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From:	Mr Johannes HAHN, Member of the European Commission
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To:	Ms Cláudia JOAQUIM, President of the Council of the European Union
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Delegations will find attached Commission document DEC 07/2021.

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#### GENERAL BUDGET - 2021 SECTION III - COMMISSION TITLES: 16, 30

### TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS N° DEC 07/2021

## **FROM**

CHAPTER - 3004 Solidarity mechanisms (special instruments)		
ARTICLE - 30 04 02 Reserve for the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF)	Commitments	-1 081 706,00
<u>TO</u>		
CHAPTER - 1602 Mobilisation of solidarity mechanisms (Special instruments)		
ITEM - 16 02 99 01 Completion of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (prior to 2021)	Commitments	1 081 706,00

The rules applicable to the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF) are laid down in Regulation (EU) No 1309/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 on the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (2014-2020) and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1927/2006 (the 'EGF Regulation'). This Regulation covers applications for the mobilisation of the EGF submitted to the Commission as of 1 January 2014 up to 31 December 2020.

# I. DECREASE

## <u>l.1</u>

## <u>a) Heading</u>

# 30 04 02 - Reserve for the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF)

### b) Figures at 12/04/2021

	Commitments
1 Appropriations in budget (Initial Budget + AB)	197 385 000,00
2 Transfers	0,00
3 Total appropriations for the year (1+2)	197 385 000,00
4 Appropriations already used	0,00
5 Appropriations available (3-4)	197 385 000,00
6 Decrease proposed	1 081 706,00
7 Total appropriations up to year end (5-6)	196 303 294,00
8 Decrease as percentage of appropriations in budget (6/1)	0,55 %
9 Decrease, as a percentage of the final appropriations for the year, in the sum of transfers referred to in Article 30(1)(b) of the Financial Regulation	n/a

### c) Receipts arising from recovery (carried over from previous year)

	Commitments
1 Appropriations available at start of the year	0,00
2 Appropriations available on 12/04/2021	0,00
3 Implementation rate [(1-2)/1]	n/a

### d) Detailed grounds for the decrease

The budgetary provisions related to the EGF are set in point 9 of the Interinstitutional Agreement of 16 December 2020 between the European Parliament, the Council of the European Union and the European Commission on budgetary discipline, on cooperation in budgetary matters and on sound financial management, as well as on new own resources, including a roadmap towards the introduction of new own resources.

In line with these provisions, the Commission shall present to the European Parliament and the Council a proposal for a transfer of appropriations from the reserve for the EGF to the relevant budgetary line in parallel to the proposal for a decision to mobilise the EGF.

# II. INCREASE

## <u>II.1</u>

a) Heading

16 02 99 01 - Completion of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (prior to 2021)

### b) Figures at 12/04/2021

	Commitments
1 Appropriations in budget (Initial Budget + AB)	0,00
2 Transfers	0,00
3 Total appropriations for the year (1+2)	0,00
4 Appropriations already used	0,00
5 Appropriations available (3-4)	0,00
6 Increase requested	1 081 706,00
7 Total appropriations up to year end (5+6)	1 081 706,00
8 Increase as percentage of appropriations in budget (6/1)	n/a
9 Increase, as a percentage of the final appropriations for the year, in the sum of transfers referred to in Article 30(1)(b) of the Financial Regulation	n/a

### c) Receipts arising from recovery (carried over from previous year)

	Commitments
1 Appropriations available at start of the year	12 911 906,23
2 Appropriations available on 12/04/2021	12 911 906,23
3 Implementation rate [(1-2)/1]	0,00 %

#### d) Detailed grounds for the increase

In the proposal for Decision [COM(2021) 207], the Commission concluded, in accordance with all applicable provisions of the EGF Regulation, that the conditions for a financial contribution from the EGF to application EGF/2020/003 DE/GMH Guss, submitted by the German authorities on 15 December 2020, are met.

The amount of EUR 1,1 million requested by the German authorities, will contribute to the costs of a coordinated package of eligible personalised services for 476 targeted beneficiaries out of 585 workers made redundant in four subsidiaries of company GMH Guss GmbH over a reference period of four months.

The financial contribution from the EGF aims to provide assistance for re-integrating the affected persons into the labour market. The redundancies were caused by the major structural changes in world trade patterns due to globalisation.

#### ANNEX

#### TRANSFERS RELATED TO THE EUROPEAN GLOBALISATION ADJUSTMENT FUND COMMISSION PROPOSALS ON 12/04/2021

The table below shows the transfer proposals transmitted to the Budgetary Authority to date during 2021, which relate to the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (EGF), and the remaining amount of the EGF reserve that will remain should these proposals be approved.

Transfer Ref	Submission date	Content	Commitment Appropriations 2021 Reserve (EUR)
		Initial appropriations	197 385 000
DEC 04	31/03/2021	EGF/2020/002 EE/Estonia Tourism	4 474 480
DEC 06	27/04/2021	EGF/2020/005 BE/Swissport	3 719 224
DEC 07	27/04/2021	EGF/2020/003 DE/GMH Guss	1 081 706
		Total transfer proposals	9 275 410
		Remainder	188 109 590

### At this stage, the levels of internal assigned revenue available payment appropriations are as follows:

Line 16 02 99 01 – completion of the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund (prior to 2021)

_		Amounts in EUR
	Internal assigned revenue – current year	0
	Internal assigned revenue – carried-over from previous year	12 911 906