Basic information

2005/2171(ACI) ACI - Interinstitutional agreement procedure	Procedure completed
Solidarity Fund: mobilisation for assistance to Sweden, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania following the storm of 8th January 2005 **Subject** 3.70.11 Natural disasters, Solidarity Fund 8.70.60 Previous annual budgets **Geographical area** Estonia Latvia Lithuania Sweden	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
BUDG Budgets	BÖGE Reimer (PPE-DE)	02/09/2004

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
REGI Regional Development	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
General Affairs	2686	2005-11-07

European Commission

Commission DG	Commissioner
Budget	

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
08/09/2005	Non-legislative basic document published	COM(2005)0401	Summary
27/09/2005	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
14/11/2005	Vote in committee		

14/11/2005	Committee report tabled for plenary	A6-0320/2005	
17/11/2005	Decision by Parliament	T6-0437/2005	Summary
17/11/2005	End of procedure in Parliament		
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Technical information

Procedure reference	2005/2171(ACI)
Procedure type	ACI - Interinstitutional agreement procedure
Procedure subtype	Mobilisation of funds
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	BUDG/6/30359

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

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Text adopted by Parliament, single reading		T6-0437/2005	17/11/2005	Summary

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Additional information

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Final act

Decision 2006/0012
OJ L 008 13.01.2006, p. 0044-0045 Summary

Solidarity Fund: mobilisation for assistance to Sweden, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania following the storm of 8th January 2005

2005/2171(ACI) - 17/11/2005 - Text adopted by Parliament, single reading

The European Parliament adopted a resolution stating that the Fund shall be mobilised to provide the sum of EUR 92 880 830 in commitment appropriations from the general budget of the European Union for the financial year 2005.

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2005/2171(ACI) - 17/11/2005 - Final act

PURPOSE : to mobilize funds from the EU Solidarity Fund with a view to funding assistance measures following natural catastrophes in Sweden, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania.

LEGISLATIVE ACT : Decision 2006/12/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mobilisation of the European Union Solidarity Fund according to point 3 of the Interinstitutional Agreement of 7 November 2002 between the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on the financing of the European Union Solidarity Fund supplementing the Interinstitutional Agreement of 6 May 1999 on budgetary discipline and improvement of the budgetary procedure

CONTENT : Following a disaster caused by a storm. Sweden, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania submitted their applications to mobilise the Solidarity Fund, and the Interinstitutional Agreement of 7 November 2002 allows mobilisation of the Fund within an annual ceiling of EUR 1 billion. Since the storm disaster in Sweden, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania on 8 January 2005 fulfils the criteria for mobilising the Fund, this Decision provides that the Fund shall be mobilised to provide the sum of EUR 92 880 830 in commitment appropriations from the general budget of the European Union for the financial year 2005.

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2005/2171(ACI) - 08/09/2005 - Non-legislative basic document

PURPOSE: to mobilize EUR 92.9 million from the EU Solidarity Fund with a view to funding assistance measures following natural catastrophes in Sweden, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania.

PROPOSED ACT: Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council (inter-institutional agreement).

CONTENT: In the light of applications for assistance from the Solidarity Fund, the Commission is proposing to mobilize a total amount of EUR 92 880 830, to be allocated under heading 3 of the financial perspective to assist Sweden, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania which were affected by a major storm on 8 January 2005.

The Commission will present an amending budget (AB) in order to enter in the 2005 budget specific commitment appropriations, broken down by beneficiary country, as requested in Point 4 of the Interinstitutional Agreement of 7 November 2002.