Basic information

2010/2216(BUD) BUD - Budgetary procedure	Procedure completed
Mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund: flooding in Ireland in 2009 **Subject** 3.70.11 Natural disasters, Solidarity Fund 8.70.60 Previous annual budgets **Geographical area** Ireland	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
BUDG Budgets	BÖGE Reimer (PPE)	04/10/2010
	Shadow rapporteur GARDIAZABAL RUBIAL Eider (S&D) GERBRANDY Gerben-Jan (ALDE)	

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	3047	2010-11-22

European Commission

Commission DG	Commissioner
Budget	LEWANDOWSKI Janusz

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
		COM(2010)0534	Summary

24/09/2010	Non-legislative basic document published		
07/10/2010	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
09/11/2010	Vote in committee		Summary
16/11/2010	Budgetary report tabled for plenary	A7-0328/2010	
22/11/2010	Draft budget approved by Council		
23/11/2010	Decision by Parliament	T7-0403/2010	Summary
23/11/2010	Results of vote in Parliament		
23/11/2010	End of procedure in Parliament		
04/12/2010	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	2010/2216(BUD)
Procedure type	BUD - Budgetary procedure
Procedure subtype	Mobilisation of funds
Other legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 165
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	BUDG/7/03910

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee draft report		PE450.855	13/10/2010	
Budgetary report tabled for plenary, 1st reading		A7-0328/2010	16/11/2010	
Budgetary text adopted by Parliament		T7-0403/2010	23/11/2010	Summary

European Commission

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Final act

Decision 2010/0745
OJ L 318 04.12.2010, p. 0042 Summary

Mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund: flooding in Ireland in 2009

2010/2216(BUD) - 23/11/2010 - Budgetary text adopted by Parliament

The European Parliament adopted by 538 votes to 20, with 3 abstentions, a resolution approving the proposal for a decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on mobilisation of the European Solidarity Fund for a total amount of **EUR 13 022 500** in favour of Ireland following severe flooding in November 2009.

In parallel, the European Parliament adopted draft amending budget No 8/2010 is to formally enter this budgetary adjustment into the 2010 budget (see BUD/2010/2217).

Mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund: flooding in Ireland in 2009

2010/2216(BUD) - 24/09/2010 - Non-legislative basic document

PURPOSE: to mobilise the EU Solidarity Fund to assist Ireland following severe flooding in November 2009.

PROPOSED ACT: Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council.

CONTENT: the Interinstitutional Agreement of 17 May 2006 (IIA) allows for the mobilisation of the European Union Solidarity Fund, within an annual ceiling of EUR 1 billion, over and above the relevant headings of the financial framework.

The conditions of eligibility to the Fund are detailed in Council Regulation (EC) No 2012/2002 (please refer to procedure file CNS/2002/0228).

On the basis of application for assistance from the Fund by Ireland following heavy rain leading to severe flooding in November 2009, total estimates of the damage caused are as follows:

- **Direct damage**: EUR 520 900 000;
- **Aid proposed: EUR 13 022 500**.

In the light of the examination of the application, and considering the maximum possible grant from the Fund as well as the scope for reallocating appropriations under the heading requiring additional expenditure, the Commission proposes to mobilise the European Union Solidarity Fund for a total amount of **EUR 13 022 500**, to be allocated under heading 1b of the financial framework.

By presenting this proposal to deploy the Fund, the Commission initiates the simplified trilogue procedure, as required by Point 26 of the Inter-institutional Agreement of 17 May 2006, in view of securing the agreement of the two arms of the Budgetary Authority on the need to use the Fund and the amount required. The Commission invites each arm of the budgetary authority to inform the other arm and the Commission on its intentions.

In case of disagreement by either of the two arms of the Budgetary Authority, a formal trilogue meeting will be convened.

The Commission will present a draft amending budget (DAB) in order to enter in the 2010 budget specific commitment and payment appropriations, as requested in Point 26 of the Interinstitutional Agreement of 17 May 2006 (see BUD/2010/2217).

Mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund: flooding in Ireland in 2009

2010/2216(BUD) - 24/11/2010 - Final act

PURPOSE: to mobilise the EU Solidarity Fund to assist Ireland following severe flooding in November 2009.

NON-LEGISLATIVE ACT: Decision 2010/745/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mobilisation of the European Union Solidarity Fund, in accordance with point 26 of the Interinstitutional Agreement of 17 May 2006 between the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on budgetary discipline and sound financial management.

CONTENT: the Interinstitutional Agreement of 17 May 2006 (IIA) allows for the mobilisation of the European Union Solidarity Fund, within an annual ceiling of EUR 1 billion, over and above the relevant headings of the financial framework.

On the basis of application for assistance from the Fund by Ireland following heavy rain leading to severe flooding, the European Parliament and the Council have decided to mobilise the European Union Solidarity Fund to provide the sum of **EUR 13 022 500** in commitment and payment appropriations in the framework of the 2010 budget.

In parallel, the European Parliament adopted amending budget to formally enter this budgetary adjustment into the 2010 budget (see BUD/2010/2217).