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GENERAL BUDGET - 2025
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TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS N° **DEC 20/2025**

FROM

CHAPTER - 3004 Solidarity mechanisms (special instruments)

ARTICLE - 30 04 02 Reserve for the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund for Displaced Workers (EGF)	Commitments	-8 526 322,00
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CHAPTER - 1602 Mobilisation of solidarity mechanisms (special instruments)

ARTICLE - 16 02 02 European Globalisation Adjustment Fund for Displaced Workers (EGF)	Commitments	8 526 322,00
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I. DECREASE

I.1

a) Heading

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

b) Figures at 10/10/2025

	Commitments
1 Appropriations in budget (Initial Budget + AB)	34 460 570,00
2 Transfers	-12 185 871,00
3 Total appropriations for the year (1+2)	22 274 699,00
4 Appropriations already used	0,00
5 Appropriations available (3-4)	22 274 699,00
6 Decrease proposed	8 526 322,00
7 Total appropriations up to year end (5-6)	13 748 377,00
8 Decrease as percentage of appropriations in budget (6/1)	24,74 %
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 10/10/2025	0,00
3 Implementation rate [(1-2)/1]	n/a

d) Detailed grounds for the decrease

The budgetary provisions related to the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund for Displaced Workers (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

II.1

a) Heading

16 02 02 - European Globalisation Adjustment Fund for Displaced Workers (EGF)

b) Figures at 10/10/2025

	Commitments
1 Appropriations in budget (Initial Budget + AB)	0,00
2 Transfers	12 015 871,00
3 Total appropriations for the year (1+2)	12 015 871,00
4 Appropriations already used	7 999 015,00
5 Appropriations available (3-4)	4 016 856,00
6 Increase requested	8 526 322,00
7 Total appropriations up to year end (5+6)	12 543 178,00
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	7 303 954,18
2 Appropriations available on 10/10/2025	7 303 954,18
3 Implementation rate [(1-2)/1]	0,00%

d) Detailed grounds for the increase

In the proposal for Decision COM(2025) 621, 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/2025/003 SE/Northvolt are met.

The amount of EUR 8 526 322, requested by the Swedish authorities, will contribute to the costs of a coordinated package of eligible personalised services for 5 800 targeted beneficiaries following job displacements in Northvolt (an enterprise operating in the economic sector of architectural and engineering activities, technical testing and analysis) and its subsidiaries, as well as in 8 subcontractors, suppliers, and downstream producers, in line with the intervention criteria set out in Article 4(2), point (a) of the EGF Regulation. The financial contribution from the EGF aims to provide assistance for re-integrating the affected persons into the labour market.

ANNEX

TRANSFERS RELATED TO THE EUROPEAN GLOBALISATION ADJUSTMENT FUND FOR DISPLACED WORKERS (EGF) IN 2025

COMMISSION PROPOSALS AT 10/10/2025

The table below shows the transfer proposals transmitted to the European Parliament and the Council to date, which relate to the EGF financial year 2025, and the amount of the EGF reserve that will remain should these proposals be approved as proposed by the Commission.

Transfer Ref	Date sent to B.A.	Content	Amounts in EUR (Commitments from Reserve)
		Initial appropriations	34 460 570,00
DEC 04	26/03/2025	EGF/2024/003 BE/Van Hool	7 999 015,00
DEC 09	27/05/2025	EGF/2025/000 TA 2025	170 000,00
DEC 11	26/08/2025	EGF/2025/001 BE/BelGaN	931 690,00
DEC 12	26/08/2025	EGF/2025/002 DE/Goodyear2	3 085 166,00
DEC 20	28/10/2025	EGF/2025/003 SE/Northvolt	8 526 322,00
		Total of Proposals	20 712 193,00
		Remainder revised appropriations	13 748 377,00

To date, the levels of available internal assigned revenue payment appropriations are as follows:

Line 16 01 01 – Support expenditure for the European Globalisation Adjustment Fund for Displaced Workers (EGF)

Amounts in EUR	
Internal assigned revenue – current year	0,00
Internal assigned revenue – carried-over from previous year	0,00

Line 16 02 02 – European Globalisation Adjustment Fund for Displaced Workers (EGF)

Amounts in EUR	
Internal assigned revenue – current year	1 255 149,88
Internal assigned revenue – carried-over from previous year	0,00