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**Question for written answer E-003773/25
to the Commission
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Subject: Recovery and Resilience Facility in Spain — question one

Citing Spanish Government sources, the media have reported that an addendum to Spain's Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan is being negotiated to amend the milestones and targets that the government has not yet met. The aim of that addendum would be to simplify and speed up receipt of the EUR 24 billion in grants that Spain is still to request from the NextGenerationEU Recovery and Resilience Facility.

In light of the above, can the Commission say:

1. What milestones and targets has the Spanish Government requested to amend in its Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan, in the operational agreement reached with the European Commission in November 2021 and in the addendum adopted in October 2023?
2. How has the Spanish Government justified its request for such amendments?

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**Answer given by Executive Vice-President Fitto on behalf of the European Commission
(18 November 2025)**

The Council Implementing Decision on the Spanish recovery and resilience plan (RRP) was adopted in July 2021 ⁽¹⁾. The plan was revised in October 2023 to add a loan envelope and a chapter on REPowerEU ⁽²⁾. Subsequent targeted amendments to the Spanish plan have taken place in 2024 and 2025 ⁽³⁾.

All Member States may ask to revise their RRP, if needed, due to objective circumstances that affect the implementation of the original plan. All information on the amendments to the Spanish RRP is published on a dedicated website ⁽⁴⁾.

In view of the 2026 implementation deadlines for the recovery and resilience facility, the Commission has asked Member States to engage in a comprehensive revision of their plans and published a communication to this effect ⁽⁵⁾.

As stated in the communication, these revisions should aim at streamlining the plans and preparing the final payment requests. Member States are also encouraged to explore all available options to safeguard their allocation.

The Commission services are in constant contact with the Spanish authorities to ensure a successful implementation of the RRP measures until 31 August 2026.

⁽¹⁾ Council Implementing Decision on the approval of the assessment of the recovery and resilience plan for Spain, adopted by the Council on 6 July 2021: <https://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-10150-2021-INIT/en/pdf>.

⁽²⁾ Regulation (EU) 2023/435 amending Regulation (EU) 2021/241 as regards REPowerEU chapters in recovery and resilience plans and amending Regulations (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) 2021/1060 and (EU) 2021/1755, and Directive 2003/87/EC.

⁽³⁾ COM(2025) 556 final.

⁽⁴⁾ Spain's recovery and resilience plan: https://commission.europa.eu/business-economy-euro/economic-recovery/recovery-and-resilience-facility/country-pages/spains-recovery-and-resilience-plan_en#documents.

⁽⁵⁾ Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council NextGenerationEU — The road to 2026 COM(2025) 310 final: <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=celex:52025DC0310>.