

**Question for written answer E-003425/2026
to the Commission**
Rule 144
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Subject: AMIF funding for the new Dublin centre in Belgium

Version 5.2 of the Belgian Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF) programme, approved by Implementing Decision C(2026)6201 of 22 July 2026, provides that the new Dublin centre is to be funded using the resources remaining in the general AMIF envelope and the national budget. Compared to version 4.0, this means an increase in the indicative Union contribution to reception conditions from EUR 18.93 million to EUR 49.76 million and in the target for newly created reception places from 0 to 320.

The announced centre in Nazareth-De Pinte will have around 300 places and will be set up in rented private hotel facilities.

1. In Belgium's reasoned request for amendment under Article 24(1) of Regulation (EU) 2021/1060, what justification did it provide for the increase in resources for reception conditions, and what amount was envisaged for the funding of the new Dublin centre?
2. Does the increase in the target from 0 to 320 reception places relate entirely or partially to this centre?
3. On what legal basis under Regulation (EU) 2021/1147 did the Commission consider the AMIF funding for this centre to be compatible with the Fund, and under what conditions are rental costs for such private facilities eligible for AMIF funding?

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