Amendment 1030
Gilles Lebreton
on behalf of the ID Group

Report
Peter Jahr
Common agricultural policy - support for strategic plans to be drawn up by Member States and financed by the EAGF and by the EAFRD (COM(2018)0392 – C8-0248/2018 – 2018/0216(COD))

Proposal for a regulation
Article 16 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Member States shall set an area threshold and only grant decoupled direct payments to genuine farmers whose eligible area of the holding for which decoupled direct payments are claimed goes beyond this area threshold.

Amendment

Member States are free to decide on the allocation of payments on the basis of actives per holding - i.e. on the work unit - and / or may set a threshold per area and only grant decoupled direct payments to genuine farmers whose eligible area of the holding for which decoupled direct payments are claimed goes beyond this area threshold.

Or. en
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Amendment 1031  
Gilles Lebreton  
on behalf of the ID Group  

Report  
Peter Jahr  
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Proposal for a regulation  
Article 16 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2 – introductory part  

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<td>When setting the area threshold, Member States shall aim at ensuring that decoupled direct payments may only be granted to genuine farmers if:</td>
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Amendment 1032
Roman Haider
on behalf of the ID Group

Report A8-0200/2019
Peter Jahr
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Proposal for a regulation
Article 18 – paragraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

1 a. Member States can decide to double the basic income support per hectare for the first 20 hectares.

Amendment

Or. en
Amendment 1033
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Report
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Proposal for a regulation
Article 26 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall provide for a complementary redistributive income support for sustainability ('redistributive income support') under the conditions set out in this Article and as further specified in their CAP Strategic Plans.

Amendment

1. Member States may provide for a complementary redistributive income support for sustainability ('redistributive income support') under the conditions set out in this Article and as further specified in their CAP Strategic Plans.

Or. en

Justification

The proposal to implement redistributive payment as mandatory measures is discriminatory for certain Member States and regions of the EU, mainly because of the different historical development and various farming structure across the Member States. All farmers actively farming shall be properly supported, regardless of their size, since every hectare of land has to be taken care of, and since every hectare helps to achieve EU environmental, social and economic goals.
Amendment 1034
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Report
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Proposal for a regulation
Article 26 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. Member States shall ensure redistribution of support from bigger to smaller or medium-sized farms by providing for a redistributive income support in the form of an annual decoupled payment per eligible hectare to farmers who are entitled to a payment under the basic income support referred to in Article 17.

Amendment

2. Member States may ensure redistribution of support from bigger to smaller or medium-sized farms by providing for a redistributive income support in the form of an annual decoupled payment per eligible hectare to farmers who are entitled to a payment under the basic income support referred to in Article 17.

Or. en

Justification

The proposal to implement redistributive payment as mandatory measures is discriminatory for certain Member States and regions of the EU, mainly because of the different historical development and various farming structure across the Member States. All farmers actively farming shall be properly supported, regardless of their size, since every hectare of land has to be taken care of, and since every hectare helps to achieve EU environmental, social and economic goals.
Amendment 1035
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on behalf of the ID Group

Report
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Proposal for a regulation
Article 28 – paragraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

1 a. Support coupled with income may be granted, at the discretion of the Member State, to sectors and productions other than those listed in paragraph 1, or to other types of practices, if they are important for economic, social or environmental reasons. The aid is then integrated into the national strategic plan.

Amendment

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Or. en
### Amendment 1036

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on behalf of the ID Group

**Report**  
Peter Jahr  
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**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 28 – paragraph 2**

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<td>2. Member States shall support under this type of intervention <em>genuine</em> farmers who make commitments to observe, on <em>eligible hectares</em>, agricultural practices beneficial for the climate and the environment.</td>
<td>2. Member States shall support under this type of intervention <em>active</em> farmers who make commitments to observe agricultural practices <em>and certified schemes</em> beneficial for the climate, environment and animal welfare, <em>which lead to achieving one or more of the specific objectives defined in points (d), (e), (f) and (i) of Article 6(1)</em>, and are tailored to address specific national or regional needs.</td>
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**Or. en**

**Justification**

*Considering that the resources for this support come from the ceiling established for direct payments - reserved for active farmers who comply with the cross-compliance requirements - it is absolutely not acceptable that these resources are allocated to other entities that do not fulfill these basic requirements for active farmers.*
Amendment 1037
Angelo Ciocca, Mara Bizzotto
on behalf of the ID Group

Report
Peter Jahr
Common agricultural policy - support for strategic plans to be drawn up by Member States and financed by the EAGF and by the EAFRD

Proposal for a regulation
Article 28 – paragraph 3 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Member States may establish, for the achievement of one or more specific objectives referred to in points (d), (e), (f) and (i) of Article 6 (1), equivalent agricultural practices beneficial for the climate and the environment which result in a significant reduction of the greenhouse gas emissions, carbon neutrality or net carbon sequestration. To this end and in order to achieve the specific objective referred to in Article 6(1)(b), precision farming must be recognised as an appropriate practice for the support to be granted to active farmers who are committed to applying this agricultural practice, referred to in paragraph 1.

Justification

Within the list of agricultural practices for a significant reduction of greenhouse gas emissions, the digital agriculture system - in detail "precision farming" - should be recognized as an appropriate practice for the equivalent measures that will be included in the eco-schemes, as it is more virtuous than the equivalent practices envisaged for cross compliance. To this end, an additional payment should be granted to farmers who adopt this virtuous practice.
Amendment 1038
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on behalf of the ID Group

Report
Peter Jahr
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Proposal for a regulation
Article 28 – paragraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

3 a. Member States shall, at least, include in those lists eco-schemes intended to propose to farmers the possibility to set up a minimum share of agricultural area devoted to non-productive features or areas, the use of a farm tool for the sustainable management of nutrients, and, where applicable, appropriate maintenance of wetland and peatland.

Amendment

3 a. Member States shall, at least, include in those lists eco-schemes intended to propose to farmers the possibility to set up a minimum share of agricultural area devoted to non-productive features or areas, the use of a farm tool for the sustainable management of nutrients, and, where applicable, appropriate maintenance of wetland and peatland.

Justification

Member State should make available the support for the eco-schemes and for all the measures among which farmers can choose and that are eligible for the support. This possibility of choice for the farmers must apply to all measures including the area to be allocated to non-productive areas.
### Amendment 1039

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### Proposal for a regulation

**Article 28 – paragraph 6 – introductory part**

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<td>6. Support for eco-schemes shall take the form of an annual payment per eligible hectare and it shall be granted as <strong>either:</strong></td>
<td>6. Support for eco-schemes shall take the form of an annual payment per eligible hectare <strong>or/and a per farm payment</strong>, and it shall be granted as <strong>incentive payments going beyond compensation of additional costs incurred and income foregone, which may consist of a lump sum</strong>; <strong>The level of payments shall vary according to the level of ambition of sustainability of each intervention or set of interventions, based on non-discriminatory criteria, in order to offer an effective incentive for participation and to stimulate farmers to adopt agricultural practices beneficial for the environment and the climate.</strong></td>
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**Justification**

Farmer must receive adequate compensation for the active role they play in reducing carbon emissions in the form of financial incentives the amount of which must be higher than the higher costs incurred and the loss of earnings resulting from the application of the agricultural practices adopted for the achievement of the environmental and climate objectives.