

Amendments on AGROFORESTRY for the reform of the Common Agricultural Policy – Plenary Session of the European Parliament

A) Negotiation Mandate for direct payments (Commission Document B7-0079/2013)

Amendment 162
Bas Eickhout
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Mandate for interinstitutional negotiations, in the form of legislative amendments

Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

Decision on the opening of, and mandate for, interinstitutional negotiations on direct payments to farmers under support schemes within the framework of the CAP (COM(2011)0625 – C7-0336/2011 – COM(2012)0552 – C7-0311/2012 – 2011/0280(COD) – 2013/2528(RSP))

Proposal for a regulation Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

(g) 'permanent crops' means nonrotational crops other than permanent grassland that occupy the land for five years or longer and yield repeated harvests, including nurseries, **and** short rotation coppice;

Amendment

(g) 'permanent crops' means nonrotational crops other than permanent grassland that occupy the land for five years or longer and yield repeated harvests, including nurseries, short rotation coppice and other agroforestry systems;

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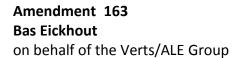












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Proposal for a regulation Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

(e) 'agricultural area' means any area taken up by arable land, permanent grassland or permanent crops;

Amendment

(e) 'agricultural area' means any area taken up by arable land, permanent grassland or permanent crops, or a combination of these in agroforestry systems;

Amendment 164
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Proposal for a regulation Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point k a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(k a) "agroforestry" means land-use systems and practices where woody perennials are deliberately integrated with crops and/or animals on the same land management unit. The trees may be single or in groups inside parcels (silvoarable agroforestry, silvopastoralism, grazed or intercropped orchards) or on the limits between parcels (hedges, tree lines);

B) Negotiation Mandate for rural development (Commission Document B7-0081/2013)

Amendment 143 Luis Manuel Capoulas Santos on behalf of the S&D Group

Mandate for interinstitutional negotiations, in the form of legislative amendments **Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development**

Decision on the opening of, and mandate for, interinstitutional negotiations on support for rural development by the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD) - 2011/0282(COD)

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Proposal for a regulation Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point m a (new)

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Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ma) "agro-forestry": a system of production in which trees and cultivated or grazed plants are grown together on, or on the edge of, the same plots of land;

Amendment 157
Patrick Le Hyaric, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marisa Matias, Jacky Hénin

on behalf of GUE/NGL

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Proposal for regulation Article 2 – paragraphe 1

Text proposed by the Commission (m) utilised agricultural area (hereinafter "UAA"):utilised agricultural area (hereinafter "UAA"): utilised agricultural area within the meaning of Commission Regulation (EC) No 1200/2009 of 30 November 2009;

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(m) "agricultural area": the entire area of arable land, permanent grassland or permanent crops including agro-forestry crops;

new point m a

(ma) "agro-forestry": a system of production in which trees and cultivated or grazed plants are grown together on, or on the edge of, the same plots of land;

Amendment 169
Alyn Smith
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

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Proposal for a regulation Article 24 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. 'Agro-forestry systems' shall mean land use systems in which trees are grown in combination with *extensive* agriculture on the same land. The maximum number of trees to be planted per hectare shall be determined by the

Amendment

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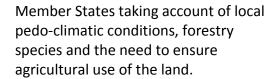




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local pedo-climatic conditions, forestry species and the need to ensure agricultural use of the land.

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Justification

Agro-forestry systems should not be limited to extensive agriculture.

