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AMENDMENTS

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Draft opinion

Jerzy Buzek

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Proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council
establishing the Just Transition Fund

Proposal for a regulation

(COM(2020)0022 – C9-0007/2020 – 2020/0006(COD))

Amendment 316

Jerzy Buzek, Christian Ehler, Maria da Graça Carvalho, Aldo Patriciello, Marian-Jean Marinescu, Gheorghe Falcă, Eva Maydell, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Maria Spyraiki, Adam Jarubas, Vasile Blaga

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point f a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(fa) investments in environmentally-friendly multimodal urban mobility and alternative transport fuels accelerating the transition towards zero-emission mobility;

Or. en

Amendment 317

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point f a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(fa) investments in nature-based climate mitigation and adaptation projects;

Or. en

Amendment 318

Elena Kountoura

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point f a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(fa) investments to address energy poverty and affordable renewable energy by local energy communities;

Amendment 319

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Ivo Hristov, Tsvetelina Penkova, Andris Ameriks

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(g) investments in enhancing the circular economy, including through waste prevention, reduction, resource efficiency, reuse, repair **and** recycling;

(g) investments in enhancing the circular economy, including through waste prevention, reduction, resource efficiency, reuse, repair, recycling **and other means of recovery (including energy recovery)**;

Or. en

Amendment 320

Miriam Dalli, Nicolás González Casares

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(g) investments in enhancing the circular economy, including through waste prevention, reduction, resource efficiency, reuse, repair and recycling;

(g) investments in enhancing the **non-toxic** circular economy, including through waste prevention, reduction, resource efficiency, reuse, repair and recycling;

Or. en

Amendment 321

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(g) investments in enhancing the circular economy, **including** through waste prevention, reduction, resource efficiency, reuse, repair and recycling;

(g) investments in enhancing the circular economy, through waste prevention, reduction, resource efficiency, reuse, repair and recycling;

Or. en

Amendment 322

Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point g a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ga) investments in the environmental transformation of sectors that are economically relevant for the regions in transition, such as tourism or agriculture;

Or. en

Amendment 323

Robert Hajšel, Carlos Zorrinho, Josianne Cutajar, Ivo Hristov, Tsvetelina Penkova, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques, Nicolás González Casares, Andris Ameriks, Patrizia Toia

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point g a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ga) investments in projects for fighting energy poverty and enhancing energy efficiency on most affected regions;

Or. en

Amendment 324

Marian-Jean Marinescu, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ioan-Rareş Bogdan, Vasile Blaga, Gheorghe Falcă

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point g a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ga) investment in transport infrastructure facilitating economic development and jobs creation;

Or. en

Amendment 325

András Gyürk, Edina Tóth

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point g a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ga) decommissioning or the construction of nuclear power stations;

Or. en

Justification

The role of nuclear power – besides the renewable energy technologies - is crucial in the decarbonisation of the energy sector. Currently 50% of emission reductions in the energy sector in the European Union is delivered by nuclear energy. On the basis of the principle of technology neutrality we need all suitable solutions at our disposal to achieve a climate-neutral economy.

Amendment 326

Marian-Jean Marinescu, Ioan-Rareş Bogdan, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Vasile Blaga, Gheorghe Falcă

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point g b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

**(gb) investment in transport
decarbonisation**

Or. en

Amendment 327

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers;

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers, ***focusing on skills and qualifications that are compatible with the transition to a sustainable and digital economy, and green economy;***

Or. en

Amendment 328

Ivo Hristov, Eva Kaili, Tsvetelina Penkova, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(h) upskilling ***and*** reskilling of workers;

(h) upskilling, reskilling ***and out-skilling*** of workers ***and self-employed persons whose activity has been affected as a result of major structural changes;***

Or. en

Amendment 329

Miriam Dalli, Nicolás González Casares

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers;

Amendment

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers, ***including self-employed, regardless of the type of employment or sector;***

Or. en

Amendment 330

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Dan Nica, Carlos Zorrinho, Ivo Hristov, Mohammed Chahim, Tsvetelina Penkova, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques, Andris Ameriks

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers;

Amendment

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers ***and jobseekers towards the green economy sector;***

Or. en

Amendment 331

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers;

Amendment

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers ***while pursuing a gender balance perspective;***

Or. en

Amendment 332

Thierry Mariani, Jérôme Rivière

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

(h) upskilling and reskilling of workers;

Amendment

(h) ***development of new skills,***
upskilling and reskilling of workers;

Or. en

Amendment 333

Dan Nica, Patrizia Toia, Carlos Zorrinho, Ivo Hristov, Josianne Cutajar, Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Rovana Plumb, Mihai Tudose, Csaba Molnár, Tsvetelina Penkova

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point h a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ha) developing social infrastructure needed to support the access to labour market, social inclusion and active health ageing;

Or. en

Justification

All investment related to labour market, education and training cannot be developed without the appropriate infrastructure. Social infrastructure for educational, health, and social development can play an important role in Just Transition Territories because of the high social costs of transition at regional level.

Amendment 334

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Dan Nica, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicolás González Casares, Mohammed Chahim, Ivo Hristov, Tsvetelina Penkova, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) job-search assistance to jobseekers;

(i) job-search assistance to jobseekers
and income support to workers who lost their job as consequence of the transition.

Or. en

Amendment 335

Ivo Hristov, Eva Kaili, Tsvetelina Penkova

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) job-search assistance to jobseekers;

(i) job-search assistance ***and career guidance*** to jobseekers;

Or. en

Amendment 336

Patrizia Toia, Carlos Zorrinho, Miriam Dalli, Simona Bonafè

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) job-search assistance to jobseekers;

(i) job-search assistance ***and skilling*** to jobseekers;

Or. en

Amendment 337

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Nicolás González Casares, Mohammed Chahim, Josianne Cutajar, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers;

Amendment

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers, ***with a particular emphasis on women and transitioning workers. Mobility grants should be included for workers who need to move for a new job.***

Or. en

Justification

The transition will create more domestic jobs, but these new jobs could be in different regions or require different skills. It is crucial to invest heavily in human capital with policies, which will improve the labour mobility of workers in order to avoid high levels of unemployment in some, particularly affected regions.

Amendment 338

Ivo Hristov, Eva Kaili, Tsvetelina Penkova, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers;

Amendment

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers ***including income support for transitioning workers and mobility grants for workers who need to move for a new job;***

Or. en

Amendment 339

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers;

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers,
particularly women and vulnerable groups;

Or. en

Amendment 340

Dan Nica, Patrizia Toia, Josianne Cutajar, Nicolás González Casares, Rovana Plumb, Mihai Tudose, Csaba Molnár, Tsvetelina Penkova

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers;

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers ***and early retirement support***;

Or. en

Amendment 341

Thierry Mariani, Jérôme Rivière

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(j) active inclusion of jobseekers;

(j) ***training and*** active inclusion of jobseekers;

Or. en

Amendment 342

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point k a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ka) any other specific activities contributing to the JTF single specific objective, included in the territorial just transition plans and agreed between a Member State, the relevant authorities of the territories concerned and approved by the European Commission;

Or. en

Amendment 343

Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The activities referred to in paragraph 2 shall promote the establishment of new businesses, the upgrading of old structures and the reskilling of workers to ensure that employment is not structurally affected in regions requiring a complete overhaul of their industrial and production profile;

Or. pt

Amendment 344

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Activities referred to in points (a) to (g) shall be eligible exclusively if they are

considered environmentally sustainable in accordance with Article [] of Regulation.../...[Taxonomy Regulation].

Or. en

Amendment 345

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments **have been approved** as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Amendment

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU **and in compliance with Union State aid rules as set out in Articles 107 and 108 TFEU**, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments **comply with criteria set out in [Articles] Regulation (EU) .../... [Taxonomy Regulation] and provided that such enterprises publicly provide a clear binding plan in line with the objective of climate neutrality by 2040 or before and other relevant information based on templates to be developed by the Commission. Such investments shall be subject to approval by the Commission** as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) **and (i)** of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Or. en

Amendment 346

Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López

Proposal for a regulation
Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Amendment

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan, ***where they contribute to the transition to a climate-neutral economy and where they do not lead to relocation as required under article 60 of Regulation No. .../... [CPR], and for industrial activities covered by the ETS, if they do not contribute to increase the profits deriving from the trading of emission allowances.***

Or. en

Amendment 347

Robert Hajšel, Nicolás González Casares, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are

Amendment

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points(a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are

necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan **and, for industrial activities covered by the ETS, if they do not contribute to increase the profits deriving from the trading of emission allowances.**

Or. en

Amendment 348

Jerzy Buzek, Christian Ehler, Maria da Graça Carvalho, Marian-Jean Marinescu, Markus Pieper, Eva Maydell, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Maria Spyraiki, Adam Jarubas, Massimiliano Salini

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Additionally, the JTF may support, in **areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU**, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been **approved as part of** the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). **Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.**

Amendment

Additionally, the JTF may support, in **the respective territories**, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been **included in** the territorial just transition plan **as necessary for energy transition**, based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2).

Or. en

Amendment 349

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Amendment

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan ***and where they do not lead to relocation as required under Article 60 of Regulation No. .../... [CPR].***

Or. en

Amendment 350

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Manuel Bompard, Cornelia Ernst

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Amendment

Additionally, the JTF may support, in areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, ***including public-owned or shared companies,*** provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Or. en

Amendment 351

Marian-Jean Marinescu, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ioan-Rareş Bogdan, Vasile Blaga, Gheorghe Falcă

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Additionally, the JTF may support, in **areas designated as assisted areas in accordance with points (a) and (c) of Article 107(3) of the TFEU**, productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Amendment

Additionally, the JTF may support, in **the territories as defined in Article 1 paragraph 1** productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (h) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Or. en

Amendment 352

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

The JTF may also support investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council provided that such investments **have been approved** as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (i) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Amendment

The JTF may also support investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council provided that: such investments **comply with criteria set out in [Articles]Regulation (EU) .../... [Taxonomy Regulation] and provided that such enterprises publicly provide a clear binding plan in line with the objective of climate neutrality by 2040 or before and other relevant information based on templates to be developed by the**

Commission. Such investments shall be subject to approval by the Commission as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (i) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Or. en

Amendment 353

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

The JTF may also support investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (i) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Amendment

The JTF may also support investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (i) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan, ***and do not, by virtue of windfall effects, merely add to the profits, which industrial facilities can obtain under the ETS.***

Or. en

Amendment 354

Robert Hajšel, Nicolás González Casares, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

The JTF may also support investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (i) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan.

Amendment

The JTF may also support investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council provided that such investments have been approved as part of the territorial just transition plan based on the information required under point (i) of Article 7(2). Such investments shall only be eligible where they are necessary for the implementation of the territorial just transition plan ***and if they do not contribute to increase the profits deriving from the trading of emission allowances.***

Or. en

Amendment 355

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The Commission shall be empowered to adopt delegated acts to develop templates specifying the content and presentation of the information to be disclosed in pursuant to Art. 4 paragraph 2.

Or. en

Amendment 356

Thierry Mariani, Jérôme Rivière

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Article 5

deleted

Exclusion from the scope of support

The JTF shall not support:

- (a) the decommissioning or the construction of nuclear power stations;**
- (b) the manufacturing, processing and marketing of tobacco and tobacco products;**
- (c) undertakings in difficulty, as defined in Article 2(18) of Commission Regulation (EU) No 651/2014¹⁶ ;**
- (d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels;**
- (e) investment in broadband infrastructure in areas in which there are at least two broadband networks of equivalent category.**

¹⁶ **Commission Regulation (EU) No 651/2014 of 17 June 2014 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the internal market in application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty (OJ L 187, 26.6.2014, p. 1).**

Or. en

Amendment 357

Martina Dlabajová, Christophe Grudler, Nicola Beer, Dragoş Pîslaru, Bart Groothuis, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- (a) the decommissioning or the construction of nuclear power stations;** **deleted**

Amendment 358
András Gyürk, Edina Tóth

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) *the decommissioning or the construction of nuclear power stations;* ***deleted***

Or. en

Justification

The role of nuclear power – besides the renewable energy technologies - is crucial in the decarbonisation of the energy sector. Currently 50% of emission reductions in the energy sector in the European Union is delivered by nuclear energy. On the basis of the principle of technology neutrality we need all suitable solutions at our disposal to achieve a climate-neutral economy, therefore the support for nuclear energy must not be excluded.

Amendment 359

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Robert Roos, Rob Rooker

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) *the decommissioning or the construction of nuclear power stations;* ***deleted***

Or. en

Amendment 360

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) the decommissioning or the construction of nuclear power stations;

Amendment

(a) the decommissioning, ***maintenance*** or the construction of nuclear power stations, ***as well as the management or storage of nuclear waste***;

Or. en

Amendment 361

Tomas Tobé, François-Xavier Bellamy, Sara Skyttedal, Pernille Weiss, Henna Virkkunen, Eva Maydell

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) the decommissioning ***or the construction*** of nuclear power stations;

Amendment

(a) the decommissioning of nuclear power stations;

Or. en

Justification

The provisions of Article 1 and Article 2(c) of the Euratom Treaty necessarily envisage the development of nuclear power plants. Article 106a(3) of the Euratom Treaty makes it clear that the Euratom Treaty has the same standing as the TEU and the TFEU as far as the primary law of the Union is concerned.

Amendment 362

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(aa) investments which hamper the development and deployment of low-carbon alternatives or which result in

activities and operations that will later rely on subsidies to run in a stable and sustainable manner.

Or. en

Amendment 363

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ba) activities or investments which are not in line with the EU Taxonomy for Sustainable Finance

Or. en

Amendment 364

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(c) undertakings in difficulty, as defined in Article 2(18) of Commission Regulation (EU) No 651/2014¹⁶ ;

deleted

¹⁶ *Commission Regulation (EU) No 651/2014 of 17 June 2014 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the internal market in application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty (OJ L 187, 26.6.2014, p. 1).*

Or. en

Amendment 365
Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point c a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ca) investment failing to ensure decent agreement- and collective bargaining-based employment, which values proper pay and work-life balance;

Or. pt

Amendment 366
Dan Nica, Ivo Hristov, Rovana Plumb, Mihai Tudose, Csaba Molnár, Tsvetelina Penkova

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels **with the exception of investments aimed at switching from coal-fired power plants to small flexible gas power plants to ensure the transition to climate neutrality;**

Or. en

Justification

In some selected JTF territories the biggest employers and energy producers are the coal – fired power plants. It essential for maintaining the number of jobs in parallel with reducing the GHG emissions, while ensuring GW energy production if renewables are not available, that the transition of coal-fired power plants to natural gas power plants to be eligible under JTF. It a necessary intermediary step towards climate neutrality as will take into account geographic constraints, system performance and offers a certain balance with ERDF that supports investment related only to gas-based heating systems.

Amendment 367

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

Amendment

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of ***solid*** fossil fuels ***except for those used as a part of clean coal or hydrogen technologies projects;***

Or. en

Amendment 368

Elena Kountoura

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

Amendment

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels; ***except investments for district heating system of coal regions in transition;***

Or. en

Amendment 369

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Marc Botenga, Manuel Bompard, Cornelia Ernst

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution,

Amendment

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution,

storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

storage or combustion of fossil fuels,
*including the dismantling of installations
or reduction of their capacity*

Or. en

Amendment 370

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, **transport**, storage or combustion of fossil fuels, **including natural gas**;

Or. en

Justification

Investment in fossil fuels is inconsistent with a just transition, as it raises the overall costs of a transition by blocking investments, which would allow regions to ‘leap-forward’ towards full climate neutrality. It also reinforces the lock-in of fossil fuel infrastructure and is illogical when considered in the context that the objective of the transition funds is to support the transition from fossil fuels and towards climate neutrality. It is pivotal such an exclusion includes natural gas, as this cannot be considered a transition fuel once the time to recuperate investment costs is considered and when the lifetime emissions (including leaked methane) is taken into account.

Amendment 371

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution,

(d) investment related to the production, processing, **transport**,

storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

Or. en

Amendment 372

Martina Dlabajová, Christophe Grudler, Nicola Beer, Dragoș Pîslaru, Iskra Mihaylova, Bart Groothuis

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

Amendment

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of **solid** fossil fuels;

Or. en

Amendment 373

Paolo Borchia

on behalf of the ID Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of fossil fuels;

Amendment

(d) investment related to the production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of **solid** fossil fuels;

Or. en

Amendment 374

Robert Hajšel, Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López, Andris Ameriks

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) *investment in broadband infrastructure in areas in which there are at least two broadband networks of equivalent category.*

(e) *productive investments in enterprises other than SMEs, that imply the transfer of jobs, capital and production processes from one Member State to another.*

Or. en

Justification

JTF should not lead to re-location of economic activities.

Amendment 375

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ea) *activities or investments which lead to the lock-in in assets harmful to the climate and environment objectives of the Union considering their lifetime.*

Or. en

Amendment 376

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ea) *investments in residual waste treatment facilities;*

Or. en

Amendment 377

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Marc Botenga, Cornelia Ernst

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

**(ea) Investments related to defence of
weapon industry.**

Or. en

Amendment 378

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point e b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

**(eb) activities relating to the scheduling
of new fossil fuel extraction or peat
production, including the reopening of
temporary decommissioned extraction
facilities in the NUTS 2 region in which
the territory falls, during the duration of
the programme.**

Or. en

Amendment 379

**Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils
Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri
Pekkarinen**

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point e b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(eb) productive investments in

enterprises other than SMEs that imply the transfer of jobs, capital and production processes from one Member State to another.

Or. en

Amendment 380

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Martin Hojsík, Susana Solís Pérez

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 – point e c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ec) investments which would lead to unsustainable use of biomass from all sources;

Or. en

Amendment 381

Ivo Hristov, Eva Kaili, Tsvetelina Penkova, Dan Nica

Proposal for a regulation

Article 5 – paragraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

By way of derogation from Article 5 (d) and following the approval by the Commission, the investments related to production, processing, distribution, storage or combustion of natural gas shall be supported by JTF under the following cumulative conditions:

- The investments are retrofitting and/or replacing existing more carbon-intensive infrastructure;

- The supported infrastructure is synergistic with renewable and other carbon-neutral energy production capacity.

The derogation shall only be used and granted for the purposes of the transition period until 2050.

Or. en

Amendment 382

Robert Hajšel, Patrizia Toia, Simona Bonafè, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The JTF resources shall be programmed for the categories of regions where the territories concerned are located, on the basis of the territorial just transition plans established in accordance with Article 7 and approved by the Commission as part of a programme or a programme amendment. The resources programmed shall take the form of one or more specific programmes or of one or more priorities within a programme.

Amendment

The JTF resources shall be programmed for the categories of regions where the territories concerned are located, on the basis of the territorial just transition plans established in accordance with Article 7 and approved by the Commission as part of a programme or a programme amendment. The resources programmed shall take the form of one or more specific programmes or of one or more priorities within a programme. ***The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan and the Long Term Strategy as well as the European Semester Country Report of the Member State concerned.***

Or. en

Amendment 383

Miriam Dalli, Mohammed Chahim, Patrizia Toia

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The JTF resources shall be programmed for the categories of regions where the territories concerned are located, on the basis of the territorial just transition plans established in accordance with Article 7 and approved by the Commission as part of a programme or a programme amendment. The resources programmed shall take the form of one or more specific programmes or of one or more priorities within a programme.

Amendment

The JTF resources shall be programmed for the categories of regions where the territories concerned are located, on the basis of the territorial just transition plans established in accordance with Article 7 and approved by the Commission as part of a programme or a programme amendment. The resources programmed shall take the form of one or more specific programmes or of one or more priorities within a programme. ***Resources shall be allocated for sector most affected by the transition to climate neutrality.***

Or. en

Amendment 384

Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The JTF resources shall be programmed for the categories of regions where the territories concerned are located, on the basis of the territorial just transition plans established in accordance with Article 7 and approved by the Commission as part of a programme or a programme amendment. The resources programmed shall take the form of one or more specific programmes or of one or more priorities within a programme.

Amendment

The JTF resources shall be programmed for the categories of regions where the territories concerned are located, ***giving priority to the less developed regions under the cohesion policy***, on the basis of the territorial just transition plans established in accordance with Article 7 and approved by the Commission as part of a programme or a programme amendment. The resources programmed shall take the form of one or more specific programmes or of one or more priorities within a programme.

Or. pt

Amendment 385

Thierry Mariani, Jérôme Rivière

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned.

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 386
Henrike Hahn
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned.

Amendment

In line with its commitment to ensure the attainment of climate neutrality in the Union as a whole, the Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned and outlines a clear pathway towards phasing out fossil fuels as early as possible, including a pre-2030 date for the phase-out of coal, where relevant.

Or. en

Justification

The amendment is intended to reinforce the role of the Commission as an institution acting in the interests of the Union as a whole. When deciding on JTF programmes, the Commission must be guided by the Union's strategic long-term interest to turn Europe into a climate neutral continent. The attempts to weaken the role of the Commission would undermine the attainment of this strategic goal.

Amendment 387

Elena Kountoura

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned.

Amendment

The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned. ***For those Member States which have not yet committed to a 2050 national climate neutrality target, the Commission shall release only 50% of their national allocation and make the remaining 50% available once they have adopted that target;***

Or. en

Amendment 388

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall **only** approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is **consistent** with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned.

Amendment

The Commission shall approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is **compatible** with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned. **Where the Commission does not agree with the Member State's proposal, it shall duly justify its decision to withhold its approval.**

Or. en

Amendment 389

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned.

Amendment

The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories most negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan **and the long term strategy** of the Member State concerned **and with the EU Climate Law [2020/...]**.

Or. en

Amendment 390

Miriam Dalli, Mohammed Chahim, Patrizia Toia

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories **most** negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned.

Amendment

The Commission shall only approve a programme where the identification of the territories negatively affected by the transition process, contained within the relevant territorial just transition plan, is duly justified and the relevant territorial just transition plan is consistent with the National Energy and Climate Plan of the Member State concerned.

Or. en

Amendment 391
András Gyürk, Edina Tóth

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The JTF priority or priorities shall comprise the JTF resources consisting of all or part of the JTF allocation for the Member States and the resources transferred in accordance with Article [21a] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR]. ***The total of the ERDF and ESF+ resources transferred to the JTF priority shall be at least equal to one and a half times the amount of support from the JTF to that priority but shall not exceed three times that amount.***

Amendment

2. The JTF priority or priorities shall comprise the JTF resources consisting of all or part of the JTF allocation for the Member States and the resources transferred in accordance with Article [21a] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Or. en

Justification

The conditional access to JTF allocation, particularly by limitation of the use of ERDF and ESF+ resources, undermines its objective as a tool to facilitate the challenge of energy transition in a just manner.

Amendment 392

Marian-Jean Marinescu, Ioan-Rareş Bogdan, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Vasile Blaga, Gheorghe Falcă

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The JTF **priority** or priorities shall **comprise** the JTF resources consisting of all or part of the JTF allocation for the Member States and the resources transferred in accordance with Article [21a] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR]. ***The total of the ERDF and ESF+ resources transferred to the JTF priority shall be at least equal to one and a half times the amount of support from the JTF to that priority but shall not exceed three times that amount.***

Amendment

2. The JTF **programmes** or priorities shall **be finance by** the JTF resources consisting of all or part of the JTF allocation for the Member States and the resources transferred in accordance with Article[**21(1)**]of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Or. en

Amendment 393

Robert Hajšel, Josianne Cutajar, Mohammed Chahim, Dan Nica, Nicolás González Casares, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The JTF priority or priorities shall comprise the JTF resources consisting of all or part of the JTF allocation for the Member States and the resources transferred in accordance with Article [21a] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR]. ***The total of the ERDF and ESF+ resources transferred to the JTF priority shall be at least equal to one and a half times the amount of support from the JTF to that priority but shall not exceed three times***

Amendment

2. The JTF priority or priorities shall comprise the JTF resources consisting of all or part of the JTF allocation for the Member States and ***on a voluntary basis*** the resources transferred in accordance with Article [21a] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

that amount.

Or. en

Justification

This should avoid cohesion dependent regions not affected by decarbonisation challenge being forced to contribute from their envelope to possibly more developed regions undergoing decarbonisation process. No such contradiction to cohesion funds objective of providing support to less developed regions aiming to reduce regional disparities should be created.

Amendment 394

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The JTF priority or priorities shall comprise the JTF resources consisting of all or part of the JTF allocation for the Member States and the resources transferred in accordance with Article [21a] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR]. The total of the ERDF and ESF+ resources ***transferred*** to the JTF priority ***shall be at least equal to one and a half times the amount of support from the JTF to that priority but*** shall not exceed three times ***that amount.***

Amendment

2. The JTF priority or priorities shall comprise the JTF resources consisting of all or part of the JTF allocation for the Member States and the resources ***voluntarily*** transferred in accordance with Article [21a] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR]. The total of the ERDF and ESF+ resources ***that the Member State decides to transfer*** to the JTF priority shall not exceed three times ***the amount of support received from the JTF.***

Or. en

Amendment 395

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 2 a (new)

2a. Eligible projects financed under the JTF contributing to the specific objective as set out in Article (2) can be financed 10 p.p. higher than the co-financing rates applicable to the region where the territory or territories identified in the territorial just transition plans are located.

Or. en

Amendment 396

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodebski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1. Member States shall prepare, **together** with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic **and** social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest

1. Member States shall prepare, **in close cooperation** with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic, social **and energy security** impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in **solid** fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities

greenhouse gas intensity.

with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

The investment areas and priorities identified by the European Commission in Annex D to the Country Reports 2020 should be indicative and should not limit Member States in proposing areas for the JTF support.

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 397
Patrizia Toia, Dan Nica

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of

Amendment

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively ***directly and indirectly*** affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, ***in the short and long term***, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation

industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity ***and conversion to alternative industries in sectors whose finished industrial products are ultimately incompatible with the target of carbon neutrality.***

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 398

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Dan Nica, Nicolás González Casares, Carlos Zorrinho, Mohammed Chahim, Tsvetelina Penkova, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques, Miapetra Kumpula-Natri, Andris Ameriks, Patrizia Toia
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation **Article 7 – paragraph 1**

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) **No 1059/2003** of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) **No 868/2014**¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel

Amendment

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned ***on both national and regional level***, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) **No 1059/2003** of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) **No 868/2014**¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to

production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity. ***Relevant authorities and stakeholders should be actively involved in all phases of the process: preparatory, selection and implementation.***

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 399

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Iskra Mihaylova

Proposal for a regulation Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans ***covering one or more affected territories corresponding to*** level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel

Amendment

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans ***which can be part of or correspond to larger levels such as*** level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel

production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity ***or conversion to alternative industries in sectors with products that are impacted by the transition to EU climate neutrality.***

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 400

Ivo Hristov, Eva Kaili, Tsvetelina Penkova

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic ***and*** social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest

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greenhouse gas intensity.

processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 401

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities ***of the territories concerned***, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those ***most negatively affected based on*** the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

Amendment

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant ***regional and local authorities and other stakeholders referred to in paragraph 3***, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those ***which require additional support to achieve*** the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 402 **Sandra Pereira**

Proposal for a regulation **Article 7 – paragraph 1**

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses ***in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.***

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003,

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¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003,

p. 1).

p. 1).

Or. pt

Amendment 403

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Marc Botenga, Cornelia Ernst

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics (‘NUTS level 3 regions’) as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

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¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 404

Paolo Borchia

on behalf of the ID Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to expected job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

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¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 405

Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall prepare, together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics (‘NUTS level 3 regions’) as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to **expected** job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

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¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 406
Pilar del Castillo Vera

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

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¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

together with the relevant authorities of the territories concerned, one or more territorial just transition plans covering one or more affected territories corresponding to level 3 of the common classification of territorial units for statistics ('NUTS level 3 regions') as established by Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 868/2014¹⁷ or parts thereof, in accordance with the template set out in Annex II. Those territories shall be those most negatively affected based on the economic and social impacts resulting from the transition, in particular with regard to job losses in fossil fuel production and use and the transformation needs of the production processes of industrial facilities with the highest greenhouse gas intensity.

¹⁷ Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) (OJ L 154 21.6.2003, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 407

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, *including* a timeline for key transition steps *which are consistent* with the latest version of the National

Amendment

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral, *environmentally sustainable, fully renewables-based, highly resource and energy efficient and circular* economy *by 2040 or before* and a timeline for key

Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

transition steps, ***including a timeline with milestones aimed at phasing out coal power plans by 2030 where coal is used and a clear date for the phase-out of all fossil fuels in line*** with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Or. en

Justification

The just transition mechanism should be linked with the adoption of clear pathway to phase out fossil fuels. The most immediate ambition is to phase out coal by 2030.

Amendment 408

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Niels Fuglsang, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicolás González Casares, Mohammed Chahim, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques, Andris Ameriks

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards ***a climate-neutral*** economy, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

(a) a description of the transition process at national ***and regional*** level towards ***the achievement of the EU 2030 climate targets, as set up in the European climate law, and of a climate neutral economy by 2050***, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP'); ***and European Semester Report***

Or. en

Amendment 409

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Amendment

(a) a **detailed** description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy **by 2050**, including a timeline for **fossil fuel phase-out and other** key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP') **and with the EU Climate Law [2020/...]**;

Or. en

Amendment 410

Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Amendment

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, including **the transition actions already undertaken and** a timeline for key **next** transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Or. en

Amendment 411

Pilar del Castillo Vera

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Amendment

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, including ***the early actions already undertaken and*** a timeline for ***next*** key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Or. en

Amendment 412

Patrizia Toia, Carlos Zorrinho, Simona Bonafè

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Amendment

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy ***by 2050***, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP') ***and the Long Term Strategy***;

Or. en

Amendment 413

Elena Kountoura

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with the latest version of the National

Amendment

(a) a ***detailed*** description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy ***by 2050 at the latest***, including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent with

Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Or. en

Amendment 414

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy, ***including a timeline for key transition steps which are consistent*** with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Amendment

(a) a description of the transition process at national level towards a climate-neutral economy ***compatible*** with the latest version of the National Energy and Climate Plan ('NECP');

Or. en

Amendment 415

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen, Martina Dlabajová

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) a justification for identifying the territories as most negatively affected by the transition process referred to in point (a) and to be supported by the JTF, in accordance with paragraph 1;

Amendment

(b) a justification for identifying the territories ***or economic activities*** as most negatively affected by the transition process referred to in point (a) and to be supported by the JTF, in accordance with paragraph 1;

Or. en

Amendment 416

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) a justification for identifying the territories ***as most negatively affected by*** the transition process referred to in point (a) and to be supported by the JTF, in accordance with paragraph 1;

Amendment

(b) a justification for identifying the territories ***which require additional support to achieve*** the transition process referred to in point (a) and to be supported by the JTF, in accordance with paragraph 1;

Or. en

Amendment 417

Pilar del Castillo Vera

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ba) an assessment of other aggravating factors that must be taken into account when identifying the most affected territories, such as the unemployment rate, the depopulation trends and previous reconversion or transition efforts;

Or. en

Amendment 418

Patrizia Toia, Dan Nica

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(c) an assessment of the transition

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challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job *losses, number of enterprises disrupted and expected revenue* losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities *or activities whose finished industrial products are ultimately incompatible with the target of carbon neutrality* in those territories;

Or. en

Amendment 419

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Iskra Mihaylova, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to **a** climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

Amendment

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to **an EU-level** climate-neutral economy **by 2050**, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, **the number of enterprises disrupted**, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities **and industrial activities with products that are impacted by the transition to EU climate neutrality** in those territories;

Or. en

Amendment 420
Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Marc Botenga

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

Amendment

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying ***precisely*** the potential number of affected jobs and job losses (***both expected and historical***), the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories; ***the inclusion of territories among the typologies covered by Art. 174 TFEU.***

Or. en

Amendment 421
Henrike Hahn
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by ***the most negatively affected*** territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

Amendment

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by territories ***which require additional support for the transition***, including the social, economic, and environmental ***and gender-related*** impact of the transition to a climate-neutral, ***fully renewable-based, highly resource and energy-efficient and circular*** economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse

gas-intensive activities in those territories;

Or. en

Amendment 422

Robert Hajšel, Tsvetelina Penkova, Łukasz Kohut, Andris Ameriks

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

Amendment

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, **energy security**, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected **workers**, jobs and job losses, the **potential impact on self-government revenues at NUTS2 and NUTS3 levels and** development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

Or. en

Amendment 423

Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of **affected jobs and job losses**, the development needs and objectives, to be

Amendment

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of **those to be retrained**, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to

reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories, ***along with the requisite business-establishment and job-retention incentives***;

Or. pt

Amendment 424

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

Amendment

(c) an assessment of the transition challenges faced by the most negatively affected territories, including the social, economic, ***energy security***, and environmental impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy, identifying the potential number of affected jobs and job losses, the development needs and objectives, to be reached by 2030 linked to the transformation or closure of greenhouse gas-intensive activities in those territories;

Or. en

Amendment 425

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point c a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ca) an assessment of job creation potential from deployment of renewable energy technologies in identified

territories;

Or. en

Amendment 426

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Dan Nica, Nicolás González Casares, Ivo Hristov, Tsvetelina Penkova, Andris Ameriks, Carlos Zorrinho, Miriam Dalli
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) a description of the expected contribution of the JTF support to addressing the social, economic and environmental impacts of the transition to a *climate-neutral* economy;

Amendment

(d) a description of the expected contribution of the JTF support to addressing the social, economic *energy security*, and environmental impacts of the transition to a *climate- neutral* economy *and preventing deepening of energy poverty*

Or. en

Amendment 427

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Grzegorz Tobiszowski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) a description of the expected contribution of the JTF support to addressing the social, economic and environmental impacts of the transition to a climate-neutral economy;

Amendment

(d) a description of the expected contribution of the JTF support to addressing the social, economic, *energy security*, and environmental impacts of the transition to a climate-neutral economy;

Or. en

Amendment 428

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) a description of the expected contribution of the JTF support to addressing the social, economic and environmental impacts of the transition to a climate-neutral economy;

Amendment

(d) a description of the expected contribution of the JTF support to addressing the social, economic and environmental impacts of the transition to a climate-neutral economy **by 2050**;

Or. en

Amendment 429

Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

(e) an assessment of its consistency with other national, regional or territorial strategies and plans;

Amendment

(e) an assessment of its consistency with other national, regional or territorial strategies and plans, ***including economic and industrial renewal strategies to sustain production and maintain or improve employment levels***;

Or. pt

Amendment 430

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

(e) an assessment of its consistency with other national, regional or territorial strategies and plans;

Amendment

(e) an assessment of its consistency with other **relevant** national, regional or territorial strategies and plans;

Or. en

Amendment 431

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Mauri Pekkarinen, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

(f) a description of the governance mechanisms consisting of the partnership arrangements, the monitoring and evaluation measures planned and the responsible bodies;

Amendment

(f) a description of the governance mechanisms consisting of the partnership arrangements, the monitoring and evaluation measures planned and the responsible bodies, **including the possibility of evaluation by non-governmental bodies and institutions as well**;

Or. en

Amendment 432

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Dan Nica, Nicolás González Casares, Carlos Zorrinho, Tsvetelina Penkova, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques, Andris Ameriks, Patrizia Toia
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

(f) a description of the governance mechanisms consisting of the partnership arrangements, the monitoring and evaluation measures planned and the

Amendment

(f) a description of the governance mechanisms consisting of the partnership arrangements, the monitoring and evaluation measures planned and the

responsible bodies;

responsible bodies *both on national and regional level*;

Or. en

Amendment 433

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Cornelia Ernst, Marc Botenga

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point f a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(fa) a description of the participatory process carried out for its elaboration.

Or. en

Amendment 434

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(g) a description of the type of operations envisaged and their expected contribution to alleviate the impact of the transition;

(g) a description of the type *and timeline* of operations envisaged and their expected contribution to alleviate the *economic, social, and environmental* impact of the transition *at local, regional, and (where relevant) national level*;

Or. en

Amendment 435

Marian-Jean Marinescu, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ioan-Rareş Bogdan, Gheorghe Falcă, Vasile Blaga

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(h) where support is provided to productive investments to enterprises other than SMEs, an exhaustive list of such operations and enterprises and a justification of the necessity of such support through a gap analysis demonstrating that the expected job losses would exceed the expected number of jobs created in the absence of the investment;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 436

Robert Hajšel, Lukasz Kohut, Tsvetelina Penkova, Andris Ameriks, Patrizia Toia
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(h) where support is provided to productive investments to enterprises other than SMEs, an **exhaustive** list of such operations and enterprises and a justification of the necessity of such support through a gap analysis demonstrating that the expected job losses would exceed the expected number of jobs created in the absence of the investment;

(h) where support is provided to productive **and sustainable** investments to enterprises other than SMEs, an **indicative** list of such operations and enterprises and a justification of the necessity of such support through a gap analysis demonstrating that the expected job losses would exceed the expected number of jobs created in the absence of the investment; **where this support is provided to industrial activities already covered by the Emission Trading System, a description that such a support do not contribute to increase the profits already deriving from the ETS.**

Or. en

Amendment 437

Beata Szydło
on behalf of the ECR Group

Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk,
Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

(h) where support is provided to productive investments to enterprises other than SMEs, **an exhaustive** list of such operations and enterprises and a justification of the necessity of such support through a gap analysis demonstrating that the expected job losses would exceed the expected number of jobs created in the absence of the investment;

Amendment

(h) where support is provided to productive investments to enterprises other than SMEs, **a** list of such operations and enterprises and a justification of the necessity of such support through a gap analysis demonstrating that the expected job losses would exceed the expected number of jobs created in the absence of the investment;

Or. en

Amendment 438

Robert Hajšel, Łukasz Kohut, Nicolás González Casares, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) where support is provided to investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC, an exhaustive list of operations to be supported and a justification that they contribute to a transition to a climate neutral economy and lead to a substantial reduction in greenhouse-gas emissions going substantially below the relevant benchmarks established for free allocation under Directive 2003/87/EC and provided that they are necessary for the protection of a significant number of jobs;

Amendment

(i) where support is provided to investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC, an exhaustive list of operations to be supported and a justification that they contribute to a transition to a climate neutral economy and lead to a substantial reduction in greenhouse-gas emissions going substantially below the relevant benchmarks established for free allocation under Directive 2003/87/EC and provided that they are necessary for the protection of a significant number of jobs **and that these investments do not contribute to increase the profits already deriving from the trading of emissions allowances;**

Amendment 439

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Cornelia Ernst, Marc Botenga, Manuel Bompard

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) where support is provided to investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC, an exhaustive list of operations to be supported and a justification that they contribute to a transition to a climate neutral economy and lead to a substantial reduction in greenhouse-gas emissions going substantially below the relevant benchmarks established for free allocation under Directive 2003/87/EC and provided that they are necessary for the protection of a significant number of jobs;

Amendment

(i) where support is provided to investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC, an exhaustive list of operations to be supported and a justification that they contribute to a transition to a climate neutral economy and lead to a substantial reduction in greenhouse-gas emissions going substantially below the relevant benchmarks established for free allocation under Directive 2003/87/EC and provided that they are necessary for the protection of a significant number of jobs ***in short, medium and long term***;

Amendment 440

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) where support is provided to investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC, an exhaustive list of operations to be supported and a justification that they contribute to a transition to ***a*** climate

Amendment

(i) where support is provided to investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC, an exhaustive list of operations to be supported and a justification that they contribute to a transition to ***an EU-level***

neutral economy and lead to a substantial reduction in greenhouse-gas emissions going substantially below the relevant benchmarks established for free allocation under Directive 2003/87/EC and provided that they are necessary for the protection of a significant number of jobs;

climate neutral economy **by 2050** and lead to a substantial reduction in greenhouse-gas emissions going substantially below the relevant benchmarks established for free allocation under Directive 2003/87/EC and provided that they are necessary for the protection of a significant number of jobs;

Or. en

Amendment 441

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) where support is provided to investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC, **an exhaustive** list of operations to be supported and a justification that they contribute to a transition to a climate neutral economy and lead to a substantial reduction in greenhouse-gas emissions going substantially below the relevant benchmarks established for free allocation under Directive 2003/87/EC and provided that they are necessary for the protection of a significant number of jobs;

Amendment

(i) where support is provided to investments to achieve the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC, **a** list of operations to be supported and a justification that they contribute to a transition to a climate neutral economy and lead to a substantial reduction in greenhouse-gas emissions going substantially below the relevant benchmarks established for free allocation under Directive 2003/87/EC and provided that they are necessary for the protection of a significant number of jobs;

Or. en

Amendment 442

Marian-Jean Marinescu, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ioan-Rareş Bogdan, Gheorghe Falcă, Vasile Blaga

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point i a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ia) where support is provided to investment to transport infrastructure, a list of such operations and the impact study demonstrating the level of attracted investment and the expected jobs created as effect of the built infrastructure;

Or. en

Amendment 443

Marian-Jean Marinescu, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ioan-Rareş Bogdan, Gheorghe Falcă, Vasile Blaga

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point i b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ib) where support is provided for implementing, for a transition period, of technologies to produce reduced greenhouse emissions an analyses demonstrating the benefit generated by preserved jobs versus emission reduction.

Or. en

Amendment 444

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(j) synergies and complementarities with other Union programmes and pillars of the Just Transition Mechanism to address identified development needs.

(j) synergies and complementarities with other **relevant** Union programmes and pillars of the Just Transition Mechanism to address identified development needs.

Amendment 445

Dan Nica, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Rovana Plumb, Mihai Tudose, Csaba Molnár, Tsvetelina Penkova

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

(j) synergies and complementarities with other Union programmes and pillars of the Just Transition Mechanism to address identified development needs.

Amendment

(j) synergies and complementarities with other Union programmes, **funds** and pillars of the Just Transition Mechanism to address identified development needs.

Or. en

Amendment 446

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2a. The territorial just transition plans shall exclude any investment in fossil fuels and nuclear energy infrastructure.

Or. en

Justification

Investment in fossil fuels is inconsistent with a just transition, as it raises the overall costs of a transition by blocking investments, which would allow regions to ‘leap-forward’ towards full climate neutrality. It also reinforces the lock-in of fossil fuel infrastructure and is illogical when considered in the context that the objective of the transition funds is to support the transition from fossil fuels and towards climate neutrality. It is pivotal such an exclusion includes natural gas, as this cannot be considered a transition fuel once the time to recuperate investment costs is considered and when the lifetime emissions (including leaked methane) is taken into account.

Amendment 447

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The preparation and implementation of territorial just transition plans shall involve the relevant partners in accordance with Article [6] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Amendment

3. The preparation, ***development*** and implementation of territorial just transition plans shall involve ***all*** the relevant ***stakeholders , economic and social partners, representatives of the civil society, experts, training and research institutions, employers, trade unions, and community-based organisations,*** in accordance with Article [6] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Or. en

Amendment 448

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicolás González Casares, Ivo Hristov, Mohammed Chahim, Josianne Cutajar, Tsvetelina Penkova, Dan Nica, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques, Andris Ameriks, Patrizia Toia

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The preparation and implementation of territorial just transition plans shall involve the relevant partners in accordance with Article [6] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Amendment

3. The preparation and implementation of territorial just transition plans shall involve the relevant partners in accordance with Article [6] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] ***as well as representatives of industry, energy sector, social partners, national and regional authorities and relevant stakeholders***

Or. en

Amendment 449

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Cornelia Ernst, Marc Botenga, Manuel Bompard

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The preparation and implementation of territorial just transition plans shall involve the relevant partners in accordance with Article [6] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Amendment

3. The preparation and implementation of territorial just transition plans shall involve the relevant partners, ***including local national authorities, social partners and stakeholders in affected territories***, in accordance with Article [6] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Or. en

Amendment 450

Pietro Fiocchi

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The preparation and implementation of territorial just transition plans shall involve the relevant partners in accordance with Article [6] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Amendment

3. The preparation and implementation of territorial just transition plans shall involve the relevant partners ***and the structured and systematic consultation of the stakeholders*** in accordance with Article [6] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Or. en

Amendment 451

Jerzy Buzek, Christian Ehler, Maria da Graça Carvalho, Aldo Patriciello, Eva Maydell, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Maria Spyraiki, Adam Jarubas, Massimiliano Salini

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs **and** the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Amendment

Territorial just transition plans **where possible** shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs, the European Pillar of Social Rights **and other relevant strategies and programmes, including on clean air, clean steel, energy poverty and energy prosumers.**

Or. en

Amendment 452

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicolás González Casares, Maria-Manuel Leitão-Marques, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Amendment

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with **the 2030 climate targets and carbon neutrality objective by 2050 referred in Article 2 of the European Climate Law, with** relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Or. en

Justification

As the JTF is built in the framework to achieve climate neutrality, this amendment makes a link between this regulation and the Climate Law, which is the regulation enshrining the carbon neutrality target into EU law.

Amendment 453

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Amendment

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights, ***the Union's commitment under the Paris Agreement and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.***

Or. en

Amendment 454

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias, Marc Botenga, Manuel Bompard

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Amendment

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, ***and Rural Development Programmes,*** the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Or. en

Amendment 455

Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Amendment

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and ***the objectives of*** the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Or. pt

Amendment 456

András Gyürk, Edina Tóth

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs ***and the European Pillar of Social Rights.***

Amendment

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with relevant smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs.

Or. en

Justification

The European Pillar of Social Rights has no legal binding force for Member States.

Amendment 457

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

**Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk,
Grzegorz Tobiszowski**

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with **relevant** smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Amendment

Territorial just transition plans shall be consistent with the **relevant** territorial strategies referred to in Article [23] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR], with smart specialisation strategies, the NECPs and the European Pillar of Social Rights.

Or. en

Amendment 458

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

4a. The territorial just transition plans, the minutes of the meetings and the decisions regarding the selection of projects and operations shall be made publicly accessible. The preparation and development of territorial transition plans shall be subject to public consultation.

Or. en

Amendment 459

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen, Martina Dlabajová, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 7 – paragraph 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

4a. Territorial just transition plans shall be publicly available.

Or. en

Amendment 460

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. For output indicators, baselines shall be set at zero. The milestones set for 2024 and targets set for 2029 shall be cumulative. ***Targets shall not be revised after the request for programme amendment submitted pursuant to Article [14(2)] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] has been approved by the Commission.***

Amendment

2. For output indicators, baselines shall be set at zero. The milestones set for 2024 and targets set for 2029 shall be cumulative.

Or. en

Amendment 461

András Gyürk, Edina Tóth

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. For output indicators, baselines shall be set at zero. The ***milestones set for 2024 and*** targets set for 2029 shall be cumulative. Targets shall not be revised after the request for programme amendment submitted pursuant to Article [14(2)] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] has been approved by the Commission.

Amendment

2. For output indicators, baselines shall be set at zero. The targets set for 2029 shall be cumulative. Targets shall not be revised after the request for programme amendment submitted pursuant to Article [14(2)] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] has been approved by the Commission.

Or. en

Justification

According to the proposal output indicators shall be established with milestones for 2024 and 2029. If one or more milestones do not reach at least 65%, the grant from Just Transition

Fund will be reduced. The question is, whether there will be measurable outcomes in 2024.

Amendment 462

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen, Martina Dlabajová, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. Where a JTF priority supports the activities referred to in points (h), (i) or (j) of Article 4(2), data on the indicators for participants shall only be transmitted where all the data relating to that participant, required in accordance with Annex III are available.

Amendment

3. Where a JTF priority supports the activities referred to in points (h), (i) or (j) of Article 4(2), data on the indicators for participants shall only be transmitted where all the data relating to that participant, required in accordance with Annex III are available, ***while ensuring strict data protection rules.***

Or. en

Amendment 463

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

4. ***The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 10 to amend Annex III in order to make the necessary adjustments to the list of indicators to be used.***

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 464

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Article 9 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least 65% of the target established for one or more output or result indicators for the JTF resources, it may make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the achievements.

Amendment

Based on the final performance report of the programme, **the Commission** may make financial corrections **in accordance with Art[98]** of Regulation (EU) [new CPR].

Or. en

Amendment 465

Robert Hajšel, Lukasz Kohut, Andris Ameriks

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 9 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least 65% of the target established for one or more output or result indicators for the JTF resources, it may make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the

Amendment

A description of the governance Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least 65% of the target established for one or more output or result indicators for the JTF resources, it may make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation(EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the achievements. ***Financial corrections***

achievements.

should relate to failures related to programme interventions (not failures stemming from external factors).

Or. en

Amendment 466

Tomas Tobé, Henna Virkkunen

Proposal for a regulation

Article 9 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least 65% of the target established for one or more output or result indicators for the JTF resources, it *may* make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the achievements.

Amendment

Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least 65% of the target established for one or more output or result indicators for the JTF resources, it *shall* make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the achievements.

Or. en

Amendment 467

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Mauri Pekkarinen, Martina Dlabajová, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 9 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least **65%** of the target established for one or more output or result indicators for the JTF

Amendment

Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least **75%** of the target established for one or more output or result indicators for the JTF

resources, it may make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the achievements.

resources, it may make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the achievements.

Or. en

Amendment 468

Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López

Proposal for a regulation Article 9 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least 65% of the target established for one or more output *or result* indicators for the JTF resources, it may make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the achievements.

Amendment

Where the Commission concludes, based on the examination of the final performance report of the programme, that there is a failure to achieve at least 65% of the target established for one or more output indicators for the JTF resources, it may make financial corrections pursuant to Article [98] of Regulation (EU) [new CPR] by reducing the support from the JTF to the priority concerned in proportion to the achievements.

Or. en

Justification

Result indicators depend not only on the interventions, but also another factors. Any reference to 'result' indicators in annex III should be removed, in consistence with this amendment.

Amendment 469

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

**Evžen Tošenovský, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk,
Grzegorz Tobiszowski**

Proposal for a regulation
Article 10

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Article 10

deleted

Exercise of the delegation

- 1. The power to adopt delegated acts is conferred on the Commission subject to the conditions laid down in this Article.***
- 2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 8(4) shall be conferred on the Commission for an indeterminate period of time from [the date of the entry into force of this Regulation].***
- 3. The delegation of power referred to in Article 8(4) may be revoked at any time by the European Parliament or by the Council. A decision to revoke shall put an end to the delegation of the power specified in that decision. It shall take effect the day following the publication of the decision in the Official Journal of the European Union or at a later date specified therein. It shall not affect the validity of any delegated acts already in force.***
- 4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State in accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 13 April 2016 on Better Law-Making.***
- 5. As soon as it adopts a delegated act, the Commission shall notify it simultaneously to the European Parliament and to the Council.***
- 6. A delegated act adopted pursuant to Article 8(4) shall enter into force only if no objection has been expressed either by the European Parliament or by the Council within a period of two months of notification of that act to the European Parliament and the Council or if, before the expiry of that period, the European***

Parliament and the Council have both informed the Commission that they will not object. That period shall be extended by two months at the initiative of the European Parliament or of the Council.

Or. en

Amendment 470
Thierry Mariani, Jérôme Rivière

Proposal for a regulation
Article 10 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 8(4) shall be conferred on the Commission ***for an indeterminate period of time from*** [the date of the entry into force of this Regulation].

Amendment

2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 8(4) shall be conferred on the Commission [the date of the entry into force of this Regulation].

Or. en

Amendment 471
Paolo Borchia
on behalf of the ID Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 10 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 8(4) shall be conferred on the Commission ***for an indeterminate period of time from*** [the date of the entry into force of this Regulation].

Amendment

2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 8(4) shall be conferred on the Commission from [the date of the entry into force of this Regulation].

Or. en

Amendment 472

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez, Iskra Mihaylova, Mauri Pekkarinen, Martina Dlabajová, Fredrick Federley

Proposal for a regulation

Article 10 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State in accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 13 April 2016 on Better Law-Making.

Amendment

4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State **and conduct stakeholder consultation** in accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 13 April 2016 on Better Law-Making.

Or. en

Amendment 473

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 10 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State in accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 13 April 2016 on Better Law-Making.

Amendment

4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State **and conduct stakeholder consultation** in accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 13 April 2016 on Better Law-Making

Or. en

Justification

The Inter-Institutional Agreement on Better Law-Making states in para. 6: "The preparation and drawing-up of delegated acts may also include consultations with stakeholders." In this case, and given the considerable socio-economic and environmental impact of the green transition, it is important to specify that consultation with relevant stakeholders is a necessity.

Amendment 474
András Gyürk, Edina Tóth

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

For each Member State, the financial envelope is determined in accordance with the following steps:

Amendment

For each Member State, the financial envelope is determined in accordance with the following steps:

An amount of 6.5 billion EUR of the Just Transition Fund resources is shared amongst Member States as follows:

Or. en

Justification

The bulk of the resources of the JTF, 6.5 billion EUR should be allocated according to the calculation method proposed by the Commission. The remaining 1 billion EUR, however, should be directed to those early achiever Member States that have realized by 2017 a significant reduction of their greenhouse gas emissions of at least 30%, thus outperforming by 150% the EU2020 target of 20%.

Amendment 475
Marian-Jean Marinescu, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Ioan-Rareş Bogdan, Gheorghe Falcă, Vasile Blaga

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) the share of each Member State is calculated as the weighted sum of the shares determined on the basis of the following criteria, weighted as indicated:

Amendment

(a) the share of each Member State is calculated as the weighted sum of the shares determined on the basis of the following criteria, ***calculated as an average for 2015-2017 period***, weighted as indicated:

Or. en

Amendment 476
Sira Rego, Marisa Matias

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in NUTS level 2 regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions of industrial facilities as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the gross value added of the industry, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. ***Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2 regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in the NUTS level 2 region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting 49%),***

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

Amendment

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in NUTS level 3 regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions of industrial facilities as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the gross value added of the industry, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average.

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 477
Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions ***of*** industrial facilities in NUTS level 2 regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas

Amendment

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions ***from*** industrial facilities, ***transport, buildings, changes in land use and other sources considered relevant*** in NUTS level 2 ***and***

emissions *of industrial facilities* as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the *gross value added of the industry*, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2 regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial *facilities* in the NUTS level 2 region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting **49 %**),

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

level 3 regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions *from the above sources* as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council compared to the *GDP of the region in question*, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2 *and level 3* regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial *facilities* in the NUTS level 2 *and level 3* region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting **39 %**),

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

Or. pt

Amendment 478 **Sira Rego, Marisa Matias**

Proposal for a regulation **Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point i**

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in NUTS level **2** regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions of industrial facilities as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the gross value added of the industry, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2

Amendment

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in NUTS level **3** regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions of industrial facilities as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the gross value added of the industry, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2

regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial *facilites* in the NUTS level 2 region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting 49%),

regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial *facilities* in the NUTS level 2 region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting 49%),

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 479

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in NUTS level 2 regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions of industrial facilities as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the gross value added of the industry, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2 regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial *facilites* in the NUTS level 2 region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting **49%**),

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of

Amendment

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in NUTS level 2 regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions of industrial facilities as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the gross value added of the industry, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2 regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial *facilities* in the NUTS level 2 region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting **35%**),

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of

18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 480

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in NUTS level 2 regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions of industrial facilities as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the gross value added of the industry, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2 regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial *facilities* in the NUTS level 2 region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting **49%**),

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

Amendment

(i) greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial facilities in NUTS level 2 regions where the carbon intensity, as defined by the ratio of greenhouse gas emissions of industrial facilities as reported by Member States in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council²⁸ compared to the gross value added of the industry, exceeds by a factor of two the EU-27 average. Where that level is not exceeded in any NUTS level 2 regions in a given Member State, greenhouse-gas emissions of industrial *facilities* in the NUTS level 2 region with the highest carbon intensity is taken into account (weighting **27%**),

²⁸ Regulation (EC) No 166/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 January 2006 concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register and amending Council Directives 91/689/EEC and 96/61/EC (OJ L 33, 4.2.2006, p. 1).

Or. en

Amendment 481
Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite (weighting 25 %),

Amendment

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite **or other sectors undergoing conversion** (weighting 25 %),

Or. pt

Amendment 482
Jerzy Buzek, Riho Terras, Christian Ehler, Maria da Graça Carvalho, Eva Maydell, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Adam Jarubas

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

(ii) employment in mining of coal **and** lignite (weighting **25%**),

Amendment

(ii) employment in mining of coal, lignite **and oil shale** (weighting **50%**),

Or. en

Amendment 483
Henrike Hahn
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite (weighting **25%**),

Amendment

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite (weighting **20%**),

Or. en

Amendment 484
Sira Rego, Marisa Matias

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite (weighting **25%**),

Amendment

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite (weighting **15%**),

Or. en

Amendment 485

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite (weighting **25%**),

Amendment

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite (weighting **45%**),

Or. en

Amendment 486

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point ii a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iia) an ambitious phase out of lignite and coal mining before 2030, proportional to the number of remaining mines and power plants (weighting 10%)

Or. en

Justification

Member States who have in place ambitious plans for phasing out fossil fuels should be rewarded in order to incentivise ambition and to facilitate the JTF most effectively.

Amendment 487

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point ii a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) employment in mining of coal and lignite in a year of reference (2010-2012) (10%).

Or. en

Amendment 488

Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) employment in industry in the NUTS level 2 regions taken into account for the purposes of point (i) (weighting 25 %),

(iii) unemployment in industry in the NUTS level 2 **and level 3** regions taken into account for the purposes of point (i) (weighting 25 %),

Or. pt

Amendment 489

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) employment in industry in the

(iii) employment in industry in the

NUTS level 2 regions taken into account for the purposes of point (i) (weighting **25%**),

NUTS level 2 regions taken into account for the purposes of point (i) (weighting **15%**),

Or. en

Amendment 490

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Evžen Tošenovský, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

(iii) employment in industry in the NUTS level 2 regions taken into account for the purposes of point (i) (weighting **25%**),

Amendment

(iii) employment in industry in the NUTS level 2 regions taken into account for the purposes of point (i) (weighting **27%**),

Or. en

Amendment 491

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

(iii) employment in industry in the NUTS level 2 regions taken into account for the purposes of point (i) (weighting **25%**),

Amendment

(iii) employment in industry in the NUTS level 2 regions taken into account for the purposes of point (i) (weighting **20%**),

Or. en

Amendment 492

Sandra Pereira

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point iii a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iia) proportion of NUTS level 2 regions considered less developed for the purposes of cohesion policy (weighting 10 %),

Or. pt

Amendment 493
Sira Rego, Marisa Matias

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point iii a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iia) Unemployment rate at NUTS3 level compared with the average unemployment rate in the Member State (5%).

Or. en

Amendment 494
Sira Rego, Marisa Matias

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point iii b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iib) Inclusion of the NUTS3 regions within categories of Art. 174 TFEU (regions which suffer from severe and permanent natural or demographic handicaps such as the northernmost regions with very low population density and island, cross-border and mountain regions) (5%).

Or. en

Amendment 495

Jerzy Buzek, Christian Ehler, Maria da Graça Carvalho, Eva Maydell, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Adam Jarubas, Seán Kelly

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point iv

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv) production of peat (weighting **0,95%**),

(iv) production of peat (weighting **1%**),

Or. en

Amendment 496

Jerzy Buzek, Riho Terras, Christian Ehler, Maria da Graça Carvalho, Eva Maydell, Cristian-Silviu Buşoi, Adam Jarubas

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point v

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(v) **production of oil shale (weighting 0,05%);**

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 497

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point a – point v a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(va) the percentage by which Member States commit to reducing their greenhouse gas emissions, as reflected in the respective 2030 National Energy and Climate Plans (weighting 14%);

Amendment 498

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding EUR 2 billion. The amounts exceeding EUR 2 billion per Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly; **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 499

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding EUR 2 billion. The amounts exceeding EUR 2 billion per Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly; **(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding EUR 2 billion. The amounts exceeding EUR 2 billion per Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly *taking into account the achievements regarding the 2020 targets for energy efficiency and***

renewable energy sources, as referred respectively to in Article 1(1) of Directive 2012/27/EU and in Annex I of Directive 2009/28/EC;

Or. en

Amendment 500
Patrizia Toia, Simona Bonafè

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding EUR 2 billion. The amounts exceeding EUR 2 billion per Member State are redistributed ***proportionally*** to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly;

Amendment

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding EUR 2 billion. The amounts exceeding EUR 2 billion per Member State are redistributed to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly ***taking into account the achievements regarding the 2020 targets for energy efficiency and renewable energy sources, as referred respectively to in Article 1(1) of Directive 2012/27/EU and in Annex I of Directive 2009/28/EC;***

Or. en

Amendment 501
Pernille Weiss, Tomas Tobé

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding EUR 2 billion. The amounts exceeding EUR 2 billion per

Amendment

(b) ***In order to ensure a level-playing field in the EU that enables the JTF to contribute to all EU Member States' transition,*** the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to

Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly;

ensure that no *single* Member State receives an amount exceeding EUR 2 billion. The amounts exceeding EUR 2 billion per Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly;

Or. en

Amendment 502

Robert Hajšel, Jens Geier, Łukasz Kohut, Andris Ameriks
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation **Annex I – paragraph 1 – point b**

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding **EUR 2 billion**. The amounts exceeding **EUR 2 billion** per Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly;

Amendment

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding **27% of total budget of the Fund**. The amounts exceeding **27% of total budget of the Fund** per Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly;

Or. en

Amendment 503

Henrike Hahn
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation **Annex I – paragraph 1 – point b**

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding **EUR 2 billion**. The

Amendment

(b) the allocations resulting from the application of point (a) are adjusted to ensure that no Member State receives an amount exceeding **27% of total budget of**

amounts exceeding **EUR 2 billion** per Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly;

the Fund. The amounts exceeding **27% of total budget of the Fund** per Member State are redistributed proportionally to the allocations of all other Member States. The Member States shares are recalculated accordingly;

Or. en

Amendment 504

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point c – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) the Member State shares resulting from the application of point **(b)** are adjusted negatively or positively by a coefficient of 1.5 times of the difference by which that Member State's GNI per capita (measured in purchasing power parities) for the period 2015-2017 exceeds or falls below the average GNI per capita of the EU-27 Member States (average expressed as 100%);

Amendment

(c) the Member State shares resulting from the application of point **(a)** are adjusted negatively or positively by a coefficient of 1.5 times of the difference by which that Member State's GNI per capita (measured in purchasing power parities) for the period 2015-2017 exceeds or falls below the average GNI per capita of the EU-27 Member States (average expressed as 100%);

Or. en

Amendment 505

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point c – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

This adjustment does not apply to Member States for which the allocation has been capped in accordance with point (b).

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 506

Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López

Proposal for a regulation

Annex I – paragraph 1 – point d – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) the allocations resulting from the application of point (c) are adjusted to ensure that the final allocation from the JTF results in a per *capita* aid intensity (measured on the basis of the *entire* population of the Member State) of at least EUR **6** over the entire period.

(d) the allocations resulting from the application of point (c) are adjusted to ensure that the final allocation from the JTF results in a per *unemployed* aid intensity (measured on the basis of the *unemployed* population of the Member State) of at least EUR **0.15** over the entire period.

Or. en

Justification

The EC text does not serve to achieve the objective of the JTF nor its function. We propose to introduce allocation criteria based on unemployment population. The current minimum per capita aid intensity must be excluded from the allocation criteria. This criterion benefits highly populated territories that are not necessarily facing big challenges by the transition. More affected areas are usually located in rural areas characterized by high depopulation trends. It is proposed an allocation criterion that considers depopulation rates in territories affected by the transition.

Amendment 507

Beata Szydło

on behalf of the ECR Group

Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Jacek Saryusz-Wolski, Izabela-Helena Kloc, Elżbieta Kruk, Grzegorz Tobiszowski

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 1 – point d – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The amounts to ensure the minimum aid intensity are deducted proportionally from the allocations of all ***the other*** Member States, ***except those for which the allocation has been capped in accordance with point (b).***

Amendment

The amounts to ensure the minimum aid intensity are deducted proportionally from the allocations of all Member States.

Or. en

Amendment 508
András Gyürk, Edina Tóth

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I – paragraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The remaining 1 billion EUR of the Just Transition Fund resources should serve as a compensation mechanism for Member States that achieved at least 30% gross greenhouse gas emission reduction by 2017 based on their national inventories compared to the 1990 emission levels, thus outperforming the 2020 EU emission reduction target by at least 150%. The 1 billion EUR is shared amongst these Member States based on the ratio of their 2017 gross greenhouse gas emissions.

Or. en

Justification

The proposal of the Commission does not take into account previous emission reduction efforts, thus allocating a lower share of the resources to early achiever Member States. At the same time, it favours Member States that have not demonstrated such achievements. By introducing a compensation mechanism, the current amendment aims at rebalancing this rather unjust feature of the proposal. The compensation mechanism would provide additional resources for nine Member States, out of which eight are amongst the poorest ones in the EU.

Amendment 509
Sira Rego, Marisa Matias

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Outline of the transition process and identification of the most negatively affected territories within the Member State

Amendment

1. Outline of the transition process and identification of the most negatively affected territories within the Member State, ***including the historical transition.***

Or. en

Amendment 510
Henrike Hahn
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Reference: Article 7(2)(a)

Amendment

Reference: Article 7(2)(a)

Outline of the expected transition process towards a climate-neutral economy, in line with the objectives of the National Energy and Climate Plans and other existing transition plans with a timeline for ceasing activities such as all activities related to coal and lignite mining and fossil fuels-based electricity production.

Or. en

Amendment 511
Henrike Hahn
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2. Assessment of transition challenges, for each of the identified territory

2. Assessment of transition challenges **and opportunities**, for each of the identified territory

Or. en

Amendment 512

Henrike Hahn

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 2 – point 2.1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2.1. Assessment of the economic, social and territorial impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy

2.1. Assessment of the economic, social and territorial impact of the transition to a climate-neutral, **environmentally sustainable, fully renewables-based, highly resource and energy efficiency, and circular** economy **by 2040 or before.**

Or. en

Amendment 513

Sira Rego, Marisa Matias

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 2 – point 2.1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2.1. Assessment of the economic, social and territorial impact of the transition to a climate-neutral economy

2.1. Assessment of the economic, social and territorial impact of the **historic and foreseen** transition to a climate-neutral economy

Or. en

Amendment 514

Katalin Cseh, Klemen Grošelj, Christophe Grudler, Valerie Hayer, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Nils Torvalds, Martin Hojsík, Nicola Danti, Susana Solís Pérez

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 3 – point 3.1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3.1a. description of how community representatives and civil society actors are consulted and engaged in the programming process, both before and after programming documents are developed.

Or. en

Amendment 515

Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – subheading 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

REGIONAL POLICY Common output INDICATORS ('RCO') **and REGIONAL POLICY Common result indicators ('RCR')** for the Just Transition Fund²⁹

REGIONAL POLICY Common output INDICATORS ('RCO') for the Just Transition Fund²⁹

²⁹ For presentational reasons, indicators are grouped to provide for easier matching with the indicators included in other cohesion policy fund-specific regulations.

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Or. en

Amendment 516

Nicolás González Casares, Lina Gálvez Muñoz, Alicia Homs Ginel, Adriana Maldonado López

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – table

Text proposed by the Commission

Outputs	Results
RCO01 - Enterprises supported (of which: micro, small, medium, large)	<i>RCR01 - Jobs created in supported entities</i>
RCO 02 - Enterprises supported by grants	<i>RCR 02 - Private investments matching public support (of which: grants, financial instruments)</i>
RCO 03 - Enterprises supported by financial instruments	<i>RCR 03 – SMEs introducing product or process innovation</i>
RCO 04 - Enterprises with non-financial support	<i>RCR 04 - SMEs introducing marketing or organisational innovation</i>
RCO 05 - Start-ups supported	<i>RCR 05 - SMEs innovating in-house</i>
RCO 10 - Enterprises cooperating with research institutions	<i>RCR 06 - Patent applications submitted to European Patent Office</i>
RCO 120 – Enterprises supported to achieve the reduction of greenhouse-gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC	<i>RCR 29 – Estimated greenhouse-gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC in supported enterprises</i>
RCO 13 - Digital services and products developed for enterprises	<i>RCR 11 - Users of new public digital services and applications</i>
	<i>RCR 12 - Users of new digital products, services and applications developed by enterprises</i>
RCO 15 - Capacity of incubation created	<i>RCR 17 - 3-year-old enterprises surviving in the market</i>
	<i>RCR 18 - SMEs using incubator services one year after the incubator creation</i>
RCO 101 – SMEs investing in skills development	<i>RCR 97 – Apprenticeships supported in SMEs</i>
	<i>RCR 98 – SMEs staff completing Continuing Vocational Education and Training (CVET) (by type of skill: technical, management, entrepreneurship, green, other)</i>
RCO 22 - Additional production capacity for renewable energy (of which: electricity, thermal)	<i>RCR 31 - Total renewable energy produced (of which: electricity, thermal)</i>
	<i>RCR 32 – Renewable energy: Capacity connected to the grid (operational)</i>

RCO 34 - Additional capacity for waste recycling

RCR 46 - Population served by waste recycling facilities and small waste management systems

RCR 47 - Waste recycled

RCR 48 - Recycled waste used as raw materials

RCR 49 - Waste recovered

RCO 38 - Surface area of rehabilitated land supported

RCR 50 - Population benefiting from measures for air quality

RCO 39 - Systems for monitoring air pollution installed

RCR 52 - Rehabilitated land used for green areas, social housing, economic or community activities

for participants^{3, 4}

for participants⁶

RCO 200- unemployed, including long-term unemployed,

RCR 200 - participants engaged in job searching upon leaving,

RCO 201 - long-term unemployed,

RCR 201 - participants in education or training upon leaving,

RCO 202 - inactive,

RCR 202 - participants gaining a qualification upon leaving,

RCO 203 - employed, including self-employed,

RCR 203 - participants in employment, including self-employment, upon leaving.

RCO 204 - below 30 years of age,

RCO 205 - above 54 years of age,

RCO 206 - with lower secondary education or less (ISCED 0-2),

RCO 207 - with upper secondary (ISCED 3) or post-secondary education (ISCED 4),

RCO 208 - with tertiary education (ISCED 5 to 8),

RCO 209 - total number of participants⁵

³. All output ***and result*** indicators related to participants are to be reported.

⁴. All personal data are to be broken down by gender (male/female – non-binary). ***Where certain results are not possible, it is not necessary to collect and report data for those result indicators.*** When data are collected from registers, Member States do not need to align with commonly agreed definitions and may use national definitions.

⁵. To be calculated automatically on the basis of the common output indicators relating to employment status.

⁶. All personal data are to be broken down by gender. Where certain results are not possible, it is not necessary to collect and report data for those result indicators. When data are collected

from registers, Member States do not need to align with commonly agreed definitions and may use national definitions.

Amendment

Outputs	<i>deleted</i>
RCO01 - Enterprises supported (of which: micro, small, medium, large)	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 02 - Enterprises supported by grants	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 03 - Enterprises supported by financial instruments	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 04 - Enterprises with non-financial support	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 05 - Start-ups supported	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 10 - Enterprises cooperating with research institutions	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 120 – Enterprises supported to achieve the reduction of greenhouse-gas emissions from activities listed in Annex I to Directive 2003/87/EC	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 13 - Digital services and products developed for enterprises	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 15 - Capacity of incubation created	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 101 – SMEs investing in skills development	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 22 - Additional production capacity for renewable energy (of which: electricity, thermal)	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 34 - Additional capacity for waste recycling	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 38 - Surface area of rehabilitated land supported	<i>deleted</i>

RCO 39 - Systems for monitoring air pollution installed	<i>deleted</i>
for participants ^{3, 4}	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 200- unemployed, including long-term unemployed,	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 201 - long-term unemployed,	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 202 - inactive,	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 203 - employed, including self-employed,	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 204 - below 30 years of age,	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 205 - above 54 years of age,	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 206 - with lower secondary education or less (ISCED 0-2),	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 207 - with upper secondary (ISCED 3) or post-secondary education (ISCED 4),	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 208 - with tertiary education (ISCED 5 to 8),	<i>deleted</i>
RCO 209 - total number of participants ⁵	<i>deleted</i>

³. All output indicators related to participants are to be reported.

⁴. All personal data are to be broken down by gender (male/female – non-binary). When data are collected from registers, Member States do not need to align with commonly agreed definitions and may use national definitions.

⁵. To be calculated automatically on the basis of the common output indicators relating to employment status.

Or. en

Justification

Result indicators depend not only on the interventions, but also on other factors. Therefore, all result indicators should be removed from Annex III.