

Opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee on the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013 as regards certain provisions relating to financial management for certain Member States experiencing or threatened with serious difficulties with respect to their financial stability

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| Consultation | European Parliament, 4/07/2016 Council of the European Union, 8/07/2016 |
| Legal basis | Articles 117 and 304 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union |
| Section responsible | Section for Economic and Monetary Union and Economic and Social Cohesion |
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| Outcome of vote (for/against/abstentions) | 169/1/4 |

Since the Committee endorses the contents of the proposal and has already set out its views on the subject in its earlier opinions on 'Amending Regulation for Structural Funds — specific measures for Greece' adopted on 8 October 2015 ⁽¹⁾, on 'Financial management and decommitment rules for Member States facing serious difficulties' adopted on 19 September 2013 ⁽²⁾, on 'Structural Funds — General Provisions' adopted on 25 April 2012 ⁽³⁾ and on 'Amending provisions financial management — Structural Funds — for Member States in difficulties' adopted on 27 October 2011 ⁽⁴⁾, it decided, at its 519th plenary session of 21 and 22 September 2016 (meeting of 21 September 2016), by 169 votes to 1 with 4 abstentions, to issue an opinion endorsing the proposed text and to refer to the position it had taken in the above-mentioned documents.

Brussels, 21 September 2016.

The President
of the European Economic and Social Committee
Georges DASSIS

⁽¹⁾ EESC opinion on the 'Amending Regulation for Structural Funds — specific measures for Greece' (OJ C 32 of 28.1.2016, p. 20).
⁽²⁾ EESC opinion on 'Financial management and decommitment rules for Member States facing serious difficulties' (OJ C 341 of 21.11.2013, p. 27).
⁽³⁾ EESC opinion on 'Structural Funds — General Provisions' (OJ C 191 of 29.6.2012, p. 30).
⁽⁴⁾ EESC opinion on 'Amending provisions financial management — Structural Funds — for Member States in difficulties' (OJ C 24 of 28.1.2012, p. 81).