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> **FIN 474 PE-L 20**

## **'I/A' ITEM NOTE**

From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
No. Cion doc.:	8317/22 (COM(2022) 262 final)
Subject:	Council position on draft amending budget No 3 to the general budget for 2022: Financing reception costs of people fleeing Ukraine
	- Adoption

1. On 22 April 2022, the Commission submitted to the Council draft amending budget (DAB) No 3 to the general budget for 2022 concerning the financing of reception costs of people fleeing Ukraine<sup>1</sup>.

The aim of this proposal is to contribute to the financing, in the Member States, of the first reception and registration costs of people fleeing Ukraine as a consequence of the Russian aggression against Ukraine.

2. In order to allow the Council to adopt a position on DAB No 3/2022 without delay, the Council has to decide, considering the urgency of the matter, to shorten, in accordance with Article 3(3) of its Rules of Procedure, the eight-week period laid down in Article 4 of Protocol No 1 on the role of national Parliaments in the European Union.

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- 3. <u>The Budget Committee</u> examined DAB No 3/2022 at its meeting on 26 April 2022, and was able to accept it without any changes.
- 4. In view of the above, the Permanent Representatives Committee is invited to advise the Council to:
  - adopt the Council's position on DAB No 3/2022 as set out in point 3;
  - instruct the Presidency to prepare the budgetary documents to be sent to the European
    Parliament and to approve the draft letter in the annex to that effect; and
  - have the Council Decision adopting the Council's position on draft amending budget No 3 of the European Union for the financial year 2022, as set out in 8447/22, published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*;
  - in view of the urgency of the matter, decide to derogate, on the basis of Article 3(3), second subparagraph, of the Council's Rules of Procedure, from the eight-week period referred to in the first subparagraph of that article.

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## **DRAFT LETTER**

from: President of the Council

to : President of the European Parliament

Dear President,

I am forwarding under separate cover the Council's position on draft amending budget No 3 for the financial year 2022, adopted by the Council on 16 May 2022.

(Complimentary close).