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AMENDMENTS

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Draft budgetary assessment
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(PE765.127v01-00)

Proposal for a Council decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union, of the Implementing Protocol (2024-2029) to the Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Guinea-Bissau

Proposal for a decision
(COM(2024)0285 – C10-0108/2024 – 2024/0159(NLE))

Amendment 1
Hélder Sousa Silva

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Paragraph 1

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1. Notes that the support allocated to the Protocol should meet the objectives of cooperation in the fields of sustainable exploitation of fishery resources, aquaculture, sustainable development of the oceans, protection of the marine environment, and the blue economy; considers that this should be thoroughly scrutinised to ensure that this is done effectively during the implementation of the Protocol;

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Or. en

Amendment 2
Hélder Sousa Silva

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Paragraph 1 a (new)

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1a. Recommends that, for future agreements, an impact assessment of the added value and socio-economic benefits derived from the previous agreement is taken into account; considers that this assessment should guide the negotiation and renewal of subsequent agreements to

ensure that they align with the objectives of sustainable development and efficient use of the Union's financial resources;

Or. en

Amendment 3
Rasmus Nordqvist

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Paragraph 4 a (new)

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4a. Reminds that in line with Article 33 of the Financial Regulation Union funding needs to respect the principle of efficiency and effectiveness in addition to sound financial management in order for the financial support granted from the Union budget to fully deliver on the intended objectives; believes that any possible circumvention of an EU Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement including, for instance, that with Guinea-Bissau through European boats and vessels with ownership or management link to European companies sailing and fishing under local flags possess a risk to the sound financial management and implementation of the Union budget; asks therefore the Commission to present an analysis of the impact of such circumventions on the efficiency and effectiveness of the implementation to the Budgetary Authority and to take corrective measures if needed;

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