### COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES



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GENERAL BUDGET - 2007 SECTION III - COMMISSION TITLE 13

#### TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS No INFO1/2007

#### NON-COMPULSORY EXPENDITURE

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#### **FROM**

**CHAPTER** – 13.03 European Regional Development Fund and other regional interventions

ARTICLE 13 03 19 - European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) - European

territorial cooperation Commitments - 26 565 453

Payments - 6 602 651

### <u>TO</u>

CHAPTER - 13 05 Pre-accession interventions related to the structural policies

ARTICLE - 13 05 03 Instrument for Pre-accession (IPA) — Cross-border cooperation component

ITEM - 13 05 03 01 Cross-border cooperation — Contribution from Heading 1b

Commitments 26 565 453

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#### **INTRODUCTION**

Line 13 03 19 of the 2007 budget (ERDF – European territorial cooperation) contains the allocation for the contribution from heading 1b of the financial perspective to line 13 05 03 01 (Instrument for Pre-accession (IPA)). As the amount of commitments for this specific budget line for the IPA has been decided, these appropriations can now be transferred. The payment appropriations which it is proposed to transfer correspond to the amount of commitments entered for IPA under line 13.03 19.

### I. INCREASE

# a) <u>Heading</u>

# 13 05 03 01 - Cross-border cooperation — Contribution from Heading 1b

## b) Figures at 15/02/2007

, <del></del>	Commitments	Payments
<ul><li>1A. Appropriation in budget (initial bud</li><li>1B. Appropriation in budget (EFTA)</li><li>2. Transfers</li></ul>	0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0
<ul><li>3. Final appropriation for the year (1.</li><li>4. Utilisation of final appropriation</li></ul>	A+1B+2) 0 0	0
<ul><li>5. Amount not used/available (3-4)</li><li>6. Requirements up to year-end</li></ul>	0 26 565 453	0 6 602 651
7. Increase requested	26 565 453	6 602 651
8. Increase as percentage of approp	riation in budget (7/1A) N/A	N/A

## c) Detailed grounds for the increase

See Introduction.

### II. DECREASE

# a) <u>Heading</u>

# 13 03 19 - European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) – European territorial cooperation

## b) Figures at 16/02/2007

	Commitments	Payments
<ul><li>1A. Appropriation in budget (initial budget + AB)</li><li>1B. Appropriation in budget (EFTA)</li><li>2. Transfers</li></ul>	1 055 259 758 0 0	158 130 591 0 0
<ul><li>3. Final appropriation for the year (1A+1B+2)</li><li>4. Utilisation of final appropriation</li></ul>	1 055 259 758 0	158 130 591 0
<ul><li>5. Amount not used/available (3-4)</li><li>6. Requirements up to year-end (*)</li></ul>	1 055 259 758 0	158 130 591 0
7. Decrease proposed	26 565 453	6 602 651
8. Decrease as percentage of appropriation in budget (7/1A) (*): Not relevant for a provisions line or reserve line	2.52%	4.18%

## c) Detail grounds for the decrease

See Introduction.