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General statement of revenue

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**I. INTRODUCTION**

On 19 June 2009 the Commission forwarded to the Council preliminary draft amending budget (PDAB) No. 6/2009.

This PDAB covers the revision of the forecast of traditional own resources (TOR, i.e. customs duties and sugar levies), VAT and GNI bases, the budgeting of the relevant UK corrections as well as their financing and the revision of financing of GNI reductions in favour of the Netherlands and Sweden in 2009. The result is a change in the distribution between Member States of their own resources contributions to the EU budget.

## **II. OUTCOME OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE'S PROCEEDINGS**

The Budget Committee examined the proposal for PDAB No. 6/2009 at its meeting on 26 June 2009 and was able to accept the Commission proposal.

## **III. CONCLUSION**

At the close of its discussion the Budget Committee agreed, by a qualified majority, to suggest that the Permanent Representatives Committee advise the Council to:

- establish draft amending budget No. 6 to the general budget for 2009, as proposed by the Commission;
  - instruct the Presidency to prepare the budgetary documents to be sent to the European Parliament.
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