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**REPORT FROM THE COMMISSION TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT, THE
COUNCIL AND THE EUROPEAN CENTRAL BANK**

**concerning the implementation and the results of the Pericles IV programme for the
protection of the euro against counterfeiting in 2022**

Annex I: Overview of actions for which funds were committed in 2022

Organiser ¹	Title of the action	Location and date	Commission Contribution (amount committed in euro)
Seminars			
CNB HR	5th Conference Balkan Network for Euro Protection (BNEP)	Rovinj, Red Island St. Andrew Island (HR) 15-18 May 2023	93 558.66
<i>Main objective of the action:</i> Strengthening cooperation and the exchange of know-how.			
European Commission ECFIN	4th Platform 1210 Meeting	Madrid (ES) 4-5 October 2022	116 564.57
<i>Main objective of the action:</i> Increasing effectiveness in the authentication of euro coins and the classification of counterfeit euro coins.			
Technical trainings			
BIBE Spain	Currency counterfeiting training course for experts from Latin American countries 2023 (Bogota 2023 Course)	Bogota (CO) 21-24 November 2022	197 188.70
<i>Main objective of the action:</i> Strengthening cooperation and the exchange of know-how.			
European Commission ECFIN	Training on the protection of the euro against counterfeiting	Chisinau (MD) 21-22 March 2023	91 622.19
<i>Main objective of the action:</i> Strengthening cooperation and the exchange of know-how.			
Staff exchanges			
CC AFM Italy	Staff exchange on investigation techniques against currency counterfeiting (SEITACC-2)	Rome, Italy training courses and visits to the participating countries in 2022	103 773.67
<i>Main objective of the action:</i> Strengthening cooperation and the exchange of know-how.			
BDE Spain	Staff exchange on procedures, knowledge and experience in order to improve internal work methods in the German and Spanish NACs/NCCs (Staff Exchange DE-ES)	Madrid, Spain (April 2023) Mainz, Germany (May 2023)	103 773.67
<i>Main objective of the action:</i> Strengthening cooperation and the exchange of know-how.			

¹ The unabbreviated names of the organisers can be found in the list of competent national authorities referred to in Article 2(b) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1338/2001, OJ C 264, 12.8.2015, p. 2–29.

Organiser¹	Title of the action	Location and date	Commission Contribution (amount committed in euro)
CNB HR	Staff exchange on procedures, knowledge and experience to support the Croatian and Bulgarian authorities in joining the euro area (SEEC - Staff Exchange Euro Counterfeit)	Lisbon, Portugal (November 2022) Madrid, Spain (September 2022) Zagreb, Croatia (Feb.-March 2023)	29 355.46
<i>Main objective of the action:</i> Strengthening cooperation and the exchange of know-how.			
Study			
European Commission ECFIN	Study on movie money, prop copy products and other altered design banknotes	Brussels	199 815
<i>Main objective of the action:</i> To fully map out the production, distribution and entry into circulation of movie money, prop copy money and other altered design notes in the EU and international context.			

E-grants tool			
European Commission ECFIN	E-grants: Yearly eGrants fee	Brussels	27 350
The use of the eGrants tool, implies a yearly fee for its usage, which contributes to the sustainability and the technical support team of the eGrants platform conducting change requests and hosting infrastructure.			