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Subject:	Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL amending Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 as regards the adjustment of annual pre-financing for the years 2021 to 2023 - Outcome of the European Parliament's first reading, (Brussels, 3 to 4 April 2019)

I. INTRODUCTION

The rapporteur, PIOTROWSKI (ECR, PL), presented a report on the proposal for a Regulation on behalf of the Committee on Regional Development. The report contained 1 amendment (amendment number 1) to the proposal.

In addition, the Greens political group tabled 1 amendment (amendment number 2), the EFDD group tabled 1 amendment (amendment number 3) and four GUE MEPs (Ms KYLLÖNEN-FI, Mr FERREIRA-PT, Mr PIMENTA LOPES-ES and Mr VIEGAS-PT) tabled 1 amendment (amendment number 4).

II. VOTE

When it voted on 4 April 2019, the plenary adopted amendment 1 to the proposal for a Regulation. No other amendments were adopted.

The Commission's proposal as thus amended constitutes the Parliament's first-reading position which is contained in its legislative resolution as set out in the Annex hereto[1].

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[1] The version of the Parliament's position in the legislative resolution has been marked up to indicate the changes made by the amendments to the Commission's proposal. Additions to the Commission's text are highlighted in ***bold and italics.*** The symbol " ▌ " indicates deleted text.

Adjustment of annual pre-financing for the years 2021 to 2023 ***I

European Parliament legislative resolution of 4 April 2019 on the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 as regards the adjustment of annual pre-financing for the years 2021 to 2023 (COM(2018)0614 – C8-0396/2018 – 2018/0322(COD))

(Ordinary legislative procedure: first reading)

The European Parliament,

– having regard to the Commission proposal to Parliament and the Council (COM(2018)0614),

– having regard to Article 294(2) and Article 177 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, pursuant to which the Commission submitted the proposal to Parliament (C8-0396/2018),

– having regard to Article 294(3) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

– having regard to the opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee of 24 January 2019[2],

– after consulting the Committee of the Regions,

– having regard to Rule 59 of its Rules of Procedure,

– having regard to the report of the Committee on Regional Development (A8-0181/2019),

1. Adopts its position at first reading hereinafter set out;

2. Calls on the Commission to refer the matter to Parliament again if it replaces, substantially amends or intends to substantially amend its proposal;

3. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council, the Commission and the national parliaments.

[2] Not yet published in the Official Journal.

Amendment 1

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

Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013

Article 134 – paragraph 2 – indent 6

Text proposed by the Commission	*Amendment*
"— 2021–2023: ***1 %***".	"— 2021–2023: ***2 %***".