

Brussels, 1 April 2020

**Coordinators' meeting of 30 March 2020**

**Coordinators' decisions and recommendations**

**1. Appointment of rapporteurs for reports and opinions**

*Decision:*

Postpone decisions.

**2. Parliament's work to monitor implementation of SDGs**

*Decision:*

Put plans for SDG implementation on hold and review work on SDGs and cooperation with ENVI once Parliament resumes a more regular calendar of activities and when plans for the next HLPF are confirmed by the UN.

**3. Hearings**

*Decision:*

All hearings postponed until further notice. Reassess political priorities at a later stage.

**4. Missions / ad hoc delegations**

*Decision:*

All missions and ad hoc delegations postponed until further notice. Reassess political priorities at a later stage.

**5. Studies**

*Decision:*

Merge the studies on microfinance and on cash transfers.

**6. Requests for items on the Committee agenda**

*Decision:*

Organise an exchange of views on the COVID-19 outbreak with WHO.

**7. Budget 2021: Pilot Projects and Preparatory Actions - DEVE preliminary proposals**

*Decisions:*

- Coordinators to send to the DEVE Secretariat by 6 April proposals for PPs and PAs to be sent via BUDG to the Commission as DEVE preliminary proposals.
- Take the final decision by written procedure by 15 April, selecting proposals for PPs and PAs supported by a large majority.

**8. Commission Work Programme 2020 - consultation on withdrawals**

*Decision:*

No objections from the Committee on Development.

**9. Forthcoming DEVE meetings**

*Decisions:*

- Focus the next Committee meetings on core business, such as: budgetary matters; urgent legislative procedures, including on international agreements; actions or decisions that need to be taken in relation to the COVID-19 outbreak; and the preparation of urgent Parliament positions on major events worldwide.
- Organise at least a half-day meeting in April (possibly on 21 April), devoted to exchanges of views with Commissioners Urpilainen and Lenarčič on the Commission's current actions to face the impact of the Covid-19 outbreak.
- Chair and Coordinators to write to Commissioners Urpilainen and Lenarčič to request information on the current and planned measures in preparation of the meeting.
- Explore the possibility of organising a videoconference with the Commissioners before 21 April.

**10. Any other business**

*Decision:*

Enhance communication on DEVE activity on the COVID-19 outbreak.