Amending budget 2/2007: mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund for the floods in Hungary and Greece in 2006 and modification of the Budget 2007 for Research

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The European Parliament adopted a resolution drafted by James **Elles** (EPP-ED, UK) and welcomed Draft amending budget No 2/2007, the purpose of which is to enter the budgetary resources (**EUR 24 370 114**) mobilised from the European Union Solidarity Fund in the 2007 budget so that those affected by these natural disasters could be assisted. It approved Draft amending budget No 2/2007 unamended.

Parliament recalled that the payment appropriations needed for the present mobilisation of the Solidarity Fund (see <u>ACI/2007/2068</u>) are taken from the budget lines on security and space research and underlined that the Commission has committed itself to proposing a transfer should these payment appropriations be needed for these budget lines later in the year.