

## COORDINATORS' DECISIONS

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## Present

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<b>Rapporteurs:</b>	Mr Damian BOESELAGER (Greens/EFA)

## **1. CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

A speaker from the United States administration or Congress will be invited to an upcoming BUDG Meeting to discuss the American Rescue Plan.

## **2. POINTS FOR DECISION**

### **2.1. Appointments**

<b>Reports</b>			
INI (→ see point 2.2)	Creation of guidelines for the application of Regulation 2020/2092 on a general regime of conditionality for the protection of the Union budget	<b>Report</b> (Eider Gardiazabal, S&D)  (1,5 points) <i>Authorisation to be requested</i>	Lead: BUDG/CONT (Rule 58)
<b>For information</b>			
2021/0078(BUD) COM(2021)0200	Draft amending budget no 2 to the general budget 2021 financing the COVID-19 response and including refinements and updates related to the final adoption of the Multiannual Financial Framework	<b>Report</b> (Pierre Larrouturnou, S&D)	Lead: BUDG
2021/0077(BUD) COM(2021)0201	Mobilisation of the European Union Solidarity Fund to provide assistance to Greece and France in relation to natural disasters and to	<b>Report</b> (Eider Gardiazabal, S&D)	Lead: BUDG

	Albania, Austria, Belgium, Croatia, Czechia, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Portugal, Romania, Serbia and Spain in relation to a public health emergency	Rotation system	
COM(2021)0151 2021/0076(BUD)	Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund - EGF/2020/002 EE tourism sector - Estonia	<b>Report</b> (José Manuel Fernandes, EPP) Rotation system	Lead: BUDG
Expected 3 May	Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund - EGF/2020/003 DE GMH Guss - Germany	<b>Report</b> (S&D) Rotation system	Lead: BUDG
Expected 11 May	Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund - EGF/2020/004 NL KLM – The Netherlands	<b>Report</b> (Greens) Rotation system	Lead: BUDG
Expected 11 May	Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund - EGF/2020/005 BE Swissport - Belgium	<b>Report</b> (Olivier Chastel, Renew) Rotation system	Lead: BUDG
Expected 17 May	Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund - EGF/2020/006 ES Cataluña automotive - Spain	<b>Report</b> (EPP) Rotation system	Lead: BUDG
Expected 19 May	Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund - EGF/2020/007 FI Finnair - Finland	<b>Report</b> (S&D) <i>Rotation system</i>	Lead: BUDG

## 2.2. Requests for own-initiative reports

The coordinators decided to request authorisation to draw up an own-initiative report, jointly with CONT on the basis of Rule 58 of the Rules of Procedure, on the creation of guidelines for the application of Regulation 2020/2092 on a general regime of conditionality for the protection of the Union budget (the “Rule of Law conditionality mechanism”).

They appointed Eider Gardiazabal (S&D) as BUDG rapporteur (1,5 points).

### **2.3. Budget 2022 – Section I - European Parliament**

The coordinators mandated the Chair to write to the President requesting him to contact Commission President Von Der Leyen ahead of the adoption of the draft budget 2022, in order to prevent possible cuts to Parliament's budgetary estimates.

### **2.4. Commission Work Programme 2022 - Structured Dialogue**

The coordinators exchanged view on a draft summary report of the committee's priorities to be included in the Work Programme and are to send further suggestions to the secretariat by 20 April 2021.

### **2.5. Union pledges at international conferences: follow-up to BUDG oral question**

The coordinators mandated the Chair, if possible together with the AFET and DEVE Chairs, to address a letter to the Parliament President asking him to raise with the Commission President the issue of a more exhaustive and timely communication to the budgetary authority in case of Union pledges from the EU budget.

### **2.6. Motion for resolution on the restitution of funds allocated to Turkey**

The coordinators decided not to follow up on the motion for resolution.

### **2.7. Appointment system for EGF and EUSF mobilisation decisions (ID request)**

The coordinators decided to maintain the appointment system currently in force.

## **3. POINTS FOR INFORMATION**

### **3.1. Programming of Committee public hearings for the 2nd half 2021**

### **3.2. Draft calendar of committee meetings until July 2021**

Wednesday, 14 April, 13.45-15.15
Monday, 26 April, 13.45-14:15 (tbc)*
Monday, 10 May, 13.45-15.45
Monday, 31 May, 13.45-16.45

Tuesday, 8 June, time tbc**
Monday, 21 June, 13.45-15.45 Tuesday, 22 June, 9.00-12.00 Tuesday, 22 June, 13.45-15.45
Thursday, 1 July, 9.00-12.00
Wednesday, 14 July, 9.00-12.00 Wednesday, 14 July, 13.45-15.45 Thursday, 15 July, 9.00-12.00

\* Extraordinary meeting for the Adoption of the EP Estimates.

\*\* Extraordinary meeting devoted to the presentation of the draft Budget 2022.

Additional meetings being planned include joint BUDG-ECON meetings on RRF (first meeting planned on 10 May at 16.45 tbc), a joint BUDG-CONT meeting on the Rule of Law regulation (end of May tbc), and the NGEU meetings (first meeting planned on 29 April, 11.00-12.30 tbc).

### **3.3. Outcome of written procedures**

#### **1. Draft letter to DG BUDG on financial programming**

As no objections were received, the letter on financial programming was sent to DG BUDG as proposed.

#### **2. Procedure for EU Solidarity Fund mobilisation decisions**

As no objections were received, Coordinators approved changes to the EUSF procedure, such that, as a rule, the adoption of EUSF mobilisation decisions and the corresponding transfer request will be in principle aligned to comply with the deadline for transfer requests in Article 31 of the Financial Regulation. For that reason, EUSF procedures will henceforth be conducted in English only, as they are currently for the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund.

#### **3. AGRI Early Non-Objection to a delegated acts as regards animal identification**

There was no objection to the AGRI recommendation for Early Non-Objection.

#### **4. PPPAs - next steps**

As decided during the meeting of 4 March 2021, a letter was sent to the other committee chairs and to the European Commission. Coordinators will find attached:

- An example of the letter sent to all committee chairs: BUDG to ENVI
- The letter sent by the Chair to Commissioner Hahn

- The reply from Commissioner Hahn

## 6. EUSF/DEC - EGF

Since no remarks were received by the deadline of Friday 26 March at midday, the procedures for the EUSF and EGF have been agreed as follows:

### EUSF

For the recent referral, the draft report will be presented on 12 April, with a vote on 10 May. Ms Gardiazabal (S&D) will be the Rapporteur. On this occasion, the accompanying DEC will be voted on 12 April, to comply with the 6-week deadline.

### EGF

For the EGF referral expected on 31 March, the draft report (EN only) will be presented on 12 April, with a vote on 10 May, together with the accompanying DEC.

The report goes to the José Manuel Fernandes (EPP).

## **3.4. Documents for information**

## **3.5. Delegated and implementing acts**

## **3.6. State of play of appointments on BUDG files**

## **4. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

## **5. NEXT MEETING**

The next Coordinators' meeting is scheduled for 10 May (tbc) in Brussels.