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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
No. Cion doc.:	14940/24 (COM(2024) 480 final)
Subject:	Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mobilisation of the European Union Solidarity Fund to provide assistance to Germany and Italy relating to floods occurred in 2024 – <i>Approval</i>

1. On 25 October 2024, the Commission submitted to the Council a proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund (EUSF), accompanied by proposal for transfer of appropriations No DEC 14/2024¹.

¹ Doc. 14946/24.

2. The purpose of this proposal is to mobilise the EUSF for a total amount of EUR 116.03 million in commitment and payment appropriations, of which respectively:
 - EUR 112.07 million to provide assistance to Germany further to floods in May and June 2024; and
 - EUR 3.96 million to provide assistance to Italy further to floods of 29 June 2024 in the Autonomous Region of Valle d'Aosta.
 3. The Budget Committee examined this proposal at its meeting on 7 November 2024 and was able to approve it.
 4. In view of the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to confirm its agreement on the text of the Decision on the mobilisation of the European Union Solidarity Fund, as set out in document 15274/24.
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