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AMENDMENTS

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Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund for displaced workers – EGF/2022/003 ES/Alu Ibérica - Spain
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Amendment 1

Monika Vana

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Ana Miranda

Motion for a resolution

Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas the Regional Government of Galicia, in compliance with Article 7(4) of Regulation (EU) 2021/691, involved social partners in the preparation of the EGF application and drew up the co-ordinated package of personalised services in cooperation with them; whereas social partners will also be involved in the implementation of the services;

Amendment

G. whereas the Regional Government of Galicia, in compliance with Article 7(4) of Regulation (EU) 2021/691, involved social partners in the preparation of the EGF application and drew up the co-ordinated package of personalised services in cooperation with them; whereas ***Galician and Spanish*** social partners will also be involved in the implementation of the services;

Or. en

Amendment 2

Monika Vana

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Ana Miranda

Motion for a resolution

Recital G a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G a. whereas financial contributions from the EGF should be primarily directed at active labour market policy measures and personalised services that aim to reintegrate beneficiaries rapidly into decent and sustainable employment within or outside their initial sector of activity, while preparing them for a greener and more digital European economy;

Or. en

Amendment 3

Monika Vana

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Ana Miranda

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Highlights that Alu Ibérica was among the 0,1 % of businesses in Galicia with more than 250 employees; underlines the significant impact of the displacement on the local labour market and economy of A Coruña, a city which has been marked by a high unemployment rate well exceeding the Union average (9,5 % in Q3/2022); takes note of the estimation of Spanish authorities that the liquidation of Alu Ibérica will trigger the loss of 312 jobs in ancillary enterprises, which would bring the total number of job losses to 615, equalling 8,2 % of the manufacturing jobs in A Coruña;

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4. Highlights that Alu Ibérica was among the 0,1 % of businesses in Galicia with more than 250 employees; underlines the significant impact of the displacement on the local labour market and economy of A Coruña, a city which has been marked by a high unemployment rate well exceeding the Union average (9,5 % in Q3/2022); takes note of the estimation of Spanish authorities that the liquidation of Alu Ibérica will trigger the loss of 312 jobs in ancillary enterprises, which would bring the total number of job losses to 615, equalling 8,2 % of the manufacturing jobs in A Coruña; ***points out the large mobilisations that the decision caused in the city of A Coruña; stresses the loss of jobs and livelihood in Galicia;***

Or. en

Amendment 4

Angelika Winzig

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Considers that the displaced workers will need additional support to find new employment in the ***regional*** labour market, taking into account that 35 % of them belong to the age group 45+ and may experience additional reemployment challenges; notes that this age group makes up 60 % of the registered job seekers in A Coruña, and that Alu Ibérica

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5. Considers that the displaced workers will need additional support to find new employment in the labour market, taking into account that 35 % of them belong to the age group 45+ and may experience additional reemployment challenges; notes that this age group makes up 60 % of the registered job seekers in A Coruña, and that Alu Ibérica is exempted

is exempted from the legal obligation to provide redeployment support given its bankruptcy;

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Or. en

Amendment 5
Angelika Winzig

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Recalls that personalised services to be provided to the workers and self-employed persons consist of the following actions: information *services and preparatory workshops, occupational guidance, training, intensive job-search assistance, tutoring after reintegration into work*, as well as incentives, *including payments for the participation in agreed reintegration measures, contributions to expenses for commuting and caring of dependents, as well as for outplacement*;

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7. Recalls that personalised services to be provided to the workers and self-employed persons consist of the following actions: information, job-search assistance, *including identifying job perspectives in other regions or Member States, occupational guidance and outplacement assistance, trainings (inter alia, horizontal competencies, re-skilling, up-skilling and internships), retraining, vocational training, support towards and contribution to business creation*, as well as incentives *and allowances*;

Or. en

Amendment 6
Monika Vana
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
Ana Miranda

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

7 a. Recalls that the implementation of the services will be coordinated by the Regional Government of Galicia and calls for due transparency in the final execution of the actions in collaboration with the social partners that participate in

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the Social Dialogue in Galicia and the most representative Galician trade union (Confederación Intersindical Galega-CIG);

Or. en

Amendment 7
Angelika Winzig

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

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7 a. *Notes that the digital and green transformation will also have an effect on the labour market; considers therefore that special attention should be paid to qualified education, including vocational training and promoting the so-called dual apprenticeship system, which has proven to be effective in other Member States;*

Or. en

Amendment 8
Monika Vana
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
Ana Miranda

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

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7 b. *Welcomes that priority was given to skills needed in digitalisation, robotisation and for the transition to a green economy when designing the training offer and that most of the proposed up-skilling trainings are in line with the requirements set out in Article 7(2) of Regulation (EU) 2021/691, such as training on sustainable manufacturing in recycling and remelting plants;*

Amendment 9
Monika Vana
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

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7 c. reiterates in this context the important role the Union should play in providing the necessary qualifications for the just transformation in line with the European Green Deal; strongly supports the fact that, during the 2021-2027 MFF period, the EGF will continue to show solidarity with persons affected, while shifting the focus from the cause of restructuring to its impact; and calls for future applications to maximise policy coherence;

Or. en

Amendment 10
Eric Minardi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

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10 a. Calls on the Commission to examine the possibility of including the Overseas Countries and Territories in the scope of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund;

Or. en

Amendment 11

Monika Vana
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Reiterates that assistance from the EGF must not replace actions which are the responsibility of companies, by virtue of national law or collective agreements;

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11. Reiterates that assistance from the EGF must not replace actions which are the responsibility of companies, by virtue of national law or collective agreements, ***or any allowances or rights of the displaced workers, to ensure full additionality of the allocation;***

Or. en