*
- the taking into account of demographic trends, family life and childhood in the implementation of relevant Union policies, such as the free movement of persons and equality between men and women.*

#### **Reference acts:**

Add following text:

*Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Articles 159 and 161 thereof.*

#### **Justification:**

Commission proposal to merge different lines linked to social policy objectives raises concerns. New line 07

20 04 06 (Specific competences in the area of social policy, including social dialogue) merges 5 lines (04 03 01 01, 04 03 01 04, 04 03 01 05, 04 03 01 06, 04 03 01 08) ) - it is proposed to come back to previous nomenclature (so, the 5 different lines), increasing each budget line proportionately, by the same rate of increase planned in the 2021 budgetary proposal – commitments (CA) for 2021 = 101.3% of CA for 2020 and payments (PA) for 2021 = 110,93% of PA for 2020 . Hence the proposed allocation

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## Draft amendment 235

==== EMPL/5612 ====

Tabled by Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 07 20 04 10

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 10							21 054 192	21 520 420	21 054 192	21 520 420
Reserve										
Total							21 054 192	21 520 420	21 054 192	21 520 420

### Heading:

*Information and training measures for workers' organisations*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure on information and training measures for workers' organisations, including representatives of workers' organisations in the candidate countries, deriving from Union action in the framework of the implementation of the Union social dimension. Those measures should help workers' organisations to address the overarching challenges facing European employment and social policy as laid down in the Europe 2020 strategy and within the context of Union initiatives to address the consequences of the economic crisis. Special attention will be given to training on gender challenges at work.*

*This appropriation is intended to cover in particular the following activities:*

— *support for the work programmes of the two specific trade union institutes, European Trade Union Institute and European Centre for Workers' Questions, which have been established to facilitate capacity building through training and research at European level, as well as to improve the degree of involvement of workers' representatives in European governance,*

— *information and training measures for workers' organisations, including representatives of workers' organisations in the candidate countries, deriving from the implementation of Union action in the framework of the implementation of the Union social dimension,*

— *measures involving representatives of the social partners in the candidate countries with the specific purpose of promoting social dialogue at Union level. It is also intended to promote equal participation of women and men in the decision-making bodies of workers' organisations.*

*Strong and competent social partners are needed in order to improve the process of relaunching and enhancing the functioning of social dialogue, in order to support recovery and enhance competitiveness and fairness in the social market economy.*

### Legal basis:

Add following text:

*Task resulting from specific powers directly conferred on the Commission by the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union pursuant to Article 154 thereof.*

*Convention concluded in 1959 between the ECSC High Authority and the International Occupational Safety and Health Information Centre (CIS) of the International Labour Office.*

*Council Directive 89/391/EEC of 12 June 1989 on the introduction of measures to encourage improvements in the safety and health of workers at work (OJ L 183, 29.6.1989, p. 1), and the associated individual directives.*

*Council Directive 92/29/EEC of 31 March 1992 on the minimum safety and health requirements for improved medical treatment on board vessels (OJ L 113, 30.4.1992, p. 19).*

## Justification:

Commission proposal to merge different lines linked to social policy objectives raises concerns. New line 07 20 04 06 (Specific competences in the area of social policy, including social dialogue) merges 5 lines (04 03 01 01, 04 03 01 04, 04 03 01 05, 04 03 01 06, 04 03 01 08) ) - it is proposed to come back to previous nomenclature (so, the 5 different lines), increasing each budget line proportionately, by the same rate of increase planned in the 2021 budgetary proposal – commitments (CA) for 2021 = 101.3% of CA for 2020 and payments (PA) for 2021 = 110,93% of PA for 2020 . Hence the proposed allocation

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## Draft amendment 236

== EMPL/5613 ==

Tabled by Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Add: 07 20 04 11

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 11							7 192 300	5 546 500	7 192 300	5 546 500
Reserve										
Total							7 192 300	5 546 500	7 192 300	5 546 500

## Heading:

*Information, consultation and participation of representatives of undertakings*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover in particular the following activities:*

- measures to set the conditions for social dialogue in companies and proper employee involvement in undertakings as provided under Directives 98/59/EC, 2001/86/EC, 2002/14/EC, 2003/72/EC and 2009/38/EC, and Article 16 of Directive 2005/56/EC,*
- initiatives to strengthen transnational cooperation between workers' and employers' representatives in respect of information, consultation and participation of employees within companies operating in more than one Member State and short training actions for negotiators and representatives in transnational information, consultation and participation bodies may be funded in that context. This may involve social partners from candidate countries,*
- measures to enable social partners to exercise their rights and duties as regards employee involvement, especially within the framework of European Works Councils, to familiarise them with transnational company agreements and strengthen their cooperation in respect to Union law on employee involvement,*
- operations fostering the development of employee involvement in undertakings as well as assessing the findings of the 'Fitness check' and its impact on Union acts in the area of information and consultation of workers,*
- innovative actions relating to employee involvement, with the view of supporting the anticipation of change and the prevention and resolution of disputes in the context of corporate restructuring, mergers, take-overs and relocation in Union-scale undertakings and Union-scale groups of undertakings,*
- measures to strengthen cooperation between the social partners for the development of employee involvement in the design of solutions addressing the consequences of the economic crisis, such as mass redundancies, or the need for a shift towards an inclusive, sustainable and low-carbon economy,*
- transnational exchange of information and good practice in matters relevant for social dialogue at company level.*

## Legal basis:

Add following text:

*Task resulting from specific powers directly conferred on the Commission by the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union pursuant to Articles 154 and 155 thereof.*

*Convention concluded in 1959 between the ECSC High Authority and the International Occupational Safety and Health Information Centre (CIS) of the International Labour Office.*

*Council Directive 98/59/EC of 20 July 1998 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States*

*relating to collective redundancies (OJ L 225, 12.8.1998, p. 16).*

*Council Directive 2001/23/EC of 12 March 2001 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to the safeguarding of employees' rights in the event of transfers of undertakings, businesses or parts of undertakings or businesses (OJ L 82, 22.3.2001, p. 16).*

*Council Directive 2001/86/EC of 8 October 2001 supplementing the Statute for a European Company with regard to the involvement of employees (OJ L 294, 10.11.2001, p. 22).*

*Directive 2002/14/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2002 establishing a general framework for informing and consulting employees in the European Community (OJ L 80, 23.3.2002, p. 29).*

*Council Directive 2003/72/EC of 22 July 2003 supplementing the Statute for a European Cooperative Society with regard to the involvement of employees (OJ L 207, 18.8.2003, p. 25).*

*Directive 2005/56/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 October 2005 on cross-border mergers of limited liability companies (OJ L 310, 25.11.2005, p. 1).*

*Directive 2009/38/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 May 2009 on the establishment of a European Works Council or a procedure in Community-scale undertakings and Community-scale groups of undertakings for the purposes of informing and consulting employees (OJ L 122, 16.5.2009, p. 28).*

### **Justification:**

Commission proposal to merge different lines linked to social policy objectives raises concerns. New line 07 20 04 06 (Specific competences in the area of social policy, including social dialogue) merges 5 lines (04 03 01 01, 04 03 01 04, 04 03 01 05, 04 03 01 06, 04 03 01 08) ) - it is proposed to come back to previous nomenclature (so, the 5 different lines), increasing each budget line proportionately, by the same rate of increase planned in the 2021 budgetary proposal – commitments (CA) for 2021 = 101.3% of CA for 2020 and payments (PA) for 2021 = 110,93% of PA for 2020 . Hence the proposed allocation

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### **Draft amendment 237**

== EMPL/5614 ==

Tabled by Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

### **SECTION III — COMMISSION**

#### **Add: 07 20 04 12**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
07 20 04 12							15 701 500	11 093 000	15 701 500	11 093 000
Reserve										
Total							15 701 500	11 093 000	15 701 500	11 093 000

### **Heading:**

*Industrial relations and social dialogue*

### **Remarks:**

Add following text:

*The objective of this activity is to strengthen the role of social dialogue and promote the adoption of agreements and other joint actions between the social partners at the Union level. The actions financed should help social partner organisations to address the overarching challenges facing European employment and social policy as laid down in the Europe 2020 strategy and within the context of Union initiatives to address the consequences of the economic crisis and to contribute to the improvement and dissemination of knowledge of industrial relations institutions and practices.*

*This appropriation is intended to cover in particular the following activities:*

- *studies, consultations, meetings of experts, negotiations, information, publications and other operations directly linked to the achievement of the objectives of the programme or measures falling under this item, and any other expenditure on technical and administrative assistance not involving public authority tasks outsourced by the Commission under ad hoc service contracts,*
- *actions undertaken by social partners to promote social dialogue (including capacity of social partners) at cross- industry and sector level,*

- actions to improve knowledge on industrial relations institutions and practices across the Union and dissemination of results,
- measures involving representatives of the social partners in the candidate countries with the specific purpose of promoting social dialogue at Union level. It is also intended to promote equal participation of women and men in the decision-making bodies of both trade unions and employers' organisations,
- actions to support industrial relations measures, in particular those designed to develop expertise and the exchange of Union-relevant information.

**Legal basis:**

Add following text:

*Task resulting from specific powers directly conferred on the Commission by the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union pursuant to Articles 154 and 155 thereof.*

**Justification:**

Commission proposal to merge different lines linked to social policy objectives raises concerns. New line 07 20 04 06 (Specific competences in the area of social policy, including social dialogue) merges 5 lines (04 03 01 01, 04 03 01 04, 04 03 01 05, 04 03 01 06, 04 03 01 08) ) - it is proposed to come back to previous nomenclature (so, the 5 different lines), increasing each budget line proportionately, by the same rate of increase planned in the 2021 budgetary proposal – commitments (CA) for 2021 = 101.3% of CA for 2020 and payments (PA) for 2021 = 110,93% of PA for 2020 . Hence the proposed allocation

**Draft amendment 541**

=== GUE/8032 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 01 01 01** — Support expenditure for the "European Agricultural Guarantee Fund"

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 01 01 01	8 000 000	8 000 000	4 318 426	4 318 426	4 318 426	4 318 426	3 681 574	3 681 574	8 000 000	8 000 000
Reserve										
Total	8 000 000	8 000 000	4 318 426	4 318 426	4 318 426	4 318 426	3 681 574	3 681 574	8 000 000	8 000 000

**Justification:**

The EAGF has suffered massive cuts by almost 50% compared to the 2020 budget. Since Agriculture is a common policy of strategic importance we think it's necessary to restore at least the 2020 level of commitments for this line.

**Draft amendment 542**

=== GUE/8033 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 08 01 02** — Support expenditure for the "European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development"

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 01 02	5 100 000	5 100 000	1 850 000	1 850 000	1 850 000	1 850 000	3 250 000	3 250 000	5 100 000	5 100 000
Reserve										
Total	5 100 000	5 100 000	1 850 000	1 850 000	1 850 000	1 850 000	3 250 000	3 250 000	5 100 000	5 100 000

**Justification:**

The EAFRD has suffered massive cuts compared to the 2020 budget. Since Agriculture is a common policy of strategic importance we think it's necessary to restore at least the 2020 level of commitments for this line.

**Draft amendment 4309**

=== BUDG/4309 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 08 01 03** — Support expenditure for the "European Maritime and Fisheries Fund"

**Amend remarks as follows:**

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Article.*

**Justification:**

National competences of the Member States.

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**Draft amendment 4310**

=== BUDG/4310 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Chapter 08 02** — European Agricultural Guarantee Fund (EAGF)

**Amend remarks as follows:**

**Remarks:**

After paragraph:

The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding ..... indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines.

Add following text:

*This amendment reduces the appropriations on this Chapter to a new amount of EUR 28 122 327 500 in commitments and EUR 28 112 379 719 in payments, by reducing the appropriations on all budget lines under this Chapter proportionally.*

**Justification:**

Disproportional budgeting.

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**Draft amendment 4311**

=== BUDG/4311 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 08 02 02** — ~~Sectoral types of interventions under the CAP Strategic Plans~~

**Delete: 08 02 02**

**Justification:**

National competences of the Member States.

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**Draft amendment 4312**

=== BUDG/4312 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 08 02 03** — Market-related expenditure outside the CAP Strategic Plans

**Amend remarks as follows:**

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Article.*

**Justification:**

National competences of the Member States.

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**Draft amendment 132**

=== AGRI/2806 ===

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 03 01** — POSEI and Smaller Aegean Islands (excluding direct payments)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 01	232 000 000	232 000 000	223 000 000	223 000 000	223 912 187	223 912 187	8 087 813	8 087 813	232 000 000	232 000 000
Reserve										
Total	232 000 000	232 000 000	223 000 000	223 000 000	223 912 187	223 912 187	8 087 813	8 087 813	232 000 000	232 000 000

**Justification:**

To maintain the POSEI and Aegean sea programmes at their 2020 level

**Draft amendment 4313**

=== BUDG/4313 ===

Tabled by Valerie Hayer, Committee on Budgets, Stéphane Bijoux, Olivier Chastel, Fabienne Keller, Martin Hojsik, Committee on Budgets, Jérémy Decerle, Nicolae Ștefănuță, Committee on Budgets

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 03 01** — POSEI and Smaller Aegean Islands (excluding direct payments)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 01	232 000 000	232 000 000	223 000 000	223 000 000	223 912 187	223 912 187	12 727 813	12 727 813	236 640 000	236 640 000
Reserve										
Total	232 000 000	232 000 000	223 000 000	223 000 000	223 912 187	223 912 187	12 727 813	12 727 813	236 640 000	236 640 000

**Justification:**

The agricultural sector of outermost regions faces structural challenges linked to the climate, the relief, the remoteness and small surface areas that have not disappeared with the establishment of a new multiannual financial framework. Moreover, the COVID-19 has hardly hit this sector with the disruption in transport and has shown the necessity to support local production to ensure food security in those regions.

This amendment aims at restoring the POSEI programme back to the level under the previous multiannual financial framework (with the application of the 2% fixed deflator)

**Draft amendment 963**

=== EPP/7050 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 03 01** — POSEI and Smaller Aegean Islands (excluding direct payments)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 01	232 000 000	232 000 000	223 000 000	223 000 000	223 912 187	223 912 187	8 087 813	8 087 813	232 000 000	232 000 000
Reserve										
Total	232 000 000	232 000 000	223 000 000	223 000 000	223 912 187	223 912 187	8 087 813	8 087 813	232 000 000	232 000 000

**Justification:**

To maintain the POSEI and Aegean Sea programmes at their 2020 level

**Draft amendment 912**

=== R-E/7481 ===

Tabled by Renew Europe Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 01 — POSEI and Smaller Aegean Islands (excluding direct payments)

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 01	232 000 000	232 000 000	223 000 000	223 000 000	223 912 187	223 912 187	12 727 813	12 727 813	236 640 000	236 640 000
Reserve										
Total	232 000 000	232 000 000	223 000 000	223 000 000	223 912 187	223 912 187	12 727 813	12 727 813	236 640 000	236 640 000

##### Justification:

The agricultural sector of outermost regions faces structural challenges linked to the climate, the relief, the remoteness and small surface areas that have not disappeared with the establishment of a new multiannual financial framework. Moreover, the COVID-19 has hardly hit this sector with the disruption in transport and has shown the necessity to support local production to ensure food security in those regions.

This amendment aims at restoring the POSEI programme back to the level under the previous multiannual financial framework (with the application of the 2% fixed deflator)

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#### Draft amendment 133

=== AGRI/2807 ===

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 02 — Promotion of agricultural products — Simple programmes under shared management

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 02	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 351 785	86 351 785	3 648 215	3 648 215	90 000 000	90 000 000
Reserve										
Total	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 351 785	86 351 785	3 648 215	3 648 215	90 000 000	90 000 000

##### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. Any possible cuts in the amounts allocated for 2021 will lead to a deepening of the crisis, while incapacitating the sector to deliver at its full capacity.

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#### Draft amendment 4314

=== BUDG/4314 ===

Tabled by Bogdan Rzońca, Zbigniew Kuźmiuk, Committee on Budgets

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 02 — Promotion of agricultural products — Simple programmes under shared management

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 02	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 351 785	86 351 785	3 648 215	3 648 215	90 000 000	90 000 000
Reserve										
Total	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 351 785	86 351 785	3 648 215	3 648 215	90 000 000	90 000 000

##### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. Any possible cuts in the amounts allocated for 2021 will lead to a deepening of the crisis, while incapacitating the sector to deliver at its full capacity.

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#### Draft amendment 606

=== ECR/7904 ===

Tabled by European Conservatives and Reformists Group

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 03 02 — Promotion of agricultural products — Simple programmes under shared management**

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 02	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 351 785	86 351 785	3 648 215	3 648 215	90 000 000	90 000 000
Reserve										
Total	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 000 000	86 351 785	86 351 785	3 648 215	3 648 215	90 000 000	90 000 000

**Justification:**

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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**Draft amendment 134**

== AGRI/2808 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION**

**Item 08 02 03 03 — Promotion of agricultural products — Multi-programmes and actions implemented by the Commission under direct management**

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 03	100 900 000	74 893 192	96 900 000	99 587 234	97 296 372	99 994 598	12 703 628	10 005 402	110 000 000	110 000 000
Reserve										
Total	100 900 000	74 893 192	96 900 000	99 587 234	97 296 372	99 994 598	12 703 628	10 005 402	110 000 000	110 000 000

**Justification:**

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. Any possible cuts in the amounts allocated for 2021 will lead to a deepening of the crisis, while incapacitating the sector to deliver at its full capacity.

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**Draft amendment 135**

== AGRI/2810 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION**

**Item 08 02 03 04 — School schemes**

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 04	215 000 000	215 000 000	205 000 000	205 000 000	205 838 558	205 838 558	9 161 442	9 161 442	215 000 000	215 000 000
Reserve										
Total	215 000 000	215 000 000	205 000 000	205 000 000	205 838 558	205 838 558	9 161 442	9 161 442	215 000 000	215 000 000

**Justification:**

To maintain School schemes programme at its 2020 level.

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. Any possible cuts in the amounts allocated for 2021 will lead to a deepening of the crisis, while incapacitating the sector to deliver at its full capacity.

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**Draft amendment 136**

== AGRI/2811 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 05 — Olive oil

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 05	46 000 000	46 000 000	43 000 000	43 000 000	43 175 893	43 175 893	3 824 107	3 824 107	47 000 000	47 000 000
Reserve										
Total	46 000 000	46 000 000	43 000 000	43 000 000	43 175 893	43 175 893	3 824 107	3 824 107	47 000 000	47 000 000

##### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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#### Draft amendment 137

=== AGRI/2813 ===

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 06 — Fruit and vegetables

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 06	699 000 000	699 000 000	871 000 000	871 000 000	874 562 847	874 562 847	5 437 153	5 437 153	880 000 000	880 000 000
Reserve										
Total	699 000 000	699 000 000	871 000 000	871 000 000	874 562 847	874 562 847	5 437 153	5 437 153	880 000 000	880 000 000

##### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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#### Draft amendment 4315

=== BUDG/4315 ===

Tabled by Bogdan Rzońca, Zbigniew Kuźmiuk, Committee on Budgets

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 06 — Fruit and vegetables

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 06	699 000 000	699 000 000	871 000 000	871 000 000	874 562 847	874 562 847	5 437 153	5 437 153	880 000 000	880 000 000
Reserve										
Total	699 000 000	699 000 000	871 000 000	871 000 000	874 562 847	874 562 847	5 437 153	5 437 153	880 000 000	880 000 000

##### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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#### Draft amendment 607

=== ECR/7905 ===

Tabled by European Conservatives and Reformists Group

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 06 — Fruit and vegetables

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020	Draft budget 2021	Council's position 2021	Difference	New amount
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	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 06	699 000 000	699 000 000	871 000 000	871 000 000	874 562 847	874 562 847	5 437 153	5 437 153	880 000 000	880 000 000
Reserve										
Total	699 000 000	699 000 000	871 000 000	871 000 000	874 562 847	874 562 847	5 437 153	5 437 153	880 000 000	880 000 000

### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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### Draft amendment 138

== AGRI/2815 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 07 — Wine

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 07	1 026 000 000	1 026 000 000	1 007 000 000	1 007 000 000	1 011 119 158	1 011 119 158	14 880 842	14 880 842	1 026 000 000	1 026 000 000
Reserve										
Total	1 026 000 000	1 026 000 000	1 007 000 000	1 007 000 000	1 011 119 158	1 011 119 158	14 880 842	14 880 842	1 026 000 000	1 026 000 000

### Justification:

To maintain market related expenditure for wine at its 2020 level.

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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### Draft amendment 139

== AGRI/2816 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 08 — Apiculture

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 08	39 000 000	39 000 000	59 000 000	59 000 000	59 241 341	59 241 341	758 659	758 659	60 000 000	60 000 000
Reserve										
Total	39 000 000	39 000 000	59 000 000	59 000 000	59 241 341	59 241 341	758 659	758 659	60 000 000	60 000 000

### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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### Draft amendment 140

== AGRI/2818 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 03 09 — Hops

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 09	2 300 000	2 300 000	2 200 000	2 200 000	2 208 999	2 208 999	91 001	91 001	2 300 000	2 300 000
Reserve										
Total	2 300 000	2 300 000	2 200 000	2 200 000	2 208 999	2 208 999	91 001	91 001	2 300 000	2 300 000

## Justification:

To maintain market related expenditure for hops at its 2020 level.

## Draft amendment 141

== AGRI/2820 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 03 10** — Public and private storage measures

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 10	p.m.	p.m.	10 000 000	10 000 000	10 040 905	10 040 905	39 959 095	39 959 095	50 000 000	50 000 000
Reserve										
Total	p.m.	p.m.	10 000 000	10 000 000	10 040 905	10 040 905	39 959 095	39 959 095	50 000 000	50 000 000

## Justification:

The Commission statement states that the draft budget for market interventions is based on "the assumption of normal market conditions", however given the potential further impact on agricultural markets due COVID-19 developments and/or Brexit, an increase in appropriations for market interventions is advised to ensure a swift response where needed.

It should be taken into account that in the new budget, this line merges 11 lines from the previous budget including intervention measures for skimmed milk powder, beef and veal, olive oil, sheepmeat, pigmeat and other products

## Draft amendment 142

== AGRI/2823 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 03 11** — Exceptional measures

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 11			p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	300 000 000	300 000 000	300 000 000	300 000 000
Reserve										
Total			p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	300 000 000	300 000 000	300 000 000	300 000 000

## Justification:

The outbreak of COVID-19 is having an unparalleled effect on our society and economy, including agriculture. Our farmers and every actor of the EU food supply chain are working hard to keep feeding Europe, despite the difficulties they face. It is essential to properly support the negatively affected product sectors. This is why 2021 budget needs to answer the need and help farmers, food producers and the agricultural sector as a whole to recover and continue in providing Europeans with high quality and safe food.

## Draft amendment 971

== EPP/7059 ==

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 03 11** — Exceptional measures

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 03 11			p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	300 000 000	300 000 000	300 000 000	300 000 000
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total			p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	300 000 000	300 000 000	300 000 000	300 000 000

### Justification:

The outbreak of COVID-19 is having an unparalleled effect on our society and economy, including agriculture. Our farmers and every actor of the EU food supply chain are working hard to keep feeding Europe, despite the difficulties they face. It is essential to properly support the negatively affected product sectors. This is why 2021 budget needs to answer the need and help farmers, food producers and the agricultural sector as a whole to recover and continue in providing Europeans with high quality and safe food.

### Draft amendment 143

=== AGRI/2824 ===

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 01 — POSEI and Smaller Aegean Islands (direct payments)**

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 01	437 000 000	437 000 000	434 000 000	434 000 000	435 775 288	435 775 288	2 224 712	2 224 712	438 000 000	438 000 000
Reserve										
Total	437 000 000	437 000 000	434 000 000	434 000 000	435 775 288	435 775 288	2 224 712	2 224 712	438 000 000	438 000 000

### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. Any possible cuts in the amounts allocated for 2021 will lead to a deepening of the crisis, while incapacitating the sector to deliver at its full capacity.

### Draft amendment 4316

=== BUDG/4316 ===

Tabled by Valerie Hayer, Committee on Budgets, Stéphane Bijoux, Olivier Chastel, Fabienne Keller, Martin Hojsik, Committee on Budgets, Jérémy Decerle, Nicolae Ștefănuță, Committee on Budgets

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 01 — POSEI and Smaller Aegean Islands (direct payments)**

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 01	437 000 000	437 000 000	434 000 000	434 000 000	435 775 288	435 775 288	9 964 712	9 964 712	445 740 000	445 740 000
Reserve										
Total	437 000 000	437 000 000	434 000 000	434 000 000	435 775 288	435 775 288	9 964 712	9 964 712	445 740 000	445 740 000

### Justification:

The agricultural sector of outermost regions faces structural challenges linked to the climate, the relief, the remoteness and small surface areas that have not disappeared with the establishment of a new multiannual financial framework. Moreover, the COVID-19 has hardly hit this sector with the disruption in transport and has shown the necessity to support local production to ensure food security in those regions.

This amendment aims at restoring the POSEI programme back to the level under the previous multiannual financial framework (with the application of the 2% fixed deflator)

### Draft amendment 988

=== EPP/7078 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 01 — POSEI and Smaller Aegean Islands (direct payments)**

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 01	437 000 000	437 000 000	434 000 000	434 000 000	435 775 288	435 775 288	2 224 712	2 224 712	438 000 000	438 000 000
Reserve										
Total	437 000 000	437 000 000	434 000 000	434 000 000	435 775 288	435 775 288	2 224 712	2 224 712	438 000 000	438 000 000

### Justification:

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. Any possible cuts in the amounts allocated for 2021 will lead to a deepening of the crisis, while incapacitating the sector to deliver at its full capacity.

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### Draft amendment 913

== R-E/7482 ==

Tabled by Renew Europe Group

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 01 — POSEI and Smaller Aegean Islands (direct payments)

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 01	437 000 000	437 000 000	434 000 000	434 000 000	435 775 288	435 775 288	9 964 712	9 964 712	445 740 000	445 740 000
Reserve										
Total	437 000 000	437 000 000	434 000 000	434 000 000	435 775 288	435 775 288	9 964 712	9 964 712	445 740 000	445 740 000

### Justification:

The agricultural sector of outermost regions faces structural challenges linked to the climate, the relief, the remoteness and small surface areas that have not disappeared with the establishment of a new multiannual financial framework. Moreover, the COVID-19 has hardly hit this sector with the disruption in transport and has shown the necessity to support local production to ensure food security in those regions.

This amendment aims at restoring the POSEI programme back to the level under the previous multiannual financial framework (with the application of the 2% fixed deflator)

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### Draft amendment 144

== AGRI/2828 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 03 — Redistributive payment

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 03	1 681 000 000	1 681 000 000	1 582 000 000	1 582 000 000	1 588 471 210	1 588 471 210	92 528 790	92 528 790	1 681 000 000	1 681 000 000
Reserve										
Total	1 681 000 000	1 681 000 000	1 582 000 000	1 582 000 000	1 588 471 210	1 588 471 210	92 528 790	92 528 790	1 681 000 000	1 681 000 000

### Justification:

To maintain redistributive payments at their 2020 level.

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. Any possible cuts in the amounts allocated for 2021 will lead to a deepening of the crisis, while incapacitating the sector to deliver at its full capacity.

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### Draft amendment 145

== AGRI/2831 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 04 — Basic payment scheme (BPS)

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 04	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000	14 251 300 000	14 251 300 000	14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293	690 404 707	690 404 707	15 000 000 000	15 000 000 000
Reserve										
Total	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000	14 251 300 000	14 251 300 000	14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293	690 404 707	690 404 707	15 000 000 000	15 000 000 000

### Justification:

To maintain the Basic payment scheme at its 2020 level, taking into account, in one hand the withdrawal of the UK from the Union, and on the other hand the necessity to protect farmers.

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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### Draft amendment 4317

=== BUDG/4317 ===

Tabled by Moritz Körner, Committee on Budgets

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 04 — Basic payment scheme (BPS)

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 04	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000	14 251 300 000	14 251 300 000	14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293	-2 254 928 497	-2 254 928 497	12 054 666 796	12 054 666 796
Reserve										
Total	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000	14 251 300 000	14 251 300 000	14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293	-2 254 928 497	-2 254 928 497	12 054 666 796	12 054 666 796

### Remarks:

#### Before paragraph:

Former item

#### Add following text:

*Since the agricultural expenditure, and in particular the direct payments and national envelopes, is largely 'rules-based', i.e. determined in the sectoral regulations, (and therefore the recipients can claim 'entitlements' for the duration of the underlying basic acts) the Budget Authority has only little discretion to adjust the level of expenditure in most of the budget lines in cluster 8 in the course of the annual budget procedure.*

*Ironically, the budget authority has more discretion in areas of directly managed programmes without national envelopes and shared management modes. Those are mainly the 'investment' programmes (demand-driven, without pre-determined beneficiaries) which are generally considered to generate tangible European Added value.*

### Justification:

Since the agricultural expenditure, and in particular the direct payments and national envelopes, is largely 'rules-based', i.e. determined in the sectoral regulations, (and therefore the recipients can claim 'entitlements' for the duration of the underlying basic acts) the Budget Authority has only little discretion to adjust the level of expenditure in most of the budget lines in cluster 8 in the course of the annual budget procedure.

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### Draft amendment 4318

=== BUDG/4318 ===

Tabled by Hélène Laporte, Committee on Budgets, Valentino Grant, Anna Bonfrisco

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 04 — Basic payment scheme (BPS)

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020	Draft budget 2021	Council's position 2021	Difference	New amount
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	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 04	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000	14 251 300 000	14 251 300 000	14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293	1 807 404 707	1 807 404 707	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000
Reserve										
Total	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000	14 251 300 000	14 251 300 000	14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293	1 807 404 707	1 807 404 707	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000

### Justification:

In a hard time of crisis, there is no need to seek economies in agricultural policy, because farmers are an extremely vulnerable group. We are calling for the 2020 level to be maintained.

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### Draft amendment 469

=== VERT/7608 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 04 — Basic payment scheme (BPS)

#### Amend remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 04	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000	14 251 300 000	14 251 300 000	14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293			14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293
Reserve										
Total	16 117 000 000	16 117 000 000	14 251 300 000	14 251 300 000	14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293			14 309 595 293	14 309 595 293

### Remarks:

#### After table:

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#### Amend text as follows:

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure under the basic payment scheme in accordance with Chapter 1 of Title III of Regulation (EU) No 1307/2013. *Appropriations shall not be used for supporting breeding or rearing of bulls used for lethal bull fighting activities.*

### Justification:

EU funding should be used for supporting breeding or rearing of bulls used for lethal bull fighting activities, the prolongation of the current CAP or the new one should exclude such subsidies.

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### Draft amendment 146

=== AGRI/2833 ===

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 05 — Payment for agricultural practices beneficial for the climate and the environment

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 05	11 819 000 000	11 819 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846	972 814 154	972 814 154	11 819 000 000	11 819 000 000
Reserve										
Total	11 819 000 000	11 819 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846	972 814 154	972 814 154	11 819 000 000	11 819 000 000

### Justification:

Above DB, restore 2020 level

To maintain the payment for agricultural practices beneficial for the climate and the environment at its 2020 level, taking into account the importance the ambitions of the Union in this domain.

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### Draft amendment 472

=== VERT/7611 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 05** — Payment for agricultural practices beneficial for the climate and the environment

**Amend remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 05	11 819 000 000	11 819 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846			10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846
Reserve										
Total	11 819 000 000	11 819 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846			10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846

**Remarks:**

After table:

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Amend text as follows:

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure under the payment for agricultural practices beneficial for the climate and the environment in accordance with Chapter 3 of Title III of Regulation (EU) No **1307/2013** and must comply with the 30% climate-related target over the 2021-2027 financial period. ~~1307/2013.~~

**Justification:**

In order to tackle Climate change, to implement the EU Green Deal and to reach the 30% climate-related spending target over the 2021-2027 financial period, climate-related spending budget lines must be significantly increased.

**Draft amendment 477**

== VERT/7617 ==

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 05** — Payment for agricultural practices beneficial for the climate and the environment

**Amend remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 05	11 819 000 000	11 819 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846			10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846
Reserve										
Total	11 819 000 000	11 819 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 802 000 000	10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846			10 846 185 846	10 846 185 846

**Remarks:**

After table:

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Amend text as follows:

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure under the payment for agricultural practices beneficial for the climate and the environment in accordance with Chapter 3 of Title III of Regulation (EU) No **1307/2013** and must comply with the 10% biodiversity-related spending target over the 2021-2027 financial period. ~~1307/2013.~~

**Justification:**

In order to tackle the biodiversity loss and to implement the EU's biodiversity policies and to reach the 10% biodiversity-related spending target over the 2021-2027 financial period, biodiversity-related spending budget lines must be significantly increased.

**Draft amendment 147**

== AGRI/2834 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 07 — Payment for young farmers****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 07	573 000 000	573 000 000	571 000 000	571 000 000	573 335 690	573 335 690	1 664 310	1 664 310	575 000 000	575 000 000
Reserve										
Total	573 000 000	573 000 000	571 000 000	571 000 000	573 335 690	573 335 690	1 664 310	1 664 310	575 000 000	575 000 000

**Justification:**

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

**Draft amendment 4319**

=== BUDG/4319 ===

Tabled by Bogdan Rzońca, Zbigniew Kuźmiuk, Committee on Budgets

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 07 — Payment for young farmers****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 07	573 000 000	573 000 000	571 000 000	571 000 000	573 335 690	573 335 690	1 664 310	1 664 310	575 000 000	575 000 000
Reserve										
Total	573 000 000	573 000 000	571 000 000	571 000 000	573 335 690	573 335 690	1 664 310	1 664 310	575 000 000	575 000 000

**Justification:**

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

**Draft amendment 608**

=== ECR//7906 ===

Tabled by European Conservatives and Reformists Group

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 07 — Payment for young farmers****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 07	573 000 000	573 000 000	571 000 000	571 000 000	573 335 690	573 335 690	1 664 310	1 664 310	575 000 000	575 000 000
Reserve										
Total	573 000 000	573 000 000	571 000 000	571 000 000	573 335 690	573 335 690	1 664 310	1 664 310	575 000 000	575 000 000

**Justification:**

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

**Draft amendment 148**

=== AGRI/2836 ===

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 08 — Crop-specific payment for cotton****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 08	245 000 000	245 000 000	244 000 000	244 000 000	244 998 088	244 998 088	1 912	1 912	245 000 000	245 000 000

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Reserve										
Total	245 000 000	245 000 000	244 000 000	244 000 000	244 998 088	244 998 088	1 912	1 912	245 000 000	245 000 000

### Justification:

To maintain crop-specific payment for cotton at its 2020 level.

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### Draft amendment 149

== AGRI/2838 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 09 — Voluntary coupled support scheme

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 09	4 084 000 000	4 084 000 000	4 003 000 000	4 003 000 000	4 019 374 370	4 019 374 370	64 625 630	64 625 630	4 084 000 000	4 084 000 000
Reserve										
Total	4 084 000 000	4 084 000 000	4 003 000 000	4 003 000 000	4 019 374 370	4 019 374 370	64 625 630	64 625 630	4 084 000 000	4 084 000 000

### Justification:

To maintain voluntary coupled support scheme at its 2020 level.

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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### Draft amendment 150

== AGRI/2840 ==

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 10 — Small farmers scheme

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 10	802 000 000	802 000 000	704 779 720	704 779 720	707 662 639	707 662 639	94 337 361	94 337 361	802 000 000	802 000 000
Reserve										
Total	802 000 000	802 000 000	704 779 720	704 779 720	707 662 639	707 662 639	94 337 361	94 337 361	802 000 000	802 000 000

### Justification:

To maintain small farmers scheme at its 2020 level.

The ongoing COVID-19 related health crisis has been deeply impacting the European agriculture, while several sectors have faced unprecedented effects. The amounts allocated for 2021 must be ambitious in order to help the sector recover, while, at the same time, deliver at its full capacity.

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### Draft amendment 595

== GUE/8087 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 08 02 05 10 — Small farmers scheme

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 10	802 000 000	802 000 000	704 779 720	704 779 720	707 662 639	707 662 639	94 337 361	94 337 361	802 000 000	802 000 000
Reserve										
Total	802 000 000	802 000 000	704 779 720	704 779 720	707 662 639	707 662 639	94 337 361	94 337 361	802 000 000	802 000 000

### Justification:

This proposal reduces support to small farmers scheme. This reinforcement is thus aimed at giving more consistency to the new CAP which focuses on supporting producer organizations.

## Draft amendment 596

=== GUE/8088 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 02 05 11** — Reserve for crises in the agricultural sector

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 02 05 11	478 000 000	478 000 000	487 600 000	487 600 000	489 594 540	489 594 540	10 405 460	10 405 460	500 000 000	500 000 000
Reserve										
Total	478 000 000	478 000 000	487 600 000	487 600 000	489 594 540	489 594 540	10 405 460	10 405 460	500 000 000	500 000 000

### Justification:

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure for measures needed to cope with major crises affecting agricultural production or distribution. The Covid19 Pandemic situation put this fragile sector in a more difficult situation that needs to be supported with sufficient resources.

## Draft amendment 4320

=== BUDG/4320 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 08 02 06** — Policy strategy, coordination and audit

**Amend remarks as follows:**

### Remarks:

Amend text as follows:

~~*This amendment deletes all the budget lines Appropriations under this Article. article are intended to cover financial corrections in favour of Member States, expenditure for the settlement of disputes and actions financed by the European Agricultural Guarantee Fund under direct management by the Commission.*~~

### Justification:

National competences of the Member States.

## Draft amendment 4321

=== BUDG/4321 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Chapter 08 03** — European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD)

**Amend remarks as follows:**

### Remarks:

After paragraph:

In addition, and in accordance with Council Regulation ..... the expected amount of legal commitments in 2021.

Add following text:

*This amendment reduces the appropriations on this Chapter to a new amount of EUR 10500754600 in commitments and EUR 10 299 271 068 in payments, by reducing the appropriations on all budget lines under this Chapter proportionally*

### Justification:

Disproportional budgeting

## Draft amendment 592

=== GUE/8084 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 08 03 01 02** — Rural Development types of interventions — 2014-2020 programmes

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 03 01 02	14 675 251 797	13 100 000 000	14 967 305 500	14 690 194 383	15 387 695 551	15 102 801 153	1 012 304 449	993 562 210	16 400 000 000	16 096 363 363
Reserve										
Total	14 675 251 797	13 100 000 000	14 967 305 500	14 690 194 383	15 387 695 551	15 102 801 153	1 012 304 449	993 562 210	16 400 000 000	16 096 363 363

#### Justification:

An increase in the EAFRD is necessary to ensure support and enhancement of the agricultural sector, especially small and medium farmers, in order to reverse the economic, social and human desertification of the rural world. The increase in this item should come from the reallocation of lines related to interventionism and external action (with the exception of public aid for development), military programs, institutional propaganda, communitarianization of security and border control and surveillance, among others.

#### Draft amendment 987

=== EPP/7077 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 08 03 01 04**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 03 01 04							2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000
Reserve										
Total							2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000

#### Heading:

*Rural development types of intervention under the CAP financed from the European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI)*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*The appropriation under this item in the form of external assigned revenue resulting from proceeds of the European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI) is intended to cover the financing of specific recovery and resilience measures under the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development to address the unprecedented impact of the COVID-19 crisis.*

*The reserve will be released after the adoption of the corresponding legal acts (on assigned revenues and rural development).*

#### Justification:

Parliament insists that this amount be made available to aid the European agricultural sector as from 2021. The COVID-19 crisis put several rural areas at risk. This appropriation under this item intends to cover the financing of specific recovery and resilience measures under the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development.

#### Draft amendment 151

=== AGRI/2841 ===

Tabled by Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 08 03 01 XX**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
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	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 03 01 XX							2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000
Reserve										
Total							2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000	2 387 000 000

## Heading:

*Rural development types of intervention under the CAP financed from the European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI)*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*The appropriation under this item in the form of external assigned revenue resulting from proceeds of the European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI) is intended to cover the financing of specific recovery and resilience measures under the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development to address the unprecedented impact of the COVID-19 crisis.*

*The reserve will be released after the adoption of the corresponding legal acts (on assigned revenues and rural development)*

## Justification:

Parliament insists that this amount be made available to aid the European agricultural sector as from 2021. The COVID-19 crisis put several rural areas at risk. This appropriation under this item intends to cover the financing of specific recovery and resilience measures under the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development.

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## Draft amendment 4322

=== BUDG/4322 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Committee on Budgets, Jörg Meuthen

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Chapter 08 04 — European Maritime and Fisheries Fund (EMFF)

Amend remarks, legal basis and reference acts as follows:

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~Appropriations under this Chapter are intended to cover expenditure related to the implementation of the Common Fisheries and maritime policy in view of~~

- ~~– fostering sustainable fisheries and the restoration and conservation of aquatic biological resources,~~
- ~~– fostering sustainable aquaculture activities, and processing and marketing of fisheries and aquaculture products,~~
- ~~– contributing to food security in the Union; enabling a sustainable blue economy in coastal, island and inland areas, and fostering the development of fishing and aquaculture communities,~~
- ~~– strengthening international ocean governance and enabling safe, secure, clean and sustainably managed seas and oceans.~~

~~In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (EFTA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this Chapter.~~

Amend text as follows:

*This amendment deletes all the*~~The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget~~ *lines under this Chapter*~~lines.~~

## Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Regulation (EU) No 508/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 May 2014 on the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund and repealing Council Regulations (EC) No 2328/2003, (EC) No~~

861/2006, (EC) No 1198/2006 and (EC) No 791/2007 and Regulation (EU) No 1255/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 149, 20.5.2014, p. 1).

Reference acts:

Delete following text:

~~Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council, submitted by the Commission on 29 May 2018, laying down common provisions on the European Regional Development Fund, the European Social Fund Plus, the Cohesion Fund, and the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund and financial rules for those and for the Asylum and Migration Fund, the Internal Security Fund and the Border Management and Visa Instrument, (COM(2018)375 final).~~

~~Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council, submitted by the Commission on 12 June 2018, of the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund and repealing Regulation (EU) No 508/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council (COM(2018)390 final).~~

~~Amended proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council, submitted by the Commission on 28 May 2020, laying down common provisions on the European Regional Development Fund, the European Social Fund Plus, the Cohesion Fund, the Just Transition Fund and the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund and financial rules for those and for the Asylum and Migration Fund, the Internal Security Fund and the Border Management and Visa Instrument (COM(2020) 450).~~

Justification:

National competences of the Member States

Draft amendment 540

== GUE/8031 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 08 04 01 — EMFF — Operational expenditure under shared management

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 04 01			714 953 155	26 555 000	654 163 536	24 297 134	418 266 196	15 535 366	1 072 429 732	39 832 500
Reserve										
Total			714 953 155	26 555 000	654 163 536	24 297 134	418 266 196	15 535 366	1 072 429 732	39 832 500

Justification:

The impacts of Covid-19 are already hitting the fisheries sector, particularly small scale and artisanal fisheries. The current situation demands pressing beyond the measures taken which were insufficient. Further urgent actions are needed to protect incomes to safeguard the sector, and the sustainable use of oceans. An increase of 50% is thus proposed, which should be accompanied by measures to facilitate access to the funds. The increase in this item could come, among others, from lines related to military action and security programmes

Draft amendment 69

== PECH/6302 ==

Tabled by Committee on Fisheries

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 08 04 01 — EMFF — Operational expenditure under shared management

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 04 01			714 953 155	26 555 000	654 163 536	24 297 134	196 363 464	2 257 866	850 527 000	26 555 000
Reserve										
Total			714 953 155	26 555 000	654 163 536	24 297 134	196 363 464	2 257 866	850 527 000	26 555 000

Justification:

The year 2021 will be a key year for the fisheries sector, which will have to face two main challenges: (1)

The adaptation to the new Green Deal objectives (2) the risks associated with the covid-19 crisis  
These factors are not duly taken into account in both the Commission proposal and the Council position.  
The amount proposed for the Commitments represents the European Parliament position on the EMFF for 2021-2027 divided by seven.

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**Draft amendment 593** == GUE/8085 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 08 04 02** — EMFF — Operational expenditure under direct and indirect management  
**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 04 02			104 949 510	19 000 000	96 026 071	17 384 506	61 398 194	11 115 494	157 424 265	28 500 000
Reserve										
Total			104 949 510	19 000 000	96 026 071	17 384 506	61 398 194	11 115 494	157 424 265	28 500 000

**Justification:**  
The current situation demands pressing beyond the measures taken which were insufficient. Further urgent actions are needed to safeguard the sector, to defend small scale and artisanal fisheries and the sustainable use of oceans. The increase in this item should come from the reallocation of lines related to interventionism and external action (with the exception of public aid for development), military programs, institutional propaganda, communitarianization of security and border control and surveillance, among others.

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**Draft amendment 70** == PECH/6305 ==

Tabled by Committee on Fisheries

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SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 08 04 02** — EMFF — Operational expenditure under direct and indirect management  
**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 04 02			104 949 510	19 000 000	96 026 071	17 384 506	28 560 929	1 615 494	124 587 000	19 000 000
Reserve										
Total			104 949 510	19 000 000	96 026 071	17 384 506	28 560 929	1 615 494	124 587 000	19 000 000

**Justification:**  
The year 2021 will be a key year for the fisheries sector, which will have to face two main challenges: (1) The adaptation to the new Green Deal objectives (2) the risks associated with the covid-19 crisis  
These factors are not duly taken into account in both the Commission proposal and the Council position.  
The amount proposed for the Commitments represents the European Parliament position on the EMFF for 2021-2027 divided by seven.

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**Draft amendment 543** == GUE/8034 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 08 04 03** — EMFF — Operational technical assistance  
**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 04 03			4 589 290	1 418 290	4 199 081	1 297 698	390 209	120 592	4 589 290	1 418 290
Reserve										
Total			4 589 290	1 418 290	4 199 081	1 297 698	390 209	120 592	4 589 290	1 418 290

**Justification:**  
Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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**Draft amendment 71** === PECH/6308 ===

Tabled by Committee on Fisheries

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 08 04 03** — EMFF — Operational technical assistance

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 04 03			4 589 290	1 418 290	4 199 081	1 297 698	1 686 919	120 592	5 886 000	1 418 290
Reserve										
Total			4 589 290	1 418 290	4 199 081	1 297 698	1 686 919	120 592	5 886 000	1 418 290

**Justification:**

The year 2021 will be a key year for the fisheries sector, which will have to face two main challenges: (1) The adaptation to the new Green Deal objectives (2) the risks associated with the covid-19 crisis

These factors are not duly taken into account in both the Commission proposal and the Council position.

The amount proposed for the Commitments represents the European Parliament position on the EMFF for 2021-2027 divided by seven.

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**Draft amendment 4323** === BUDG/4323 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Chapter 08 05** — Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreements (SFPA) and Regional Fisheries Management Organisations (RFMO)

**Amend remarks as follows:**

**Remarks:**

Delete following text:

~~Appropriations under this Chapter are intended to cover expenditure related to the implementation of the Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreements and Protocols thereto concluded between the European Union and third countries as well as the membership in Regional Fisheries Management Organisations.~~

~~In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (EFTA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this Chapter.~~

Amend text as follows:

~~*This amendment deletes all the*~~ *The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines under this Chapter.*

**Justification:**

National competences of the Member States.

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**Draft amendment 4324** === BUDG/4324 ===

Tabled by Moritz Körner

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 08 10 01 — European Fisheries Control Agency

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 10 01	16 737 055	16 737 055	16 741 043	16 741 043	16 741 043	16 741 043	166 957	166 957	16 908 000	16 908 000
Reserve										
Total	16 737 055	16 737 055	16 741 043	16 741 043	16 741 043	16 741 043	166 957	166 957	16 908 000	16 908 000

#### Justification:

The increased funding is crucial to promote the highest common standards for control, inspection and surveillance under the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP).

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#### Draft amendment 4325

=== BUDG/4325 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 08 10 01 — European Fisheries Control Agency

##### Amend figures, remarks, legal basis and reference acts as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
08 10 01	16 737 055	16 737 055	16 741 043	16 741 043	16 741 043	16 741 043	-16 741 043	-16 741 043	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	16 737 055	16 737 055	16 741 043	16 741 043	16 741 043	16 741 043	-16 741 043	-16 741 043	p.m.	p.m.

#### Remarks:

Delete following text:

*Former article*

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the European Fisheries Control Agency's staff, administrative and operational expenditure. The Agency's mission is to promote the highest common standards for control, inspection and surveillance under the Common Fisheries Policy (CFP). Its primary role is to organise coordination and cooperation between national control and inspection activities so that the rules of the CFP are respected and applied effectively. In September 2016, EFCA's Founding Regulation was significantly amended extending EFCA's role to European cooperation on Coast Guard Functions. In the interests of clarity, the EFCA's Founding Regulation of 2005, as amended, was replaced by a codified text, Regulation (EU) 2019/473 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 March 2019 on the European Fisheries Control Agency.~~

#### Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Council Regulation (EC) No 768/2005 of 26 April 2005 establishing a Community Fisheries Control Agency and amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 establishing a control system applicable to the common fisheries policy (OJ L 128, 21.5.2005, p. 1).~~

~~Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 of 29 September 2008 establishing a Community system to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing (OJ L 286, 29.10.2008, p. 1).~~

~~Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 of 20 November 2009 establishing a Community control system for ensuring compliance with the rules of the common fisheries policy (OJ L 343, 22.12.2009, p. 1).~~

~~Regulation (EU) 2016/1626 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 September 2016 amending Council Regulation (EC) No 768/2005 establishing a Community Fisheries Control Agency (OJ L 251, 16.9.2016, p. 80).~~

#### Reference acts:

Delete following text:

~~Commission Decision 2009/988/EU of 18 December 2009 designating the Community Fisheries Control Agency as the body to carry out certain tasks under Council Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008 (OJ L 338, 19.12.2009, p. 104).~~

## Justification:

National competences of the Member States

## Draft amendment 4035

=== BUDG/4035 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Chapter 08 20** — Pilot projects, preparatory actions, prerogatives and other actions

**Amend remarks as follows:**

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Chapter.*

## Justification:

National competences of the Member States

## Draft amendment 4327

=== BUDG/4327 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Chapter 09 01** — Support administrative expenditure of the "Environment and Climate Action" Cluster

**Amend remarks as follows:**

### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~These appropriations are intended to cover expenditure of administrative nature (studies, meetings of experts, information and publications, etc.) directly linked to the achievement of the objectives of the programmes or measures coming under this Cluster, and any other expenditure on administrative technical assistance not involving public authority tasks outsourced by the Commission under ad hoc service contracts..~~

~~In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (EFTA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this Chapter.~~

Amend text as follows:

~~*This amendment deletes all the*~~*The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines under this Chapter.*

## Justification:

National competences of the Member States

## Draft amendment 544

=== GUE/8035 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 09 01 01 01** — Support expenditure for the "Programme for Environment and Climate Action (LIFE)"

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 01 01 01	4 988 828	4 988 828	13 560 135	13 560 135	13 560 135	13 560 135	2 034 020	2 034 020	15 594 155	15 594 155
Reserve										
Total	4 988 828	4 988 828	13 560 135	13 560 135	13 560 135	13 560 135	2 034 020	2 034 020	15 594 155	15 594 155

Justification:

LIFE is the EU’s financial instrument supporting environmental, nature conservation and climate action projects contributing to the shift towards a clean, circular, energy-efficient, low-carbon and climate-resilient economy, to the protection and improvement of the quality of the environment and to halting and reversing biodiversity loss. Given the objectives of the Green Deal, the Paris Agreement and the SDGs, it is essential to significantly enhance the capacity of all the aspects of the programme in line with Parliament's position for the MFF.

Draft amendment 677

I-D//7759

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 01 02 — Support expenditure for the "Just Transition Fund"

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 01 02			42 448	42 448	42 448	42 448	-12 734	-12 734	29 714	29 714
Reserve										
Total			42 448	42 448	42 448	42 448	-12 734	-12 734	29 714	29 714

Justification:

It seems reasonable to ask for some further reductions with regard to this budgetary line.

Draft amendment 4328

BUDG/4328

Tabled by Luis Garicano, Maite Pagazaurtundúa, José Ramón Bauzá Díaz, Jordi Cañas, Susana Solís Pérez, Adrián Vázquez Lázara, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Chapter 09 02 — Programme for Environment and Climate Action (LIFE)

Amend remarks as follows:

Remarks:

Before paragraph:

Appropriations under this Chapter are intended to ..... loss, thereby contributing to sustainable development.

Add following text:

Add the following

After paragraph:

The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding ..... indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines.

Add following text:

*This amendment increases the appropriations on this Chapter to a new amount of EUR 800.000.000 in commitments and EUR 427.021.714 in payments, by increasing the appropriations on all budget lines under this Chapter proportionally.*

Justification:

LIFE is one of the EU’s most effective programmes for funding climate change and environmental projects. Given its highly targeted nature, being the program most focused on co-financing innovative projects that contribute to European environmental policy and the development of innovative policy ideas, technologies, methods and instruments, additional funding is needed to deliver on our Green deal objectives.

Draft amendment 4329

BUDG/4329

Tabled by Moritz Körner

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Article 09 02 01 — Nature and biodiversity  
Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 01			261 040 156	9 268 000	261 040 156	9 268 000	10 009 844	5 077 000	271 050 000	14 345 000
Reserve										
Total			261 040 156	9 268 000	261 040 156	9 268 000	10 009 844	5 077 000	271 050 000	14 345 000

**Justification:**  
The purpose of this increase is to promote reforestation in the Union to tackle climate change.

**Draft amendment 56** === ENVI/5405 ===  
Tabled by Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Article 09 02 01 — Nature and biodiversity  
Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 01			261 040 156	9 268 000	261 040 156	9 268 000	78 300 000	2 780 400	339 340 156	12 048 400
Reserve										
Total			261 040 156	9 268 000	261 040 156	9 268 000	78 300 000	2 780 400	339 340 156	12 048 400

**Justification:**  
To strengthen Union action on climate change, environmental degradation and halting and reversing the loss of biodiversity.

**Draft amendment 545** === GUE/8036 ===  
Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Article 09 02 01 — Nature and biodiversity  
Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 01			261 040 156	9 268 000	261 040 156	9 268 000	29 758 577 784	1 390 200	30 019 617 940	10 658 200
Reserve										
Total			261 040 156	9 268 000	261 040 156	9 268 000	29 758 577 784	1 390 200	30 019 617 940	10 658 200

**Justification:**  
LIFE is the EU's financial instrument supporting environmental, nature conservation and climate action projects contributing to the shift towards a clean, circular, energy-efficient, low-carbon and climate-resilient economy, to the protection and improvement of the quality of the environment and to halting and reversing biodiversity loss. Given the objectives of the Green Deal, the Paris Agreement and the SDGs, it is essential to significantly enhance the capacity of all the aspects of the programme in line with Parliament's position for the MFF.

**Draft amendment 476** === VERT/7616 ===  
Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 02 01 — Nature and biodiversity

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 01			261 040 156	9 268 000	261 040 156	9 268 000	130 000 000	10 000 000	391 040 156	19 268 000
Reserve										
Total			261 040 156	9 268 000	261 040 156	9 268 000	130 000 000	10 000 000	391 040 156	19 268 000

##### Justification:

In order to tackle the biodiversity loss and to implement the EU's biodiversity policies and to reach the 10% biodiversity-related spending target over the 2021-2027 financial period, biodiversity-related spending budget lines must be significantly increased.

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#### Draft amendment 57

=== ENVI/5406 ===

Tabled by Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 02 02 — Circular economy and quality of life

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 02			169 957 328	11 890 052	169 957 328	11 890 052	50 987 198	3 567 015	220 944 526	15 457 067
Reserve										
Total			169 957 328	11 890 052	169 957 328	11 890 052	50 987 198	3 567 015	220 944 526	15 457 067

##### Justification:

To strengthen Union action on climate change, environmental degradation and halting and reversing the loss of biodiversity.

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#### Draft amendment 546

=== GUE/8037 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 02 02 — Circular economy and quality of life

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 02			169 957 328	11 890 052	169 957 328	11 890 052	25 493 599	1 783 508	195 450 927	13 673 560
Reserve										
Total			169 957 328	11 890 052	169 957 328	11 890 052	25 493 599	1 783 508	195 450 927	13 673 560

##### Justification:

LIFE is the EU's financial instrument supporting environmental, nature conservation and climate action projects contributing to the shift towards a clean, circular, energy-efficient, low-carbon and climate-resilient economy, to the protection and improvement of the quality of the environment and to halting and reversing biodiversity loss. Given the objectives of the Green Deal, the Paris Agreement and the SDGs, it is essential to significantly enhance the capacity of all the aspects of the programme in line with Parliament's position for the MFF.

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#### Draft amendment 466

=== VERT/7605 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 02 02 — Circular economy and quality of life

## Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 02			169 957 328	11 890 052	169 957 328	11 890 052	85 000 000	5 000 000	254 957 328	16 890 052
Reserve										
Total			169 957 328	11 890 052	169 957 328	11 890 052	85 000 000	5 000 000	254 957 328	16 890 052

## Justification:

In order to tackle Climate change, to implement the EU Green Deal and to reach the 30% climate-related spending target over the 2021-2027 financial period, climate-related spending budget lines must be significantly increased.

## Draft amendment 4330

=== BUDG/4330 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Article 09 02 03 — Climate change mitigation and adaptation

## Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 03			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581	-122 488 944	-3 357 581	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581	-122 488 944	-3 357 581	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

*New article*

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the specific sub programme for climate change mitigation and adaptation of the 2021-2027 Programme for the Environment and Climate Action (LIFE).~~

~~It supports activities focusing on delivering the European Green Deal as outlined in the Communication from the Commission (COM(2019) 640). These will be actions related to climate change mitigation (reducing greenhouse gas emissions), climate change adaptation (strengthening efforts on climate proofing, resilience building, prevention and preparedness), as well as the promotion of good climate governance. It includes:~~

- ~~the development, implementation, monitoring and enforcement of the relevant Union legislation and policy on climate action, including by improving governance at all levels, in particular through enhancing capacities of public and private actors and the involvement of civil society;~~
- ~~the financing of innovative techniques, methods and approaches for reaching the objectives of the Union legislation and policy on climate action, contributing to the knowledge base and to the application of best practices;~~
- ~~the support of any actions intended to catalyse the large scale deployment of successful technical and policy related solutions for implementing the relevant Union legislation and policy on climate action, by replicating results, integrating related objectives into other policies and into public and private sector practices, mobilising sustainable investments, and improving access to finance.~~

~~Costs of technical assistance for selecting projects, as well as monitoring, evaluating, auditing projects and support for communication, IT actions, organising workshops, conferences and meetings and other governance activities (including non governmental organisations supported via operating grants) may also be financed by this appropriation.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

## Justification:

National competences of the Member States

## Draft amendment 58

=== ENVI/5407 ===

Tabled by Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 02 03 — Climate change mitigation and adaptation

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 03			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581		6 642 419	122 488 944	10 000 000
Reserve										
Total			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581		6 642 419	122 488 944	10 000 000

Justification:

There is broad consensus that the magnitude of investments needed to achieve the climate goals needed to respond the climate crises will not be financed by scarce public funds but that additional resources must be mobilised.

Draft amendment 547

=== GUE/8038 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 02 03 — Climate change mitigation and adaptation

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 03			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581	18 373 342	382 764 234	140 862 286	386 121 815
Reserve										
Total			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581	18 373 342	382 764 234	140 862 286	386 121 815

Justification:

LIFE is the EU's financial instrument supporting environmental, nature conservation and climate action projects contributing to the shift towards a clean, circular, energy-efficient, low-carbon and climate-resilient economy, to the protection and improvement of the quality of the environment and to halting and reversing biodiversity loss. Given the objectives of the Green Deal, the Paris Agreement and the SDGs, it is essential to significantly enhance the capacity of all the aspects of the programme in line with Parliament's position for the MFF.

Draft amendment 878

=== S&D/7371 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 02 03 — Climate change mitigation and adaptation

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 03			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581	36 746 683	6 642 419	159 235 627	10 000 000
Reserve										
Total			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581	36 746 683	6 642 419	159 235 627	10 000 000

Justification:

There is broad consensus that the magnitude of investments needed to achieve the climate goals needed to respond to the climate crisis will not be financed by scarce public funds but that additional resources must be mobilised.

Draft amendment 467

=== VERT/7606 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 02 03** — Climate change mitigation and adaptation

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 03			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581	60 000 000	2 000 000	182 488 944	5 357 581
Reserve										
Total			122 488 944	3 357 581	122 488 944	3 357 581	60 000 000	2 000 000	182 488 944	5 357 581

**Justification:**

In order to tackle Climate change, to implement the EU Green Deal and to reach the 30% climate-related spending target over the 2021-2027 financial period, climate-related spending budget lines must be significantly increased.

**Draft amendment 4331**

=== BUDG/4331 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 02 04** — Clean energy transition

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 04			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	-132 953 437	-7 568 232	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	-132 953 437	-7 568 232	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

Delete following text:

*New article*

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the specific sub programme for clean energy transition of the 2021-2027 Programme for the Environment and Climate Action (LIFE).~~

~~It supports the financing of activities with the following specific objectives:~~

- ~~– to develop, demonstrate and promote innovative techniques and approaches for reaching the objectives of the Union legislation and policy on environment and climate action, including the transition to clean energy, and to contribute to the application of best practice;~~
- ~~– to support the development, implementation, monitoring and enforcement of the relevant Union legislation and policy, including by improving governance through enhancing capacities of public and private actors and the involvement of civil society;~~
- ~~– to catalyse the large scale deployment of successful technical and policy related solutions for implementing the relevant Union legislation and policy by replicating results, integrating related objectives into other policies and into public and private sector practices, mobilising investment and improving access to finance.~~

~~Costs of technical assistance for selecting projects, as well as monitoring, evaluating, auditing projects and support for communication, IT actions, organising workshops, conferences and meetings and other governance activities (including non governmental organisations supported via operating grants) may also be financed by this appropriation.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

**Justification:**

National competences of the Member States

**Draft amendment 59**

=== ENVI/5408 ===

Tabled by Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 02 04 — Clean energy transition

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 04			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	39 886 031	2 270 469	172 839 468	9 838 701
Reserve										
Total			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	39 886 031	2 270 469	172 839 468	9 838 701

**Justification:**

The European Union target is to be climate neutral. Without significant and rapid progress on increasing the share of renewable energy in the energy mix this will not be possible.

**Draft amendment 964**

=== EPP//7051 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 02 04 — Clean energy transition

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 04			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	39 886 031		172 839 468	7 568 232
Reserve										
Total			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	39 886 031		172 839 468	7 568 232

**Justification:**

One of the 15 EP flagship programmes mentioned in the EP resolution in July 2020 after the European Council meeting on MFF.

**Draft amendment 548**

=== GUE//8039 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 02 04 — Clean energy transition

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 04			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	19 943 016	1 135 235	152 896 453	8 703 467
Reserve										
Total			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	19 943 016	1 135 235	152 896 453	8 703 467

**Justification:**

LIFE is the EU's financial instrument supporting environmental, nature conservation and climate action projects contributing to the shift towards a clean, circular, energy-efficient, low-carbon and climate-resilient economy, to the protection and improvement of the quality of the environment and to halting and reversing biodiversity loss. Given the objectives of the Green Deal, the Paris Agreement and the SDGs, it is essential to significantly enhance the capacity of all the aspects of the programme in line with Parliament's position for the MFF.

**Draft amendment 468**

=== VERT/7607 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 02 04 — Clean energy transition

## Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 04			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	65 000 000	2 000 000	197 953 437	9 568 232
Reserve										
Total			132 953 437	7 568 232	132 953 437	7 568 232	65 000 000	2 000 000	197 953 437	9 568 232

## Justification:

In order to tackle Climate change, to implement the EU Green Deal and to reach the 30% climate-related spending target over the 2021-2027 financial period, climate-related spending budget lines must be significantly increased.

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## Draft amendment 4332

=== BUDG/4332 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 09 02 99 01** — Completion of previous programmes in the field of environment and climate action (LIFE) (prior to 2021)

## Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 02 99 01	578 681 388	361 000 001	p.m.	328 000 000	p.m.	328 000 000		-328 000 000	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	578 681 388	361 000 001	p.m.	328 000 000	p.m.	328 000 000		-328 000 000	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~Former articles (\*transferred in part)~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

## Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Council Directive 79/409/EEC of 2 April 1979 on the conservation of wild birds (OJ L 103, 25.4.1979, p. 1).~~

~~Council Directive 92/43/EEC of 21 May 1992 on the conservation of natural habitats and of wild fauna and flora (OJ L 206, 22.7.1992, p. 7).~~

~~Decision No 1600/2002/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 July 2002 laying down the Sixth Community Environment Action Programme ‘(OJ L 242, 10.9.2002, p. 1).~~

~~Regulation (EC) No 614/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 May 2007 concerning the Financial Instrument for the Environment (LIFE+) (OJ L 149, 9.6.2007, p. 1).~~

~~Regulation (EU) No 1293/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 on the establishment of a Programme for the Environment and Climate Action (LIFE) and repealing Regulation (EC) No 614/2007 (OJ L 347, 20.12.2013, p. 185).~~

~~Regulation (EU) 2018/1475 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 2 October 2018 laying down the legal framework of the European Solidarity Corps and amending Regulation (EU) No 1288/2013, Regulation (EU) No 1293/2013 and Decision No 1313/2013/EU (OJ L 250, 4.10.2018, p. 1).~~

~~Actions carried out by the Commission by virtue of tasks resulting from its prerogatives at institutional level pursuant to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union and the Treaty establishing the European Atomic Energy Community and pursuant to Article 58(2) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 4).~~

## Justification:

National competences of the Member States

## Draft amendment 4333

=== BUDG/4333 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Chapter 09 03 — Just Transition Fund (JTF)

Amend remarks as follows:

#### Remarks:

##### Before paragraph:

Legal basis

##### Amend text as follows:

~~This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Chapter appropriation is intended to cover support from the Just Transition Fund (JTF) to territories facing serious socio-economic challenges deriving from the transition process towards a climate neutral economy of the Union by 2050.~~

##### Delete following text:

~~In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (EFTA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this Chapter.~~

~~The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines.~~

~~In addition, and in accordance with Council Regulation XXXX/XXXX of XX, external assigned revenue resulting from proceeds of the Next Generation EU/European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI) entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of appropriations for this programme under this Title for a total amount of 10 000 000 000 (2018 prices) in commitments. The amounts indicated in the budget remarks of the relevant budget lines under this Title provide information about the expected amount of legal commitments in 2021.~~

##### After paragraph:

Legal basis

##### Delete following text:

##### Reference acts

~~Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council, submitted by the Commission on 14 January 2020, establishing the Just Transition Fund (COM(2020) 22).~~

~~Proposal for a Council Regulation, submitted by the Commission on 28 May 2020, establishing a European Union Recovery Instrument to support the recovery in the aftermath of the COVID-19 pandemic (COM(2020) 441).~~

~~Amended proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council, submitted by the Commission on 28 May 2020, establishing the Just Transition Fund (COM(2020) 460).~~

#### Justification:

National competences of the Member States

## Draft amendment 4334

=== BUDG/4334 ===

Tabled by Andrey Novakov, Committee on Budgets

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 03 01 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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### Draft amendment 4335

=== BUDG/4335 ===

Tabled by Bogdan Rzońca, Zbigniew Kuźmiuk

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 03 01 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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### Draft amendment 4336

=== BUDG/4336 ===

Tabled by Nicolae Ștefănuță

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 03 01 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	1 006 981 533		2 140 000 000	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	1 006 981 533		2 140 000 000	p.m.

### Justification:

The EU's ambitious policy objectives can only be achieved by means of an ambitious budget, even more resources are necessary and these should not jeopardise the financing of the other cohesion funds. We regret the massive cuts from the Next Generation EU to 10 billion euro. The position of European Parliament is to ask for at least 25 billion euro to finance a just transition over the 7 years. In line with this position, the annual budget of the Just transition should be increased correspondingly, with 7.5 billion euro for the MFF and with 1 billion euro in 2021.

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### Draft amendment 609

=== ECR/7907 ===

Tabled by European Conservatives and Reformists Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 03 01 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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**Draft amendment 60**

=== ENVI/5409 ===

Tabled by Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 01** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.

**Justification:**

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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**Draft amendment 965**

=== EPP//7052 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 01** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.

**Justification:**

One of the 15 EP flagship programmes mentioned in the EP resolution in July 2020 after the European Council meeting on MFF.

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**Draft amendment 549**

=== GUE/8040 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 01** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.

**Justification:**

Restore Draft Budget (DB). Restore Draft Budget (DB). The Just Transition Fund (JTF) aims at assisting territories facing serious socio-economic challenges deriving from the transition towards a climate-neutral economy by 2050 at the latest.

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**Draft amendment 678**

=== I-D//7761 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 03 01 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	-339 905 540		793 112 927	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	-339 905 540		793 112 927	p.m.

##### Justification:

It seems reasonable to ask for some further reductions with regard to this budgetary line.

#### Draft amendment 221

=== REGI/6265 ===

Tabled by Committee on Regional Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 03 01 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	377 686 922		1 510 705 389	p.m.

##### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

#### Draft amendment 879

=== S&D//7373 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 03 01 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	679 828 000		1 812 846 467	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	679 828 000		1 812 846 467	p.m.

##### Justification:

The Just Transition Fund is one of the EU flagship programmes and needs additional appropriations.

#### Draft amendment 465

=== VERT/7604 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 09 03 01 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational expenditure

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 01			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	500 000 000		1 633 018 467	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 510 705 389	p.m.	1 133 018 467	p.m.	500 000 000		1 633 018 467	p.m.

##### Justification:

In order to tackle Climate change, to implement the EU Green Deal and to reach the 30% climate-related spending target over the 2021-2027 financial period, climate-related spending budget lines must be

significantly increased

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**Draft amendment 4337**

=== BUDG/4337 ===

Tabled by Andrey Novakov

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 02** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.

**Justification:**

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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**Draft amendment 4338**

=== BUDG/4338 ===

Tabled by Bogdan Rzońca, Zbigniew Kuźmiuk

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 02** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.

**Justification:**

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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**Draft amendment 4339**

=== BUDG/4339 ===

Tabled by Nicolae Ștefănuță

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 02** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.

**Justification:**

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

In line with the amendment to increase the funding of Just transition Fund.

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**Draft amendment 610**

=== ECR//7908 ===

Tabled by European Conservatives and Reformists Group

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 02** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
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	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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### Draft amendment 62

=== ENVI/5411 ===

Tabled by Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 02** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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### Draft amendment 966

=== EPP//7053 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 02** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.

### Justification:

One of the 15 EP flagship programmes mentioned in the EP resolution in July 2020 after the European Council meeting on MFF.

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### Draft amendment 550

=== GUE//8041 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 03 02** — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB). Restore Draft Budget (DB). The Just Transition Fund (JTF) aims at assisting territories facing serious socio-economic challenges deriving from the transition towards a climate-neutral economy by 2050 at the latest.

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Draft amendment 679

==== I-D//7762 ====

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 03 02 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	-1 184 297		2 763 360	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	-1 184 297		2 763 360	p.m.

Justification:

It seems reasonable to ask for some further reductions with regard to this budgetary line.

Draft amendment 222

==== REGI/6266 ====

Tabled by Committee on Regional Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 03 02 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	1 315 935		5 263 592	p.m.

Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

Draft amendment 880

==== S&D//7374 ====

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 09 03 02 — Just Transition Fund (JTF) — Operational technical assistance

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 03 02			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	2 368 653		6 316 310	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			5 263 592	p.m.	3 947 657	p.m.	2 368 653		6 316 310	p.m.

Justification:

The Just Transition Fund is one of the EU flagship programmes and needs additional appropriations.

Draft amendment 4340

==== BUDG/4340 ====

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Chapter 09 04 — Public sector loan facility under the Just Transition Mechanism (JTM)

Amend remarks and reference acts as follows:

Remarks:

Amend text as follows:

~~This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Chapter. Appropriation is intended to cover support from the public sector loan facility, the third pillar of the Just Transition Mechanism (JTM). It will support~~

public investments, through preferential lending conditions. These investments will benefit the territories most negatively affected by the climate transition as identified in the territorial just transition plans for the purposes of the Just Transition Fund (JTF).

Delete following text:

~~In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (EFTA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this Chapter.  
The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines.~~

**Reference acts:**

Delete following text:

~~Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council, submitted by the Commission on 28 May 2020, on the public sector loan facility under the Just Transition Mechanism (COM(2020) 453).~~

**Justification:**

National competences of the Member States

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**Draft amendment 4341** == BUDG/4341 ==

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen

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SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Chapter 09 10 — Decentralised Agencies  
Amend remarks as follows:

**Remarks:**

Amend text as follows:

~~This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Chapter appropriation is intended to cover the decentralised Agencies staff and administrative expenditure (Titles 1 and 2) and, where applicable, operational expenditure relating to the work programme (Title 3).~~

Delete following text:

~~The establishment plan of the Agency is set out in Annex ‘Staff’ to this section.  
The Agency must inform the European Parliament and the Council about transfers of appropriations between operational and administrative expenditure.  
In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (EFTA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, amounts repaid in accordance with Article 17 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/715 of 18 December 2018 on the framework financial regulation for the bodies set up under the TFEU and Euratom Treaty and referred to in Article 70 of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 122, 10.5.2019, p. 1) and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this Chapter.  
The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines.~~

**Justification:**

National competences of the Member States

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**Draft amendment 680** == I-D//7763 ==

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 09 10 01 — European Chemicals Agency - Environmental directives and International conventions**  
**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 10 01	3 034 475	3 034 475	5 259 794	5 259 794	5 259 794	5 259 794	-788 969		4 470 825	5 259 794
Reserve										
Total	3 034 475	3 034 475	5 259 794	5 259 794	5 259 794	5 259 794	-788 969		4 470 825	5 259 794

**Justification:**

It seems reasonable to ask for some further reductions with regard to this budgetary line.

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**Draft amendment 4342**

=== BUDG/4342 ===

Tabled by Monika Hohlmeier, Niclas Herbst, Committee on Budgets

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION**

**Article 09 10 02 — European Environment Agency**

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 10 02	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	2 100 000	2 100 000	44 092 739	44 092 739
Reserve										
Total	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	2 100 000	2 100 000	44 092 739	44 092 739

**Justification:**

Given new tasks in support of the European Green Deal Actions and the 8th Environmental Action Programme the agency requires additional funding and staff to fulfil its obligations. Furthermore, post-Covid 19 crisis the agency needs to contribute to activities analysing human health and the environment. The updated staff requirements include 15 temporary agent posts (8 AD6 and 7 AD7) and 3 contract agent posts (Function Group IV).

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**Draft amendment 64**

=== ENVI/5413 ===

Tabled by Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION**

**Article 09 10 02 — European Environment Agency**

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 10 02	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	2 100 000	2 100 000	44 092 739	44 092 739
Reserve										
Total	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	2 100 000	2 100 000	44 092 739	44 092 739

**Justification:**

The EEA is expected to play a key role in supporting the EU Green Deal actions and the 8th Environmental action programme, involving the following additional tasks:

-Expert support for the development of the new monitoring, report and verification framework of the EU Biodiversity Strategy, with emphasis on new initiatives aiming at mainstreaming (land use, forestry, agriculture, soil).

- Responsibilities with regard to data reporting, analysis and assessments in the context of Circular Economy, Climate change adaption/mitigation, F2F, Covid-19 and Zero pollution Initiatives

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**Draft amendment 681**

=== I-D//7764 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION**

**Article 09 10 02 — European Environment Agency****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 10 02	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	-6 298 910		35 693 829	41 992 739
Reserve										
Total	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	-6 298 910		35 693 829	41 992 739

**Justification:**

It seems reasonable to ask for some further reductions with regard to this budgetary line.

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**Draft amendment 842**

=== S&D//7297 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION****Article 09 10 02 — European Environment Agency****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 10 02	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	2 100 000	2 100 000	44 092 739	44 092 739
Reserve										
Total	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	2 100 000	2 100 000	44 092 739	44 092 739

**Justification:**

Additional financial and human resources are needed, since the EEA is expected to play a key role in supporting Green Deal related actions in the field of monitoring and reporting on the EU biodiversity strategy, circular economy, climate change adaptation Covid-19 and zero pollution initiatives.

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**Draft amendment 473**

=== VERT/7612 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION****Article 09 10 02 — European Environment Agency****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
09 10 02	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	2 100 000	2 100 000	44 092 739	44 092 739
Reserve										
Total	41 718 782	41 718 782	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	41 992 739	2 100 000	2 100 000	44 092 739	44 092 739

**Justification:**

The EEA is expected to play a key role in supporting the EU Green DEAL actions and the 8th Environmental action programme, involving the following additional tasks:

-Expert support for the development of the new monitoring, report and verification framework of the EU Biodiversity Strategy, with emphasis on new initiatives aiming at mainstreaming (land use, forestry, agriculture, soil).

-Responsibilities with regard to data reporting, analysing and assessments in the context of Circular Economy, Climate change adaptation/mitigation, F2F, Covid-19 and Zero pollution Initiatives

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**Draft amendment 4036**

=== BUDG/4036 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION****Chapter 09 20 — Pilot projects, preparatory actions, prerogatives and other actions****Amend remarks as follows:**

Remarks:

Add following text:  
*This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Chapter*

Justification:

National competences of the Member States

Draft amendment 4344=== BUDG/4344 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Title 10 — Migration

Amend remarks as follows:

Remarks:

Add following text:  
*This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Chapter*

Justification:

Intention to delete the ENTIRE Chapter.  
National competences of the Member States

Draft amendment 969=== EPP/7057 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 10 02 01 — Asylum and Migration Fund

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01			1 100 481 000	284 232 000	870 254 765	224 769 217	384 293 575	99 255 273	1 254 548 340	324 024 490
Reserve										
Total			1 100 481 000	284 232 000	870 254 765	224 769 217	384 293 575	99 255 273	1 254 548 340	324 024 490

Justification:

General Importance of AMIF and new COM migration package proposal.

Draft amendment 538=== GUE/8029 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 10 02 01 — Asylum and Migration Fund

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01			1 100 481 000	284 232 000	870 254 765	224 769 217	394 745 235	102 060 783	1 265 000 000	326 830 000
Reserve										
Total			1 100 481 000	284 232 000	870 254 765	224 769 217	394 745 235	102 060 783	1 265 000 000	326 830 000

Justification:

The Asylum and Migration Fund (AMF) supports the work of national authorities to provide reception to asylum seekers and migrants in line with the Union acquis and in compliance with the Union's commitments on fundamental rights, including their integration. Given the increased migration flows in the EU's external borders and the imperative need for solidarity, the amendment not only restores the cuts proposed by the Council but proposes the increase of the AMF funds.

## Draft amendment 682

=== I-D/7765 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 10 02 01 — Asylum and Migration Fund

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01			1 100 481 000	284 232 000	870 254 765	224 769 217	-435 127 382		435 127 383	224 769 217
Reserve										
Total			1 100 481 000	284 232 000	870 254 765	224 769 217	-435 127 382		435 127 383	224 769 217

##### Justification:

It seems reasonable to request that the appropriations of this budgetary line should completely be devolved to repatriation issues.

## Draft amendment 112

=== LIBE/5819 ===

Tabled by Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 10 02 01 — Asylum and Migration Fund

Split as follows: 10 02 01 01, 10 02 01 02, 10 02 01 03, 10 02 01 04, 10 02 01 05

##### Amend remarks and reference acts as follows:

##### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New article~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions contributing to an efficient management of migration flows in line with the relevant Union acquis and in compliance with the Union's commitments on fundamental rights. In particular, the Fund shall contribute to strengthening and developing all aspects of the Common European Asylum System, including its external dimension; supporting legal migration to the Member States including to contribute to the integration of third country nationals; and finally to contributing to countering irregular migration and ensuring effectiveness of return and readmission in third countries.~~

~~The Fund will promote common measures in the area of asylum, including Member States' efforts in receiving persons in need of international protection through resettlement and the transfer of applicants for or beneficiaries of international protection between Member States, supporting integration strategies and a more effective legal migration policy, so as to ensure the Union's long term competitiveness and the future of its social model and reduce incentives for irregular migration through a sustainable return and readmission policy. The Fund will support the strengthening of cooperation with third countries to reinforce management of flows of persons applying for asylum or other forms of international protection, avenues on legal migration and to counter irregular migration and ensure sustainability of return and effective readmission to third countries.~~

##### Reference acts:

Delete following text:

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##### Add: 10 02 01 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01 01							396 173 160	102 323 520	396 173 160	102 323 520
Reserve										
Total							396 173 160	102 323 520	396 173 160	102 323 520

### Heading:

*Strengthening and developing all aspects of the Common European Asylum System*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditures related to strengthening and developing all aspects of the Common European Asylum System, including its external dimension, as per the specific objective laid down in the first reading position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2019 on a Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund ('the Fund')*

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### Add: 10 02 01 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01 02							198 086 580	51 161 760	198 086 580	51 161 760
Reserve										
Total							198 086 580	51 161 760	198 086 580	51 161 760

### Heading:

*Strengthening and developing legal migration policies on the European and national level*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditures strengthening and developing legal migration policies on the European and national level, in accordance with Member States' economic and social needs, as per the specific objective laid down in the first reading position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2019 on a Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund ('the Fund')*

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### Add: 10 02 01 03

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01 03							198 086 580	51 161 760	198 086 580	51 161 760

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Reserve										
Total							198 086 580	51 161 760	198 086 580	51 161 760

### Heading:

*Promoting the effective integration and social inclusion of third-country nationals*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditures contributing promote the effective integration and social inclusion of third-country nationals, as per the specific objective laid down in the first reading position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2019 on a Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund ('the Fund')*

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### Add: 10 02 01 04

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01 04							330 144 300	85 269 600	330 144 300	85 269 600
Reserve										
Total							330 144 300	85 269 600	330 144 300	85 269 600

### Heading:

*Contributing and countering illegal migration, and ensuring safe, effective and dignified return, readmission and reintegration in third countries*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

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### Add: 10 02 01 05

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01 05							132 057 720	34 107 840	132 057 720	34 107 840
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total							132 057 720	34 107 840	132 057 720	34 107 840

## Heading:

*Ensuring solidarity and fair sharing of responsibility between the Member States*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditures ensuring solidarity and fair sharing of responsibility between the Member States, in particular towards those most affected by migration challenges, including through practical cooperation, as per the specific objective laid down in the first reading position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2019 on a Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund ('the Fund')*

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## Justification:

It is proposed to have specific budget lines covering each of the specific objectives of the Fund to increase transparency and enable the budgetary authority to ensure that all specific objectives of the Fund are adequately financed over the course of the next multi-annual financial period.

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## Draft amendment 822

=== S&D//7248 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Article 10 02 01 — Asylum and Migration Fund

Split as follows: 10 02 01 01, 10 02 01 02, 10 02 01 03, 10 02 01 04, 10 02 01 05

Amend figures as follows:

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### Add: 10 02 01 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 02 01 01							396 173 160	102 323 520	396 173 160	102 323 520
Reserve										
Total							396 173 160	102 323 520	396 173 160	102 323 520

## Heading:

*Strengthening and developing all aspects of the Common European Asylum System*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

### New article

*This appropriation is intended to cover actions contributing to an efficient management of migration flows in line with the relevant Union acquis and in compliance with the Union's commitments on fundamental rights.*

*In particular, the Fund shall contribute to strengthening and developing all aspects of the Common European Asylum System, including its external dimension; supporting legal migration to the Member States including to contribute to the integration of third-country nationals; and finally to contributing to countering irregular migration and ensuring effectiveness of return and readmission in third countries.*

*The Fund will promote common measures in the area of asylum, including Member States' efforts in receiving persons in need of international protection through resettlement and the transfer of applicants for or beneficiaries of international protection between Member States, supporting integration strategies and a more effective legal migration policy, so as to ensure the Union's long-term competitiveness and the future of its social model and reduce incentives for irregular migration through a sustainable return and readmission policy. The Fund will support the strengthening of cooperation with third countries to reinforce management of flows of persons applying for asylum or other forms of international protection, avenues on legal migration and to counter irregular migration and ensure sustainability of return and effective readmission to third countries.*

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**Add: 10 02 01 02**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
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Reserve										
Total							198 086 580	51 161 760	198 086 580	51 161 760

## **Heading:**

*Strengthening and developing legal migration policies on the European and national level*

## **Remarks:**

Add following text:

### **New article**

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**Add: 10 02 01 03**

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10 02 01 03							198 086 580	51 161 760	198 086 580	51 161 760
Reserve										
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**Remarks:**

Add following text:

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10 02 01 04							330 144 300	85 269 600	330 144 300	85 269 600
Reserve										
Total							330 144 300	85 269 600	330 144 300	85 269 600

#### **Heading:**

*Contributing and countering illegal migration, and ensuring safe, effective and dignified return, readmission and reintegration in third countries*

#### **Remarks:**

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	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
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10 02 01 05							132 057 720	34 107 840	132 057 720	34 107 840
Reserve										
Total							132 057 720	34 107 840	132 057 720	34 107 840

### **Heading:**

*Ensuring solidarity and fair sharing of responsibility between the Member States*

### **Remarks:**

Add following text:

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### **Justification:**

It is proposed to have two specific budget lines covering the two specific objectives of the Instrument to increase transparency and enable the budgetary authority to ensure that those two specific objectives of the Instrument are adequately financed over the course of the next multi-annual financial period.

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**Draft amendment 992**

=== EPP//7082 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 10 10 01** — European Asylum Support Office (EASO)  
**Amend remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 10 01	118 327 419	118 327 419	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714			137 810 714	137 810 714
Reserve										
Total	118 327 419	118 327 419	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714			137 810 714	137 810 714

**Remarks:**  
Before paragraph:  
Former article  
Add following text:  
*Additional to the establishment plan changes the following contract agents are added:*  
*+ 12 CA + 1 SNE (550 staff in total)*

**Justification:**  
The requested additional staff should go to reinforce field operations, training development and delivery, information and analysis, practical tools, governance activities and administrative functions.

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**Draft amendment 539**

=== GUE//8030 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 10 10 01** — European Asylum Support Office (EASO)  
**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 10 01	118 327 419	118 327 419	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	7 189 286	7 189 286	145 000 000	145 000 000
Reserve										
Total	118 327 419	118 327 419	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	7 189 286	7 189 286	145 000 000	145 000 000

**Justification:**  
The European Asylum Support Office (EASO) acts as a centre of expertise on asylum by facilitating, coordinating and strengthening practical cooperation among Member States on the many aspects of asylum. EASO also helps Member States fulfil their European and international obligations to give protection to people in need, it provides operational support to Member States with specific needs and to Member States whose asylum and reception systems are under particular pressure. Given its important role, the amendment proposes a further increase of its 2021 budget.

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**Draft amendment 683**

=== I-D//7766 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 10 10 01** — European Asylum Support Office (EASO)  
**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
10 10 01	118 327 419	118 327 419	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	-68 905 357		68 905 357	137 810 714
Reserve										
Total	118 327 419	118 327 419	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	137 810 714	-68 905 357		68 905 357	137 810 714

### Justification:

We can have a reduction of the appropriations of this budgetary line.

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### Draft amendment 4345

=== BUDG/4345 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 11 02 01 — Border Management and Visa instrument (BMVI)

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 01			846 749 000	132 848 000	396 607 917	62 224 542	450 141 083	70 623 458	846 749 000	132 848 000
Reserve										
Total			846 749 000	132 848 000	396 607 917	62 224 542	450 141 083	70 623 458	846 749 000	132 848 000

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 11 03 01 — Customs Control Equipment

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 03 01			174 903 000	42 481 000	135 403 781	32 887 303	39 499 219	9 593 697	174 903 000	42 481 000
Reserve										
Total			174 903 000	42 481 000	135 403 781	32 887 303	39 499 219	9 593 697	174 903 000	42 481 000

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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### Draft amendment 4346

=== BUDG/4346 ===

Tabled by Andrey Novakov, Committee on Budgets

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 11 02 01 — Border Management and Visa instrument (BMVI)

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 01			846 749 000	132 848 000	396 607 917	62 224 542	450 141 083	70 623 458	846 749 000	132 848 000
Reserve										
Total			846 749 000	132 848 000	396 607 917	62 224 542	450 141 083	70 623 458	846 749 000	132 848 000

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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### Draft amendment 968

=== EPP/7055 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 11 02 01 — Border Management and Visa instrument (BMVI)

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	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments

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Reserve										
Total			846 749 000	132 848 000	396 607 917	62 224 542	450 141 083	70 623 458	846 749 000	132 848 000

## Justification:

One of the 15 EP flagship programmes mentioned in the EP resolution in July 2020 after the European Council meeting on MFF. Amount and split of lines as adopted by LIBE (technical problem to split the lines).

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## Draft amendment 114

=== LIBE/5821 ===

Tabled by Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 11 02 01 — Border Management and Visa instrument (BMVI)

Split as follows: 11 02 01 01, 11 02 01 02

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#### Add: 11 02 01 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 01 01							677 399 200	106 278 400	677 399 200	106 278 400
Reserve										
Total							677 399 200	106 278 400	677 399 200	106 278 400

## Heading:

*Supporting effective European Integrated Border Management at the external borders*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditures supporting effective European Integrated Border Management at the external borders implemented by the European Border and Coast Guard as a shared responsibility of the European Border and Coast Guard Agency and of the national authorities responsible for border management, to facilitate legitimate border crossings, to prevent and detect irregular immigration and cross-border crime and to effectively manage migratory flows, as per the specific objective laid down in the first reading position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2019 on a Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing, as part of the Integrated Border Management Fund, the instrument for financial support for border management and visa ('the Instrument')*

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#### Add: 11 02 01 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 01 02							169 349 800	26 569 600	169 349 800	26 569 600
Reserve										
Total							169 349 800	26 569 600	169 349 800	26 569 600

## Heading:

*Supporting the common visa policy*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditures supporting the common visa policy to ensure a more harmonised approach among the Member States with regard to the issuance of visas and to facilitate legitimate travel and mitigate security risks, as per the specific objective laid down in the first reading position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2019 on a Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing, as part of the Integrated Border Management Fund, the instrument for financial support for border management and visa ('the Instrument')*

## Justification:

It is proposed to have two specific budget lines covering the two specific objectives of the Instrument to increase transparency and enable the budgetary authority to ensure that those two specific objectives of the Instrument are adequately financed over the course of the next multi-annual financial period.

## Draft amendment 823

== S&D//7249 ==

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 11 02 01** — Border Management and Visa instrument (BMVI)

**Split as follows:** 11 02 01 01, 11 02 01 02

**Amend remarks as follows:**

### Remarks:

Delete following text:

#### *New article*

~~This appropriation is intended to ensure strong and effective European integrated border management at the external borders while safeguarding the free movement of persons within it, in full compliance with the Union's commitments on fundamental rights, thereby contributing to guaranteeing a high level of security in the Union.~~

~~More specifically, the instrument should contribute to supporting effective European integrated border management at the external borders implemented by the European Border and Coast Guard as a shared responsibility of the European Border and Coast Guard Agency and of the national authorities responsible for border management, to facilitate legitimate border crossings, to prevent and detect illegal immigration and cross border crime and to effectively manage migratory flows; as well as to supporting the common visa policy to facilitate legitimate travel and prevent migratory and security risks.~~

~~The Fund will promote the implementation of the European integrated border management defined by its components in accordance with Article 4 of Regulation (EU) 2016/1624: border control, search and rescue during border surveillance, risk analysis, cooperation between Member States (supported and coordinated by the European Border and Coast Guard Agency). The fund will also promote inter agency cooperation, cooperation with third countries, technical and operational measures within the Schengen area related to border control and designed to address illegal immigration and to counter cross border crime better and use of state of the art technology, quality control and solidarity mechanisms. Furthermore, the Fund will contribute to the improvement of the efficiency of visa processing in terms of detecting and assessing security and irregular migration risks, as well as facilitating visa procedures for bona fide travellers. The Fund will support digitalisation of visa processing with the objective to provide fast, secure and client-friendly visa procedures for the benefit of both visa applicants and consulates.~~

### Add: 11 02 01 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 01 01							317 286 334	49 779 634	317 286 334	49 779 634
Reserve										
Total							317 286 334	49 779 634	317 286 334	49 779 634

### Heading:

*Supporting effective European Integrated Border Management at the external borders*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*Add following text:*

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditures supporting effective European Integrated Border Management at the external borders implemented by the European Border and Coast Guard as a shared responsibility of the European Border and Coast Guard Agency and of the national authorities responsible for border management, to facilitate legitimate border crossings, to prevent and detect*

*irregular immigration and cross-border crime and to effectively manage migratory flows, as per the specific objective laid down in the first reading position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2019 on a Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing, as part of the Integrated Border Management Fund, the instrument for financial support for border management and visa ('the Instrument')*

**New article**

*This appropriation is intended to ensure strong and effective European integrated border management at the external borders while safeguarding the free movement of persons within it, in full compliance with the Union's commitments on fundamental rights, thereby contributing to guaranteeing a high level of security in the Union.*

*More specifically, the instrument should contribute to supporting effective European integrated border management at the external borders implemented by the European Border and Coast Guard as a shared responsibility of the European Border and Coast Guard Agency and of the national authorities responsible for border management, to facilitate legitimate border crossings, to prevent and detect illegal immigration and cross-border crime and to effectively manage migratory flows; as well as to supporting the common visa policy to facilitate legitimate travel and prevent migratory and security risks.*

*The Fund will promote the implementation of the European integrated border management defined by its components in accordance with Article 4 of Regulation (EU) 2016/1624: border control, search and rescue during border surveillance, risk analysis, cooperation between Member States (supported and coordinated by the European Border and Coast Guard Agency). The fund will also promote inter-agency cooperation, cooperation with third countries, technical and operational measures within the Schengen area related to border control and designed to address illegal immigration and to counter cross-border crime better and use of state of-the-art technology, quality control and solidarity mechanisms. Furthermore, the Fund will contribute to the improvement of the efficiency of visa processing in terms of detecting and assessing security and irregular migration risks, as well as facilitating visa procedures for bona fide travellers. The Fund will support digitalisation of visa processing with the objective to provide fast, secure and client-friendly visa procedures for the benefit of both visa applicants and consulates.*

**Add: 11 02 01 02**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 01 02							79 321 583	12 444 908	79 321 583	12 444 908
Reserve										
Total							79 321 583	12 444 908	79 321 583	12 444 908

**Heading:**

*Supporting the common visa policy*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover expenditures supporting the common visa policy to ensure a more harmonised approach among the Member States with regard to the issuance of visas and to facilitate legitimate travel and mitigate security risks, as per the specific objective laid down in the first reading position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2019 on a Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing, as part of the Integrated Border Management Fund, the instrument for financial support for border management and visa ('the Instrument')*

**New article**

*This appropriation is intended to ensure strong and effective European integrated border management at the external borders while safeguarding the free movement of persons within it, in full compliance with the Union's commitments on fundamental rights, thereby contributing to guaranteeing a high level of security in the Union.*

*More specifically, the instrument should contribute to supporting effective European integrated border management at the external borders implemented by the European Border and Coast Guard as a shared responsibility of the European Border and Coast Guard Agency and of the national authorities*

responsible for border management, to facilitate legitimate border crossings, to prevent and detect illegal immigration and cross-border crime and to effectively manage migratory flows; as well as to supporting the common visa policy to facilitate legitimate travel and prevent migratory and security risks.

The Fund will promote the implementation of the European integrated border management defined by its components in accordance with Article 4 of Regulation (EU) 2016/1624: border control, search and rescue during border surveillance, risk analysis, cooperation between Member States (supported and coordinated by the European Border and Coast Guard Agency). The fund will also promote inter-agency cooperation, cooperation with third countries, technical and operational measures within the Schengen area related to border control and designed to address illegal immigration and to counter cross-border crime better and use of state of-the-art technology, quality control and solidarity mechanisms. Furthermore, the Fund will contribute to the improvement of the efficiency of visa processing in terms of detecting and assessing security and irregular migration risks, as well as facilitating visa procedures for bona fide travellers. The Fund will support digitalisation of visa processing with the objective to provide fast, secure and client-friendly visa procedures for the benefit of both visa applicants and consulates.

**Justification:**

It is proposed to have two specific budget lines covering the two specific objectives of the Instrument to increase transparency and enable the budgetary authority to ensure that those two specific objectives of the Instrument are adequately financed over the course of the next multi-annual financial period.

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**Draft amendment 4347**

===== BUDG/4347 =====

Tabled by Fabienne Keller, Moritz Körner, Committee on Budgets, Sophia in 't Veld, Jan-Christoph Oetjen

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 11 02 02**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 02							110 000 000	110 000 000	110 000 000	110 000 000
Reserve										
Total							110 000 000	110 000 000	110 000 000	110 000 000

**Heading:**

*EU Search and Rescue Fund*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This new budget line is intended to support the creation of a Search and Rescue Fund to set up a EU Search and Rescue Mission in the Mediterranean. It is intended to support Member States in their obligations under international maritime law to render assistance to persons in distress, notably in search and rescue situations.*

**Justification:**

In light of the continued loss of lives in the Mediterranean in the absence of functioning SAR capacities and considering that SAR is a state responsibility that cannot be left to non-state actors, the Commission should urgently create a fund to support the setting up of a EU Search and Rescue mission for the Mediterranean. It is more appropriate to create a Fund specially dedicated to building EU Search and Rescue capacities in the Mediterranean, than adding it to another existing fund would divert it from its main aim.

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**Draft amendment 113**

===== LIBE/5820 =====

Tabled by Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 11 02 02**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 02							110 000 000	100 000 000	110 000 000	100 000 000

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Reserve										
Total							110 000 000	100 000 000	110 000 000	100 000 000

## Heading:

*EU Search and Rescue Fund*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to support Member States in their obligations under international maritime law to render assistance to persons in distress, notably in search and rescue situations.*

## Justification:

The Commission should present a legislative proposal to set up a Search and Rescue Fund. Given the challenges faced in the Mediterranean, and the humanitarian tragedy unfolding there, the EU must do more to encourage the saving of lives and to show solidarity among Member States in the carrying out of SAR operations. It is more appropriate to create such a Fund than to increase, on an ad-hoc and non-transparent manner, Frontex's budget for SAR. The operations reimbursed through the Fund could also cover a wider range of operations than those carried out by Frontex.

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## Draft amendment 821

=== S&D//7247 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Add: 11 02 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 02 02							110 000 000	100 000 000	110 000 000	100 000 000
Reserve										
Total							110 000 000	100 000 000	110 000 000	100 000 000

## Heading:

*Search and Rescue*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*Add following text: This appropriation is intended to support Member States in their obligations under international maritime law to render assistance to persons in distress, notably in search and rescue situations.*

## Justification:

The Commission should present a legislative proposal to set up a Search and Rescue Fund. Given the challenges faced in the Mediterranean, and the humanitarian tragedy unfolding there, the EU must do more to encourage the saving of lives and to show solidarity among Member States in the carrying out of SAR operations. It is more appropriate to create such a Fund than to increase, on an ad-hoc and non-transparent manner, Frontex's budget for SAR. The operations reimbursed through the Fund could also cover a wider range of operations than those carried out by Frontex.

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## Draft amendment 4348

=== BUDG/4348 ===

Tabled by Andrey Novakov, Committee on Budgets

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Article 11 03 01 — Customs Control Equipment

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 03 01			174 903 000	42 481 000	135 403 781	32 887 303	39 499 219	9 593 697	174 903 000	42 481 000

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Reserve										
Total			174 903 000	42 481 000	135 403 781	32 887 303	39 499 219	9 593 697	174 903 000	42 481 000

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

### Draft amendment 124

=== IMCO/6352 ===

Tabled by Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 11 03 01 — Customs Control Equipment

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 03 01			174 903 000	42 481 000	135 403 781	32 887 303	39 499 219	9 593 697	174 903 000	42 481 000
Reserve										
Total			174 903 000	42 481 000	135 403 781	32 887 303	39 499 219	9 593 697	174 903 000	42 481 000

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB). It is imperative to maintain the level of financing as proposed by the EC and EP in order to fulfil the primary and secondary objectives of the instrument for financial support for customs control equipment. The EU has witnessed, in the times of COVID-19, the entrance of masks and other medical equipment from third countries, that were not always compatible with EU requirements. Therefore, any cuts to the Customs Control Equipment line might jeopardise the objective of protecting the financial and economic interests of the Union and ensure security and safety.

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

### Draft amendment 506

=== VERT/7674 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 11 03 01 — Customs Control Equipment

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 03 01			174 903 000	42 481 000	135 403 781	32 887 303	-135 403 781	-32 887 303	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			174 903 000	42 481 000	135 403 781	32 887 303	-135 403 781	-32 887 303	p.m.	p.m.

### Justification:

IBMF should focus on the Visa part in order to respect the fundamental rights.

### Draft amendment 4349

=== BUDG/4349 ===

Tabled by Fabienne Keller, Moritz Körner, Sophia in 't Veld

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 11 10 01 — European Border and Coast Guard Agency (Frontex)

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 10 01	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	271 221 567	271 221 567	838 171 187	838 171 187
Reserve										
Total	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	271 221 567	271 221 567	838 171 187	838 171 187

### Justification:

Since the year 2021 is the year of the creation of the standing corps, the budget of Frontex has to be significantly increased to allow the Agency to hire and to train the new statutory staff and to purchase the necessary equipment to ensure the successful deployment of the standing corps.

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**Draft amendment 973**

=== EPP//7061 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 11 10 01** — European Border and Coast Guard Agency (Frontex)  
**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 10 01	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	237 318 871	237 318 871	804 268 491	804 268 491
Reserve										
Total	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	237 318 871	237 318 871	804 268 491	804 268 491

**Justification:**  
Since the year 2021 is the year of the creation of the standing corps, the budget of Frontex has to be significantly increased to allow the Agency to hire and to train the new statutory staff and to purchase the necessary equipment to ensure the successful deployment of the standing corps.

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**Draft amendment 537**

=== GUE//8028 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 11 10 01** — European Border and Coast Guard Agency (Frontex)  
**Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 10 01	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	-566 949 620	-566 949 620	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	-566 949 620	-566 949 620	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**  
After paragraph:  
Former article  
Delete following text:  
~~The European Border and Coast Guard Agency (Frontex) promotes, coordinates and develops European border management in line with the EU fundamental rights charter and the concept of Integrated Border Management. The agency's main tasks are to coordinate cooperation between Member States in external border management, assist Member States in training of national border guards, carry out risk analyses and follow research relevant for the control and surveillance of external borders. Furthermore, the Agency helps Member States requiring technical and operational assistance at external borders and provides Member States with the necessary support in organising joint return operations.~~

**Legal basis:**  
Delete following text:  
~~Regulation (EU) No 1052/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 October 2013 establishing the European Border Surveillance System (Eurosur) (OJ L 295, 6.11.2013, p. 11).  
Regulation (EU) No 656/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 May 2014 establishing rules for the surveillance of the external sea borders in the context of the operational cooperation coordinated by European Agency for the Management of Operational Cooperation at the External Borders of the Member States of the European Union (OJ L 189, 27.6.2014, p. 93).  
Regulation (EU) 2016/1624 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 September 2016 on the European Border and Coast Guard and amending Regulation (EU) 2016/399 of the European Parliament and~~

~~of the Council and repealing Regulation (EC) No 863/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council, Council Regulation (EC) No 2007/2004 and Council Decision 2005/267/EC (OJ L 251, 16.9.2016, p. 1).~~  
~~Regulation (EU) 2018/1240 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 September 2018 establishing a European Travel Information and Authorisation System (ETIAS) and amending Regulations (EU) No 1077/2011, (EU) No 515/2014, (EU) 2016/399, (EU) 2016/1624 and (EU) 2017/2226 (OJ L 236, 19.9.2018, p. 1).~~  
~~Regulation (EU) 2019/817 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2019 on establishing a framework for interoperability between EU information systems in the field of borders and visa and amending Regulations (EC) No 767/2008, (EU) 2016/399, (EU) 2017/2226, (EU) 2018/1240, (EU) 2018/1726 and (EU) 2018/1861 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Council Decisions 2004/512/EC and 2008/633/JHA (OJ L 135, 22.5.2019, p. 27).~~  
~~Regulation (EU) 2019/818 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2019 on establishing a framework for interoperability between EU information systems in the field of police and judicial cooperation, asylum and migration and amending Regulations (EU) 2018/1726, (EU) 2018/1862 and (EU) 2019/816 (OJ L 135, 22.5.2019, p. 8).~~  
~~Regulation (EU) 2019/1896 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 November 2019 on the European Border and Coast Guard and repealing Regulations (EU) No 1052/2013 and (EU) 2016/1624 (OJ L 295, 14.11.2019, p. 1).~~

**Justification:**

Frontex is administrating, criminalising and militarizing migration. With regards to the cooperation with i.a. Libya and Turkey severe human rights violation became institutionalised and accepted. Frontex shall be terminated, funds shall be reallocated for civilian conflict resolution, a civilian EU - SAR mission in the Mediterranean Sea and for tackling root causes of forced migration. This funds should reverse to cohesion and structural funds.

===== **Draft amendment 684** ===== I-D//7767 =====

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 11 10 01** — European Border and Coast Guard Agency (Frontex)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 10 01	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	-113 384 942		453 564 678	566 949 620
Reserve										
Total	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	-113 384 942		453 564 678	566 949 620

**Justification:**

It seems reasonable to ask for some further reductions with regard to this budgetary line.

===== **Draft amendment 115** ===== LIBE/5822 =====

Tabled by Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 11 10 01** — European Border and Coast Guard Agency (Frontex)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 10 01	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	237 318 871	237 318 871	804 268 491	804 268 491
Reserve										
Total	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	237 318 871	237 318 871	804 268 491	804 268 491

**Justification:**

Since the year 2021 is the year of the creation of the standing corps, the budget of Frontex has to be

significantly increased to allow the Agency to hire and to train the new statutory staff and to purchase the necessary equipment to ensure the successful deployment of the standing corps.

## Draft amendment 507

=== VERT/7675 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 11 10 01** — European Border and Coast Guard Agency (Frontex)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 10 01	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	-145 128 591	-145 128 591	421 821 029	421 821 029
Reserve										
Total	421 821 029	421 821 029	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	566 949 620	-145 128 591	-145 128 591	421 821 029	421 821 029

### Justification:

FRONTEX should not be reinforced as long as the EU's external border and migration policies are not clarified and adopted.

## Draft amendment 4407

=== BUDG/4407 ===

Tabled by Fabienne Keller, Moritz Körner, Committee on Budgets, Sophia in 't Veld

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 11 10 02** — European Agency for the operational management of large-scale IT systems in the area of freedom, security and justice ('eu-LISA')

**Amend remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 10 02	239 198 734	195 043 734	227 820 425	219 495 425	227 820 425	219 495 425			227 820 425	219 495 425
Reserve	1 003 000	1 003 000								
Total	240 201 734	196 046 734	227 820 425	219 495 425	227 820 425	219 495 425			227 820 425	219 495 425

### Remarks:

After paragraph:

The European Agency for the operational management ..... key role in the implementation of the ETIAS system.

Add following text:

***Changes compared to the staffing of eu-LISA (outside the establishment plan):***

+ 3 seconded national experts

+ 5 contract agents (FGIII)

+ 6 contract agents (FG IV)

### Justification:

Beyond the proposed increase in the establishment plan, eu-LISA should be provided 14 additional posts which are essential to develop further a certain number of essential corporate functions of eu-LISA, including the management of the secure network connecting MS with the central systems and support for the project for the second extension of the operational site of the Agency in Strasbourg.

## Draft amendment 974

=== EPP/7062 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 11 10 02** — European Agency for the operational management of large-scale IT systems in the area of freedom, security and justice ('eu-LISA')

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
11 10 02	239 198 734	195 043 734	227 820 425	219 495 425	227 820 425	219 495 425	23 000 000	23 000 000	250 820 425	242 495 425
Reserve	1 003 000	1 003 000								
Total	240 201 734	196 046 734	227 820 425	219 495 425	227 820 425	219 495 425	23 000 000	23 000 000	250 820 425	242 495 425

#### Remarks:

Before paragraph:

Former article

Add following text:

*Additional to the establishment plan changes the following contract agents are added:*

+ 3 seconded national experts

+ 5 contract agents (FGIII)

+ 6 contract agents (FG IV)

#### Justification:

Increase due to Migration Package

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#### Draft amendment 196

=== ITRE/5040 ===

Tabled by Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 01 03** — Support expenditure for the "Nuclear Safety and decommissioning (incl. For Bulgaria and Slovakia)"

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 01 03	p.m.	p.m.	2 265 000	2 265 000	2 265 000	2 265 000	459 513	459 513	2 724 513	2 724 513
Reserve										
Total	p.m.	p.m.	2 265 000	2 265 000	2 265 000	2 265 000	459 513	459 513	2 724 513	2 724 513

#### Justification:

Restoring the EP's position (in current prices)

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#### Draft amendment 4352

=== BUDG/4352 ===

Tabled by Monika Hohlmeier, Committee on Budgets

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 02 01** — Internal Security Fund (ISF)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 02 01			225 681 000	42 021 000	173 142 743	32 238 563	101 857 257	192 761 437	275 000 000	225 000 000
Reserve										
Total			225 681 000	42 021 000	173 142 743	32 238 563	101 857 257	192 761 437	275 000 000	225 000 000

#### Justification:

Ongoing threats of organised crimes and terrorism in the EU make it paramount to provide additional funding for increased information exchange capacities, cross-border cooperation, strengthening of the Member States' capabilities in relation to preventing and combating crime, and improved intelligence cooperation.

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## Draft amendment 197

=== ITRE/5041 ===

Tabled by Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 12 03 01 — Nuclear decommissioning assistance (Lithuania)

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 03 01			72 500 000	p.m.	72 500 000	p.m.	29 945 652	20 652 174	102 445 652	20 652 174
Reserve										
Total			72 500 000	p.m.	72 500 000	p.m.	29 945 652	20 652 174	102 445 652	20 652 174

##### Justification:

Reinstating the EP's positions

## Draft amendment 198

=== ITRE/5042 ===

Tabled by Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 12 04 01 — Kozloduy programme

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 04 01			9 000 000	p.m.	9 000 000	p.m.	1 825 879	1 000 000	10 825 879	1 000 000
Reserve										
Total			9 000 000	p.m.	9 000 000	p.m.	1 825 879	1 000 000	10 825 879	1 000 000

##### Justification:

Reinstating the EP's positions.

## Draft amendment 199

=== ITRE/5043 ===

Tabled by Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 12 04 02 — Bohunice programme

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 04 02			27 500 000	p.m.	27 500 000	p.m.	5 579 073	3 000 000	33 079 073	3 000 000
Reserve										
Total			27 500 000	p.m.	27 500 000	p.m.	5 579 073	3 000 000	33 079 073	3 000 000

##### Justification:

Reinstating the EP's positions.

## Draft amendment 200

=== ITRE/5044 ===

Tabled by Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 12 04 03 — JRC Decommissioning and Waste Management Programme

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 04 03			30 440 000	6 090 000	30 440 000	6 090 000	6 175 527	1 235 511	36 615 527	7 325 511
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total			30 440 000	6 090 000	30 440 000	6 090 000	6 175 527	1 235 511	36 615 527	7 325 511

### Justification:

Reinstating the EP's positions

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### Draft amendment 4353

=== BUDG/4353 ===

Tabled by Jens Geier, Committee on Budgets

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 01** — European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation (Europol)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 01	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000
Reserve										
Total	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000

### Justification:

The increase in Europol's budget, combined with the request for 63 additional posts in the establishment plan, is needed for it to become a veritable hub for law enforcement information exchange and to respond to the request of Member States for even more operational support in cross-border investigations, as well as analysis, especially in the areas of fight against terrorism and organised crime.

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### Draft amendment 4354

=== BUDG/4354 ===

Tabled by Monika Hohlmeier, Committee on Budgets, Johan Van Overtveldt, Niclas Herbst

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 01** — European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation (Europol)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 01	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000
Reserve										
Total	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000

### Justification:

The increase of Europol's budget, together with the request for 63 additional posts in the establishment plan, is essential for the agency to function as a hub for law enforcement information exchange and to respond to Member States request for more support in investigations, in particular in the fight against terrorism, organised crime, and human trafficking.

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### Draft amendment 4355

=== BUDG/4355 ===

Tabled by Fabienne Keller, Moritz Körner, Sophia in 't Veld

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 01** — European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation (Europol)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 01	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000
Reserve										
Total	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000

### Justification:

The increase in Europol's budget, combined with the request for 63 additional posts in the establishment plan, is needed for it to become a veritable hub for law enforcement information exchange and to respond to the request of Member States for even more operational support in cross-border investigations, as well as analysis, especially in the areas of fight against terrorism and organised crime.

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**Draft amendment 4412** === BUDG/4412 ===

Tabled by Andrey Novakov, Committee on Budgets

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 01** — European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation (Europol)

**Amend remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 01	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706			170 600 706	170 600 706
Reserve										
Total	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706			170 600 706	170 600 706

**Remarks:**

Before table:

Former article  
18 02 04

Add following text:

*Currently, the European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation (Europol) needs an additional increase in its staff members with 63 additional posts, whether being CAs or TAs. The increase is crucially needed in order for the agency to continue providing high quality operational support and to be able to accomplish the ever increasing volume of ongoing and new tasks also with views to the COVID-19 pandemic and its consequences.*

**Justification:**

The European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation has always been transparent and clear towards its stakeholders on the increase or decrease of its staff members depending on their status. The high demand for services will not match the current amount of staff members that the agency has. Therefore, the increase is needed to support the operational needs of Europol as much as its necessary.

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**Draft amendment 978** === EPP/7067 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 01** — European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation (Europol)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 01	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000
Reserve										
Total	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000

**Justification:**

The increase in Europol's budget, combined with the request for 63 additional posts in the establishment plan, is needed for it to become a veritable hub for law enforcement information exchange and to respond to the request of Member States for even more support of investigations, especially in the areas of fight against terrorism and organised crime.

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**Draft amendment 117** === LIBE/5824 ===

Tabled by Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 12 10 01 — European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation (Europol)

##### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 01	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000
Reserve										
Total	152 964 760	152 964 760	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	170 600 706	14 299 294	14 299 294	184 900 000	184 900 000

##### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~The European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Cooperation (Europol) is the EU's law enforcement agency, whose remit is to help make Europe safer by assisting law enforcement authorities in EU Member States. Europol offers support for law enforcement operations on the ground, is a hub for information on criminal activities as well as a centre of law enforcement expertise.~~

##### Justification:

The increase in Europol's budget, combined with the request for 63 additional posts in the establishment plan, is needed for it to become a veritable hub for law enforcement information exchange and to respond to the request of Member States for even more operational support in cross-border investigations, as well as analysis, especially in the areas of fight against terrorism and organised crime.

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#### Draft amendment 4356

=== BUDG/4356 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 12 10 02 — European Union agency for law enforcement training (CEPOL)

##### Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 02	10 084 425	10 084 425	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	-10 419 804	-10 419 804	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	10 084 425	10 084 425	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	-10 419 804	-10 419 804	p.m.	p.m.

##### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~Former article~~

~~The European Union agency for law enforcement training (CEPOL) is an agency of the European Union dedicated to develop, implement and coordinate training for law enforcement officials. CEPOL contributes to a safer Europe by facilitating cooperation and knowledge sharing among law enforcement officials of the EU Member States, and to some extent, from third countries, on issues stemming from EU priorities in the field of security; in particular, from the EU Policy Cycle on serious and organised crime. CEPOL brings together a network of training institutes for law enforcement officials in EU Member States and supports them in providing frontline training on security priorities, law enforcement cooperation and information exchange. CEPOL also works with EU bodies, international organisations, and third countries to ensure that the most serious security threats are tackled with a collective response.~~

##### Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Regulation (EU) 2015/2219 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2015 on the European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Training (CEPOL) and replacing and repealing Council Decision 2005/681/JHA (OJ L 319, 4.12.2015, p. 1).~~

~~Regulation (EU) 2019/817 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2019 on establishing a framework for interoperability between EU information systems in the field of borders and visa and amending Regulations (EC) No 767/2008, (EU) 2016/399, (EU) 2017/2226, (EU) 2018/1240, (EU) 2018/1726 and (EU) 2018/1861 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Council Decisions~~

~~2004/512/EC and 2008/633/JHA (OJ L 135, 22.5.2019, p. 27).~~  
~~Regulation (EU) 2019/818 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2019 on establishing a framework for interoperability between EU information systems in the field of police and judicial cooperation, asylum and migration and amending Regulations (EU) 2018/1726, (EU) 2018/1862 and (EU) 2019/816 (OJ L 135, 22.5.2019, p. 8).~~

**Justification:**

National competences of the Member States

**Draft amendment 980** === EPP//7069 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 02** — European Union agency for law enforcement training (CEPOL)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 02	10 084 425	10 084 425	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	5 845 172	5 845 172	16 264 976	16 264 976
Reserve										
Total	10 084 425	10 084 425	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	5 845 172	5 845 172	16 264 976	16 264 976

**Justification:**

The proposed budget increase from 10.4 million to 16.3 million EUR in 2021 is needed to allow the Agency to keep up with the constantly growing demand from the EU Member States, in particular with the challenges related to the fight against cybercrime and training in diversity.

**Draft amendment 685** === I-D//7768 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 02** — European Union agency for law enforcement training (CEPOL)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 02	10 084 425	10 084 425	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	-1 562 970		8 856 834	10 419 804
Reserve										
Total	10 084 425	10 084 425	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	-1 562 970		8 856 834	10 419 804

**Justification:**

It seems reasonable to ask for some further reductions with regard to this budgetary line.

**Draft amendment 118** === LIBE/5825 ===

Tabled by Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 02** — European Union agency for law enforcement training (CEPOL)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 02	10 084 425	10 084 425	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	5 845 172	5 845 172	16 264 976	16 264 976
Reserve										
Total	10 084 425	10 084 425	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	10 419 804	5 845 172	5 845 172	16 264 976	16 264 976

**Justification:**

The proposed budget increase from 10.4 million to 16.3 million EUR in 2021 is needed to allow the Agency to keep up with the constantly growing demand from the EU Member States, in particular with the

challenges related to the fight against cybercrime and training in diversity.

## Draft amendment 4357

=== BUDG/4357 ===

Tabled by Monika Hohlmeier, Committee on Budgets, Marlene Mortler

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 03** — European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA)

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 03	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	1 512 267	1 512 267	18 106 000	18 106 000
Reserve										
Total	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	1 512 267	1 512 267	18 106 000	18 106 000

### Remarks:

Before paragraph:

Former article

Add following text:

*Add the following*

### Justification:

The agency can only deliver on its mandate with adequate resources. This inter alia entails developing a new business model after 25 years to keep the agency "fit for purpose". Moreover, the agency is required to implement contemporary data collection methodologies to detect trends and exploit the collected data.

## Draft amendment 528

=== GUE/8019 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 03** — European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 03	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	1 506 267	1 506 267	18 100 000	18 100 000
Reserve										
Total	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	1 506 267	1 506 267	18 100 000	18 100 000

### Justification:

The European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA) provides the EU and its Member States with a factual overview of European drug problems and a solid evidence base to support the drugs debate. It offers policymakers the data they need for drawing up informed drug laws and strategies, while helping professionals and practitioners working in the field pinpoint best practice and new areas of research. Given its role, the amendment proposes the increase of its funding.

## Draft amendment 686

=== I-D//7769 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 12 10 03** — European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA)

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 03	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	-6 187 384		10 406 349	16 593 733
Reserve										
Total	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	-6 187 384		10 406 349	16 593 733

Justification:

It is not clear the real added value of this center.

Draft amendment 94

LIBE/5801

Tabled by Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 12 10 03 — European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA)

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 03	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	1 491 628	1 491 628	18 085 361	18 085 361
Reserve										
Total	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	1 491 628	1 491 628	18 085 361	18 085 361

Justification:

This increase will allow the EMCDDA to effectively deliver on its operational mandate and to comply with its obligations imposed by the EU staff regulations, namely the adjustment of remuneration and the correction factor for PT, and contracts (for the rent of EMCDDA premises). With the requested funding, the EMCDDA will be able to fully express its operational capacity to the benefit of its national and European stakeholders, while effectively addressing the most recent developments of the drug phenomenon, including the effects of covid-19 pandemic.

Draft amendment 843

S&D/7299

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 12 10 03 — European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA)

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
12 10 03	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	1 491 628	1 491 628	18 085 361	18 085 361
Reserve										
Total	16 266 349	16 266 349	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	16 593 733	1 491 628	1 491 628	18 085 361	18 085 361

Justification:

With the requested funding, the EMCDDA will be able to fully express its operational capacity to the benefit of its national and European stakeholders, while effectively addressing the most recent developments of the drug phenomenon, including the effects of covid-19 pandemic.

Draft amendment 4350

BUDG/4350

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Jörg Meuthen, Committee on Budgets

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Title 13 — Defence

Amend remarks as follows:

Remarks:

Add following text:

*This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Chapter*

Justification:

Intention to delete the ENTIRE Chapter.  
National competences of the Member States

## Draft amendment 534

=== GUE/8025 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 13 01 01** — Support expenditure for the "European Defence Fund" — non Research

**Amend figures, remarks and reference acts as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 01	500 000	500 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	-2 510 000	-2 510 000	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	500 000	500 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	-2 510 000	-2 510 000	p.m.	p.m.

#### Remarks:

After paragraph:

Former item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the expenditure described at the level of this chapter relating to the development part of the European Defence Fund.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

#### Reference acts:

Delete following text:

~~See Chapter 13 02.~~

#### Justification:

The European Defence finances the research, development and procurement of Defence capabilities, it finances projects of the EU armament industry and PESCO. The European Defence Fund and the entire Title 13 "Defence" violate Article 41 (2) TEU that prohibits any funding from EU budget for operations having military or defence implications. The legal reference (Article 173) must not apply and consequently the budget line and Title 13 have to be deleted.

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## Draft amendment 687

=== I-D//7771 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 13 01 01** — Support expenditure for the "European Defence Fund" — non Research

**Amend figures, remarks and reference acts as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 01	500 000	500 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	-2 510 000	-2 510 000	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	500 000	500 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	-2 510 000	-2 510 000	p.m.	p.m.

#### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~Former item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the expenditure described at the level of this chapter relating to the development part of the European Defence Fund.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

#### Reference acts:

Delete following text:

~~See Chapter 13 02.~~

#### Justification:

We do not need any EU centralised initiative in this field.

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## Draft amendment 504

=== VERT/7672 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 13 01 01** — Support expenditure for the "European Defence Fund" — non Research

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 01	500 000	500 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	-2 510 000	-2 510 000	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	500 000	500 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	2 510 000	-2 510 000	-2 510 000	p.m.	p.m.

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 13 01 02 03** — Other management expenditure for the "European Defence Fund" — Research

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 02 03			15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	-15 887 802	-15 887 802	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	-15 887 802	-15 887 802	p.m.	p.m.

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 13 02 01** — Capability development

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	-613 016 004	-87 631	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	-613 016 004	-87 631	p.m.	p.m.

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 13 03 01** — Defence research

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	-286 930 329	-87 081	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	-286 930 329	-87 081	p.m.	p.m.

### Justification:

Defense-related spending should be redirected towards climate-related spending budget lines in order to support the green Deal and tackle Climate change.

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## Draft amendment 535

=== GUE/8026 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 13 01 02 03** — Other management expenditure for the "European Defence Fund" — Research

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 02 03			15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	-15 887 802	-15 887 802	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	-15 887 802	-15 887 802	p.m.	p.m.

### Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover other administrative expenditure for all management of the specific programme European Defence Fund (Research part) in the form of indirect action under the programme, including other administrative expenditure incurred by staff posted in Union delegations.~~

~~This appropriation is also intended to cover expenditure on studies, meetings of experts, information and publications directly linked to the achievement of the objectives of the programme or measures coming under this Item and any other expenditure on technical and administrative assistance not involving public authority tasks outsourced by the Commission under ad hoc service contracts.~~

~~It is also intended to cover expenditure on technical and administrative assistance relating to the identification, preparation, management, monitoring, audit and supervision of the programme or projects, such as conferences, workshops, seminars, development and maintenance of IT systems and purchase of IT equipment, missions, training and representation expenses. It is also intended to cover building related expenditure of Commission services managing the programme.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

**Justification:**

The European Defence finances the research, development and procurement of Defence capabilities, it finances projects of the EU armament industry and PESCO. The European Defence Fund and the entire Title 13 "Defence" violate Article 41 (2) TEU that prohibits any funding from EU budget for operations having military or defence implications. The legal reference (Article 173) must not apply and consequently the budget line and Title 13 have to be deleted.

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**Draft amendment 688**

== I-D//7772 ==

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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**SECTION III — COMMISSION**

**Item 13 01 02 03** — Other management expenditure for the "European Defence Fund" — Research

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 02 03			15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	-15 887 802	-15 887 802	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	15 887 802	-15 887 802	-15 887 802	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

Delete following text:

*New item*

~~This appropriation is intended to cover other administrative expenditure for all management of the specific programme European Defence Fund (Research part) in the form of indirect action under the programme, including other administrative expenditure incurred by staff posted in Union delegations.~~

~~This appropriation is also intended to cover expenditure on studies, meetings of experts, information and publications directly linked to the achievement of the objectives of the programme or measures coming under this Item and any other expenditure on technical and administrative assistance not involving public authority tasks outsourced by the Commission under ad hoc service contracts.~~

~~It is also intended to cover expenditure on technical and administrative assistance relating to the identification, preparation, management, monitoring, audit and supervision of the programme or projects, such as conferences, workshops, seminars, development and maintenance of IT systems and purchase of IT equipment, missions, training and representation expenses. It is also intended to cover building related expenditure of Commission services managing the programme.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

**Justification:**

We do not need any EU centralised initiative in this field.

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**Draft amendment 536**

=== GUE/8027 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left  
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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 13 01 03** — Support expenditure for "Military Mobility"

**Amend figures, remarks and reference acts as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 03			1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	-1 700 000	-1 700 000	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	-1 700 000	-1 700 000	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

After paragraph:

New article

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure for technical and administrative assistance for the implementation of the Programme and the sector specific guidelines, such as preparatory, monitoring, control, audit and evaluation activities including corporate information and technology systems. This appropriation may also be used to finance measures supporting the preparation of projects or measures linked to the achievements of the objectives of the programme.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

**Reference acts:**

Delete following text:

~~See Chapter 13 04.~~

**Justification:**

Military Mobility finances the deployment of military equipment and personal throughout Europe and beyond. Military Mobility and the entire Title 13 "Defence" violate Article 41 (2) TEU that prohibits any funding from EU budget for operations having military or defence implications.

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**Draft amendment 689**

=== I-D//7773 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group  
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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 13 01 03** — Support expenditure for "Military Mobility"

**Amend figures, remarks and reference acts as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 03			1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	-1 700 000	-1 700 000	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	-1 700 000	-1 700 000	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

Delete following text:

~~New article~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure for technical and administrative assistance for the implementation of the Programme and the sector specific guidelines, such as preparatory, monitoring, control, audit and evaluation activities including corporate information and technology systems. This appropriation may also be used to finance measures supporting the preparation of projects or measures linked to the achievements of the objectives of the programme.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

**Reference acts:**

Delete following text:

See Chapter 13 04.

### Justification:

We do not need any EU centralised initiative in this field.

### Draft amendment 505

== VERT/7673 ==

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### Article 13 01 03 — Support expenditure for "Military Mobility"

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 01 03			1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	-1 700 000	-1 700 000	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	1 700 000	-1 700 000	-1 700 000	p.m.	p.m.

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### Article 13 04 01 — Military mobility

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 04 01			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	-225 362 198	-28 342 148	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	-225 362 198	-28 342 148	p.m.	p.m.

### Justification:

Defence-related spending should be redirected towards climate-related spending in order to support the Green Deal and tackle Climate Change

### Draft amendment 371

== AFET/6501 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### Article 13 02 01 — Capability development

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	536 234 853	12 369	1 149 250 857	100 000
Reserve										
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	536 234 853	12 369	1 149 250 857	100 000

### Justification:

This is according to the European Parliament's Position on MFF. European Union has to significantly increase its funds dedicated to Military Mobility so as to meet the EU ambition in the defence area.

### Draft amendment 4358

== BUDG/4358 ==

Tabled by Andrey Novakov, Committee on Budgets

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### Article 13 02 01 — Capability development

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	86 527 996	12 369	699 544 000	100 000
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	86 527 996	12 369	699 544 000	100 000

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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### Draft amendment 4359

=== BUDG/4359 ===

Tabled by Moritz Körner

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 13 02 01 — Capability development

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	88 323 996	20 369	701 340 000	108 000
Reserve										
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	88 323 996	20 369	701 340 000	108 000

### Justification:

The increase funding of the European Defence Fund (EDF) is crucial to implement a progressive framing of the EU's common defence policy.

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### Draft amendment 4360

=== BUDG/4360 ===

Tabled by Nicolae Ștefănuță

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 13 02 01 — Capability development

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	86 527 996	12 369	699 544 000	100 000
Reserve										
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	86 527 996	12 369	699 544 000	100 000

### Justification:

The new European Defence Fund (Non-Research) must benefit from sufficient funding in order to ensure EU's strategic autonomy. Today, Europe is facing nationalism and populism, terrorist threats, trade wars, climate change, pandemics, migration crises, open and frozen conflicts in the neighborhood and new emerging hybrid threats. All these risks will be tackled only by enhancing competitiveness, efficiency and innovation.

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

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### Draft amendment 975

=== EPP//7064 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 13 02 01 — Capability development

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	299 189 372	42 769	912 205 376	130 400
Reserve										
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	299 189 372	42 769	912 205 376	130 400

### Justification:

One of the 15 EP flagship programmes mentioned in the EP resolution in July 2020 after the European Council meeting on MFF. The amount was calculated based on the EP MFF Interim Report of November 2018.

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**Draft amendment 533**

== GUE/8024 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 13 02 01 — Capability development

Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	-613 016 004	-87 631	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	-613 016 004	-87 631	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

After paragraph:

New article

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the funding envisaged under EDF for collaborative development projects of defence products and technologies consistent with defence capability priorities commonly agreed by Member States within the framework of the Common Foreign and Security Policy, thus contributing to greater efficiency of defence spending within the Union, achieving greater economies of scale, reducing the risk of unnecessary duplication and as such reducing the fragmentation of defence products and technologies throughout the Union.~~

~~The Fund shall provide support for actions covering both new and upgrade of existing products and technologies where the use of pre-existing information needed to perform the upgrade is not subject, directly or indirectly to a restriction by non associated third countries or non associated third country entities.~~

~~Eligible actions shall relate to one or more of the following activities:~~

- ~~– activities aiming to create, underpin and improve new knowledge and defence technology which can achieve significant effects in the area of defence;~~
- ~~– activities aiming to increase interoperability and resilience, including secured production and exchange of data, master critical defence technologies, strengthen the security of supply or enable effectively exploitation of results for defence products and technologies;~~
- ~~– studies, such as feasibility studies to explore the feasibility of a new or improved technology, product, process, service, solution or statistics on the defence industry and projects to pilot the collection of data;~~
- ~~– the design of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology as well as the definition of the technical specifications on which such design has been developed which may include partial tests for risk reduction in an industrial or representative environment;~~
- ~~– the development of a model of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology, which can demonstrate the element's performance in an operational environment (system prototype);~~
- ~~– the testing of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology;~~
- ~~– the qualification of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology. Qualification is the entire process of demonstrating that the design of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology meets the specified requirements. This process provides objective evidence by which particular requirements of a design are demonstrated to have been achieved;~~
- ~~– the certification of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology. Certification is the process according to which a national authority certifies that the defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology complies with the applicable regulations;~~
- ~~– the development of technologies or assets increasing efficiency across the life cycle of defence products~~

and technologies;

- dissemination activities, networking events and awareness raising activities.

~~This appropriation may also cover the expenditure linked to the work of independent experts appointed by the Commission to assist in the evaluation of proposals and to advise on or assist with the monitoring of the implementation of actions carried out.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

### Justification:

These public resources are lacking in the fight against poverty, in promoting economic, social and territorial cohesion, in investment in public services and in so many other areas. With the advent of the outbreak of COVID-19, it became essential and urgent to redirect these financial resources to areas such as public health, to save, protect and raise the quality of life of citizens.

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### Draft amendment 690

=== I-D//7774 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### Article 13 02 01 — Capability development

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	-306 508 002		306 508 002	87 631
Reserve										
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	-306 508 002		306 508 002	87 631

### Justification:

We can have a reduction of the appropriations for this budgetary line.

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### Draft amendment 201

=== ITRE/5045 ===

Tabled by Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### Article 13 02 01 — Capability development

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 02 01			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	299 189 372	42 769	912 205 376	130 400
Reserve										
Total			699 544 000	100 000	613 016 004	87 631	299 189 372	42 769	912 205 376	130 400

### Justification:

Increase corresponding to EP position on the financing of the MFF programme.

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### Draft amendment 372

=== AFET/6502 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### Article 13 03 01 — Defence research

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	254 389 782	12 919	541 320 111	100 000
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	254 389 782	12 919	541 320 111	100 000

### Justification:

This is according to the European Parliament's Position on MFF. European Union has to significantly increase its funds dedicated to Military Mobility so as to meet the EU ambition in the defence area.

**Draft amendment 4361** === BUDG/4361 ===

Tabled by Andrey Novakov, Committee on Budgets

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Article 13 03 01 — Defence research  
Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	42 568 869	12 919	329 499 198	100 000
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	42 568 869	12 919	329 499 198	100 000

**Justification:**  
Restore Draft Budget (DB).

**Draft amendment 4362** === BUDG/4362 ===

Tabled by Moritz Körner, Committee on Budgets

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Article 13 03 01 — Defence research  
Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	43 525 671	20 919	330 456 000	108 000
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	43 525 671	20 919	330 456 000	108 000

**Justification:**  
The increase funding of the European Defence Fund (EDF) is crucial to implement a progressive framing of the EU's common defence policy.

**Draft amendment 4363** === BUDG/4363 ===

Tabled by Nicolae Ștefănuță, Committee on Budgets

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Article 13 03 01 — Defence research  
Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	42 568 869	112 919	329 499 198	200 000
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	42 568 869	112 919	329 499 198	200 000

**Justification:**  
Defence research is essential to maintaining Europe's technological lead and independence in the long-term, to better address emerging and future security threats and to bridge technological gaps in key areas. The EU must offer enough funding for research in innovative defence products and technologies aimed to cope with a variety of risks and vulnerabilities.

**Draft amendment 976** === EPP/7065 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 13 03 01 — Defence research

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	142 736 625	43 319	429 666 954	130 400
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	142 736 625	43 319	429 666 954	130 400

#### Justification:

One of the 15 EP flagship programmes mentioned in the EP resolution in July 2020 after the European Council meeting on MFF. The amount was calculated based on the EP MFF Interim Report of November 2018.

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#### Draft amendment 531

=== GUE/8022 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 13 03 01 — Defence research

##### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	-286 930 329	-87 081	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	-286 930 329	-87 081	p.m.	p.m.

#### Remarks:

##### After paragraph:

New article

##### Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the research activities of the European Defence Fund for collaborative research projects, research activities in disruptive defence technologies and support actions aiming at creating or improving knowledge in the defence sector.~~

~~The Fund shall provide support for actions covering both new and upgrade of existing products and technologies where the use of pre-existing information needed to perform the upgrade is not subject, directly or indirectly to a restriction by non-associated third countries or non-associated third country entities.~~

~~Eligible actions shall relate to one or more of the following activities:~~

- ~~– activities aiming to create, underpin and improve new knowledge and defence technology which can achieve significant effects in the area of defence;~~
- ~~– activities aiming to increase interoperability and resilience, including secured production and exchange of data, master critical defence technologies, strengthen the security of supply or enable effectively exploitation of results for defence products and technologies;~~
- ~~– studies, such as feasibility studies to explore the feasibility of a new or improved technology, product, process, service, solution or statistics on the defence industry and projects to pilot the collection of data;~~
- ~~– the design of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology as well as the definition of the technical specifications on which such design has been developed which may include partial tests for risk reduction in an industrial or representative environment;~~
- ~~– the development of a model of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology, which can demonstrate the element's performance in an operational environment (system prototype);~~
- ~~– the testing of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology;~~
- ~~– the qualification of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology. Qualification is the entire process of demonstrating that the design of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology meets the specified requirements. This process provides objective evidence by~~

~~which particular requirements of a design are demonstrated to have been achieved;~~

- ~~– the certification of a defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology. Certification is the process according to which a national authority certifies that the defence product, tangible or intangible component or technology complies with the applicable regulations;~~
- ~~– the development of technologies or assets increasing efficiency across the life cycle of defence products and technologies;~~
- ~~– dissemination activities, networking events and awareness raising activities.~~

~~This appropriation may also cover expenditure linked to the work of independent experts to assist the Commission for the evaluation of proposals and to advise on or assist with the monitoring of the implementation of the funded actions.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

### **Justification:**

The European Defence Fund finances the research, development and procurement of Defence capabilities, it finances projects of the EU armament industry and PESCO. The European Defence Fund and the entire Title 13 "Defence" violate Article 41 (2) TEU that prohibits any funding from EU budget for operations having military or defence implications. The legal reference (Article 173) must not apply and consequently the budget line and Title 13 have to be deleted. This funds should reverse to cohesion and structural funds as well as for social and climatic issues.

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### **Draft amendment 691**

=== I-D/7775 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### **Article 13 03 01 — Defence research**

##### **Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	-143 465 164		143 465 165	87 081
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	-143 465 164		143 465 165	87 081

### **Justification:**

We can have a reduction of the appropriations for this budgetary line.

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### **Draft amendment 202**

=== ITRE/5046 ===

Tabled by Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

##### **Article 13 03 01 — Defence research**

##### **Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 03 01			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	142 736 625	43 319	429 666 954	130 400
Reserve										
Total			329 499 198	100 000	286 930 329	87 081	142 736 625	43 319	429 666 954	130 400

### **Justification:**

Increase corresponding to EP position on the financing of the MFF programme.

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### **Draft amendment 373**

=== AFET/6503 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

#### SECTION III — COMMISSION

## Article 13 04 01 — Military mobility

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 04 01			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	646 038 301		871 400 499	28 342 148
Reserve										
Total			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	646 038 301		871 400 499	28 342 148

### Justification:

This is according to the European Parliament's Position on MFF. European Union has to significantly increase its funds dedicated to Military Mobility so as to meet the EU ambition in the defence area.

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## Draft amendment 4364

=== BUDG/4364 ===

Tabled by Nicolae Ștefănuță, Committee on Budgets

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

## Article 13 04 01 — Military mobility

### Amend remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 04 01			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148			225 362 198	28 342 148
Reserve										
Total			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148			225 362 198	28 342 148

### Remarks:

#### After table:

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#### Add following text:

*Our defence needs a European infrastructure that enables connectivity and ensures a rapid response in case of a crisis is weak. The Union shall facilitate the movement of military troops and assets throughout all the EU Member States contributes to the security of all Europeans, as well as a making more effective and responsive Union.*

*Through measures such as funding dual use transport infrastructure and simplifying diplomatic clearances and customs rules, military mobility across as well as beyond the EU must benefit from enough funding, with the aim to support missions and operations under the Common Security and Defence Policy.*

### Justification:

Military mobility aims to harmonise rules across EU Member States and to explore the potential of a civilian-military approach to infrastructure development. It is essential that military mobility benefit from increased funding in order to help Member States act faster and more effectively in the context of a future possible conflict. Military mobility aims to harmonize rules across EU Member States and to explore the potential of a civilian-military approach to infrastructure development.

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## Draft amendment 977

=== EPP//7066 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

## Article 13 04 01 — Military mobility

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 04 01			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	574 637 802	91 657 852	800 000 000	120 000 000
Reserve										
Total			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	574 637 802	91 657 852	800 000 000	120 000 000

### Justification:

One of the 15 EP flagship programmes mentioned in the EP resolution in July 2020 after the European Council meeting on MFF. The amount was calculated based on the EP MFF Interim Report of November 2018.

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**Draft amendment 532**

=== GUE/8023 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 13 04 01 — Military mobility**  
**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 04 01			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	-225 362 198	-28 342 148	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	-225 362 198	-28 342 148	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

After paragraph:

New article

Delete following text:

~~The objective of the budgetary line is to improve military mobility across the Union while considering the potential benefits for civil protection by taking advantage of the opportunity to increase synergies between defence needs and the TEN T core and comprehensive networks as defined by Regulation 1315/2013.~~

~~This objective will be mainly implemented through calls for proposals under multiannual work programmes, constituting financing decisions within the meaning of Article 110 of the Financial Regulation. The first multiannual work programme covering the period 2021-2023 will be adopted by end 2020. Funding will be made available for sections or nodes identified by Member States in the Annexes to the ‘Military Requirements for Military Mobility within and beyond the EU’ as adopted by the Council on 15 July 2019 or any subsequent document adopted thereafter in so far as these sections or nodes are also part of the core and comprehensive TEN T and to any further indicative list of priority projects that may be identified by Member States.~~

~~Up to 1 % of the overall CEF financial envelope will cover expenses pertaining to programme support actions and any other accompanying measures to support the preparation of projects and provide advisory to project promoters.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

**Justification:**

Military Mobility finances the deployment of military equipment and personal throughout Europe and beyond. Military Mobility and the entire Title 13 "Defence" violate Article 41 (2) TEU that prohibits any funding from EU budget for operations having military or defence implications. This funds should reverse to cohesion and structural funds as well as for social and climatic issues.

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**Draft amendment 692**

=== I-D//7776 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Article 13 04 01 — Military mobility**  
**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 04 01			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	-112 681 099		112 681 099	28 342 148
Reserve										
Total			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	-112 681 099		112 681 099	28 342 148

**Justification:**

We can have a reduction of the appropriations for this budgetary line.

## Draft amendment 26

=== TRAN/5516 ===

Tabled by Committee on Transport and Tourism

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 13 04 01 — Military mobility

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
13 04 01			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	574 637 802	91 657 852	800 000 000	120 000 000
Reserve										
Total			225 362 198	28 342 148	225 362 198	28 342 148	574 637 802	91 657 852	800 000 000	120 000 000

### Justification:

EP proposal for Military mobility envelope is 400% larger than COM proposal

## Draft amendment 4366

=== BUDG/4366 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Committee on Budgets, Jörg Meuthen

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Chapter 15 01 — Support administrative expenditure of the "External Action" Cluster

##### Amend remarks as follows:

### Remarks:

Amend text as follows:

~~This amendment deletes all the budget lines chapter covers expenditure on external personnel and technical assistance directly linked to the implementation of programmes under this Chapter. Title. Technical assistance includes support and capacity building activities necessary for the implementation of a programme or an action, in particular preparatory, management, communication, monitoring, evaluation, audit and control activities and co-financing of corporate information technology.~~

Delete following text:

~~In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (ETFA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this chapter.~~

~~The amounts entered on administrative support expenditure lines will be determined, without prejudice to Article 235(5) of the Financial Regulation, by the contribution agreement for each operational programme with an average not exceeding 4 % of the contributions for the corresponding programme for each chapter.~~

~~The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines.~~

### Justification:

National competences of the Member States.

## Draft amendment 693

=== I-D//7777 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 01 01 01 — Support expenditure for the "Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument"

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020	Draft budget 2021	Council's position 2021	Difference	New amount
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	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 01 01 01	168 734 239	168 734 239	341 065 589	341 065 589	341 065 589	341 065 589	-170 532 794	-170 532 794	170 532 795	170 532 795
Reserve										
Total	168 734 239	168 734 239	341 065 589	341 065 589	341 065 589	341 065 589	-170 532 794	-170 532 794	170 532 795	170 532 795

## Justification:

We can have a reduction of the appropriations for this budgetary line.

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## Draft amendment 694

== I-D//7778 ==

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 15 01 01 65** — Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency — Contribution from the "Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument"

**Amend figures, remarks, legal basis and reference acts as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 01 01 65	4 245 000	4 245 000	4 474 000	4 474 000	4 187 855	4 187 855	-4 187 855	-4 187 855	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	4 245 000	4 245 000	4 474 000	4 474 000	4 187 855	4 187 855	-4 187 855	-4 187 855	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~Former items~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the operating costs of the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency incurred as a result of the implementation of the international dimension of the 'Erasmus+' programme financed through the 'Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI)' (Heading 6) entrusted to the Agency under this Chapter as well as outstanding actions from the previous programming periods of the former related instruments.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

## Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Council Regulation (EC) No 58/2003 of 19 December 2002 laying down the statute for executive agencies to be entrusted with certain tasks in the management of Community programmes (OJ L 11, 16.1.2003, p. 1).  
Commission Implementing Decision 2013/776/EU of 18 December 2013 establishing the 'Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency' and repealing Decision 2009/336/EC (OJ L 343, 19.12.2013, p. 46).~~

~~Regulation (EU) No 1288/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 establishing 'Erasmus+' the Union programme for education, training, youth and sport and repealing Decisions No 1719/2006/EC, No 1720/2006/EC and No 1298/2008/EC (OJ L 347, 20.12.2013, p. 50).~~

~~Regulation (EU) No 234/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2014 establishing a Partnership Instrument for cooperation with third countries (OJ L 77, 15.3.2014, p. 77).~~

## Reference acts:

Delete following text:

~~Commission Decision C(2013) 9189 of 18 December 2013 delegating powers to the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency with a view to performance of tasks linked to the implementation of Union programmes in the field of education, audiovisual and culture comprising, in particular, implementation of appropriations entered in the general budget of the Union and of the EDF allocations.~~

~~Commission Implementing Decision 2013/776/EU of 18 December 2013 establishing the 'Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency' and repealing Decision 2009/336/EC (OJ L 343, 19.12.2013, p. 46).~~

~~Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council, submitted by the Commission on 30 May 2018, establishing 'Erasmus+' the Union programme for education, training, youth and sport and repealing Regulation No 1288/2013 (COM(2018) 367).~~

~~Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council, submitted by the Commission on 14 June 2018, establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (COM(2018) 460).~~

**Justification:**

We can have a reduction of the appropriations for this budgetary line.

**Draft amendment 3005**

=== BUDG/3005 ===

Tabled by Pierre Larrousurou, rapporteur

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 15 01 01 65** — Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency — Contribution from the "Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument"

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 01 01 65	4 245 000	4 245 000	4 474 000	4 474 000	4 187 855	4 187 855	286 145	286 145	4 474 000	4 474 000
Reserve										
Total	4 245 000	4 245 000	4 474 000	4 474 000	4 187 855	4 187 855	286 145	286 145	4 474 000	4 474 000

**Justification:**

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

**Draft amendment 374**

=== AFET/6504 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Chapter 15 02** — Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI)

**Amend remarks as follows:**

**Remarks:**

After paragraph:

(c) to respond rapidly to: situations of crisis, instability ..... development action; and foreign policy needs and priorities.

Amend text as follows:

At least ~~95%~~**92%** of the expenditure under the Regulation shall fulfil the criteria for Official Development Assistance, established by the Development Assistance Committee of the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development. *At least 20% of the Official Development Assistance funded under this Regulation shall contribute to social inclusion and human development.*

Add following text:

*45 % of the financing shall be allocated to investments that contribute to climate objectives, environmental management and protection, biodiversity and combatting desertification, of which 30 % of the overall financial envelope shall be dedicated to climate change mitigation and adaptation.*

Amend text as follows:

Moreover, according to recital 28, actions under the Regulation are expected to contribute 25% of its overall financial envelope to climate objectives and, according to recital 30, 10% to addressing the root causes of irregular migration and forced displacement and to supporting migration management and governance. *Actions under the geographic programmes are expected to contribute also to the promotion of international connectivity.*

**Justification:**

The EU committed to allocate at least 20% of ODA to social inclusion and human development. To make sure that the 20% target is met, human development must be mainstreamed across the NDICI, including in the geographical pillar.

International connectivity policy will be an important tool in the European Union's geopolitical toolbox.

## Draft amendment 4368

=== BUDG/4368 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Committee on Budgets, Jörg Meuthen

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Chapter 15 02 — Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI)

Amend remarks as follows:

##### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~Appropriations under this Chapter are intended to cover operational expenditure related to actions carried out under the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (COM(2018) 460 final) whose general objective according to its Article 3(1) is to uphold and promote the Union's values and interests worldwide in order to pursue the objectives and principles of the Union's external action, as laid down in Article 3(5), Articles 8 and 21 of the Treaty on European Union.~~

~~In accordance with the above general objective, the specific objectives laid down in Article 3(2) of the Regulation are the following:~~

~~(a) to support and foster dialogue and cooperation with third countries and regions in the Neighbourhood, in Sub-Saharan Africa, in Asia and the Pacific, and in the Americas and the Caribbean;~~

~~(b) at global level, to consolidate and support democracy, rule of law and human rights, support civil society organisations, further stability and peace and address other global challenges including migration and mobility;~~

~~(c) to respond rapidly to: situations of crisis, instability and conflict; resilience challenges and linking of humanitarian aid and development action; and foreign policy needs and priorities.~~

~~At least 92% of the expenditure under the Regulation shall fulfil the criteria for Official Development Assistance, established by the Development Assistance Committee of the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development.~~

~~Moreover, according to recital 28, actions under the Regulation are expected to contribute 25% of its overall financial envelope to climate objectives and, according to recital 30, 10% to addressing the root causes of irregular migration and forced displacement and to supporting migration management and governance.~~

~~In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (EFTA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this Chapter.~~

Amend text as follows:

***This amendment deletes all the***~~The related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget~~ ***lines under this Chapter.***~~lines.~~

##### Justification:

National competences of the Member States.

## Draft amendment 284

=== DEVE/5700 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Chapter 15 02 — Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI)

Amend remarks as follows:

##### Remarks:

After paragraph:

(c) to respond rapidly to: situations of crisis, instability ..... development action; and foreign policy needs and priorities.

Amend text as follows:

At least ~~95%~~<sup>92%</sup> of the expenditure under the Regulation shall fulfil the criteria for Official Development Assistance, established by the Development Assistance Committee of the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development.

Add following text:

*At least 20% of the Official Development Assistance funded under this Regulation shall contribute to social inclusion and human development.*

*45 % of the financing shall be allocated to investments that contribute to climate objectives, environmental management and protection, biodiversity and combatting desertification, of which 30 % of the overall financial envelope shall be dedicated to climate change mitigation and adaptation.*

After paragraph:

Moreover, according to recital 28, actions under the ..... to supporting migration management and governance.

Add following text:

*Actions under the geographic programmes are expected to contribute also to the promotion of international connectivity.*

### **Justification:**

The EU committed to allocate at least 20% of ODA to social inclusion and human development. To make sure that the 20% target is met, human development must be mainstreamed across the NDICI, including in the geographical pillar.

International connectivity policy will be an important tool in the European Union's geopolitical toolbox.

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### **Draft amendment 375**

== AFET/6505 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

## **SECTION III — COMMISSION**

### **Item 15 02 01 01 — European Neighbourhood**

#### **Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 01			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	-2 008 961 479	-139 675 044	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	-2 008 961 479	-139 675 044	p.m.	p.m.

### **Remarks:**

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions in the Neighbourhood area in the areas of cooperation listed in Annex II of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument. In addition, the following areas of cooperation specific for the Neighbourhood area will be covered: promotion of enhanced political cooperation; support to the implementation of association agreements or other existing and future agreements and jointly agreed association agendas and partnership priorities or equivalent documents; promotion of a strengthened partnership between societies in the Union and the partner countries, including through people to people contacts; increased regional cooperation, in particular in the framework of the Eastern Partnership, the Union for the Mediterranean and European Neighbourhood wide collaboration as well as cross border cooperation; progressive integration into the Union internal market and enhanced sectoral and cross sectoral cooperation, including through legislative approximation and regulatory convergence towards Union and other relevant international standards, and improved market access including through deep and comprehensive free trade areas, related institution building and investment.~~

### **Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

## Draft amendment 4369

=== BUDG/4369 ===

Tabled by Andrey Novakov, Committee on Budgets

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 01 — European Neighbourhood

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 01			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	137 267 109	9 543 632	2 146 228 588	149 218 676
Reserve										
Total			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	137 267 109	9 543 632	2 146 228 588	149 218 676

### Justification:

Restore Draft Budget (DB).

## Draft amendment 285

=== DEVE/5701 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 01 — European Neighbourhood

##### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 01			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	-2 008 961 479	-139 675 044	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	-2 008 961 479	-139 675 044	p.m.	p.m.

### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions in the Neighbourhood area in the areas of cooperation listed in Annex II of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument. In addition, the following areas of cooperation specific for the Neighbourhood area will be covered: promotion of enhanced political cooperation; support to the implementation of association agreements or other existing and future agreements and jointly agreed association agendas and partnership priorities or equivalent documents; promotion of a strengthened partnership between societies in the Union and the partner countries, including through people to people contacts; increased regional cooperation, in particular in the framework of the Eastern Partnership, the Union for the Mediterranean and European Neighbourhood wide collaboration as well as cross border cooperation; progressive integration into the Union internal market and enhanced sectoral and cross sectoral cooperation, including through legislative approximation and regulatory convergence towards Union and other relevant international standards, and improved market access including through deep and comprehensive free trade areas, related institution building and investment.~~

### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

## Draft amendment 497

=== VERT/7646 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 01 — European Neighbourhood

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 01			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	200 895 669	20 000 000	2 209 857 148	159 675 044
Reserve										
Total			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	200 895 669	20 000 000	2 209 857 148	159 675 044

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 02 — Sub-Saharan Africa

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 02			3 579 658 182	87 442 000	3 350 712 705	81 849 441	335 071 270	10 000 000	3 685 783 975	91 849 441
Reserve										
Total			3 579 658 182	87 442 000	3 350 712 705	81 849 441	335 071 270	10 000 000	3 685 783 975	91 849 441

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 03 — Asia and the Pacific

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 03			1 051 475 938	p.m.	984 226 316	p.m.	98 422 631		1 082 648 947	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 051 475 938	p.m.	984 226 316	p.m.	98 422 631		1 082 648 947	p.m.

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 04 — Americas and the Caribbean

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 04			418 882 771	p.m.	392 092 136	p.m.	39 209 213		431 301 349	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			418 882 771	p.m.	392 092 136	p.m.	39 209 213		431 301 349	p.m.

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 01 — Human Rights and Democracy

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 01			197 103 437	34 498 000	184 497 222	32 291 599	18 449 722	5 000 000	202 946 944	37 291 599
Reserve										
Total			197 103 437	34 498 000	184 497 222	32 291 599	18 449 722	5 000 000	202 946 944	37 291 599

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 02 — Civil Society Organisations

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 02			197 103 437	2 156 000	184 497 222	2 018 108	18 449 722		202 946 944	2 018 108
Reserve										
Total			197 103 437	2 156 000	184 497 222	2 018 108	18 449 722		202 946 944	2 018 108

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 03 — Stability and Peace

### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
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	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 03			131 402 291	32 342 000	122 998 148	30 273 491	12 299 814		135 297 962	30 273 491
Reserve										
Total			131 402 291	32 342 000	122 998 148	30 273 491	12 299 814		135 297 962	30 273 491

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 04 — Global Challenges

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 04			394 206 873	16 171 000	368 994 443	15 136 746	36 899 444		405 893 887	15 136 746
Reserve										
Total			394 206 873	16 171 000	368 994 443	15 136 746	36 899 444		405 893 887	15 136 746

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 03 01 — Crisis response

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 01			292 014 996	128 074 000	273 338 489	119 882 725	27 333 848		300 672 337	119 882 725
Reserve										
Total			292 014 996	128 074 000	273 338 489	119 882 725	27 333 848		300 672 337	119 882 725

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 03 02 — Resilience

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 02			178 453 608	22 235 000	167 040 187	20 812 908	16 704 018		183 744 205	20 812 908
Reserve										
Total			178 453 608	22 235 000	167 040 187	20 812 908	16 704 018		183 744 205	20 812 908

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 03 03 — Foreign Policy needs

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 03			55 140 561	12 090 000	51 613 916	11 316 756	5 161 391		56 775 307	11 316 756
Reserve										
Total			55 140 561	12 090 000	51 613 916	11 316 756	5 161 391		56 775 307	11 316 756

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 15 02 04 — Emerging challenges and priorities cushion

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 04			1 340 303 371	264 126 000	1 254 581 109	247 233 199	125 458 110		1 380 039 219	247 233 199
Reserve										
Total			1 340 303 371	264 126 000	1 254 581 109	247 233 199	125 458 110		1 380 039 219	247 233 199

### Justification:

The AM aims at reversing the cuts made by the Council and at increasing by 10% all NDICI budget lines (except ERASMUS +/NDICI line already covered by AM VERT/7638 and NDICI provisioning of the Common provisioning fund)

### Draft amendment 498

== VERT/7647 ==

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 01 — European Neighbourhood

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 01			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	-350 000 000	-320 000 000	1 658 961 479	-180 324 956
Reserve										
Total			2 146 228 588	149 218 676	2 008 961 479	139 675 044	-350 000 000	-320 000 000	1 658 961 479	-180 324 956

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Add: 15 02 01 09

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 09							350 000 000	320 000 000	350 000 000	320 000 000
Reserve										
Total							350 000 000	320 000 000	350 000 000	320 000 000

#### Heading:

*Support to the peace process and financial assistance to Palestine and to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA)*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover operations for the benefit of the Palestinian people and the occupied Palestinian territories of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, in the context of the Middle East peace process. The operations are primarily aimed at:*

- *supporting state-building and institutional development,*
- *promoting social and economic development,*
- *mitigating the effects on the Palestinian population of the deteriorating economic, fiscal and humanitarian conditions through the provision of essential services and other support,*

#### Justification:

The AM aims at recreating the UNRWA dedicated budget line. It is budgetary neutral as the money to fund the new budget line is taken from NDICI (ex ENP).

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#### Draft amendment 356

== AFET/6486 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 02 — Sub-Saharan Africa

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 02			3 579 658 182	87 442 000	3 350 712 705	81 849 441	-3 350 712 705	-81 849 441	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			3 579 658 182	87 442 000	3 350 712 705	81 849 441	-3 350 712 705	-81 849 441	p.m.	p.m.

#### Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions in the Sub-Saharan Africa in the areas of cooperation listed in Annex II of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument.~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

## Draft amendment 297

=== DEVE/5713 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 02 — Sub-Saharan Africa

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 02			3 579 658 182	87 442 000	3 350 712 705	81 849 441	-3 350 712 705	-81 849 441	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			3 579 658 182	87 442 000	3 350 712 705	81 849 441	-3 350 712 705	-81 849 441	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions in the Sub-Saharan Africa in the areas of cooperation listed in Annex II of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument.~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

## Draft amendment 695

=== I-D//7779 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 02 — Sub-Saharan Africa

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 02			3 579 658 182	87 442 000	3 350 712 705	81 849 441	-1 675 356 352		1 675 356 353	81 849 441
Reserve										
Total			3 579 658 182	87 442 000	3 350 712 705	81 849 441	-1 675 356 352		1 675 356 353	81 849 441

## Justification:

We can have a reduction of the appropriations for this budgetary line.

## Draft amendment 357

=== AFET/6487 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 01 03 — Asia and the Pacific

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 03			1 051 475 938	p.m.	984 226 316	p.m.	-984 226 316		p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 051 475 938	p.m.	984 226 316	p.m.	-984 226 316		p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions in Asia and the Pacific in the areas of cooperation listed in Annex II of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument.~~

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 304**

=== DEVE/5720 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 15 02 01 03** — Asia and the Pacific

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 03			1 051 475 938	p.m.	984 226 316	p.m.	-984 226 316		p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 051 475 938	p.m.	984 226 316	p.m.	-984 226 316		p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions in Asia and the Pacific in the areas of cooperation listed in Annex II of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument.~~

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 696**

=== I-D//7780 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 15 02 01 03** — Asia and the Pacific

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 03			1 051 475 938	p.m.	984 226 316	p.m.	-984 226 316		p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 051 475 938	p.m.	984 226 316	p.m.	-984 226 316		p.m.	p.m.

**Justification:**

We do not consider this budgetary line as a priority to support.

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**Draft amendment 377**

=== AFET/6507 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 15 02 01 04** — Americas and the Caribbean

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 04			418 882 771	p.m.	392 092 136	p.m.	-392 092 136		p.m.	p.m.

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Reserve										
Total			418 882 771	p.m.	392 092 136	p.m.	-392 092 136		p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions in Americas and the Caribbean in the areas of cooperation listed in Annex II of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument.~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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## Draft amendment 316

=== DEVE/5732 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Item 15 02 01 04 — Americas and the Caribbean

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 04			418 882 771	p.m.	392 092 136	p.m.	-392 092 136		p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			418 882 771	p.m.	392 092 136	p.m.	-392 092 136		p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions in Americas and the Caribbean in the areas of cooperation listed in Annex II of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument.~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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## Draft amendment 697

=== I-D//7781 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Item 15 02 01 04 — Americas and the Caribbean

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 04			418 882 771	p.m.	392 092 136	p.m.	-392 092 136		p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			418 882 771	p.m.	392 092 136	p.m.	-392 092 136		p.m.	p.m.

## Justification:

We do not consider this budgetary line as a priority to support.

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## Draft amendment 358

=== AFET/6488 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Item 15 02 01 05 — Erasmus+ — NDICI contribution

Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 05			248 069 840	126 900 000	232 203 949	118 783 811	-232 203 949	-118 783 811	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			248 069 840	126 900 000	232 203 949	118 783 811	-232 203 949	-118 783 811	p.m.	p.m.

Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover financial assistance provided under NDICI in order to promote the international dimension of the 'Erasmus+' programme.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

Justification:

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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Draft amendment 323

=== DEVE/5739 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Item 15 02 01 05 — Erasmus+ — NDICI contribution

Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 05			248 069 840	126 900 000	232 203 949	118 783 811	-232 203 949	-118 783 811	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			248 069 840	126 900 000	232 203 949	118 783 811	-232 203 949	-118 783 811	p.m.	p.m.

Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover financial assistance provided under NDICI in order to promote the international dimension of the 'Erasmus+' programme.~~

~~Assigned revenue (origin, estimated amounts and corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue).~~

Justification:

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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Draft amendment 698

=== I-D/7782 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Item 15 02 01 05 — Erasmus+ — NDICI contribution

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 05			248 069 840	126 900 000	232 203 949	118 783 811	-46 440 789		185 763 160	118 783 811
Reserve										
Total			248 069 840	126 900 000	232 203 949	118 783 811	-46 440 789		185 763 160	118 783 811

Justification:

We can have a further reduction on this budgetary line.

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Draft amendment 490

=== VERT/7638 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Item 15 02 01 05 — Erasmus+ — NDICI contribution

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 05			248 069 840	126 900 000	232 203 949	118 783 811	170 000 000	100 000 000	402 203 949	218 783 811
Reserve										
Total			248 069 840	126 900 000	232 203 949	118 783 811	170 000 000	100 000 000	402 203 949	218 783 811

**Justification:**

In order to implement the EP position and the EC President's commitment concerning the Erasmus + budget for the period 2021-2027 (to be tripled compared to 2014-2020) massive increases must be adopted as of 2021. This AMs aims at paving the way to triple Erasmus + over the 7 year period.

**Draft amendment 359**

=== AFET/6489 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Item 15 02 01 06 — NDICI — Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund

Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 06			1 491 040 476	p.m.	1 395 677 468	p.m.	-1 395 677 468		p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 491 040 476	p.m.	1 395 677 468	p.m.	-1 395 677 468		p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to provide the financial resources for the provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund, for budgetary guarantees in the regions covered by the NDICI Regulation. Assigned revenue may give rise to additional appropriations, also under budgetary guarantees from previous MFFs.~~

**Legal basis:**

Delete following text:

~~Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1), and in particular Title X.~~

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices. Replaced by four geographic lines.

**Draft amendment 295**

=== DEVE/5711 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Item 15 02 01 06 — NDICI — Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund

Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020	Draft budget 2021	Council's position 2021	Difference	New amount
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	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 06			1 491 040 476	p.m.	1 395 677 468	p.m.	-1 395 677 468		p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 491 040 476	p.m.	1 395 677 468	p.m.	-1 395 677 468		p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to provide the financial resources for the provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund, for budgetary guarantees in the regions covered by the NDICI Regulation. Assigned revenue may give rise to additional appropriations, also under budgetary guarantees from previous MFFs.~~

## Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1), and in particular Title X.~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices. Replaced by four geographic lines.

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## Draft amendment 699

=== I-D//7783 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Item 15 02 01 06 — NDICI — Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 06			1 491 040 476	p.m.	1 395 677 468	p.m.	-279 135 493		1 116 541 975	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 491 040 476	p.m.	1 395 677 468	p.m.	-279 135 493		1 116 541 975	p.m.

## Justification:

We can have a further reduction on this budgetary line.

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## Draft amendment 360

=== AFET/6490 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Item 15 02 01 07 — ~~European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI)~~ — ~~Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund~~

Delete: 15 02 01 07

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices. Replaced by four geographic lines.

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## Draft amendment 347

=== DEVE/5763 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

~~Item 15 02 01 07 — European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI) — Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund~~

~~Delete: 15 02 01 07~~

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.  
Replaced by four geographic lines.

**Draft amendment 361**

=== AFET/6491 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

~~Item 15 02 01 08 — European Development Fund — ACP Investment Facility Reflows~~

~~Delete: 15 02 01 08~~

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

**Draft amendment 325**

=== DEVE/5741 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

~~Item 15 02 01 08 — European Development Fund — ACP Investment Facility Reflows~~

~~Delete: 15 02 01 08~~

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

**Draft amendment 510**

=== GUE/8001 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 01 09**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 09							400 000 000	400 000 000	400 000 000	400 000 000
Reserve										
Total							400 000 000	400 000 000	400 000 000	400 000 000

**Heading:**

*Support the peace process and financial assistance to Palestine and to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA)*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover operations for the benefit of the Palestinian people and the occupied Palestinian territories of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, in the context of the Middle East peace process. The operations are primarily aimed at:*

- supporting state-building and institutional development*
- promoting social and economic development,*
- mitigating the effects on the Palestinian population of the deteriorating economic, fiscal and humanitarian conditions through the provision of essential services and other support,*
- contributing to reconstruction efforts in Gaza,*
- contributing to the financing of the operation of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA) and in particular its health, education and social services programmes,*
- financing preparatory operations aimed at promoting cooperation between Israel and its neighbours in*

*the context of the peace process, notably with regard to institutions, economic matters, water, the environment and energy,*  
*— financing activities designed to create a public opinion favourable to the peace process,*  
*— financing information, including in Arabic and Hebrew, and disseminating information on Israeli-Palestinian cooperation,*  
*— promoting respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, promoting enhanced respect for minority rights, combating anti-Semitism and promoting gender equality and non-discrimination,*  
*— fostering the development of civil society, inter alia, to promote social inclusion. An adequate level of appropriations should be reserved for the support of civil society organisations.*

#### **Justification:**

In recognition of the vital role played by UNRWA during the COVID pandemic as the main and sometimes sole provider of primary health care to Palestine refugees, and the difficult context in which the Agency operates at a time of growing needs, the EU should increase its support towards the Agency in 2021 (at least up to € 162 million) to ensure the uninterrupted delivery of vital services, including education and assistance, to one of the most vulnerable populations in the Middle East.

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#### **Draft amendment 885**

=== S&D//7380 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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#### **SECTION III — COMMISSION**

##### **Add: 15 02 01 09**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 09							150 000 000	10 645 798	150 000 000	10 645 798
Reserve										
Total							150 000 000	10 645 798	150 000 000	10 645 798

#### **Heading:**

*Mediterranean countries - human rights, good governance and mobility*

#### **Remarks:**

Add following text:

*New line*

#### **Justification:**

Financing necessary for bilateral agreements, support for democracy, good governance and human rights. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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#### **Draft amendment 886**

=== S&D//7381 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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#### **SECTION III — COMMISSION**

##### **Add: 15 02 01 10**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 10							775 000 000	58 257 018	775 000 000	58 257 018
Reserve										
Total							775 000 000	58 257 018	775 000 000	58 257 018

#### **Heading:**

*Mediterranean countries - poverty reduction, sustainable development, energy*

#### **Remarks:**

Add following text:

*New line*

### Justification:

Financing necessary for poverty reduction, sustainable development and the transformation of the energy sector in line with the implementation of the Green Deal. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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### Draft amendment 887

=== S&D//7382 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 01 11

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 11							419 039 329	29 134 126	419 039 329	29 134 126
Reserve										
Total							419 039 329	29 134 126	419 039 329	29 134 126

### Heading:

*Mediterranean countries - confidence building, security and the prevention and settlement of conflicts*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*New line*

### Justification:

Financing necessary for regional security, bilateral agreements, support for democracy and rule of law. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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### Draft amendment 888

=== S&D//7383 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 01 12

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 12							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341
Reserve										
Total							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341

### Heading:

*Support to the peace process and financial assistance to Palestine and to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA)*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*New line*

### Justification:

Recognizing the role of UNRWA as unique provider of vital services for millions of Palestine refugees in a context of growing humanitarian needs and political tensions, the EU should increase its support towards the Agency to at least 142 million, as an investment towards regional stability and the 2030 Agenda. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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## Draft amendment 889

=== S&D//7384 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 01 13

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 13							590 000 000	37 306 115	590 000 000	37 306 115
Reserve										
Total							590 000 000	37 306 115	590 000 000	37 306 115

#### Heading:

*Eastern Partnership - associated countries*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*New line*

#### Justification:

Funding dedicated to confidence building with Eastern partners. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes

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## Draft amendment 890

=== S&D//7385 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 01 14

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 14							111 404 418	7 745 503	111 404 418	7 745 503
Reserve										
Total							111 404 418	7 745 503	111 404 418	7 745 503

#### Heading:

*Eastern Partnership - non-associated countries*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*New line*

#### Justification:

Financial support for democracy building in Belarus and Azerbaijan. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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## Draft amendment 899

=== S&D//7394 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 01 16

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 01 16							14 359 297	998 344	14 359 297	998 344
Reserve										
Total							14 359 297	998 344	14 359 297	998 344

**Heading:**  
*Support to the political process in Libya*

**Remarks:**  
Add following text:  
*New line*

**Justification:**  
A dedicated budget line for Libya is necessary in order to implement correctly the ceasefire agreement and the upcoming political reforms in the country. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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**Draft amendment 362** === AFET/6492 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Item 15 02 02 01** — Human Rights and Democracy  
**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 01			197 103 437	34 498 000	184 497 222	32 291 599	-184 497 222	-32 291 599	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			197 103 437	34 498 000	184 497 222	32 291 599	-184 497 222	-32 291 599	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**  
After paragraph:  
New item  
Delete following text:  
~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Human Rights and Democracy area of intervention listed in Annex III of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following:~~  
  
~~– Contributing to advancing the fundamental values of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights, respect for human dignity, the principles of non discrimination, equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law,~~  
~~– Allowing for cooperation and partnership with civil society on human rights and democracy issues,~~  
~~– Upholding human rights and fundamental freedoms for all,~~  
~~– Developing, enhancing and protecting democracy, comprehensively addressing all aspects of democratic governance, including reinforcing democratic pluralism, enhancing citizen participation, and supporting credible, inclusive and transparent electoral processes, including travel and allowances costs linked to the logistical and security aspects underpinning Electoral Mission Observation in the partner country,~~  
~~– Promoting effective multilateralism and strategic partnership, contributing to reinforcing capacities of international, regional and national frameworks in promoting and protecting human rights, democracy and the rule of law.~~

**Justification:**  
New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 327** === DEVE/5743 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Item 15 02 02 01** — Human Rights and Democracy

### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 01			197 103 437	34 498 000	184 497 222	32 291 599	-184 497 222	-32 291 599	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			197 103 437	34 498 000	184 497 222	32 291 599	-184 497 222	-32 291 599	p.m.	p.m.

### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Human Rights and Democracy area of intervention listed in Annex III of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following:~~

- ~~– Contributing to advancing the fundamental values of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights, respect for human dignity, the principles of non discrimination, equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;~~
- ~~– Allowing for cooperation and partnership with civil society on human rights and democracy issues;~~
- ~~– Upholding human rights and fundamental freedoms for all;~~
- ~~– Developing, enhancing and protecting democracy, comprehensively addressing all aspects of democratic governance, including reinforcing democratic pluralism, enhancing citizen participation, and supporting credible, inclusive and transparent electoral processes, including travel and allowances costs linked to the logistical and security aspects underpinning Electoral Mission Observation in the partner country;~~
- ~~– Promoting effective multilateralism and strategic partnership, contributing to reinforcing capacities of international, regional and national frameworks in promoting and protecting human rights, democracy and the rule of law.~~

### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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### Draft amendment 363

== AFET/6493 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 02 — Civil Society Organisations

### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 02			197 103 437	2 156 000	184 497 222	2 018 108	-184 497 222	-2 018 108	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			197 103 437	2 156 000	184 497 222	2 018 108	-184 497 222	-2 018 108	p.m.	p.m.

### Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Civil Society Organisations area of intervention listed in Annex III of the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following:~~

- ~~– Inclusive, participatory, empowered and independent civil society civic space in partner countries;~~
- ~~– Dialogue with and between civil society organisations on development policy;~~
- ~~– Awareness, knowledge and engagement of European citizens about development issues.~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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## Draft amendment 330

=== DEVE/5746 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 02 — Civil Society Organisations

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 02			197 103 437	2 156 000	184 497 222	2 018 108	-184 497 222	-2 018 108	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			197 103 437	2 156 000	184 497 222	2 018 108	-184 497 222	-2 018 108	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Civil Society Organisations area of intervention listed in Annex III of the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following:~~

- ~~– Inclusive, participatory, empowered and independent civil society civic space in partner countries;~~
- ~~– Dialogue with and between civil society organisations on development policy;~~
- ~~– Awareness, knowledge and engagement of European citizens about development issues.~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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## Draft amendment 364

=== AFET/6494 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 03 — Stability and Peace

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 03			131 402 291	32 342 000	122 998 148	30 273 491	-122 998 148	-30 273 491	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			131 402 291	32 342 000	122 998 148	30 273 491	-122 998 148	-30 273 491	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

After paragraph:

~~New item~~

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Stability and Peace area of interventions listed in Annex III of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following:~~

- ~~– Assistance for conflict prevention, peace building and crisis preparedness: The Union shall provide technical and financial assistance covering support for measures aimed at building and strengthening the capacity of the partners to prevent conflict, build peace and address pre and post crisis needs in close coordination with the United Nations and other international, regional and sub-regional organisations, and State and civil society actors, including specific attention to women participation, in the following areas: (a) early warning and conflict sensitive risk analysis; confidence building, mediation, dialogue~~

and reconciliation measures; (b) post conflict recovery as well as post disaster recovery; (c) peace building and state building support actions; (d) conflict prevention and crisis response; (e) Capacity Building for Security and Development (CBSD).

- Assistance in addressing global and trans regional threats and emerging threats: It is also intended to support partners' efforts and Union actions addressing global and trans regional threats and emerging threats mainly in the following areas: (a) threats to law and order, and to the security and safety of individuals including terrorism, violent extremism, organised crime, cyber crime, hybrid threats, illicit trafficking, trade and transit; (b) threats to public spaces, critical infrastructure, cybersecurity, to public health or to environmental stability, maritime security threats, threats deriving from climate change impacts; (c) mitigation against risks, whether of an intentional, accidental or natural origin, related to chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear materials or agents and risks to related installations or sites; (d) Capacity Building for Security and Development (CBSD).

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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## Draft amendment 333

=== DEVE/5749 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 03 — Stability and Peace

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 03			131 402 291	32 342 000	122 998 148	30 273 491	-122 998 148	-30 273 491	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			131 402 291	32 342 000	122 998 148	30 273 491	-122 998 148	-30 273 491	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

*New item*

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Stability and Peace area of interventions listed in Annex III of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following:~~

- ~~Assistance for conflict prevention, peace building and crisis preparedness: The Union shall provide technical and financial assistance covering support for measures aimed at building and strengthening the capacity of the partners to prevent conflict, build peace and address pre and post crisis needs in close coordination with the United Nations and other international, regional and sub-regional organisations, and State and civil society actors, including specific attention to women participation, in the following areas: (a) early warning and conflict sensitive risk analysis; confidence building, mediation, dialogue and reconciliation measures; (b) post conflict recovery as well as post disaster recovery; (c) peace building and state building support actions; (d) conflict prevention and crisis response; (e) Capacity Building for Security and Development (CBSD).~~
- ~~Assistance in addressing global and trans regional threats and emerging threats: It is also intended to support partners' efforts and Union actions addressing global and trans regional threats and emerging threats mainly in the following areas: (a) threats to law and order, and to the security and safety of individuals including terrorism, violent extremism, organised crime, cyber crime, hybrid threats, illicit trafficking, trade and transit; (b) threats to public spaces, critical infrastructure, cybersecurity, to public health or to environmental stability, maritime security threats, threats deriving from climate change impacts; (c) mitigation against risks, whether of an intentional, accidental or natural origin, related to chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear materials or agents and risks to related installations or sites; (d) Capacity Building for Security and Development (CBSD).~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 519**

== GUE/8010 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left  
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**SECTION III — COMMISSION**

**Item 15 02 02 03 — Stability and Peace**

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 03			131 402 291	32 342 000	122 998 148	30 273 491	-117 998 148	-20 273 491	5 000 000	10 000 000
Reserve										
Total			131 402 291	32 342 000	122 998 148	30 273 491	-117 998 148	-20 273 491	5 000 000	10 000 000

**Remarks:**

Amend text as follows:

*This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Stability and Peace area of interventions listed in Annex III of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following: — Assistance for conflict prevention, peace-building and crisis preparedness: The Union shall provide technical and financial assistance covering support for measures aimed at building and strengthening the capacity of the partners to prevent conflict, build peace and address pre- and post-crisis needs in close coordination with the United Nations and other international, regional and sub-regional organisations, and State and civil society actors, including specific attention to women participation, in the following areas: (a) early warning and conflict-sensitive risk analysis; confidence-building, mediation, dialogue and reconciliation measures; (b) post-conflict recovery as well as post-disaster recovery; (c) peace-building and state-building support actions; (d) conflict prevention and crisis response; — Assistance in addressing global and trans-regional threats and emerging threats: It is also intended to support partners' efforts and Union actions addressing global and trans-regional threats and emerging threats mainly in the following areas: (a) threats to law and order, and to the security and safety of individuals including terrorism, violent extremism, organised crime, cyber-crime, illicit trafficking, trade and transit; (b) threats to public spaces, critical infrastructure, cybersecurity, to public health or to environmental stability, threats deriving from climate change impacts; (c) mitigation against risks, whether of an intentional, accidental or natural origin, related to chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear materials or agents and risks to related installations or sites; New item*

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Stability and Peace area of interventions listed in Annex III of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following:~~

- ~~– Assistance for conflict prevention, peace building and crisis preparedness: The Union shall provide technical and financial assistance covering support for measures aimed at building and strengthening the capacity of the partners to prevent conflict, build peace and address pre and post crisis needs in close coordination with the United Nations and other international, regional and sub-regional organisations, and State and civil society actors, including specific attention to women participation, in the following areas: (a) early warning and conflict sensitive risk analysis; confidence building, mediation, dialogue and reconciliation measures; (b) post conflict recovery as well as post disaster recovery; (c) peace-building and state building support actions; (d) conflict prevention and crisis response; (e) Capacity Building for Security and Development (CBSD).~~
- ~~– Assistance in addressing global and trans regional threats and emerging threats: It is also intended to support partners' efforts and Union actions addressing global and trans regional threats and emerging threats mainly in the following areas: (a) threats to law and order, and to the security and safety of individuals including terrorism, violent extremism, organised crime, cyber crime, hybrid threats, illicit trafficking, trade and transit; (b) threats to public spaces, critical infrastructure, cybersecurity, to public~~

~~health or to environmental stability, maritime security threats, threats deriving from climate change impacts; (e) mitigation against risks, whether of an intentional, accidental or natural origin, related to chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear materials or agents and risks to related installations or sites; (d) Capacity Building for Security and Development (CBSD).~~

## Justification:

The former Instrument for Stability and Peace and in particular the crisis response, rapid response and emergine crisis mechanism lack transparency. Additionally the crisis response within the new NDICI Instrument allows to finance military (non lethal), military equipment and includes the possibility that military is entrusted with tasks of public authority. Crisis response should be exclusivly civilian, peaceful and focus on mediation, development and conflict prevention.

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## Draft amendment 365

==== AFET/6495 ====

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 04 — Global Challenges

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 04			394 206 873	16 171 000	368 994 443	15 136 746	-368 994 443	-15 136 746	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			394 206 873	16 171 000	368 994 443	15 136 746	-368 994 443	-15 136 746	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Global Challenges listed in Annex III of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following: Health, education, women and children, migration and forced displacement, decent work, social protection and inequality, culture, healthy environment and climate change, sustainable energy, sustainable and inclusive growth, decent jobs and private sector engagement, food and nutrition security, the role of local authorities as actors of development, inclusive societies, good economic governance, including fair and inclusive domestic revenue mobilisation, transparent public finance management and effective and inclusive public spending.~~

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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## Draft amendment 336

==== DEVE/5752 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 02 04 — Global Challenges

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 02 04			394 206 873	16 171 000	368 994 443	15 136 746	-368 994 443	-15 136 746	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			394 206 873	16 171 000	368 994 443	15 136 746	-368 994 443	-15 136 746	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions linked to the Global Challenges listed in Annex III of the~~

~~proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, including the following: Health, education, women and children, migration and forced displacement, decent work, social protection and inequality, culture, healthy environment and climate change, sustainable energy, sustainable and inclusive growth, decent jobs and private sector engagement, food and nutrition security, the role of local authorities as actors of development, inclusive societies, good economic governance, including fair and inclusive domestic revenue mobilisation, transparent public finance management and effective and inclusive public spending.~~

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

**Draft amendment 366**

== AFET/6496 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 15 02 03 01 — Crisis response**

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 01			292 014 996	128 074 000	273 338 489	119 882 725	-273 338 489	-119 882 725	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			292 014 996	128 074 000	273 338 489	119 882 725	-273 338 489	-119 882 725	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions to contribute to stability and conflict prevention in situations of urgency, emerging crisis, crisis and post crisis.~~

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

**Draft amendment 343**

== DEVE/5759 ==

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Item 15 02 03 01 — Crisis response**

**Amend figures and remarks as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 01			292 014 996	128 074 000	273 338 489	119 882 725	-273 338 489	-119 882 725	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			292 014 996	128 074 000	273 338 489	119 882 725	-273 338 489	-119 882 725	p.m.	p.m.

**Remarks:**

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions to contribute to stability and conflict prevention in situations of urgency, emerging crisis, crisis and post crisis.~~

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

**Draft amendment 523**

== GUE/8014 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 03 01 — Crisis response

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 01			292 014 996	128 074 000	273 338 489	119 882 725	-223 323 493	-74 882 725	50 014 996	45 000 000
Reserve										
Total			292 014 996	128 074 000	273 338 489	119 882 725	-223 323 493	-74 882 725	50 014 996	45 000 000

##### Justification:

The former Instrument for Stability and Peace and in particular the crisis response, rapid response and emergine crisis mechanism lack transparency. Additionally the crisis response within the new NDICI Instrument allows to finance military (non lethal), military equipment and includes the possibility that military is entrusted with tasks of public authority. Crisis response should be exclusivly civilian, peaceful and focus on mediation, development and conflict prevention.

#### Draft amendment 367

=== AFET/6497 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 03 02 — Resilience

##### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 02			178 453 608	22 235 000	167 040 187	20 812 908	-167 040 187	-20 812 908	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			178 453 608	22 235 000	167 040 187	20 812 908	-167 040 187	-20 812 908	p.m.	p.m.

##### Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions to contribute to strengthening resilience of states, societies, communities and individuals and to linking humanitarian aid and development action.~~

##### Justification:

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

#### Draft amendment 345

=== DEVE/5761 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 03 02 — Resilience

##### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 02			178 453 608	22 235 000	167 040 187	20 812 908	-167 040 187	-20 812 908	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			178 453 608	22 235 000	167 040 187	20 812 908	-167 040 187	-20 812 908	p.m.	p.m.

##### Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions to contribute to strengthening resilience of states, societies, communities and individuals and to linking humanitarian aid and development action.~~

## Justification:

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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## Draft amendment 368

=== AFET/6498 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 03 03 — Foreign Policy needs

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 03			55 140 561	12 090 000	51 613 916	11 316 756	-51 613 916	-11 316 756	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			55 140 561	12 090 000	51 613 916	11 316 756	-51 613 916	-11 316 756	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

After paragraph:

New item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions to address foreign policy needs and priorities.~~

## Justification:

Moved to the thematic pillar, in accordance with EP's first reading position on COM's proposal for a regulation establishing the NDICI

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## Draft amendment 341

=== DEVE/5757 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 02 03 03 — Foreign Policy needs

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 03 03			55 140 561	12 090 000	51 613 916	11 316 756	-51 613 916	-11 316 756	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			55 140 561	12 090 000	51 613 916	11 316 756	-51 613 916	-11 316 756	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

Delete following text:

~~New item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover actions to address foreign policy needs and priorities.~~

## Justification:

Moved to the thematic pillar, in accordance with EP's first reading position on COM's proposal for a regulation establishing the NDICI

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## Draft amendment 369

=== AFET/6499 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 15 02 04 — Emerging challenges and priorities cushion

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 04			1 340 303 371	264 126 000	1 254 581 109	247 233 199	-1 254 581 109	-247 233 199	p.m.	p.m.

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Reserve										
Total			1 340 303 371	264 126 000	1 254 581 109	247 233 199	-1 254 581 109	-247 233 199	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

### After paragraph:

New article

### Delete following text:

~~In accordance with Article 15 of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, the emerging challenges and priorities cushion shall be used *inter alia*:~~

- ~~– to ensure an appropriate response of the Union in the event of unforeseen circumstances,~~
- ~~– to address new needs or emerging challenges, such as those at the Union's or its neighbours' borders linked to crisis and post crisis situations or migratory pressure,~~
- ~~– to promote new Union led or international initiatives or priorities.~~

## Justification:

In this form, the Parliament has no oversight over the spending of this cushion. While the EP's first reading position accepted the creation of a (reduced) cushion, this does not mean that the cushion needs to exist in the annual budget. Instead, the Commission should make a proposal in the context of each year's budgetary procedure on the allocation of the funds to the specific geographic, thematic and rapid response budget lines. The rapporteurs therefore propose transfer the money to other NDICI lines.

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## Draft amendment 315

=== DEVE/5731 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Article 15 02 04 — Emerging challenges and priorities cushion

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 04			1 340 303 371	264 126 000	1 254 581 109	247 233 199	-1 254 581 109	-247 233 199	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total			1 340 303 371	264 126 000	1 254 581 109	247 233 199	-1 254 581 109	-247 233 199	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

### Delete following text:

~~New article~~

~~In accordance with Article 15 of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument, the emerging challenges and priorities cushion shall be used *inter alia*:~~

- ~~– to ensure an appropriate response of the Union in the event of unforeseen circumstances,~~
- ~~– to address new needs or emerging challenges, such as those at the Union's or its neighbours' borders linked to crisis and post crisis situations or migratory pressure,~~
- ~~– to promote new Union led or international initiatives or priorities.~~

## Justification:

In this form, the Parliament has no oversight over the spending of this cushion. While the EP's first reading position accepted the creation of a (reduced) cushion, this does not mean that the cushion needs to exist in the annual budget. Instead, the Commission should make a proposal in the context of each year's budgetary procedure on the allocation of the funds to the specific geographic, thematic and rapid response budget lines. The rapporteurs therefore propose transfer the money to other NDICI lines.

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**Draft amendment 376**

== AFET/6506 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:**

*Neighbourhood*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 01							150 000 000	10 645 798	150 000 000	10 645 798
Reserve										
Total							150 000 000	10 645 798	150 000 000	10 645 798

**Heading:**

*Mediterranean countries - human rights, good governance and mobility*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

Stronger engagement and heightened visibility of the EU in the Southern Neighbourhood should be a priority for the EU. Underlines the EU's active role in the Southern Mediterranean through bilateral agreements, support for democracy and good governance.

Human Rights, good governance and mobility are an absolute priority for the EU, especially with the deteriorating situation in the Mediterranean. As such this budget line should have sufficient funding.

EU budget transparency needs to be maintained, in order to ensure consistency, a more detailed budget structure has to be in place.

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**Draft amendment 378**

== AFET/6508 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:**

*Neighbourhood*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 10

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 10							506 036 579		506 036 579	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							506 036 579		506 036 579	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Neighbourhood - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 379**

== AFET/6509 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05**

**Heading:**

*Neighbourhood*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05 09**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 09							70 746 619	4 918 729	70 746 619	4 918 729
Reserve										
Total							70 746 619	4 918 729	70 746 619	4 918 729

**Heading:**

*Cross-border Cooperation (CBC)*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 380**

== AFET/6510 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05**

**Heading:**

*Neighbourhood*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05 08**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 08							245 801 397	17 089 586	245 801 397	17 089 586
Reserve										
Total							245 801 397	17 089 586	245 801 397	17 089 586

**Heading:**

*Support to multi-country cooperation in the neighbourhood*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 381**

== AFET/6511 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:***Neighbourhood*

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 02							775 000 000	58 257 018	775 000 000	58 257 018
Reserve										
Total							775 000 000	58 257 018	775 000 000	58 257 018

**Heading:***Mediterranean countries - poverty reduction, sustainable development, energy***Remarks:**Add following text:*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.***Justification:**

Poverty reduction and sustainable development are among the biggest priorities for the southern neighbourhood and a mean to solve many of the problems at their root. As such the line should have sufficient funding.

The transformation of the energy sector in line with the implementation of the Green Deal needs to be reflected in terms of new energy partnerships.

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**Draft amendment 382**

== AFET/6512 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:***Neighbourhood*

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 03

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 03							419 039 329	29 134 126	419 039 329	29 134 126
Reserve										
Total							419 039 329	29 134 126	419 039 329	29 134 126

**Heading:***Mediterranean countries - Confidence building, security and the prevention and settlement of conflicts***Remarks:**Add following text:*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.***Justification:**

Given the significant challenges in the Mediterranean region increased funds are needed in order to advance confidence building and intensify efforts aimed at improving local and regional security as well as the prevention and settlement of conflicts.

Stronger engagement and heightened visibility of the EU in the Southern Neighbourhood should be a priority for the EU. Underlines the EU's active role in the Southern Mediterranean through bilateral agreements, support for democracy and rule of law and actions to tackle the instability in various countries

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## Draft amendment 383

== AFET/6513 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

#### Heading:

*Neighbourhood*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 04

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 04							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341
Reserve										
Total							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341

#### Heading:

*Support to the peace process and financial assistance to Palestine and to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA)*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover operations for the benefit of the Palestinian people and the occupied Palestinian territories of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, in the context of the Middle East peace process. The operations are primarily aimed at:*

- supporting state-building and institutional development*
- promoting social and economic development,*
- mitigating the effects on the Palestinian population of the deteriorating economic, fiscal and humanitarian conditions through the provision of essential services and other support,*
- contributing to reconstruction efforts in Gaza,*
- contributing to the financing of the operation of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA) and in particular its health, education and social services programmes,*
- financing preparatory operations aimed at promoting cooperation between Israel and its neighbours in the context of the peace process, notably with regard to institutions, economic matters, water, the environment and energy,*
- financing activities designed to create a public opinion favourable to the peace process,*
- financing information, including in Arabic and Hebrew, and disseminating information on Israeli-Palestinian cooperation,*
- promoting respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, promoting enhanced respect for minority rights, combating anti-Semitism and promoting gender equality and non-discrimination,*
- fostering the development of civil society, inter alia, to promote social inclusion.*

*An adequate level of appropriations should be reserved for the support of civil society organisations.*

#### Justification:

Recognizing the essential role that UNRWA plays as unique provider of vital services for millions of Palestine refugees, in a difficult context of growing humanitarian and development needs and at a time of rising political tensions, the EU should increase its financial support towards the Agency up to at least 142 million in 2021, as an investment towards regional stability, human development and the attainment of the 2030 Agenda.

Due to its political importance, funding for Palestine and UNRWA requires a separate budget line.

## Draft amendment 387

== AFET/6517 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:**

*Neighbourhood*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 05

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 05							14 359 297	998 344	14 359 297	998 344
Reserve										
Total							14 359 297	998 344	14 359 297	998 344

**Heading:**

*Support to the political process in Libya*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 389**

== AFET/6519 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:**

*Neighbourhood*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 07

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 07							111 404 418	7 745 503	111 404 418	7 745 503
Reserve										
Total							111 404 418	7 745 503	111 404 418	7 745 503

**Heading:**

*Eastern Partnership - Non-associated countries*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*The support for Azerbaijan and Belarus under this budget line shall be limited to support for civil society and non-state actors, as well as people-to-people contacts*

**Justification:**

Given the increasing deterioration in the security environment by the EU's borders it is important to continue confidence building with the Eastern partners, special focus is needed on democracy building in Belarus.

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**Draft amendment 452**

== AFET/6576 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:**

## Neighbourhood

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 06

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 06							590 000 000	37 306 115	590 000 000	37 306 115
Reserve										
Total							590 000 000	37 306 115	590 000 000	37 306 115

#### Heading:

*Eastern Partnership - Associated countries*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation*

#### Justification:

Given the increasing deterioration in the security environment by the EU's borders it is important to continue confidence building with the Eastern partners.

### Draft amendment 4367

=== BUDG/4367 ===

Tabled by Olivier Chastel, Committee on Budgets, Frédérique Ries, Niclas Herbst, Committee on Budgets, Cristian Ghinea, Carmen Avram, Miriam Lexmann

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341
Reserve							20 000 000	1 354 767	20 000 000	1 354 767
Total							409 715 267	28 450 108	409 715 267	28 450 108

#### Heading:

*Support to the peace process and financial assistance to Palestine and to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNWRA)*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover operations for the benefit of the Palestinian people and the occupied Palestinian territories of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, in the context of the Middle East peace process. The operations are primarily aimed at:*

- supporting state-building and institutional development*
- promoting social and economic development,*
- mitigating the effects on the Palestinian population of the deteriorating economic, fiscal and humanitarian conditions through the provision of essential services and other support,*
- contributing to reconstruction efforts in Gaza,*
- contributing to the financing of the operation of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNWRA) and in particular its health, education and social services programmes,*
- financing preparatory operations aimed at promoting cooperation between Israel and its neighbours in the context of the peace process, notably with regard to institutions, economic matters, water, the environment and energy,*
- financing activities designed to create a public opinion favourable to the peace process,*
- financing information, including in Arabic and Hebrew, and disseminating information on Israeli-Palestinian cooperation,*
- promoting respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, promoting enhanced respect for minority rights, combating anti-Semitism and promoting gender equality and non-discrimination,*

— *fostering the development of civil society, inter alia, to promote social inclusion.*  
*An adequate level of appropriations should be reserved for the support of civil society organisations.*

### Conditions for releasing the reserve:

Add following text:

*The reserve will be released by the next academic school year if substantive positive changes are made in the Palestinian Authority curriculum that promote coexistence and tolerance with the Jewish-Israeli "other" and peace education with Israel in alignment with UNESCO education standards.*

*Should there be no change, appropriations in reserve shall be used for funding Palestinian NGOs that have a proven track record promoting educational initiatives in school settings for children designated to foster tolerance, coexistence and respect towards the Jewish-Israeli "other".*

### Justification:

The EP in the 2018 Commission discharge (Par. 302) and 2016 discharge (Par. 272), stressed that hate and violence in Palestinian textbooks have not been removed, and insists that the EU funded salaries of teachers be used for teaching curricula reflecting UNESCO standards of peace and tolerance.

In 2019, the UN called the Palestinian Authority (PA) to remove hate and incitement of violence from the curriculum. Norway announced it will be withholding funds to PA Ministry of education until positive changes are made.

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### Draft amendment 4370

=== BUDG/4370 ===

Tabled by Jens Geier, Committee on Budgets

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341
Reserve										
Total							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341

### Heading:

*Support to the peace process and financial assistance to Palestine and to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA)*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover operations for the benefit of the Palestinian people and the occupied Palestinian territories of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip, in the context of the Middle East peace process. The operations are primarily aimed at:*

- *supporting state-building and institutional development*
- *promoting social and economic development,*
- *mitigating the effects on the Palestinian population of the deteriorating economic, fiscal and humanitarian conditions through the provision of essential services and other support,*
- *contributing to reconstruction efforts in Gaza,*
- *contributing to the financing of the operation of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA) and in particular its health, education and social services programmes,*
- *financing preparatory operations aimed at promoting cooperation Israel and its neighbours in the context of the peace process, notably with regard to institutions: economic matters, water, the environment and energy,*
- *financing activities designed to create a public opinion favourable to the peace process,*
- *financing information, including in Arabic and Hebrew, and disseminating information on Israeli-Palestinian cooperation,*
- *promoting respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, promoting enhanced respect for minority rights, combating anti-Semitism and promoting gender equality and non-discrimination.*
- *fostering the development of civil society, inter alia, to promote social inclusion.*

*An adequate level of appropriations should be reserved for the support of civil society organisations.*

**Justification:**

Recognizing the essential role that UNRWA plays as unique provider of vital services for millions of Palestine refugees, in a difficult context of growing humanitarian and development needs and at a time of rising political tensions, the EC should increase its financial support towards the Agency up to at least 142 million in 2021, as an investment towards regional stability, human development and the attainment of the 2030 Agenda.

Due to its political importance, funding for Palestine and UNRWA requires a separate budget line.

**Draft amendment 286**

==== DEVE/5702 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:**

*European Neighbourhood*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 01							150 000 000	10 645 798	150 000 000	10 645 798
Reserve										
Total							150 000 000	10 645 798	150 000 000	10 645 798

**Heading:**

*Mediterranean countries - human rights, good governance and mobility*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

Stronger engagement and heightened visibility of the EU in the Southern Neighbourhood should be a priority for the EU. Underlines the EU's active role in the Southern Mediterranean through bilateral agreements, support for democracy and good governance.

Human Rights, good governance and mobility are an absolute priority for the EU, especially with the deteriorating situation in the Mediterranean. As such this budget line should have sufficient funding.

EU budget transparency needs to be maintained, in order to ensure consistency, a more detailed budget structure has to be in place.

**Draft amendment 287**

==== DEVE/5703 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:**

*European Neighbourhood*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 02							775 000 000	58 257 018	775 000 000	58 257 018
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total							775 000 000	58 257 018	775 000 000	58 257 018

## Heading:

*Mediterranean countries - poverty reduction, sustainable development, energy*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

## Justification:

Poverty reduction and sustainable development are among the biggest priorities for the southern neighbourhood and a mean to solve many of the problems at their root. As such the line should have sufficient funding.

The transformation of the energy sector in line with the implementation of the Green Deal needs to be reflected in terms of new energy partnerships.

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## Draft amendment 288

==== DEVE/5704 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

## Heading:

*European Neighbourhood*

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 03

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 03							419 039 329	29 134 126	419 039 329	29 134 126
Reserve										
Total							419 039 329	29 134 126	419 039 329	29 134 126

## Heading:

*Mediterranean countries - Confidence building, security and the prevention and settlement of conflicts*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

## Justification:

Given the significant challenges in the Mediterranean region increased funds are needed in order to advance confidence building and intensify efforts aimed at improving local and regional security as well as the prevention and settlement of conflicts.

Stronger engagement and heightened visibility of the EU in the Southern Neighbourhood should be a priority for the EU. Underlines the EU's active role in the Southern Mediterranean through bilateral agreements, support for democracy and rule of law and actions to tackle the instability in various countries.

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## Draft amendment 289

==== DEVE/5705 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

## Heading:

*European Neighbourhood*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 04

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 04							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341
Reserve										
Total							389 715 267	27 095 341	389 715 267	27 095 341

**Heading:**

*Support to the peace process and financial assistance to Palestine and to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA)*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

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- promoting social and economic development,*
- mitigating the effects on the Palestinian population of the deteriorating economic, fiscal and humanitarian conditions through the provision of essential services and other support,*
- contributing to reconstruction efforts in Gaza,*
- contributing to the financing of the operation of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA) and in particular its health, education and social services programmes,*
- financing preparatory operations aimed at promoting cooperation between Israel and its neighbours in the context of the peace process, notably with regard to institutions, economic matters, water, the environment and energy,*
- financing activities designed to create a public opinion favourable to the peace process,*
- financing information, including in Arabic and Hebrew, and disseminating information on Israeli-Palestinian cooperation,*
- promoting respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, promoting enhanced respect for minority rights, combating anti-Semitism and promoting gender equality and non-discrimination,*
- fostering the development of civil society, inter alia, to promote social inclusion.*

*An adequate level of appropriations should be reserved for the support of civil society organisations.*

**Justification:**

Recognizing the essential role that UNRWA plays as unique provider of vital services for millions of Palestine refugees, in a difficult context of growing humanitarian and development needs and at a time of rising political tensions, the EU should increase its financial support towards the Agency up to at least 142 million in 2021, as an investment towards regional stability, human development and the attainment of the 2030 Agenda.

Due to its political importance, funding for Palestine and UNRWA requires a separate budget line.

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**Draft amendment 290** ==== DEVE/5706 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

**Heading:**

*European Neighbourhood*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 05

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 05							14 359 297	998 344	14 359 297	998 344
Reserve										
Total							14 359 297	998 344	14 359 297	998 344

### Heading:

*Support to the political process in Lybia*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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## Draft amendment 291

=== DEVE/5707 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

### Heading:

*European Neighbourhood*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 06

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 06							590 000 000	37 306 115	590 000 000	37 306 115
Reserve										
Total							590 000 000	37 306 115	590 000 000	37 306 115

### Heading:

*Eastern Partnership - Associated countries*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### Justification:

Given the increasing deterioration in the security environment by the EU's borders it is important to continue confidence building with the Eastern partners.

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## Draft amendment 292

=== DEVE/5708 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

### Heading:

*European Neighbourhood*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 07

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 07							111 404 418	7 745 503	111 404 418	7 745 503
Reserve										
Total							111 404 418	7 745 503	111 404 418	7 745 503

**Heading:***Eastern Partnership - Non-associated countries***Remarks:**Add following text:*The support for Azerbaijan and Belarus under this budget line shall be limited to support for civil society and non-state actors, as well as people-to-people contacts.***Justification:**

Given the increasing deterioration in the security environment by the EU's borders it is important to continue confidence building with the Eastern partners, special focus is needed on democracy building in Belarus.

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**Draft amendment 293**

==== DEVE/5709 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05****Heading:***European Neighbourhood*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05 08**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 08							245 801 397	17 089 586	245 801 397	17 089 586
Reserve										
Total							245 801 397	17 089 586	245 801 397	17 089 586

**Heading:***Support to multi-country cooperation in the neighbourhood***Remarks:**Add following text:*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.***Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 294**

==== DEVE/5710 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05****Heading:***European Neighbourhood*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05 09**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 09							70 746 619	4 918 729	70 746 619	4 918 729
Reserve										
Total							70 746 619	4 918 729	70 746 619	4 918 729

**Heading:***Cross-border cooperation (CBC)*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 296**

=== DEVE/5712 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05**

**Heading:**

*European Neighbourhood*  
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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05 10**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 10							506 036 579		506 036 579	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							506 036 579		506 036 579	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Neighbourhood - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 984**

=== EPP//7073 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05**

**Heading:**

*European Neighbourhood*  
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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 05 06**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 06							610 000 000	39 000 000	610 000 000	39 000 000
Reserve										
Total							610 000 000	39 000 000	610 000 000	39 000 000

**Heading:**

*Eastern Partnership - Associated countries*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

Given the increasing deterioration in the security environment by the EU borders it is important to continue

confidence building with the Eastern partners. To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

## Draft amendment 985

=== EPP//7074 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

#### Heading:

*European Neighbourhood*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05 07

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05 07							120 000 000	9 000 000	120 000 000	9 000 000
Reserve										
Total							120 000 000	9 000 000	120 000 000	9 000 000

#### Heading:

*Eastern Partnership - Non-associated countries*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*The support for Azerbaijan and Belarus under this budget line shall be limited to support for civil society and non-state actors, as well as people-to-people contacts.*

#### Justification:

Given the increasing deterioration in the security environment by the EU's borders it is important to continue confidence building with the Eastern partners, special focus is needed on democracy building in Belarus.

## Draft amendment 893

=== S&D//7388 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 05

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 05							371 302 630	15 391 165	371 302 630	15 391 165
Reserve										
Total							371 302 630	15 391 165	371 302 630	15 391 165

#### Heading:

*People: health; access to safe water, sanitation and hygiene; education; gender equality and women's and girls' empowerment; children and youth; migration, mobility and forced displacement; decent work, social protection, inequality; culture*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*New line*

#### Justification:

Funding needed for vital services, including Covid 19 counter measures. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

## Draft amendment 384

=== AFET/6514 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06

**Heading:**

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06 06

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 06							755 734 096		755 734 096	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							755 734 096		755 734 096	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Sub-Saharan Africa - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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## Draft amendment 385

=== AFET/6515 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06

**Heading:**

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06 03

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 03							1 010 398 642	24 681 485	1 010 398 642	24 681 485
Reserve										
Total							1 010 398 642	24 681 485	1 010 398 642	24 681 485

**Heading:**

*East Africa, the Horn of Africa and the Indian Ocean*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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## Draft amendment 386

=== AFET/6516 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06

Heading:  
Sub-Saharan Africa

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 01							1 503 432 024	36 725 044	1 503 432 024	36 725 044
Reserve										
Total							1 503 432 024	36 725 044	1 503 432 024	36 725 044

Heading:  
West Africa and the Sahel

Remarks:

Add following text:

To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Draft amendment 392

== AFET/6522 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06

Heading:  
Sub-Saharan Africa

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 02							352 464 643	8 609 820	352 464 643	8 609 820
Reserve										
Total							352 464 643	8 609 820	352 464 643	8 609 820

Heading:  
Central Africa

Remarks:

Add following text:

To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Draft amendment 394

== AFET/6524 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06

Heading:  
Sub-Saharan Africa

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06 05**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 05							112 343 760	2 744 274	112 343 760	2 744 274
Reserve										
Total							112 343 760	2 744 274	112 343 760	2 744 274

#### Heading:

*Pan-African programme*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

#### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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### Draft amendment 395

=== AFET/6525 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06**

#### Heading:

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06 04**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 04							668 779 065	16 336 582	668 779 065	16 336 582
Reserve										
Total							668 779 065	16 336 582	668 779 065	16 336 582

#### Heading:

*Southern Africa*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

#### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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### Draft amendment 298

=== DEVE/5714 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06**

#### Heading:

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06 01**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 01							1 503 432 024	36 725 044	1 503 432 024	36 725 044
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total							1 503 432 024	36 725 044	1 503 432 024	36 725 044

## Heading:

*West Africa and the Sahel*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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## Draft amendment 299

=== DEVE/5715 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06

## Heading:

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 02							352 464 643	8 609 820	352 464 643	8 609 820
Reserve										
Total							352 464 643	8 609 820	352 464 643	8 609 820

## Heading:

*Central Africa*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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## Draft amendment 300

=== DEVE/5716 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06

## Heading:

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 06 03

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 03							1 010 398 642	24 681 485	1 010 398 642	24 681 485
Reserve										
Total							1 010 398 642	24 681 485	1 010 398 642	24 681 485

## Heading:

*East Africa, the Horn of Africa and the Indian Ocean*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 301**

=== DEVE/5717 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06**

**Heading:**

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06 04**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 04							668 779 065	16 336 582	668 779 065	16 336 582
Reserve										
Total							668 779 065	16 336 582	668 779 065	16 336 582

**Heading:**

*Southern Africa*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 302**

=== DEVE/5718 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06**

**Heading:**

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06 05**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 05							112 343 760	2 744 274	112 343 760	2 744 274
Reserve										
Total							112 343 760	2 744 274	112 343 760	2 744 274

**Heading:**

*Pan-African programme*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 303**

==== DEVE/5719 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06**

**Heading:**

*Sub-Saharan Africa*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06 06**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06 06							755 734 096		755 734 096	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							755 734 096		755 734 096	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Sub-Saharan Africa - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 894**

==== S&D//7389 ====

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 06**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 06							246 647 022	10 240 922	246 647 022	10 240 922
Reserve										
Total							246 647 022	10 240 922	246 647 022	10 240 922

**Heading:**

*Planet: environment, climate action, biodiversity, sustainable energy*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*New line*

**Justification:**

Funding needed for climate action and the external dimension of the Green Deal. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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**Draft amendment 388**

==== AFET/6518 ====

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

Asia and the Pacific

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 01							70 874 774		70 874 774	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							70 874 774		70 874 774	p.m.

Heading:

Iraq

Remarks:

Add following text:

To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

Draft amendment 390

== AFET/6520 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07

Heading:

Asia and the Pacific

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 02							44 236 466		44 236 466	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							44 236 466		44 236 466	p.m.

Heading:

Middle East

Remarks:

Add following text:

To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

Draft amendment 391

== AFET/6521 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07

Heading:

Asia and the Pacific

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07 10

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 10							217 719 705		217 719 705	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							217 719 705		217 719 705	p.m.

### Heading:

*Asia and the Pacific - Provisioning of the Commun Provisioning Fund*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation*

### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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### Draft amendment 393

=== AFET/6523 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07

### Heading:

*Asia and the Pacific*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07 05

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 05							343 766 761		343 766 761	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							343 766 761		343 766 761	p.m.

### Heading:

*South Asia*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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### Draft amendment 396

=== AFET/6526 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07

### Heading:

*Asia and the Pacific*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07 06

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 06							172 003 916		172 003 916	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							172 003 916		172 003 916	p.m.

### Heading:

*Southeast Asia*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

**Draft amendment 397**

== AFET/6527 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

*Asia and the Pacific*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 07**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 07							9 160 685		9 160 685	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							9 160 685		9 160 685	p.m.

**Heading:**

*East Asia*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

**Draft amendment 398**

== AFET/6528 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

*Asia and the Pacific*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 08**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 08							1 000 000		1 000 000	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							1 000 000		1 000 000	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Australia and New Zealand*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 399**

==== AFET/6529 ====

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

*Asia and the Pacific*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 09**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 09							73 606 069		73 606 069	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							73 606 069		73 606 069	p.m.

**Heading:**

*The Pacific*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 305**

==== DEVE/5721 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

*Asia and the Pacific*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 01**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 01							70 874 774		70 874 774	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							70 874 774		70 874 774	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Iraq*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 306**

==== DEVE/5722 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 07  
Heading:  
Asia and the Pacific

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 07 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 02							44 236 466		44 236 466	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							44 236 466		44 236 466	p.m.

Heading:  
Middle East  
Remarks:  
Add following text:  
To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.  
Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Draft amendment 307  
Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 07  
Heading:  
Asia and the Pacific

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 07 03

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 03							216 481 452		216 481 452	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							216 481 452		216 481 452	p.m.

Heading:  
Afghanistan  
Remarks:  
Add following text:  
To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.  
Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Draft amendment 308  
Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 07  
Heading:  
Asia and the Pacific

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 04**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 04							120 655 865		120 655 865	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							120 655 865		120 655 865	p.m.

#### Heading:

*Central Asia*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

#### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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### Draft amendment 309

=== DEVE/5725 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

#### Heading:

*Asia and the Pacific*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 05**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 05							343 766 761		343 766 761	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							343 766 761		343 766 761	p.m.

#### Heading:

*South Asia*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

#### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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### Draft amendment 310

=== DEVE/5726 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

#### Heading:

*Asia and the Pacific*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 06**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 06							172 003 916		172 003 916	p.m.
Reserve										

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Total							172 003 916		172 003 916	p.m.

## Heading:

*Southeast Asia*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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## Draft amendment 311

=== DEVE/5727 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07

## Heading:

*Asia and the Pacific*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07 07

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 07							9 160 685		9 160 685	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							9 160 685		9 160 685	p.m.

## Heading:

*East Asia*

## Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

## Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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## Draft amendment 312

=== DEVE/5728 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07

## Heading:

*Asia and the Pacific*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07 08

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 08							1 000 000		1 000 000	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							1 000 000		1 000 000	p.m.

## Heading:

*Australia and New Zealand*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 313**

=== DEVE/5729 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

*Asia and the Pacific*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 09**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 09							73 606 069		73 606 069	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							73 606 069		73 606 069	p.m.

**Heading:**

*The Pacific*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 314**

=== DEVE/5730 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

*Asia and the Pacific*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 10**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 10							217 719 705		217 719 705	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							217 719 705		217 719 705	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Asia and the Pacific - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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**Draft amendment 891**

==== S&D//7386 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07							59 183 794	10 358 635	59 183 794	10 358 635
Reserve										
Total							59 183 794	10 358 635	59 183 794	10 358 635

**Heading:**

*Improving the reliability of electoral processes, in particular by means of election observation missions*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*New line*

**Justification:**

EOM continue to be one of the most important tools for supporting democratic ambitions and electoral reforms. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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**Draft amendment 400**

==== AFET/6530 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

*Asia and the Pacific*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07 03**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 03							216 481 452		216 481 452	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							216 481 452		216 481 452	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Afghanistan*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 401**

==== AFET/6531 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 07**

**Heading:**

Asia and the Pacific

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 07 04

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 07 04							120 655 865		120 655 865	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							120 655 865		120 655 865	p.m.

Heading:

Central Asia

Remarks:

Add following text:

To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

Draft amendment 402

== AFET/6532 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

Heading:

Americas and the Caribbean

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 01							136 695 435		136 695 435	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							136 695 435		136 695 435	p.m.

Heading:

Mexico and Central America

Remarks:

Add following text:

Latin American countries, including countries in the Mexican and Central American region, are suffering particularly badly from the COVID pandemic. Public health and social protection systems need strengthening. Better domestic resource mobilisation capability and public finance management would facilitate this and increased fiscal redistribution capacity is also needed. This appropriation will also increase the EU's contribution to the EUROsociAL+ programme, which addresses social cohesion through social, economic, fiscal and justice policies.

The economic recovery programmes should take into account Paris Agreement commitments and promote sustainable and circular economy models that use waste as secondary raw materials. The appropriation should also be used for increasing the EU's contribution to climate change adaptation through programmes such as EUROCLIMA+.

The actions financed with this appropriation will support the Sustainable Development Goals 1, poverty reduction, and 10, inequality reduction, and stimulate greater domestic efforts.

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

**Heading:**  
*Americas and the Caribbean*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08 04

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 04							4 000 000		4 000 000	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							4 000 000		4 000 000	p.m.

**Heading:**  
*United States and Canada*

**Remarks:**  
Add following text:  
*New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices*

**Justification:**  
New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

**Heading:**  
*Americas and the Caribbean*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08 05

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 05							87 078 042		87 078 042	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							87 078 042		87 078 042	p.m.

**Heading:**  
*Americas and the Caribbean - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

**Remarks:**  
Add following text:  
*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**  
New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

**Heading:***Americas and the Caribbean*

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 08 02**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 02							180 000 000		180 000 000	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							180 000 000		180 000 000	p.m.

**Heading:***South America***Remarks:**Add following text:

*Latin American countries, including countries in South America, are suffering particularly badly from the COVID pandemic. Public health and social protection systems need strengthening. Better domestic resource mobilisation capability and public finance management would facilitate this and increased fiscal redistribution capacity is also needed. This appropriation will also increase the EU's contribution to the EUROsociAL+ programme, which addresses social cohesion through social, economic, fiscal and justice policies.*

*The economic recovery programmes should take into account Paris Agreement commitments and promote sustainable and circular economy models that use waste as secondary raw materials. The appropriation should also be used for increasing the EU's contribution to climate change adaptation through programmes such as EUROCLIMA+.*

*The actions financed with this appropriation will support the Sustainable Development Goals 1, poverty reduction, and 10, inequality reduction, and stimulate greater domestic efforts.*

**Justification:**

Countries in South America are suffering particularly badly from the COVID pandemic.

A number of South American countries are natural allies of the EU in multilateral fora. It's extremely important for the EU to have a strong presence in South America.

This budget line has to be used to deal specifically with the migration crisis in Venezuela, the largest external displacement crisis in Latin America's recent history.

**Draft amendment 406**

== AFET/6536 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 08****Heading:***Americas and the Caribbean*

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 08 03**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 03							126 080 072		126 080 072	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							126 080 072		126 080 072	p.m.

**Heading:***The Caribbean***Remarks:**Add following text:

*Caribbean countries are suffering badly from the COVID pandemic. Public health and social protection systems need strengthening. Better domestic resource mobilisation capability and public finance management would facilitate this and increased fiscal redistribution capacity is also needed. This appropriation will also increase the EU's contribution to the EUROsociAL+ programme, which addresses social cohesion through social, economic, fiscal and justice policies.*

*The economic recovery programmes should take into account Paris Agreement commitments and promote sustainable and circular economy models that use waste as secondary raw materials. The appropriation should also be used for increasing the EU's contribution to climate change adaptation through programmes such as EUROCLIMA+.*

*The actions financed with this appropriation will support the Sustainable Development Goals 1, poverty reduction, and 10, inequality reduction, and stimulate greater domestic efforts.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Draft amendment 317

DEVE/5733

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

**Heading:**

*Americas and the Caribbean*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 01							136 695 435		136 695 435	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							136 695 435		136 695 435	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Mexico and Central America*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*Latin American countries, including countries in the Mexican and Central American region, are suffering particularly badly from the COVID pandemic. Public health and social protection systems need strengthening. Better domestic resource mobilisation capability and public finance management would facilitate this and increased fiscal redistribution capacity is also needed. This appropriation will also increase the EU's contribution to the EUROsociAL+ programme, which addresses social cohesion through social, economic, fiscal and justice policies.*

*The economic recovery programmes should take into account Paris Agreement commitments and promote sustainable and circular economy models that use waste as secondary raw materials. The appropriation should also be used for increasing the EU's contribution to climate change adaptation through programmes such as EUROCLIMA+.*

*The actions financed with this appropriation will support the Sustainable Development Goals 1, poverty reduction, and 10, inequality reduction, and stimulate greater domestic efforts.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Draft amendment 318

DEVE/5734

Tabled by Committee on Development

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

**Heading:***Americas and the Caribbean*

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 02							180 000 000		180 000 000	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							180 000 000		180 000 000	p.m.

**Heading:***South America***Remarks:**Add following text:

*Latin American countries, including countries in South America, are suffering particularly badly from the COVID pandemic. Public health and social protection systems need strengthening. Better domestic resource mobilisation capability and public finance management would facilitate this and increased fiscal redistribution capacity is also needed. This appropriation will also increase the EU's contribution to the EUROsociAL+ programme, which addresses social cohesion through social, economic, fiscal and justice policies.*

*The economic recovery programmes should take into account Paris Agreement commitments and promote sustainable and circular economy models that use waste as secondary raw materials. The appropriation should also be used for increasing the EU's contribution to climate change adaptation through programmes such as EUROCLIMA+.*

*The actions financed with this appropriation will support the Sustainable Development Goals 1, poverty reduction, and 10, inequality reduction, and stimulate greater domestic efforts.*

**Justification:**

Countries in South America are suffering particularly badly from the COVID pandemic.

A number of South American countries are natural allies of the EU in multilateral fora. It's extremely important for the EU to have a strong presence in South America.

This budget line has to be used to deal specifically with the migration crisis in Venezuela, the largest external displacement crisis in Latin America's recent history.

**Draft amendment 319**

=== DEVE/5735 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

**Heading:***Americas and the Caribbean*

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08 03

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 03							126 080 072		126 080 072	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							126 080 072		126 080 072	p.m.

**Heading:***The Caribbean*

Remarks:

Add following text:  
*Caribbean countries are suffering badly from the COVID pandemic. Public health and social protection systems need strengthening. Better domestic resource mobilisation capability and public finance management would facilitate this and increased fiscal redistribution capacity is also needed. This appropriation will also increase the EU's contribution to the EUROsociAL+ programme, which addresses social cohesion through social, economic, fiscal and justice policies.*  
*The economic recovery programmes should take into account Paris Agreement commitments and promote sustainable and circular economy models that use waste as secondary raw materials. The appropriation should also be used for increasing the EU's contribution to climate change adaptation through programmes such as EUROCLIMA+.*  
*The actions financed with this appropriation will support the Sustainable Development Goals 1, poverty reduction, and 10, inequality reduction, and stimulate greater domestic efforts.*

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Draft amendment 320

== DEVE/5736 ==

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

Heading:

*Americas and the Caribbean*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08 04

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 04							4 000 000		4 000 000	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							4 000 000		4 000 000	p.m.

Heading:

*United States and Canada*

Remarks:

Add following text:  
*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

Draft amendment 321

== DEVE/5737 ==

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

Heading:

*Americas and the Caribbean*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08 05

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08 05							87 078 042		87 078 042	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							87 078 042		87 078 042	p.m.

### Heading:

*Americas and the Caribbean - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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### Draft amendment 892

=== S&D//7387 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 08

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 08							236 087 757	41 321 225	236 087 757	41 321 225
Reserve										
Total							236 087 757	41 321 225	236 087 757	41 321 225

### Heading:

*Enhancing the respect for and observance of human rights and fundamental freedoms and supporting democratic reforms, the rule of law, good governance and institution-building*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*New line*

### Justification:

Funding dedicated to the respect of human rights worldwide, including the Protect Defenders EU project. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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### Draft amendment 407

=== AFET/6537 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 09

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 09							14 142 857		14 142 857	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							14 142 857		14 142 857	p.m.

### Heading:

*ACP Programme*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 322**

==== DEVE/5738 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 09

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 09							14 142 857		14 142 857	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							14 142 857		14 142 857	p.m.

**Heading:**

*ACP Programme*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

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**Draft amendment 895**

==== S&D//7390 ====

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 09

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 09							246 647 022	10 240 922	246 647 022	10 240 922
Reserve										
Total							246 647 022	10 240 922	246 647 022	10 240 922

**Heading:**

*Prosperity: sustainable and inclusive growth; decent work; private sector engagement; food and nutrition security; sustainable agriculture*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*New line*

**Justification:**

Funding needed for food security. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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**Draft amendment 408**

==== AFET/6538 ====

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 10

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 10							260 639 792		260 639 792	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							260 639 792		260 639 792	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Erasmus + - NDICI contribution*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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**Draft amendment 324**

=== DEVE/5740 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 10**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 10							260 639 792		260 639 792	p.m.
Reserve										
Total							260 639 792		260 639 792	p.m.

**Heading:**

*Erasmus + - NDICI contribution*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation*

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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**Draft amendment 970**

=== EPP//7058 ===

Tabled by Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats)

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 10**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 10							14 000 000	11 000 000	14 000 000	11 000 000
Reserve										
Total							14 000 000	11 000 000	14 000 000	11 000 000

**Heading:**

*Erasmus + - NDICI contribution*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation*

**Justification:**

One of the 15 EP flagship programmes mentioned in the EP resolution in July 2020 after the European Council meeting on MFF. To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

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**Draft amendment 896**

=== S&D//7391 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 10**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 10							46 000 000	1 886 994	46 000 000	1 886 994

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Reserve										
Total							46 000 000	1 886 994	46 000 000	1 886 994

### Heading:

*Partnership: support for the SDG implementation process*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*New line*

### Justification:

Funding needed for triangular cooperation supporting the pursuit of the SDGs. The new nomenclature has to be detailed enough to guarantee the European Parliament the proper execution of its decision-making power over the allocation of funding over different priorities, as well as its power of scrutiny over the implementation of programmes.

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### Draft amendment 409

=== AFET/6539 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Add: 15 02 11

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 11									p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total									p.m.	p.m.

### Heading:

*European Development Fund - ACP Investment Facility Reflows*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### Justification:

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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### Draft amendment 326

=== DEVE/5742 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Add: 15 02 11

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 11									p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total									p.m.	p.m.

### Heading:

*European Development Fund - ACP Investment Facility Reflows*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### Justification:

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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## Draft amendment 410

== AFET/6540 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 12

#### Heading:

*Human rights and democracy*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 12 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 12 02							236 087 757	41 321 225	236 087 757	41 321 225
Reserve										
Total							236 087 757	41 321 225	236 087 757	41 321 225

#### Heading:

*Enhancing the respect for and observance of human rights and fundamental freedoms and supporting democratic reforms, the rule of law, good governance and institution-building*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

#### Justification:

Enhancing the respect of human rights worldwide continues to be a core business for EU external action. It is important that enough financing is available to face the multiple human rights crisis throughout the world. The EU is committed to the protection of human rights in all its external action, including environmental policy. It should therefore have the means to substantially fund its project ProtectDefendersEU in order to extend and reinforce its protection of human rights defenders, including environmental defenders.

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## Draft amendment 411

== AFET/6541 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 12

#### Heading:

*Human rights and democracy*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 12 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 12 01							59 183 794	10 358 635	59 183 794	10 358 635
Reserve										
Total							59 183 794	10 358 635	59 183 794	10 358 635

#### Heading:

*Improving the reliability of electoral processes, in particular by means of election observation missions*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

#### Justification:

Electoral observation missions continue to be one of the most important tool for the EU.

This budget line should also support the democratic ambitions of communities, among others by supporting

local organisations working in the field of election observation and electoral reform, as foreseen under the new NDICI instrument.

The European Parliament should encourage the European Commission to consider proper enforceability of election observation recommendations when considering future election observation activities and contribution to electoral processes.

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**Draft amendment 328** === DEVE/5744 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 12

**Heading:**

*Human Rights and Democracy*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 12 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 12 01							59 183 794	10 358 635	59 183 794	10 358 635
Reserve										
Total							59 183 794	10 358 635	59 183 794	10 358 635

**Heading:**

*Improving the reliability of electoral processes, in particular by means of election observation missions*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

Electoral observation missions continue to be one of the most important tool for the EU.

This budget line should also support the democratic ambitions of communities, among others by supporting local organisations working in the field of election observation and electoral reform, as foreseen under the new NDICI instrument.

The European Parliament should encourage the European Commission to consider proper enforceability of election observation recommendations when considering future election observation activities and contribution to electoral processes.

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**Draft amendment 329** === DEVE/5745 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 12

**Heading:**

*Human rights and democracy*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 12 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 12 02							236 087 757	41 321 225	236 087 757	41 321 225
Reserve										
Total							236 087 757	41 321 225	236 087 757	41 321 225

**Heading:**

*Enhancing the respect for and observance of human rights and fundamental freedoms and supporting*

democratic reforms, the rule of law, good governance and institution-building

Remarks:

Add following text:

To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:

Enhancing the respect of human rights worldwide continues to be a core business for EU external action. It is important that enough financing is available to face the multiple human rights crisis throughout the world. The EU is committed to the protection of human rights in all its external action, including environmental policy. It should therefore have the means to substantially fund its project ProtectDefendersEU in order to extend and reinforce its protection of human rights defenders, including environmental defenders.

Draft amendment 412

AFET/6542

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 13

Heading:

Civil society and local authorities

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 13 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 13 01							287 007 843	3 139 412	287 007 843	3 139 412
Reserve										
Total							287 007 843	3 139 412	287 007 843	3 139 412

Heading:

Civil Society Organisations

Remarks:

Add following text:

To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

Draft amendment 413

AFET/6543

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 13

Heading:

Civil society and local authorities

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 13 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 13 02							65 302 760	2 678 824	65 302 760	2 678 824
Reserve										
Total							65 302 760	2 678 824	65 302 760	2 678 824

Heading:

Local Authorities

**Remarks:**

Add following text:  
*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

===== **Draft amendment 331** ===== **DEVE/5747** =====

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 13**

**Heading:**  
*Civil society and local authorities*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Add: 15 02 13 01**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 13 01							287 007 843	3 139 412	287 007 843	3 139 412
Reserve										
Total							287 007 843	3 139 412	287 007 843	3 139 412

**Heading:**  
*Civil Society Organisations*

**Remarks:**  
Add following text:  
*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

===== **Draft amendment 332** ===== **DEVE/5748** =====

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 13**

**Heading:**  
*Civil society and local authorities*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION  
**Add: 15 02 13 02**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 13 02							65 302 760	2 678 824	65 302 760	2 678 824
Reserve										
Total							65 302 760	2 678 824	65 302 760	2 678 824

**Heading:**  
*Local Authorities*

**Remarks:**  
Add following text:  
*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 414**

==== AFET/6544 ====

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 14**

**Heading:**

*Stability and Peace*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 14 01**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 14 01							41 654 302	10 252 359	41 654 302	10 252 359
Reserve										
Total							41 654 302	10 252 359	41 654 302	10 252 359

**Heading:**

*Conflict prevention, peace-building and crisis preparedness*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 415**

==== AFET/6545 ====

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 14**

**Heading:**

*Stability and Peace*

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 14 02**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 14 02							98 849 619	24 329 822	98 849 619	24 329 822
Reserve										
Total							98 849 619	24 329 822	98 849 619	24 329 822

**Heading:**

*Global and trans-regional threats and emerging threats*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

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**Draft amendment 334**

==== DEVE/5750 ====

Tabled by Committee on Development

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SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 14  
Heading:  
Stability and Peace

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 14 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 14 01							41 654 302	10 252 359	41 654 302	10 252 359
Reserve										
Total							41 654 302	10 252 359	41 654 302	10 252 359

Heading:  
Conflict prevention, peace-building and crisis preparedness

Remarks:  
Add following text:  
To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:  
New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

Draft amendment 335=== DEVE/5751 ===  
Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 14

Heading:  
Stability and Peace

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 14 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 14 02							98 849 619	24 329 822	98 849 619	24 329 822
Reserve										
Total							98 849 619	24 329 822	98 849 619	24 329 822

Heading:  
Global and trans-regional threats and emerging threats

Remarks:  
Add following text:  
To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.

Justification:  
New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices

Draft amendment 416=== AFET/6546 ===  
Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION  
Add: 15 02 15

Heading:  
Global challenges

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 15 01							371 302 630	15 391 165	371 302 630	15 391 165
Reserve										
Total							371 302 630	15 391 165	371 302 630	15 391 165

### Heading:

*People: health; access to safe water, sanitation and hygiene; education; gender equality and women's and girls' empowerment; children and youth; migration, mobility and forced displacement; decent work, social protection and inequality; culture*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to reinforce the support from other budget lines for the pursuit of the Sustainable Development Goals, including the SDGs 1: poverty elimination, 3: health, 4: education, 5: gender equality, 6: water and sanitation, 11: cities and communities, SDG 10: reduce inequality, and migration-related targets under SDG 10 and other SDGs. Expenditure choices shall be guided by the Agenda 2030 principles of addressing the needs of those furthest behind first and of leaving no one behind.*

*Actions funded should help limit impacts of climate change on vulnerable populations in developing countries, including through:*

- improvement of their health status and access to health care services,*
- improvement of their access to safe water and sanitation,*
- improvement of their knowledge, understanding and ability to adapt to impacts of climate change,*
- improvement of their housing,*
- identification and specific addressing of vulnerabilities to such impacts of women, children, indigenous people, migrants and other groups known to often be worse affected than others and to have less resources to protect themselves,*
- interventions that increase the resilience to impacts of climate change of buildings and infrastructure associated with the provision of essential services,*
- promotion of initiatives to create an adequate global response to the phenomenon of climate-induced migration that protects rights of relevant migrants.*

*This appropriation will be used for supporting programmes implementing gender perspective in partner countries as the Spotlight programme that seeks to eliminate all forms of violence against women and girls, and for supporting programmes empowering people with disabilities in partner countries such as the Bridging the Gap programme.*

*Actions financed from this line will also support innovative learning and, in the context of the COVID pandemic, efforts to control contagion in schools and reopen closed schools safely.*

### Justification:

Additional funds are needed for this budget line, which includes health, to address the needs arising from the Covid19 crisis. The European Commission has sufficient capacity to absorb the additional funds, as shown by the additional allocations to the NDICI that the European Commission proposed in its May MFF proposal. New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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### Draft amendment 417

== AFET/6547 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15

### Heading:

*Global challenges*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 15 02**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 15 02							300 091 657	12 433 307	300 091 657	12 433 307
Reserve										
Total							300 091 657	12 433 307	300 091 657	12 433 307

#### Heading:

*Planet: environment, climate action, biodiversity, sustainable energy*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to reinforce the support from other budget lines for the pursuit of the Sustainable Development Goals, in particular the SDGs 13: climate action, 14: life below water and 15: life on land.*

*Actions financed shall seek to maximise positive outcomes for vulnerable people, e.g. in relation to the availability of natural resources on which they depend and the control of risks to their livelihoods, to their health and to their physical security stemming from impacts of climate change and from degradation of the environment.*

*Actions financed under this line will also support the external dimension of the Green Deal.*

#### Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices. Additional funds are needed for this budget line, which includes food security, to meet the urgent needs of the over 800 million food insecure, the over 100 million acutely food insecure, and the around 130 million stunted children under five.

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### Draft amendment 418

== AFET/6548 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 15**

#### Heading:

*Global challenges*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 15 03**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 15 03							246 647 022	10 240 922	246 647 022	10 240 922
Reserve										
Total							246 647 022	10 240 922	246 647 022	10 240 922

#### Heading:

*Prosperity: sustainable and inclusive growth; decent jobs; private sector engagement; food and nutrition security; sustainable agriculture*

#### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to reinforce the support from other budget lines for the pursuit of the Sustainable Development Goals, including SDGs 2: zero hunger, 8: decent work and economic growth, and 9: industry, innovation infrastructure. Expenditure choices shall be guided by the Agenda 2030 principles of addressing the needs of those furthest behind first and of leaving no one behind.*

*Actions funded should help limit impacts of climate change on vulnerable populations in developing countries, including through:*

*- addressing climate-related risks to food and nutrition security,*

- addressing risks to livelihoods stemming from impacts of climate change and promoting sustainable economic activities,
- promoting vulnerable people’s access to goods and assets that can help them adapt to impacts of climate change or help them recover from shocks caused by such impacts.

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices. Additional funds are needed for this budget line, which includes food security, to meet the urgent needs of the over 800 million food insecure, the over 100 million acutely food insecure, and the around 130 million stunted children under five.

**Draft amendment 419**

== AFET/6549 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15

**Heading:**

*Global challenges*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15 04

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 15 04							46 000 000	1 886 994	46 000 000	1 886 994
Reserve										
Total							46 000 000	1 886 994	46 000 000	1 886 994

**Heading:**

*Partnership: support for the SDG implementation process*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*Expenditure from this line shall include support for triangular cooperation supporting the pursuit of the SDGs and recovery from the Covid-19 pandemic. Capacities of middle income countries, including of countries recently graduated from the OECD’s Development Assistance Committee’s list of recipients of official development assistance, shall be engaged where useful. In Covid-19 and other contexts, participation as an assistance-providing country shall not be considered contradictory to simultaneous reception of assistance of the same country.*

*Triangular cooperation should be oriented to promoting horizontal cooperation and strengthening of regional integration.*

**Justification:**

Triangular cooperation is especially efficient in improving cooperation to respond to common challenges, as preventing, managing and recovering from natural disasters that slow down and interrupt development, as security challenges in a wide region (i.e. fight against crime, drugs and border management) or as adapting small businesses models to the new economic challenges emerged during the coronavirus crisis.

**Draft amendment 337**

== DEVE/5753 ==

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15

**Heading:**

*Global challenges*

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 15 01							371 302 630	15 391 165	371 302 630	15 391 165
Reserve										
Total							371 302 630	15 391 165	371 302 630	15 391 165

### Heading:

*People: health; access to safe water, sanitation and hygiene; education; gender equality and women's and girls' empowerment; children and youth; migration, mobility and forced displacement; decent work, social protection and inequality; culture*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to reinforce the support from other budget lines for the pursuit of the Sustainable Development Goals, including the SDGs 1: poverty elimination, 3: health, 4: education, 5: gender equality, 6: water and sanitation, 11: cities and communities, SDG 10: reduce inequality, and migration-related targets under SDG 10 and other SDGs. Expenditure choices shall be guided by the Agenda 2030 principles of addressing the needs of those furthest behind first and of leaving no one behind.*

*Actions funded should help limit impacts of climate change on vulnerable populations in developing countries, including through:*

- *improvement of their health status and access to health care services,*
- *improvement of their access to safe water and sanitation,*
- *improvement of their knowledge, understanding and ability to adapt to impacts of climate change,*
- *improvement of their housing,*
- *identification and specific addressing of vulnerabilities to such impacts of women, children, indigenous people, migrants and other groups known to often be worse affected than others and to have less resources to protect themselves,*
- *interventions that increase the resilience to impacts of climate change of buildings and infrastructure associated with the provision of essential services,*
- *promotion of initiatives to create an adequate global response to the phenomenon of climate-induced migration that protects rights of relevant migrants.*

*This appropriation will be used for supporting programmes implementing gender perspective in partner countries as the Spotlight programme that seeks to eliminate all forms of violence against women and girls, and for supporting programmes empowering people with disabilities in partner countries such as the Bridging the Gap programme.*

*Actions financed from this line will also support innovative learning and, in the context of the COVID pandemic, efforts to control contagion in schools and reopen closed schools safely.*

### Justification:

Additional funds are needed for this budget line, which includes health, to address the needs arising from the Covid19 crisis. The European Commission has sufficient capacity to absorb the additional funds, as shown by the additional allocations to the NDICI that the European Commission proposed in its May MFF proposal. New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

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### Draft amendment 338

===== DEVE/5754 =====

Tabled by Committee on Development

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15

### Heading:

*Global challenges*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 15 02							300 091 657	12 433 307	300 091 657	12 433 307
Reserve										
Total							300 091 657	12 433 307	300 091 657	12 433 307

**Heading:**

*Planet: environment, climate action, biodiversity, sustainable energy*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to reinforce the support from other budget lines for the pursuit of the Sustainable Development Goals, in particular the SDGs 13: climate action, 14: life below water and 15: life on land.*

*Actions financed shall seek to maximise positive outcomes for vulnerable people, e.g. in relation to the availability of natural resources on which they depend and the control of risks to their livelihoods, to their health and to their physical security stemming from impacts of climate change and from degradation of the environment.*

*Actions financed under this line will also support the external dimension of the Green Deal.*

**Justification:**

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices.

**Draft amendment 339**

=== DEVE/5755 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15

**Heading:**

*Global challenges*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15 03

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 15 03							246 647 022	10 240 922	246 647 022	10 240 922
Reserve										
Total							246 647 022	10 240 922	246 647 022	10 240 922

**Heading:**

*Prosperity: sustainable and inclusive growth; decent jobs; private sector engagement; food and nutrition security; sustainable agriculture*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to reinforce the support from other budget lines for the pursuit of the Sustainable Development Goals, including SDGs 2: zero hunger, 8: decent work and economic growth, and 9: industry, innovation infrastructure. Expenditure choices shall be guided by the Agenda 2030 principles of addressing the needs of those furthest behind first and of leaving no one behind.*

*Actions funded should help limit impacts of climate change on vulnerable populations in developing countries, including through:*

- addressing climate-related risks to food and nutrition security,*
- addressing risks to livelihoods stemming from impacts of climate change and promoting sustainable economic activities,*

- promoting vulnerable people’s access to goods and assets that can help them adapt to impacts of climate change or help them recover from shocks caused by such impacts.

Justification:

New nomenclature increasing transparency, predictability and proper Parliament influence over choices. Additional funds are needed for this budget line, which includes food security, to meet the urgent needs of the over 800 million food insecure, the over 100 million acutely food insecure, and the around 130 million stunted children under five.

Draft amendment 340

DEVE/5756

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15

Heading:

Global challenges

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 15 04

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 15 04							46 000 000	1 886 994	46 000 000	1 886 994
Reserve										
Total							46 000 000	1 886 994	46 000 000	1 886 994

Heading:

Partnership: support for the SDG implementation process

Remarks:

Add following text:

Expenditure from this line shall include support for triangular cooperation supporting the pursuit of the SDGs and recovery from the Covid-19 pandemic. Capacities of middle income countries, including of countries recently graduated from the OECD’s Development Assistance Committee’s list of recipients of official development assistance, shall be engaged where useful. In Covid-19 and other contexts, participation as an assistance-providing country shall not be considered contradictory to simultaneous reception of assistance of the same country.

Triangular cooperation should be oriented to promoting horizontal cooperation and strengthening of regional integration.

Justification:

Triangular cooperation is especially efficient in improving cooperation to respond to common challenges, as preventing, managing and recovering from natural disasters that slow down and interrupt development, as security challenges in a wide region (i.e. fight against crime, drugs and border management) or as adapting small businesses models to the new economic challenges emerged during the coronavirus crisis.

Draft amendment 420

AFET/6550

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 16

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 16							71 833 036	15 749 956	71 833 036	15 749 956
Reserve										
Total							71 833 036	15 749 956	71 833 036	15 749 956

Heading:

## *Foreign Policy needs and Priorities*

### **Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### **Justification:**

Renumbered in view of Parliament's demand for a thematic programme for foreign policy needs and priorities

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## **Draft amendment 342**

=== DEVE/5758 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 16**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 16							71 833 036	15 749 956	71 833 036	15 749 956
Reserve										
Total							71 833 036	15 749 956	71 833 036	15 749 956

### **Heading:**

*Foreign Policy needs and Priorities*

### **Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### **Justification:**

Renumbered in view of Parliament's demand for a thematic programme for foreign policy needs and priorities

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## **Draft amendment 421**

=== AFET/6551 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 17**

### **Heading:**

*Rapid response actions*

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 17 01**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 17 01							287 007 843	125 877 926	287 007 843	125 877 926
Reserve										
Total							287 007 843	125 877 926	287 007 843	125 877 926

### **Heading:**

*Crisis response*

### **Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

### **Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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## **Draft amendment 422**

=== AFET/6552 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 17

**Heading:**

*Rapid response actions*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 17 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 17 02							289 760 871	36 103 686	289 760 871	36 103 686
Reserve										
Total							289 760 871	36 103 686	289 760 871	36 103 686

**Heading:**

*Resilience*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to improve the resilience of people, communities, institutions and countries to resist, adapt and rapidly recover from natural and man-made disasters through actions related to:*

- short-term rehabilitation and reconstruction that enables victims of disasters, conflicts and global threats to benefit from a minimum of socio-economic integration and, as soon as possible, create the conditions to resume development based on long-term objectives set by affected countries and regions,*
- addressing urgent and immediate needs caused by forced displacement of people (refugees, displaced persons and returnees) following man-made and natural disasters,*
- helping countries, regions, local authorities or relevant non-governmental organizations to create mechanisms for the prevention and short-term preparedness for natural disasters, including anticipation and early warning, in order to mitigate the consequences of disasters*

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature. Additional funds are required in order be able to ever-growing humanitarian needs worsened by the steadily increasing frequency and severity of disasters associated with the progressing climate change. Scaling up actions to increase resilience is urgently needed, including for conflict prevention reasons.

**Draft amendment 344**

=== DEVE/5760 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 17

**Heading:**

*Rapid response actions*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 17 01

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 17 01							287 007 843	125 877 926	287 007 843	125 877 926
Reserve										
Total							287 007 843	125 877 926	287 007 843	125 877 926

**Heading:**

*Crisis response*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

**Draft amendment 346**

== DEVE/5762 ==

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 17

**Heading:**

*Rapid response actions*

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 17 02

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 17 02							289 760 871	36 103 686	289 760 871	36 103 686
Reserve										
Total							289 760 871	36 103 686	289 760 871	36 103 686

**Heading:**

*Resilience*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to improve the resilience of people, communities, institutions and countries to resist, adapt and rapidly recover from natural and man-made disasters through actions related to:*

- short-term rehabilitation and reconstruction that enables victims of disasters, conflicts and global threats to benefit from a minimum of socio-economic integration and, as soon as possible, create the conditions to resume development based on long-term objectives set by affected countries and regions,*
- addressing urgent and immediate needs caused by forced displacement of people (refugees, displaced persons and returnees) following man-made and natural disasters,*
- helping countries, regions, local authorities or relevant non-governmental organizations to create mechanisms for the prevention and short-term preparedness for natural disasters, including anticipation and early warning, in order to mitigate the consequences of disasters*

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature. Additional funds are required in order to be able to ever-growing humanitarian needs worsened by the steadily increasing frequency and severity of disasters associated with the progressing climate change. Scaling up actions to increase resilience is urgently needed, including for conflict prevention reasons.

**Draft amendment 423**

== AFET/6553 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Add: 15 02 18

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 18									p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total									p.m.	p.m.

**Heading:**

*European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI) - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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**Draft amendment 348**

=== DEVE/5764 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 02 18**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 02 18									p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total									p.m.	p.m.

**Heading:**

*European Union Recovery Instrument (EURI) - Provisioning of the Common Provisioning Fund*

**Remarks:**

Add following text:

*To be aligned to the final NDICI regulation.*

**Justification:**

Number change as a consequence of new nomenclature

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**Draft amendment 349**

=== DEVE/5765 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 15 03 01 — Humanitarian aid****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 01	1 527 234 779	1 212 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	515 709 804	515 709 794	1 907 222 254	2 315 709 794
Reserve										
Total	1 527 234 779	1 212 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	515 709 804	515 709 794	1 907 222 254	2 315 709 794

**Justification:**

The new commitment figure is the figure for the 2019 outturn. The COVID-pandemic will keep generating huge new needs, as a consequence of both its direct and indirect health and other impacts. The Solidarity and Emergency Aid Reserve will also be for intra-EU action, making the possibilities to mobilise it for reinforcing this line uncertain.

The level of the payments appropriation must be equal or superior to that of the commitments to ensure predictability of funding. The difference between the appropriations in the DB is preserved.

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**Draft amendment 512**

=== GUE/8003 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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## SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 15 03 01 — Humanitarian aid****Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 01	1 527 234 779	1 212 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	198 487 550	250 000 000	1 590 000 000	2 050 000 000

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
Reserve										
Total	1 527 234 779	1 212 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	198 487 550	250 000 000	1 590 000 000	2 050 000 000

### Justification:

The EU is the world's leading humanitarian aid donor, providing a major proportion of global funding for emergency relief to victims of man-made and natural disasters, with a special focus on food and nutrition, shelter, healthcare, water and sanitation and education in emergencies. Given the increased needs worldwide and also the fact that the NGEU top-up of EUR 5 bil. has been cancelled by the Council, the amendment proposes the increase of the resources targeted to humanitarian aid.

### Draft amendment 897

=== S&D//7392 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 15 03 01 — Humanitarian aid

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 01	1 527 234 779	1 212 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	100 000 000	100 000 000	1 491 512 450	1 900 000 000
Reserve										
Total	1 527 234 779	1 212 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	100 000 000	100 000 000	1 491 512 450	1 900 000 000

### Justification:

The COVID-pandemic will keep generating huge new needs, as a consequence of both its direct and indirect health and other impacts. The Solidarity and Emergency Aid Reserve will also be for intra-EU action, making the possibilities to mobilise it for reinforcing this line uncertain.

### Draft amendment 496

=== VERT/7645 ===

Tabled by Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 15 03 01 — Humanitarian aid

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 01	1 527 234 779	1 212 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	135 722 329		1 527 234 779	1 800 000 000
Reserve										
Total	1 527 234 779	1 212 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	1 391 512 450	1 800 000 000	135 722 329		1 527 234 779	1 800 000 000

### Justification:

Due to the growing global threat, there is no reason why the Humanitarian Aid should be reduced compared to 2020.

### Draft amendment 350

=== DEVE/5766 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 15 03 02 — Disaster prevention, disaster risk reduction and preparedness

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 02	50 000 000	53 700 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	50 000 000	56 385 000	125 000 000	125 000 000
Reserve										
Total	50 000 000	53 700 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	50 000 000	56 385 000	125 000 000	125 000 000

Justification:

Action financed from this line needs to be scaled up radically, as climate change continues and drives steady increases in the frequency and severity of natural disasters and creates conditions for more and worsening man-made disasters.

The level of the payments appropriation must be equal or superior to that of the commitments appropriation to ensure predictability of funding.

Draft amendment 351

DEVE/5767

Tabled by Committee on Development

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 15 03 02 — Disaster prevention, disaster risk reduction and preparedness

Amend remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 02	50 000 000	53 700 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	75 000 000	68 615 000			75 000 000	68 615 000
Reserve										
Total	50 000 000	53 700 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	75 000 000	68 615 000			75 000 000	68 615 000

Remarks:

After table:

Other assigned revenue

100 000 6501

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to provide funds for a new comprehensive EU strategy and actions to limiting and manage impacts of climate change on vulnerable populations in developing countries. This appropriation is intended to prevent, reduce and prepare for disasters in developing countries, and respond to humanitarian needs of displaced persons in the context of disasters and climate change through actions related to:*

- helping countries, regions, local authorities or relevant non-governmental organizations to create mechanisms for the prevention, risk reduction and short-term preparedness for natural disasters, including anticipation and early warning, in order to mitigate the consequences of disasters*
- increasing capacities to rapidly respond to needs for humanitarian aid, as global heating will inevitably keep increasing such needs.*

Justification:

As climate change and human action are accelerating the number and intensity of disasters, this budget line should be increased to react rapid and efficiently to the humanitarian needs in the context of disasters.

Draft amendment 513

GUE/8004

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

SECTION III — COMMISSION

Article 15 03 02 — Disaster prevention, disaster risk reduction and preparedness

Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 02	50 000 000	53 700 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	11 000 000	10 285 000	86 000 000	78 900 000
Reserve										
Total	50 000 000	53 700 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	11 000 000	10 285 000	86 000 000	78 900 000

Justification:

This appropriation is intended to finance operations at country, regional and global levels to prepare the response for and mitigate the impact of disasters caused by rapid and slow on-set natural hazards (such as floods, cyclones, earthquakes, drought, sea level rise) or comparable emergencies caused by other threats (such as violence, conflict, industrial hazards, health related hazards, including epidemics). Given the

increased needs worldwide and also the fact that the NGEU top-up of EUR 5 bil. has been cancelled by the Council, the amendment proposes the above increase.

## Draft amendment 898

=== S&D//7393 ===

Tabled by Group of the Progressive Alliance of Socialists and Democrats in the European Parliament

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Article 15 03 02** — Disaster prevention, disaster risk reduction and preparedness

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 02	50 000 000	53 700 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	50 000 000	50 000 000	125 000 000	118 615 000
Reserve										
Total	50 000 000	53 700 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	75 000 000	68 615 000	50 000 000	50 000 000	125 000 000	118 615 000

### Justification:

Additional funding is needed, as climate change continues and drives steady increases in the frequency and severity of natural disasters and creates conditions for more and worsening human-made disasters.

## Draft amendment 352

=== DEVE/5768 ===

Tabled by Committee on Development

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

**Add: 15 03 03**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 03 03							20 000 000	15 000 000	20 000 000	15 000 000
Reserve										
Total							20 000 000	15 000 000	20 000 000	15 000 000

### Heading:

*Union Aid Volunteers initiative - Strengthening the Union's capacity to respond to humanitarian crisis*

### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This appropriation is intended to cover the implementation of the European Voluntary Humanitarian Aid Corps ('EU Aid Volunteers initiative').*

*The objective of the EU Aid Volunteers initiative is to contribute to strengthening the Union's capacity to provide needs-based humanitarian aid aimed at preserving life, preventing and alleviating human suffering, and maintaining human dignity, and to strengthening the capacity and resilience of vulnerable or disaster-affected communities in third countries, particularly by means of disaster preparedness, disaster risk reduction and by enhancing the link between relief, rehabilitation and development. That objective shall be attained through the added value of joint contributions of EU Aid Volunteers, expressing the Union's values and solidarity with people in need and visibly promoting a sense of Union citizenship.*

*This appropriation is intended to cover the following measures and items of expenditure:*

- the certification of sending and hosting organisations,
- the identification and selection of candidate volunteers,
- the establishment of a training programme and support for training of candidate volunteers and apprenticeship placements,
- the establishment, maintenance and updating of a database of EU Aid Volunteers,
- the deployment of EU Aid Volunteers in order to support and complement humanitarian aid in third countries,
- capacity building of hosting organisations,
- technical assistance for sending organisations,

- the establishment and management of a network for the EU Aid Volunteers initiative,
- communication and awareness raising,
- ancillary activity that furthers the accountability, transparency and effectiveness of the EU Aid Volunteers initiative.

Any income from additional financial contributions from Member States and contributions from third countries or from bodies other than those set up under the TFEU or the Euratom Treaty to certain external aid actions or programmes financed by the Union and managed by the Commission may give rise to the provision of additional appropriations. Such contributions under Article 6 3 3 of the statement of revenue constitute assigned revenue under points (a)(ii) and (e) of Article 21(2) of the Financial Regulation. The amounts entered on the line for administrative support expenditure will be determined, without prejudice to Article 235(5) of the Financial Regulation, by the contribution agreement for each operational programme with an average not exceeding 4 % of the contributions for the corresponding programme for each chapter.

Other assigned revenue received under Item 6 6 0 0 of the statement of revenue may give rise to the provision of additional appropriations under this article, in accordance with Article 22(1) of the Financial Regulation.

### **Legal basis:**

Add following text:

*Regulation (EU) No 375/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 3 April 2014 establishing the European Voluntary Humanitarian Aid Corps ('EU Aid Volunteers initiative') (OJ L 122, 24.4.2014, p. 1).*

*Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 1244/2014 of 20 November 2014 laying down rules for the implementation of Regulation (EU) No 375/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the European Voluntary Humanitarian Aid Corps ('EU Aid Volunteers initiative') (OJ L 334, 21.11.2014, p. 52).*

*Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 1398/2014 of 24 October 2014 laying down standards regarding candidate volunteers and EU Aid Volunteers (OJ L 373, 31.12.2014, p. 8).*

### **Justification:**

There is a need to ensure the continuity of the EUAVI under the current Regulation (EU) No 375/2014, which covers volunteers of all ages, in the event of a possible impasse or breakdown in the ongoing negotiations on the European Solidarity Corps programme. The Union has to ensure adequate humanitarian aid capacity to cope with the increased number and magnitude of humanitarian crisis exacerbated by COVID-19 Pandemic. Well –prepared and experienced volunteers of all ages can contribute to the Union's capacity to cope with these additional humanitarian needs.

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### **Draft amendment 4371**

=== BUDG/4371 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Committee on Budgets, Jörg Meuthen

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## **SECTION III — COMMISSION**

### **Chapter 15 04 — Common Foreign and Security Policy**

**Amend remarks as follows:**

### **Remarks:**

Delete following text:

~~Appropriations under this Chapter are intended to cover crisis management measures and operations under the Common Foreign and Security Policy, expenditure related to the appointment of European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs), as well as measures which contribute to the non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction (nuclear, chemical and biological).~~

~~In accordance with Articles 21, 22 and 24 of the Financial Regulation, contributions received from third countries (EFTA States pursuant to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, candidate countries and, if applicable, the Western Balkan potential candidates, or other countries) for participating in Union programmes, and any other assigned revenue, entered in the statement of revenue give rise to the provision of corresponding appropriations and to implementation under this Chapter.~~

Amend text as follows:

~~This amendment deletes all the related estimated amounts as well as the corresponding article or item of the statement of revenue are indicated, wherever possible, in the relevant budget lines under this Chapter.~~

### Justification:

National competences of the Member States.

## Draft amendment 526

== GUE/8017 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 04 01 01 — EULEX Kosovo

#### Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 01 01	79 000 000	74 050 000	79 893 015	75 847 798	79 893 015	75 847 798	-79 893 015	-75 847 798	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	79 000 000	74 050 000	79 893 015	75 847 798	79 893 015	75 847 798	-79 893 015	-75 847 798	p.m.	p.m.

### Remarks:

After paragraph:

Former item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the costs of the European Union Rule of Law Mission in Kosovo, in line with the relevant legal basis adopted by the Council. It is also intended to provide for the costs of the Kosovo Specialist Chambers.~~

### Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Council Joint Action 2008/124/CFSP of 4 February 2008 on the European Union Rule of Law Mission in Kosovo, EULEX KOSOVO (OJ L 42, 16.2.2008, p. 92).~~

### Justification:

This line promotes greater militarization. EU policy should focus only on civilian measures, such as eradicating poverty, resolving and preventing civil conflicts, disarmament, non-proliferation of arms and diplomatic conflict mediation. Cooperation with third countries must result from coordination between Member States and, as such, be supported by existing structures.

## Draft amendment 525

== GUE/8016 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 04 01 02 — Monitoring Mission in Georgia

#### Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 01 02	22 000 000	37 750 000	22 248 687	19 723 461	22 248 687	19 723 461	-22 248 687	-19 723 461	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	22 000 000	37 750 000	22 248 687	19 723 461	22 248 687	19 723 461	-22 248 687	-19 723 461	p.m.	p.m.

### Remarks:

After paragraph:

Former item

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the costs of the European Union Monitoring Mission in Georgia, in line with the relevant legal basis adopted by the Council.~~

## Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Council Decision 2010/452/CFSP of 12 August 2010 on the European Union Monitoring Mission in Georgia, EUMM Georgia (OJ L 213, 13.8.2010, p. 43).~~

## Justification:

This line promotes greater militarization. EU policy should focus only on civilian measures, such as eradicating poverty, resolving and preventing civil conflicts, disarmament, non-proliferation of arms and diplomatic conflict mediation. Cooperation with third countries must result from coordination between Member States and, as such, be supported by existing structures.

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## Draft amendment 527

== GUE/8018 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

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### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 04 01 03 — Other Civilian CSDP Missions

Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 01 03	190 427 000	180 000 000	188 507 060	187 091 235	188 507 060	187 091 235	-188 507 060	-187 091 235	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	190 427 000	180 000 000	188 507 060	187 091 235	188 507 060	187 091 235	-188 507 060	-187 091 235	p.m.	p.m.

## Remarks:

After paragraph:

Former items

Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover other crisis management measures and operations other than EULEX Kosovo, the Kosovo Specialist Chambers, EUMM Georgia and EUPOL Afghanistan. It is also intended to provide for the running of the European Security and Defence College Secretariat and its Internet based advanced distance learning system, as well as the costs of the warehouse for civilian CSDP missions.~~

## Legal basis:

Delete following text:

~~Council Joint Action 2005/889/CFSP of 12 December 2005 on establishing a European Union Border Assistance Mission for the Rafah Crossing Point (EUBAM Rafah) (OJ L 327, 14.12.2005, p. 28).~~

~~Council Decision 2012/389/CFSP of 16 July 2012 on the European Union Mission on Regional Maritime Capacity Building in the Horn of Africa (EUCAP NESTOR) (OJ L 187, 17.7.2012, p. 40).~~

~~Council Decision 2012/392/CFSP of 16 July 2012 on the European Union CSDP mission in Niger (EUCAP Sahel Niger) (OJ L 187, 17.7.2012, p. 48).~~

~~Council Decision 2013/233/CFSP of 22 May 2013 on the European Union Integrated Border Management Assistance Mission in Libya (EUBAM Libya) (OJ L 138, 24.5.2013, p. 15).~~

~~Council Decision 2013/354/CFSP of 3 July 2013 on the European Union Police Mission for the Palestinian Territories (EUPOL COPPS) (OJ L 185, 4.7.2013, p. 12).~~

~~Council Decision 2014/219/CFSP of 15 April 2014 on the European Union CSDP mission in Mali (EUCAP Sahel Mali) (OJ L 113, 16.4.2014, p. 21).~~

~~Council Decision 2014/486/CFSP of 22 July 2014 on the European Union Advisory Mission for Civilian Security Sector Reform Ukraine (EUAM Ukraine). (OJ L 217, 23.7.2014, p. 42).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2016/2382 of 21 December 2016 establishing a European Security and Defence College (ESDC) and repealing Decision 2013/189/CFSP (OJ L 352, 23.12.2016, p. 60).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2017/1869 of 16 October 2017 on the European Union Advisory Mission in support of Security Sector Reform in Iraq (EUAM Iraq) (OJ L 266, 17.10.2017, p. 12).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2018/653 of 26 April 2018 on the establishment of a warehouse capability for civilian crisis management missions (OJ L 108, 27.4.2018, p. 22).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1672 of 4 October 2019 on a European Union action in support of the United~~

~~Nations Verification and Inspection Mechanism in Yemen (OJ L 256, 7.10.2019, p. 10).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/2110 of 9 December 2019 on the European Union CSDP Advisory Mission in the Central African Republic (EUAM RCA) (OJ L 318, 10.12.2019, p. 141).~~

### Justification:

This line promotes greater militarization. EU policy should focus only on civilian measures, such as eradicating poverty, resolving and preventing civil conflicts, disarmament, non-proliferation of arms and diplomatic conflict mediation. Cooperation with third countries must result from coordination between Member States and, as such, be supported by existing structures.

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### Draft amendment 424

== AFET/6554 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 04 01 04 — Civilian CSDP Emergency measures

#### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 01 04	11 000 000	p.m.	11 124 344	p.m.	11 124 344	p.m.	1 112 432		12 236 776	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	11 000 000	p.m.	11 124 344	p.m.	11 124 344	p.m.	1 112 432		12 236 776	p.m.

### Justification:

The increase on Civilian CSDP emergency measures is a support to the measures aimed at mitigating the impact of the Covid-crisis

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### Draft amendment 529

== GUE/8020 ==

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 04 01 04 — Civilian CSDP Emergency measures

#### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 01 04	11 000 000	p.m.	11 124 344	p.m.	11 124 344	p.m.	-11 124 344		p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	11 000 000	p.m.	11 124 344	p.m.	11 124 344	p.m.	-11 124 344		p.m.	p.m.

### Remarks:

#### After paragraph:

Former item

#### Delete following text:

~~This appropriation is intended to cover the financing of any unforeseen measures under Article 19 03 01 decided on in the course of the financial year, which have to be implemented urgently.~~

~~This item is also intended as an element of flexibility in the CFSP budget, as described in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 2 December 2013 between the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on budgetary discipline, on cooperation in budgetary matters and on sound financial management (OJ C 373, 20.12.2013, p. 1).~~

### Justification:

This line promotes greater militarization. EU policy should focus only on civilian measures, such as eradicating poverty, resolving and preventing civil conflicts, disarmament, non-proliferation of arms and diplomatic conflict mediation. Cooperation with third countries must result from coordination between Member States and, as such, be supported by existing structures.

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### Draft amendment 530

== GUE/8021 ==

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 04 01 05 — Civilian CSDP Preparatory measures

##### Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 01 05	1 000 000	350 000	1 011 304	303 391	1 011 304	303 391	-1 011 304	-303 391	p.m.	p.m.
Reserve										
Total	1 000 000	350 000	1 011 304	303 391	1 011 304	303 391	-1 011 304	-303 391	p.m.	p.m.

#### Remarks:

##### After paragraph:

Former item

##### Delete following text:

~~The appropriations under this article are intended to finance expenditure related to tasks resulting from the Commission's prerogatives at institutional level, and under specific powers directly conferred on it by Articles 210(2) and 214(6) TFEU as set out in Article 58(2)(d) of the Financial Regulation, in particular to cover the financing of preparatory measures to establish the conditions for Union actions in the field of the CFSP and the adoption of the necessary legal instruments. It may cover evaluation and analysis measures (*ex ante* evaluation of means, specific studies, organisation of meetings, fact finding on the ground). In the field of Union crisis management operations and for European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs), in particular, preparatory measures may, inter alia, serve to assess the operational requirements for an envisaged action, to provide for a rapid initial deployment of personnel and resources (e.g. mission expenses, purchase of equipment, pre financing of running and insurance costs in the start up phase), or to take the necessary measures on the ground to prepare for the launching of the operation. It may also cover experts supporting Union crisis management operations on specific technical issues (e.g. identification and assessment of procurement needs) or security training for staff to be deployed to a CFSP mission/EUSR team.~~

#### Legal basis:

##### Delete following text:

~~Preparatory measures within the meaning of Article 58(2) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 4).~~

#### Justification:

This line promotes greater militarization. EU policy should focus only on civilian measures, such as eradicating poverty, resolving and preventing civil conflicts, disarmament, non-proliferation of arms and diplomatic conflict mediation. Cooperation with third countries must result from coordination between Member States and, as such, be supported by existing structures.

### Draft amendment 425

== AFET/6555 ==

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 15 04 02 — European Union Special Representatives

##### Amend figures and remarks as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 02	20 000 000	14 000 000	20 226 079	18 203 472	20 226 079	18 203 472	2 000 000	1 796 528	22 226 079	20 000 000
Reserve										
Total	20 000 000	14 000 000	20 226 079	18 203 472	20 226 079	18 203 472	2 000 000	1 796 528	22 226 079	20 000 000

## Remarks:

### After paragraph:

This appropriation covers expenditure on the salaries ..... implemented under the direct responsibility of an EUSR.

### Add following text:

*Establishment of a new EU Special Representative for Belarus*

## Justification:

The increase is meant to finance a new EUSR for Belarus. Such an EUSR would support the process of a peaceful transition of power in accordance with the will of Belarusian people.

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## Draft amendment 700

== I-D//7784 ==

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

## SECTION III — COMMISSION

### Article 15 04 02 — European Union Special Representatives

#### Amend figures, remarks and legal basis as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 02	20 000 000	14 000 000	20 226 079	18 203 472	20 226 079	18 203 472	-20 226 079		p.m.	18 203 472
Reserve										
Total	20 000 000	14 000 000	20 226 079	18 203 472	20 226 079	18 203 472	-20 226 079		p.m.	18 203 472

## Remarks:

### Delete following text:

#### ~~Former item~~

~~This appropriation is intended to cover all the expenditure connected with the appointment of European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) in accordance with Article 33 of the Treaty on European Union. EUSRs should be appointed with due regard for gender equality and gender mainstreaming policies, and the appointment of women EUSRs should therefore be promoted.~~

~~This appropriation covers expenditure on the salaries of EUSRs and on setting up their teams and/or support structures, including staff costs other than those relating to staff seconded by Member States or Union institutions. It also covers the costs of any projects implemented under the direct responsibility of an EUSR.~~

## Legal basis:

### Delete following text:

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2018/903 of 25 June 2018 extending the mandate of the European Union Special Representative in Kosovo (OJ L 161, 26.6.2018, p. 7).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2018/904 of 25 June 2018 extending the mandate of the European Union Special Representative for Central Asia (OJ L 161, 26.6.2018, p. 12).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2018/905 of 25 June 2018 extending the mandate of the European Union Special Representative for the Horn of Africa (OJ L 161, 26.6.2018, p. 16).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2018/906 of 25 June 2018 extending the mandate of the European Union Special Representative for the Sahel (OJ L 161, 26.6.2018, p. 22).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2018/907 of 25 June 2018 extending the mandate of the European Union Special Representative for the South Caucasus and the crisis in Georgia (OJ L 161, 26.6.2018, p. 27).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2018/1248 of 18 September 2018 appointing the European Union Special Representative for the Middle East Peace Process (OJ L 235, 19.9.2018, p. 9).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/346 of 28 February 2019 appointing the European Union Special Representative for Human Rights (OJ L 62, 1.3.2019, p. 12).~~

~~Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1340 of 8 August 2019 appointing the European Union Special Representative in Bosnia and Herzegovina (OJ L 209, 9.8.2019, p. 10).~~

## Justification:

The deletion of this budgetary line will prevent a further wasting of taxpayers' money.

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## Draft amendment 426

=== AFET/6556 ===

Tabled by Committee on Foreign Affairs

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 15 04 03 — Non-proliferation and disarmament

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 03	28 000 000	22 000 000	28 316 511	26 898 713	28 316 511	26 898 713	45 134 193	42 874 339	73 450 704	69 773 052
Reserve										
Total	28 000 000	22 000 000	28 316 511	26 898 713	28 316 511	26 898 713	45 134 193	42 874 339	73 450 704	69 773 052

##### Justification:

Non-proliferation and disarmament will have a significant effect to reduce the fueling of conflicts and contribute to more stability in connection with the strict and effective implementation of the arms export - control regime, conflict resolution and poverty eradication.

## Draft amendment 524

=== GUE/8015 ===

Tabled by Group of the European United Left - Nordic Green Left

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Article 15 04 03 — Non-proliferation and disarmament

##### Amend figures as follows:

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 04 03	28 000 000	22 000 000	28 316 511	26 898 713	28 316 511	26 898 713	21 683 489	18 101 287	50 000 000	45 000 000
Reserve										
Total	28 000 000	22 000 000	28 316 511	26 898 713	28 316 511	26 898 713	21 683 489	18 101 287	50 000 000	45 000 000

##### Justification:

Disarmament and the support of the UN and other organisation with aim of non-proliferation and disarmament will have a significant effect on reducing violent conflicts, confidence building and will contribute to real stability and Peace. This has to go along with strict and effective implementation of arms exports control regimes, complete nuclear disarmament world wide, civil conflict prevention and poverty eradication.

## Draft amendment 4373

=== BUDG/4373 ===

Tabled by Joachim Kuhs, Committee on Budgets, Jörg Meuthen

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Chapter 15 20 — Pilot projects, preparatory actions, prerogatives and other actions

##### Amend remarks as follows:

##### Remarks:

Add following text:

*This amendment deletes all the budget lines under this Chapter.*

##### Justification:

National competences of the Member States.

## Draft amendment 701

=== I-D//7785 ===

Tabled by Identity and Democracy Group

### SECTION III — COMMISSION

#### Item 15 20 03 01 — Macro-financial assistance (MFA) grants

**Amend figures as follows:**

	Budget 2020		Draft budget 2021		Council's position 2021		Difference		New amount	
	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments	Commitments	Payments
15 20 03 01	20 000 000	27 000 000	56 449 042	26 000 000	56 449 042	26 000 000	-28 224 521		28 224 521	26 000 000
Reserve										
Total	20 000 000	27 000 000	56 449 042	26 000 000	56 449 042	26 000 000	-28 224 521		28 224 521	26 000 000

**Justification:**

We do not consider this budgetary line as a priority to support.