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### "I/A" ITEM NOTE

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From:	Budget Committee
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
No. Cion doc.:	15029/14 FIN 813
Subject:	Proposal for transfer of appropriations No DEC 45/2014 within Section III - Commission - of the general budget for 2014

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1. On 31 October 2014, the Commission submitted to the Council proposal for transfer of appropriations No DEC 45/2014.

The purpose of this proposal is to transfer an amount of EUR 396 305 in both commitment and payment appropriations from Article 40 02 41 (*Reserves for financial interventions - Differentiated appropriations*) to Article 11 03 01 (*Establishing a governance framework for fishing activities carried out by Union fishing vessels in third country waters*), as recorded in doc. 15029/14 FIN 813.

2. This transfer is being proposed following the additional catches, exceeding the reference level of tonnage for 2013, in accordance with the Protocol attached to the Agreement signed on 9 December 2012 between the European Union and the Republic of Kiribati.
3. The Budget Committee examined this proposal for a transfer at its meeting on 10 November 2014.

4. Following that examination, the Budget Committee agreed, by a qualified majority, to suggest that the Permanent Representatives Committee advise the Council to approve:
- the proposed transfer of appropriations;
  - the draft letter in the ANNEX to that effect.
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DRAFT LETTER

from : President of the Council  
to : President of the Commission  
copy : President of the European Parliament

Sir,

In accordance with Article 27(4) of the Financial Regulation of 25 October 2012<sup>1</sup>, I inform you that the Council has approved transfer of appropriations No DEC 45/2014 within Section III - Commission - of the general budget for 2014.

(Complimentary close).

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<sup>1</sup> Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union and repealing Council Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 1605/2002, as last amended by Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1142/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 October 2014 (OJ L 317, 4.11.2014, p. 28).