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to the Commission
Rule 130
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Subject: Exceptional economic needs in the EU and ways to meet them

Cuts of several billion euros were made to this year's EU budget for 2016 to meet exceptional needs.

The budget ranges from EUR 145-150 billion and each new exceptional need will lead, by necessity, to new cuts in development funds.

Will the Commission take the same approach in the next budget, or does it intend to consider other ways of meeting exceptional needs?