Question for written answer E-002654/2023 to the Commission Rule 138 Seán Kelly (PPE)

Subject: Extension of the deadline for Brexit Adjustment Reserve funding

The Brexit Adjustment Reserve (BAR) Regulation entered into force in October 2021 with the aim of providing support to communities and industries most impacted by the UK's withdrawal from the EU through the Brexit Adjustment Reserve.

The BAR Regulation sets the end of 2023 as the deadline for disbursement of BAR funding. This short timeframe for the allocation of funding has meant that many of those most affected in the agriculture, fisheries and maritime sectors have not had the opportunity to avail of resources under the BAR.

- 1. Can the Commission comment on the possibility of extending the deadline for BAR funding?
- Will other support be made available for those that fall outside the deadline for the allocation of BAR funds?

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