

Mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund: redundancies in the clothing sector in Spain

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PURPOSE: to mobilise the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF) to assist Spain facing redundancies in the manufacture of clothing sector.

NON-LEGISLATIVE ACT: Decision (EU) 2018/515 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mobilisation of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund following an application from Spain — EGF/2017/006 ES/Galicia apparel.

CONTENT: with this Decision, the European Parliament and the Council mobilised the sum of **EUR 720 000** in commitment and payment appropriations from the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF).

This amount is granted in response to Spain's application for EGF mobilisation in respect of **303 workers** made redundant in 5 enterprises operating in the manufacture of wearing apparel sector in the region of Galicia in Spain. The redundancies are the result of a continuation of major structural changes in world trade patterns due to globalisation.

This application fulfils the conditions for a financial contribution from the EGF in accordance with [Regulation \(EU\) No 1309/2013](#). As a reminder, the EGF aims to provide support for workers made redundant and self-employed persons whose activity has ceased as a result of major structural changes in world trade patterns due to globalisation, as a result of a continuation of the global financial and economic crisis. The EGF is not to exceed a maximum annual amount of EUR 150 million for the period 2014-2020.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 28.3. 2018. The decision applies from the date of its adoption, i.e. 14.3.2018.