Amendment to the Financial Regulation of 21.12.1977 applicable to the EC budget. Joint orientation

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By adopting the report by Mr Pavlos SARLIS (PPE, Gr), the European Parliament strengthened the Commission proposal, particularly the rules on subcontracting. It also called for stricter provisions concerning calls for tenders, stricter checks on decisions by a superior authority to overrule a refusal of approval by the financial controller, stricter deadlines for the recovery of unduly paid amounts and a prohibition on conflicts of interests between the authorizing officer and the recipient of funding.