

## **UK Review of the balance of competences**

### **V) Development Cooperation and Humanitarian Aid**

#### **1) Overseas Countries and Territories**

**1/ Title:** Future relations between the EU and the Overseas Countries and Territories / COM (2008) 383 - 25.6.2008

**Category:** Policy document / Green Paper

**2/ Title:** Future relations between the EU and the Overseas Countries and Territories / SEC (2008) 2067 - 25.6.2008

**Category:** Commission Staff Working Document

**3/Title:** Elements for a new partnership between the EU and the overseas countries and territories (OCTs), COM(2009) 623 final

**Category:** Communication

**4/ Title:** Council Conclusions on the EU's relations with Overseas Countries and Territories (OCTs)

**Category:** Council Conclusions, 22 December 2009

**5/ Title:** Impact Assessment Accompanying the document Council decision on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Union ("Overseas Association Decision")  
SWD (2012) 193 final

**Category:** Evaluation

**6/ Title:** Proposal for a Council Decision on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Union ("Overseas Association Decision")  
COM (2012) 362

**Category:** Legislative proposal

## **2) Aid effectiveness**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Common Position for the Fourth High Level Forum on Aid Effectiveness, November 2011

**Category:** Council Conclusions

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Code of Conduct on Complementarity and Division of Labour, 2007.

**Category:** Council Conclusions

**3/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Toolkit for the implementation of complementarity and division of labour in development policy, 2009

**Category:** Reference document

**4/ Title/ Date (year):** Council Conclusions on Cross-Country Division of Labour, June 2010

**Category:** Council Conclusions

**5/ Title/ Date (year):** Common EU Statement for the 2<sup>nd</sup> HLF on aid effectiveness, Paris, 2005

**Category:** Council conclusions

**6/ Title/ Date (year):** Common EU Statement for the 3<sup>rd</sup> HLF on aid effectiveness, Accra, 2008

**Category:** Council Conclusions

**7/ Title/ Date (year):** Results Oriented Monitoring (ROM) – EU Handbook (2009)

**Category:** Reference document

**8/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Accountability Report, 2010

**9/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Accountability Report, 2011

**10/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Accountability Report, 2012

**Category 8, 9, 10:** Staff Working Document

**11/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Council Conclusions on Accountability Report, 2011

**12/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Council Conclusions on Accountability Report, 2012

**Category 11, 12:** Council Conclusions

**13/ Title/ Date (year):** Council Conclusions on Millenium Development Goals, 2010

**Category:** Council Conclusions

**14/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Communication on Tax governance and Development, 2010.

**Category:** Communication

**15/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Council Conclusions on Compact for Growth & Jobs, 2012

**Category:** Council Conclusions

### **3) External communication**

**1/ Memo:** Money where it matters – how the EU budget delivers value to you (29 June 2011):

**Category:** Communication: (MEMO)

**2/ Memo:** the annual report on development and external assistance (Brussels, 15 July 2011)

**Category:** Communication (MEMO)

**3) Blog:** Seven facts you should know about European development aid –

**Category:** Communication (blog)

**4) Brochure:** Millennium Development Goals (2010)

**Category:** Communication (publication)

**5) Commissioner's blog** - Nobel Peace Prize for the EU is also recognition of our work outside the EU (2012):

**Category:** Communication (blog)

**6) Commissioner's blog** - What did the EU aid achieve last year? New Annual Report reveals the results (2012):

## **4) Evaluations**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** Thematic Evaluation of European Commission Support to Conflict Prevention and Peace-building (2011)

**Category:** Evaluation

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** Thematic Evaluation of the European Commission Support to Justice and Security System Reform (JSSR) (2011)

**Category:** Evaluation

**3/ Title/ Date (year):** Thematic Evaluation of the European Commission support to respect of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms (including solidarity with victims of repression) (2011)

**Category:** Evaluation

**4/ Title/ Date (year):** Evaluation of the Commission of the EU's co-operation with Ethiopia (2012)

**Category:** Evaluation

**5/ Title/ Date (year):** Evaluation of the European Commission's support to Uganda (2009)

**Category:** Evaluation

**6/ Title/ Date (year):** Evaluation of the EC Cooperation with Botswana (2009)

**Category:** Evaluation

## **5) International Organisations**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** Evaluation of Commission's Aid Delivery through Development Banks and EIB 2008 –ref 1255

**Category:** EC Evaluation

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** Operational report of EuropeAID, IDB and several national development financing organizations on Latin American Investment Facility (LAIF)

**Category:** Report

**3/ Title/ Date (year):** 2011 Overview on the WB-EC collaboration of Multidonor Trust Funds

**Category:** Information Note of the EC to the European Parliament Budget Committee

## **6) General development policies**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** The European Consensus on Development (2005)

**Category:** Joint statement by the Council and the representatives of the governments of the Member States meeting within the Council, the European Parliament and the Commission.

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** "Increasing the impact of EU Development Policy: an Agenda for Change" (2011)

**Category:** Communication and Council Conclusions

**3/ Title/ Date (year):** "EU Support to Sustainable change in Transition societies" (2012) and its accompanying staff Working Document

**Category:** Communication and Commission Staff Working Document

**4/ Title/ Date (year):** EU Reports on Policy Coherence for Development 2007, 2009 and 2011 and related Council Conclusions

**Category:** Communication and Commission Working Documents, Commission Staff Working Documents and related Council Conclusions

EU 2007 Report on PCD:

Commission Working Paper COM (2007) 545 final

Commission Staff Working Paper SEC (2007) 1202

EU 2009 Report on PCD:

Commission Communication on Policy Coherence for Development - Establishing the policy framework for a whole-of-the-Union approach COM (2009) 458 final

Commission Report and the accompanying Commission Staff Working Document (COM (2009) 461 final + SEC (2009) 1137 final)

Policy Coherence for Development Work Programme 2010- 2013 (Commission Staff Working Document) (SEC (2010) 421 final)

Council Conclusions on Policy Coherence for Development from November 2009

EU 2011 report on PCD

Commission Staff Working Paper SEC (2011) 1627 final

Council Conclusions on Policy Coherence for Development from 14 May 2012

**5/ Title/ Date (year):** "A Decent Life for All: Ending poverty and giving the world a sustainable future" – forthcoming

**Category:** Communication and related Council Conclusions

Results of public consultation on a post-2015 development framework:

- A Twelve point Action Plan in support of the Millennium Development Goals
- Supporting developing countries in coping with the crisis / Millennium Development Goals — Impact of the Financial Crisis on Developing countries
- Speeding up progress towards the Millennium Development Goals - State of Play
- The 2005 UN Summit – Addressing the global challenges and making a success of the reformed UN

## 7) Transport

1. **Title:** Promoting sustainable transport in cooperation development

**Category:** Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and to the Council. COM (2000) 422 final

**Date:** 2000

2. **Title:** Information and Communication Technologies in Development - The role of ICTs in EC development policy. COM(2001) 770 final

**Date:** (2001)

**Category:** Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and to the Council

3. **Title:** Interconnecting Africa: the EU-Africa Partnership on Infrastructure. COM(2006) 376 final

**Date** (2006)

**Category:** Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and to the Council

4. **Title:** Partnership between the European Union and Africa. Connecting Africa and Europe: working towards strengthening transport cooperation. COM(2009) 301 final

**Date** (2009)

**Category:** Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and to the Council

5. **Title:** The EU and its neighbouring regions: A renewed approach to transport cooperation. COM(2011) 415 final

**Date:** 2011

**Category:** Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and to the Council

6. **Title:** The EU external aviation policy – Addressing future challenges. COM(2012) 556 final

**Date:** 2012

**Category:** Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions



## **8) Aid for Trade**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** 2012 EU Aid for Trade Report

**Category:** Annual Report

## **9) Civil Society**

**1/ Title:** COMMISSION STAFF WORKING DOCUMENT on Development Education and Awareness Raising (DEAR) in Europe, 2012, SWD(2012) 457 final

**Category:** COMMISSION STAFF WORKING DOCUMENT

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** "The roots of Democracy and sustainable development: Europe engagement with civil society in external relations" (September 2012)

**Category:** Communication and Council Conclusions

## **10) Environment, climate change**

**1/ Title:** Staff working document reporting the implementation of the 2001 environment integration strategy (2009)

**Category:** Commission staff working document

**2/ Title:** Sector Approaches in the Environment and Natural Resources (2011)

**Category:** Commission staff working document

**3/ Title:** Building a Global Climate Change Alliance between the European Union and poor developing countries most vulnerable to climate change (2007)

**Category:** Commission Communication

**4/ Title:** Communication on EU Biodiversity - Our life insurance, our natural capital: an EU biodiversity strategy to 2020 (2011)

**Category:** Commission Communication

**5/ Title:** FOREST LAW ENFORCEMENT, GOVERNANCE AND TRADE (FLEGT) - PROPOSAL FOR AN EU ACTION PLAN (2003)

**Category:** Commission Communication

**6/ Title:** Addressing the challenges of deforestation and forest degradation to tackle climate change and biodiversity loss

**Category:** Commission Communication

**7/ Title:** EU STRATEGY FOR SUPPORTING DISASTER RISK REDUCTION IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (2009) and Implementation Plan of the EU Strategy for supporting disaster risk reduction in developing countries 2011-2014 (2011)

**Category:** Commission Communication

**8/ Title/ Date (year):** Water management in developing countries policy and priorities for EU development cooperation (2002)

**Category:** Commission Communication and Staff Working Paper

**9/ Title:** Guidelines on the Integration of Environment and Climate Change in Development Cooperation (2009)

**Category:** Thematic guidelines

## **11) Education, Health**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** More and better education in developing countries (2010)

**Category:** Commission Staff Working Document (SEC (2010) 121 final)

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** The EU Role in Global Health (2010)

**Category:** Council Conclusions 9644/10

**3/ Title/ Date (year):** The EU Role in Global Health (2010)

**Category:** Commission Communication (2010)128

## **12) Sustainable agriculture/food and nutrition security**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** An EU policy framework to assist developing countries in addressing food security challenges (COM (2010) 127)

**Category:** Communication and Council Conclusions

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** The EU Approach to Resilience: learning from food security crises (COM (2010) 586)

**Category:** Communication

**3/ Title/ Date (year):** Enhancing Maternal and Child Nutrition in External Assistance: an EU Policy Framework (forthcoming – February 2013)

**Category:** draft Communication

**4/ Title/ Date (year):** Addressing under-nutrition in external assistance (September 2011)

**Category:** Reference document

**5/ Title/ Date (year):** Social transfers in the fight against hunger (April 2012)

**Category:** Reference document

## **13) Fragility and crisis management**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** COM Communication "The Future Approach to EU Budget Support to Third Countries", 2011

**Category:** European Commission communication

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** COM Communication " The EU Approach to Resilience: Learning from Food Security Crises", 2011

**Category:** European Commission communication

**3/ Title/ Date (year):** Commission Staff Working Document: SHARE: Supporting Horn of Africa Resilience, 2012

**Category:** Commission Staff Working Document

**4/ Title/ Date (year):** Annual Report 2011 of the African Peace Facility

**Category:** report

**5/ Title/ Date (year):** Practical Guide to contract procedures for European Union external actions

**Category:** operational guide

**7/ Title/ Date (year):** Thematic Evaluation of the European Commission Support to Justice and Security System Reform (JSSR), 2011

**Category:** evaluation

**8/ Title/ Date (year):** Thematic Evaluation of European Commission Support to Conflict Prevention and Peace Building, 2011

**Category:** evaluation

## **14) Social protection and migrations**

**1/ Title/ Date (year):** Social Protection in European Union Development Cooperation, 2012

**Category:** Communication and Council Conclusions

**2/ Title/ Date (year):** Migration in European Union Development Cooperation, 2012

**Category:** Commission Communication, Staff Working Paper, Council Conclusions

## **15) Humanitarian Aid**

### **1. Humanitarian Aid Regulation**

HA Regulation 1257/96

### **2. General Guidelines on operational priorities for humanitarian aid in 2013**

ECHO's Strategy page on [ec.europa.eu](http://ec.europa.eu)

### **3. Consensus on Humanitarian Aid**

▲ European Consensus on Humanitarian Aid, 2007 - Full text, published in the Official Journal of the European Union

▲ Consensus Action Plan - SEC (2008)1991

- ▲ Council conclusions - 11069/07
- ▲ Communication - towards a European Consensus on Humanitarian Aid - COM (2007) 317 final
- ▲ **Mid-term review** of the European Consensus on Humanitarian Aid Action Plan - Staff Working Document, December 2010
- ▲ 2011 Annual Report on the Implementation of the European Consensus on Humanitarian Aid

#### **4. EU Aid Volunteers**

- ▲ Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the European Voluntary Humanitarian Aid Corps - EU Aid Volunteers - COM (2007) 317 final
- ▲ Impact Assessment of the Voluntary Corps:  
full text - SWD (2012) 265 final  
summary - SWD (2012) 266 final

#### **5. Resilience**

Communication: The EU Approach to Resilience - Learning from food security crises - COM (2012) 586 final

#### **6. Communication plus staff working paper on humanitarian food assistance**

- ▲ COM (2010) 126 final
- ▲ SEC (2010) 374 final
- ▲ Council conclusions 9654/10 on humanitarian food assistance

#### **7. IHL Guidelines**

Updated European Union Guidelines on promoting compliance with international humanitarian law (IHL) - 2009/C 303/06

#### **8. Staff working paper WASH**

SWD (2012) 277 final - Meeting the challenge of rapidly increasing humanitarian needs in Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH)

#### **9. Example of a DG ECHO crisis report**

Sudan -South Sudan Crisis  
ECHO Crisis Report SITREP N° 6