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From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Ad Hoc Working Party on JHA Financial instruments
Subject:	The European Parliament's position on the ISF Regulation - Presentation by the Presidency

Delegations will find attached a presentation made by the Presidency during the Ad Hoc Working Party on JHA Financial instruments held on 25 September 2019.

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FINLAND'S PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

THE PREVIOUS PARLIAMENT...

- Intends to secure a sufficient level of funding on the basis of the Commission proposal for 'Migration and Border Management' (heading 4) and 'Security and Defence' including Crisis Response (heading 5); reaffirms its long-standing position that additional political priorities should be coupled with additional financial means, in order not to undermine existing policies and programmes and their financing under the new MFF;
- *Source: European Parliament resolution of 14 November 2018 on the Multiannual Financial Framework 2021-2027 – Parliament's position with a view to an agreement (P8_TA-PROV(2018)0449)*

EP POSITION ON THE ISF REGULATION

- The rapporteur: Monika HOHLMEIER (EPP, DE)
- The report contained a total of 154 amendments to the proposal.
- The EP plenary adopted the amendments to the proposal on 13 March 2019.

EP POSITION

- key issues (1)

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AGREES WITH THE COM ON THE
OVERALL LEVEL OF FUNDING

RESPECT FOR FUNDAMENTAL
RIGHTS

SUPPORT FOR SECURITY-RELATED
INCIDENTS (CRITICAL
INFRASTRUCTURE)

LINKS JUSTICE AND HOME AFFAIRS
STRONGLY – JUDICIAL CO-
OPERATION

LIMITS TO THIRD-COUNTRY CO-
OPERATION

MINIMUM PERCENTAGES

DEMANDS MORE OF THE COM, THE
MS AND THE BENEFICIARIES

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EP POSITION - new proposals

NEW POLICY PRIORITIES

NEW BENEFICIARIES

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EP POSITION

- horizontal issues

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FOCUS ON FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS

LIMITATIONS ON THIRD COUNTRY
CO-OPERATION

IMPLEMENTING VS DELEGATED
ACTS

REPORTING AND MONITORING

30 % REQUIREMENT

EP POSITION VIS-À-VIS COUNCIL PGA - common ground

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EMPHASIS ON PREVENTION

EMPHASIS ON CRITICAL
INFRASTRUCTURE

INCREASE IN OPERATING SUPPORT

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PROCESS AND TIMELINE

- Informal contacts taken
- No draft timetable

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