

Amending budget 10/2008: mobilisation of the Solidarity Fund for Cyprus, financing

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The European Parliament adopted, by 564 votes to 13 with 10 abstentions, a resolution approving, without amendment, the draft amending budget No 10/2008 of the European Union.

The report had been tabled for consideration in plenary by Kyösti **VIRRANKOSKI** (ALDE, FI) on behalf of the Committee on Budgets.

The Parliament recalls that this draft budget covers the following items:

- mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund for an amount of EUR 7.6 million in commitment and payment appropriations following a serious drought in Cyprus;
- a corresponding reduction in payment appropriations of EUR 7.6 million from the budget line 13 04 02 - Cohesion fund making this amending budget completely neutral from a budget point of view.