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AMENDMENTS

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Draft report
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on discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the European
GNSS Agency for the financial year 2014
(2015/2182(DEC))

Amendment 1
Anders Primdahl Vistisen

Proposal for a decision 1
Paragraph 1

Proposal for a decision

1. **Grants** the Executive Director of the European GNSS Agency discharge in respect of the implementation of the Agency's budget for the financial year 2014;

Amendment

1. **Postpones its decision on granting** the Executive Director of the European GNSS Agency discharge in respect of the implementation of the Agency's budget for the financial year 2014;

Or. en

Amendment 2
Raffaele Fitto, Ryszard Czarnecki, Beata Gosiewska, Richard Sulík

Proposal for a decision 1
Paragraph 1

Proposal for a decision

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Amendment

1. **Postpones its decision on granting** the Executive Director of the European GNSS Agency discharge in respect of the implementation of the Agency's budget for the financial year 2014;

Or. en

Amendment 3
Anders Primdahl Vistisen

Proposal for a decision 2
Paragraph 2

Proposal for a decision

2. **Approves** the closure of the accounts of the European GNSS Agency for the financial year 2014;

Amendment

2. **Postpones** the closure of the accounts of the European GNSS Agency for the financial year 2014;

Amendment 4

Raffaele Fitto, Ryszard Czarnecki, Beata Gosiewska, Richard Sulík

Proposal for a decision 2

Paragraph 2

Proposal for a decision

2. **Approves** the closure of the accounts of the European GNSS Agency for the financial year 2014;

Amendment

2. **Postpones** the closure of the accounts of the European GNSS Agency for the financial year 2014;

Or. en

Amendment 5

Petri Sarvamaa, Tamás Deutsch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes from the Court's report that, with regard to the exploitation of the European Geostationary Navigation Overlay Service (EGNOS), the Agency awarded an eight-year EGNOS service provision contract (ESP contract) with an initial contract value of EUR 436 000 000; takes note that in 2014, following a direct negotiated procedure, the Agency amended the service contract for an amount of EUR 6 300 000 for the purchase and maintenance of 14 satellite signal receivers, 14 signal generators and other equipment relating to EGNOS; **observes** that an arrangement between the contractor and its two subcontractors was set up, as under the initial contract, which led to an accumulation of overheads and profits;

Amendment

4. Notes from the Court's report that, with regard to the exploitation of the European Geostationary Navigation Overlay Service (EGNOS), the Agency awarded an eight-year EGNOS service provision contract (ESP contract) with an initial contract value of EUR 436 000 000; takes note that in 2014, following a direct negotiated procedure, the Agency amended the service contract for an amount of EUR 6 300 000 for the purchase and maintenance of 14 satellite signal receivers, 14 signal generators and other equipment relating to EGNOS; **notes with concern** that an arrangement between the contractor and its two subcontractors was set up, as under the initial contract, which led to an accumulation of overheads and profits, **with only EUR 3 200 000 of the EUR 6 300 000 relating to direct costs and EUR 1 400 000 to overheads and other costs and**

***EUR 1 700 000 to profits and
remuneration of (sub)contractors;***

Or. en

**Amendment 6
Tamás Deutsch**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6 a. Underlines the need to enhance integrity and improve the ethical framework through better implementation of codes of conduct and ethical principles, so as to reinforce a common and effective culture of integrity for all EU institutions and agencies;

Or. en

**Amendment 7
Tamás Deutsch**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6 b. States that the annual reports of the EU institutions and agencies could play an important role in compliance regarding transparency, accountability and integrity; calls for the EU institutions and agencies to include a standard chapter on these components in their annual reports;

Or. en