Basic information

2001/2227(ACI) ACI - Interinstitutional agreement procedure	Procedure completed
Budgetary discipline: flexibility instrument for the conversion of the spanish and portuguese fleets **Subject** 3.15.06 Fishing industry and statistics, fishery products 8.70.70 Flexibility instrument **Geographical area** Morocco Portugal Spain	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
BUDG Budgets	WYNN Terence (PSE)	04/12/2001

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
PECH Fisheries	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Budget	2388	2001-11-21

European Commission

Commission DG	Commissioner
Budget	

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
30/10/2001	Non-legislative basic document published	COM(2001)0625	Summary
12/11/2001	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
21/11/2001	Debate in Council		
04/12/2001	Vote in committee		Summary

04/12/2001	Committee report tabled for plenary	A5-0447/2001	
11/12/2001	Debate in Parliament		
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13/12/2001	End of procedure in Parliament		
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Technical information

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Procedure type	ACI - Interinstitutional agreement procedure
Procedure subtype	Mobilisation of funds
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	BUDG/5/15416

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

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European Commission

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Final act

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Budgetary discipline: flexibility instrument for the conversion of the spanish and portuguese fleets

2001/2227(ACI) - 13/12/2001 - Parliament's opinion on budgetary estimates/guidelines

The European Parliament approved the resolution by Mr Terence WYNN (PES, UK). (Please refer to the previous text).

Budgetary discipline: flexibility instrument for the conversion of the spanish and portuguese fleets

2001/2227(ACI) - 30/10/2001 - Non-legislative basic document

PURPOSE: To seek extra financial assistance for the conversion of Spanish and Portuguese fleets through the mobilisation of the inter-institutional flexibility instrument. CONTENT: Since the Fishing Protocol between the European Union and the Kingdom of Morocco became null and void the Commission has been spearheading efforts aimed at resettling those fishermen worst affected by the cessation of fishing in Moroccan waters. In July 2001 the Commission prepared a proposal in which it outlined appropriate measures for the disbanding of the Spanish/Portuguese fleet coupled with socio-economic initiatives. Funding for the proposed measures is based on appraisals similar to those funded by the Financial Instrument for Fisheries Guidance (FIFG) and modelled on the FIFG's working methods. This measure is covered by the second heading "Structural operations", subheading "Structural Funds" of the financial perspective. In view of the total cost of this particular measure (EUR281 million) and the funds already available under the Structural Funds, the Commission is now proposing an additional sum of EUR197 million. Paragraph 24 of the Inter-institutional Agreement provides for the use of the flexibility instrument to allow financing "for a given financial year and up to the amount indicated (the annual amount being EUR200 million) of clearly identified expenditure, which could not be financed within the limits of the ceilings available for one of more other headings". The Commission therefore proposes that the flexibility instrument be used to fiance the measures proposed for the disbanding of the Spanish and Portuguese fleets.