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	Statement by Hungary

Delegations will find in the ANNEX the statement by Hungary.

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Statement by Hungary on transfer No DEC 03/2025 (Section III - Commission) (Art. 31(1) FR)

Hungary supports to deliver humanitarian aid to the population most in need. However, Hungary considers that further reflection within the EU is needed after the US decision to suspend payments through USAID, as there were allegations, suggesting that the previous US administration used international development cooperation to further its political and ideological agenda inter alia in Member States of the European Union. Instead of automatically taking over the financing of projects previously supported by USAID, Hungary favours detailed mapping and increased transparency of final beneficiaries, including non-governmental organizations in order to reach a comprehensive solution. In the meantime, we urge the Commission not to prejudge any future decision in this regard and to present a granular impact analyses to the Member States.

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