SECTION VIII

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REVENUE

Contribution of the European Union to the financing of the expenditure of the European Ombudsman for the financial year 2024

Heading	Amount
Expenditure	13 843 160
Own resources	-1749224
Contribution due	12 093 936

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# **REVENUE**

# TITLE 3 ADMINISTRATIVE REVENUE

# CHAPTER 3 0 — REVENUE FROM STAFF CHAPTER 3 1 — REVENUE LINKED TO PROPERTY

Article Item	Heading	2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 3 0				
300	Taxes and levies				
3 0 0 0	Tax on remunerations	844 937	762 468	696 155,—	82,39
3 0 0 1	Special levies on remunerations	156 724	137 022	127 155,—	81,13
	Article 3 0 0 — Total	1 001 661	899 490	823 310,—	82,19
301	Contributions to the pension scheme				
3 0 1 0	Staff contributions to the pension scheme	747 563	707 282	628 733,—	84,10
3 0 1 1	Transfer or purchase of pension rights by staff	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
3 0 1 2	Contributions to the pension scheme by staff on leave	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	Article 3 0 1 — Total	747 563	707 282	628 733,—	84,10
	CHAPTER 3 0 — TOTAL	1 749 224	1 606 772	1 452 043,—	83,01
	CHAPTER 3 1				
310	Sale of immovable property — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
311	Sale of other property	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
312	Letting and subletting immovable property — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	CHAPTER 3 1 — TOTAL	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	

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CHAPTER 3 2 — REVENUE FROM THE SUPPLY OF GOODS, SERVICES AND WORK — ASSIGNED REVENUE CHAPTER 3 3 — OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE REVENUE

Article Item	Heading	2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 3 2				
320	Revenue from the supply of goods, services and work — Assigned revenue				
3 2 0 2	Revenue from the supply of goods, services and work for other Union institutions, agencies and bodies — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	Article 3 2 0 — Total	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
3 2 1	Refunds by other institutions or bodies of mission allowances  — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
3 2 2	Revenue from third parties in respect of goods, services or work — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	CHAPTER 3 2 — TOTAL	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	CHAPTER 3 3				
3 3 0	Repayment of amounts wrongly paid — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
3 3 1	Revenue for a specific purpose (income from foundations, subsidies, gifts and bequests) — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
3 3 3	Insurance payments received — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
338	Other revenue from administrative operations — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	1 372,—	
3 3 9	Other revenue from administrative operations	p.m.	p.m.	997,—	
	CHAPTER 3 3 — TOTAL	p.m.	p.m.	2 369,—	
	Title 3 — Total	1 749 224	1 606 772	1 454 412,—	83,15

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#### TITLE 3

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE REVENUE**

#### CHAPTER 30 — REVENUE FROM STAFF

#### 300 Taxes and levies

#### 3 0 0 0 Tax on remunerations

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
844 937	762 468	696 155,—

#### Legal basis

Protocol on the privileges and immunities of the European Union, and in particular Article 12 thereof.

Regulation No 422/67/EEC, No 5/67/Euratom of the Council of 25 July 1967 determining the emoluments of the President and Members of the Commission, of the President, Judges, Advocates-General and Registrar of the Court of Justice, of the President, Members and Registrar of the General Court and of the President, Members and Registrar of the European Union Civil Service Tribunal (OJ 187, 8.8.1967, p. 1).

Regulation (EEC, Euratom, ECSC) No 260/68 of the Council of 29 February 1968 laying down the conditions and procedure for applying the tax for the benefit of the European Communities (OJ L 56, 4.3.1968, p. 8).

Decision 94/262/ECSC, EC, Euratom of the European Parliament of 9 March 1994 on the regulations and general conditions governing the performance of the Ombudsman's duties (OJ L 113, 4.5.1994, p. 15), and in particular Article 10(2) and (3) thereof.

Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016 determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).

# 3 0 0 1 Special levies on remunerations

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
156 724	137 022	127 155,—

# Remarks

The provisions concerning the temporary contribution applied until 30 June 2003. Therefore, this item is intended to record any revenue resulting from the residual amount of the temporary contribution from the salaries of Members of the Commission, officials and other servants in active employment.

# Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, in particular Article 66a thereof.

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#### CHAPTER 3 0 — REVENUE FROM STAFF (cont'd)

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Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union.

Protocol on the privileges and immunities of the European Union, and in particular Article 12 thereof.

Regulation No 422/67/EEC, No 5/67/Euratom of the Council of 25 July 1967 determining the emoluments of the President and Members of the Commission, of the President, Judges, Advocates-General and Registrar of the Court of Justice, of the President, Members and Registrar of the General Court and of the President, Members and Registrar of the European Union Civil Service Tribunal (OJ 187, 8.8.1967, p. 1).

Decision 94/262/ECSC, EC, Euratom of the European Parliament of 9 March 1994 on the regulations and general conditions governing the performance of the Ombudsman's duties (OJ L 113, 4.5.1994, p. 15), and in particular Article 10(2) and (3) thereof.

Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016 determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).

# 3 0 1 Contributions to the pension scheme

# 3 0 1 0 Staff contributions to the pension scheme

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
747 563	707 282	628 733,—

Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Article 83(2) thereof.

# 3 0 1 1 Transfer or purchase of pension rights by staff

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Article 4, Article 11(2) and (3) thereof and Article 48 of Annex VIII thereto.

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#### CHAPTER 30 — REVENUE FROM STAFF (cont'd)

#### **301** (cont'd)

# 3 0 1 2 Contributions to the pension scheme by staff on leave

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn	
p.m.	p.m.	0,—	

#### Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, in particular Article 40(3) thereof.

Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union, in particular Article 17 thereof.

#### CHAPTER 31 — REVENUE LINKED TO PROPERTY

# 3 1 0 Sale of immovable property — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

This article is intended to record revenue from the sale of immovable property belonging to the institution.

In accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

# 3 1 1 Sale of other property

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

This article is intended to record revenue from the sale or part-exchange of other property belonging to the institution. It also records the proceeds from the sale of vehicles, equipment, installations, materials, and scientific and technical apparatus which are being replaced or scrapped when the book value is fully depreciated.

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#### CHAPTER 3 1 — REVENUE LINKED TO PROPERTY (cont'd)

# 3 1 2 Letting and subletting immovable property — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

In accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

#### CHAPTER 3 2 — REVENUE FROM THE SUPPLY OF GOODS, SERVICES AND WORK — ASSIGNED REVENUE

# 320 Revenue from the supply of goods, services and work — Assigned revenue

3 2 0 2 Revenue from the supply of goods, services and work for other Union institutions, agencies and bodies — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

### Remarks

In accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

# 321 Refunds by other institutions or bodies of mission allowances — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

In accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

# Revenue from third parties in respect of goods, services or work — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

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#### CHAPTER 3 2 — REVENUE FROM THE SUPPLY OF GOODS, SERVICES AND WORK — ASSIGNED REVENUE (cont'd)

#### **322** (cont'd)

#### Remarks

In accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

#### CHAPTER 33— OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE REVENUE

### 3 3 0 Repayment of amounts wrongly paid — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

In accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

#### Revenue for a specific purpose (income from foundations, subsidies, gifts and bequests) — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

In accordance with Article 21(2) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

#### 3 3 3 Insurance payments received — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

In accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

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# CHAPTER 3 3 — OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE REVENUE (cont'd)

# 338 Other revenue from administrative operations — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	1 372,—

#### Remarks

This article is intended to record other contributions and refunds in connection with the administrative operations of the institution.

In accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation, this revenue is to be considered as assigned revenue and gives rise to the entry of additional appropriations on the lines which bore the initial expenditure giving rise to the corresponding revenue.

# 3 3 9 Other revenue from administrative operations

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	997,—

#### Remarks

This article is intended to record other revenue from administrative operations.

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# TITLE 4 FINANCIAL REVENUE, DEFAULT INTEREST AND FINES

# CHAPTER 40— REVENUE FROM INVESTMENTS AND ACCOUNTS

Article Item	Heading	2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 4 0				
4 0 0	Revenue from investments, loans granted and bank accounts	p.m.	p.m.	28,—	
	CHAPTER 4 0 — TOTAL	p.m.	p.m.	28,—	
	Title 4 — Total	p.m.	p.m.	28,—	

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# TITLE 4 FINANCIAL REVENUE, DEFAULT INTEREST AND FINES

# CHAPTER 40 — REVENUE FROM INVESTMENTS AND ACCOUNTS

# 400 Revenue from investments, loans granted and bank accounts

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	28,—

# Remarks

This article is intended to record revenue from investments, loans granted and bank and other interest on the institution's accounts.

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# TITLE 6 REVENUE, CONTRIBUTIONS AND REFUNDS RELATED TO UNION POLICIES

# CHAPTER 66 — OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS AND REFUNDS

Article Item	Heading	2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 6 6				
6 6 8	Other contributions and refunds — Assigned revenue	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	CHAPTER 6 6 — TOTAL	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	Title 6 — Total	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	

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# TITLE 6 REVENUE, CONTRIBUTIONS AND REFUNDS RELATED TO UNION POLICIES

# CHAPTER 66 — OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS AND REFUNDS

# 6 6 8 Other contributions and refunds — Assigned revenue

2024 estimate	2023 estimate	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

# Remarks

This article is intended to record, pursuant to Article 21 of the Financial Regulation, any revenue not provided for in other parts of Title 6 and which is used to provide additional appropriations to finance expenditure to which this revenue is assigned.

EXPENDITURE

General summary of appropriations (2024 and 2023) and out-turn (2022)

Title Chapter	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
1	EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION			
1 0	MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTION	496 500	511 605	481 810,60
1 2	OFFICIALS AND TEMPORARY STAFF	9 681 707	9 1 3 7 3 6 6	7 933 004,85
1 4	OTHER STAFF AND OUTSIDE SERVICES	672 500	659 700	516 020,56
1 6	OTHER EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION	345 644	343 676	305 472,05
	Title 1 — Total	11 196 351	10 652 347	9 236 308,06
2	BUILDINGS, FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS OPERATING EXPENDITURE			
2 0	BUILDINGS AND ASSOCIATED COSTS	1 570 709	1 429 000	1 620 763,93
2 1	DATA PROCESSING, EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE: PURCHASE, HIRE AND MAINTENANCE	325 000	325 000	274 984,45
2 3	CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURE	509 700	510 700	474 335,09
	Title 2 — Total	2 405 409	2 264 700	2 370 083,47
3	EXPENDITURE RESULTING FROM GENERAL FUNCTIONS CARRIED OUT BY THE INSTITUTION			
3 0	MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES	194 000	251 000	149 830,60
3 2	EXPERTISE AND INFORMATION: ACQUISITION, ARCHIVING, PRODUCTION AND DISSEMINATION	35 000	32 000	74 891,53
3 3	STUDIES AND OTHER SUBSIDIES	10 000	10 000	18 250,—
3 4	EXPENSES RELATING TO THE EUROPEAN OMBUDSMAN'S DUTIES	2 400	2 400	2 400,—
	Title 3 — Total	241 400	295 400	245 372,13

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Title Chapter	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
10	OTHER EXPENDITURE			
10 0	PROVISIONAL APPROPRIATIONS	p.m.	p.m.	0,—
10 1	CONTINGENCY RESERVE	p.m.	p.m.	0,—
	Title 10 — Total	p.m.	p.m.	0,—
	GRAND TOTAL	13 843 160	13 212 447	11 851 763,66

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TITLE 1 EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION

# CHAPTER 10— MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTION CHAPTER 12— OFFICIALS AND TEMPORARY STAFF

TER 1 0  ies, allowances and payments related to salaries  Non-differentiated appropriations  orary allowances  Non-differentiated appropriations  ons  Non-differentiated appropriations  on expenses  Non-differentiated appropriations  age and data-processing courses		474 605 p.m. p.m.	446 810,60 0,—	97,24
Non-differentiated appropriations  orary allowances  Non-differentiated appropriations  ons  Non-differentiated appropriations  on expenses  Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	97,24
Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  on expenses  Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	97,24
Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  on expenses  Non-differentiated appropriations		•		
Non-differentiated appropriations  on expenses  Non-differentiated appropriations		•		
Non-differentiated appropriations on expenses  Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0 —	
on expenses  Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0 —	
Non-differentiated appropriations			0,—	
lage and data-processing courses	35 000	35 000	35 000,—	100
mge mim mun processing courses				
Non-differentiated appropriations	2 000	2 000	0,—	
ances and expenses on entering and leaving the service				
Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
CHAPTER 1 0 — TOTAL	496 500	511 605	481 810,60	97,04
TER 1 2				
neration and other entitlements				
neration and allowances				
Non-differentiated appropriations	9 648 707	9 104 366	7 915 605,40	82,04
vertime				
Non-differentiated appropriations	3 000	3 000	0,—	
ements on entering the service, transfer and leaving the				
	30 000	30 000	17 399,45	58
Non-differentiated appropriations	9 681 707	9 137 366	7 933 004,85	81,94
21	Non-differentiated appropriations vertime  Non-differentiated appropriations ments on entering the service, transfer and leaving the Non-differentiated appropriations	Non-differentiated appropriations  9 648 707  vertime  Non-differentiated appropriations  ments on entering the service, transfer and leaving the  Non-differentiated appropriations  30 000	Non-differentiated appropriations  Possible vertime  Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  30 000  30 000	Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  Non-differentiated appropriations  The service of the se

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# CHAPTER 1 2 — OFFICIALS AND TEMPORARY STAFF (cont'd) CHAPTER 1 4 — OTHER STAFF AND OUTSIDE SERVICES CHAPTER 1 6 — OTHER EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION

Article Item	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
1 2 2	Allowances upon early termination of service				
1 2 2 0	Allowances for staff retired in the interests of the service				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
1 2 2 2	Allowances for staff whose service is terminated and special retirement scheme for officials and temporary staff				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	Article 1 2 2 — Total	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	CHAPTER 1 2 — TOTAL	9 681 707	9 137 366	7 933 004,85	81,94
	CHAPTER 1 4				
1 4 0	Other staff and external persons				
1 4 0 0	Other staff				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	450 500	450 500	350 168,37	77,73
1 4 0 4	Graduate traineeships, grants and exchanges of officials				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	222 000	209 200	165 852,19	74,71
	Article 1 4 0 — Total	672 500	659 700	516 020,56	76,73
	CHAPTER 1 4 — TOTAL	672 500	659 700	516 020,56	76,73
	CHAPTER 1 6				
161	Expenditure relating to staff management				
1 6 1 0	Expenditure on recruitment				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	3 000	3 000	1 145,—	38,17
1 6 1 2	Further training				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	90 000	90 000	87 036,20	96,71
	Article 1 6 1 — Total	93 000	93 000	88 181,20	94,82

 $\textbf{CHAPTER 1 6} \qquad \textbf{OTHER EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION} \ (\textit{cont'd})$ 

Article Item	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
163	Measures to assist the institution's staff				
1630	Social welfare				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
1631	Mobility				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	19 950	26 000	2 317,25	11,62
1632	Social contact between members of staff and other social measures				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	7 000	7 000	4 576,60	65,38
	Article 1 6 3 — Total	26 950	33 000	6 893,85	25,58
165	Activities relating to all persons working with the institution				
1650	European Schools				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	175 694	167 676	124 697,—	70,97
1651	Crèches and childcare facilities				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	50 000	50 000	85 700,—	171,40
	Article 1 6 5 — Total	225 694	217 676	210 397,—	93,22
	CHAPTER 1 6 — TOTAL	345 644	343 676	305 472,05	88,38
	Title 1 — Total	11 196 351	10 652 347	9 236 308,06	82,49

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#### TITLE 1

#### EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION

#### CHAPTER 10 — MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTION

# 100 Salaries, allowances and payments related to salaries

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
459 500	474 605	446 810,60

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover salaries, allowances and other payments related to the salary of the European Ombudsman, namely the institution's contributions towards insurance against accidents and occupational disease, the institution's contributions towards sickness insurance, birth grants, allowances payable in the event of death, annual medical visits, etc.

#### Legal basis

Regulation No 422/67/EEC, No 5/67/Euratom of the Council of 25 July 1967 determining the emoluments of the President and Members of the Commission, of the President, Judges, Advocates-General and Registrar of the Court of Justice, of the President, Members and Registrar of the General Court and of the President, Members and Registrar of the European Union Civil Service Tribunal (OJ 187, 8.8.1967, p. 1), and in particular Articles 4a, 11 and 14 thereof.

Decision 94/262/ECSC, EC, Euratom of the European Parliament of 9 March 1994 on the regulations and general conditions governing the performance of the Ombudsman's duties (OJ L 113, 4.5.1994, p. 15).

Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016 determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).

# 102 Temporary allowances

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

# Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover transitional allowances, family allowances and weighting in respect of countries of residence.

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# CHAPTER 10 — MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTION (cont'd)

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Legal basis

Regulation No 422/67/EEC, No 5/67/Euratom of the Council of 25 July 1967 determining the emoluments of the President and Members of the Commission, of the President, Judges, Advocates-General and Registrar of the Court of Justice, of the President, Members and Registrar of the General Court and of the President, Members and Registrar of the European Union Civil Service Tribunal (OJ 187, 8.8.1967, p. 1), and in particular Article 7 thereof.

Decision 94/262/ECSC, EC, Euratom of the European Parliament of 9 March 1994 on the regulations and general conditions governing the performance of the Ombudsman's duties (OJ L 113, 4.5.1994, p. 15).

Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016 determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).

#### 103 Pensions

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

# Remarks

Retirement pensions of former European Ombudsmen, as well as the survivors' pensions of widows and orphans and the weightings applied in respect of their countries of residence, are borne by the Commission. This appropriation is intended to cover those costs that are not covered by the Commission, notably the European Ombudsman's contribution to the Union's sickness insurance scheme.

### Legal basis

Regulation No 422/67/EEC, No 5/67/Euratom of the Council of 25 July 1967 determining the emoluments of the President and Members of the Commission, of the President, Judges, Advocates-General and Registrar of the Court of Justice, of the President, Members and Registrar of the General Court and of the President, Members and Registrar of the European Union Civil Service Tribunal (OJ 187, 8.8.1967, p. 1), and in particular Articles 8, 9, 15 and 18 thereof.

Decision 94/262/ECSC, EC, Euratom of the European Parliament of 9 March 1994 on the regulations and general conditions governing the performance of the Ombudsman's duties (OJ L 113, 4.5.1994, p. 15).

Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016 determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).

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#### CHAPTER 1 0 — MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTION (cont'd)

#### 104 Mission expenses

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
35 000	35 000	35 000,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover travel expenses, daily subsistence allowances while on missions and additional or exceptional expenditure incurred on mission.

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 1 000.

#### Legal basis

Regulation No 422/67/EEC, No 5/67/Euratom of the Council of 25 July 1967 determining the emoluments of the President and Members of the Commission, of the President, Judges, Advocates-General and Registrar of the Court of Justice, of the President, Members and Registrar of the General Court and of the President, Members and Registrar of the European Union Civil Service Tribunal (OJ 187, 8.8.1967, p. 1), and in particular Article 6 thereof.

Decision 94/262/ECSC, EC, Euratom of the European Parliament of 9 March 1994 on the regulations and general conditions governing the performance of the Ombudsman's duties (OJ L 113, 4.5.1994, p. 15).

Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016 determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).

# 105 Language and data-processing courses

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
2 000	2 000	0,—

# Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover expenses incurred in attending language courses or other professional training seminars.

# 108 Allowances and expenses on entering and leaving the service

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

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#### CHAPTER 1 0 — MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTION (cont'd)

#### **108** (cont'd)

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover travel expenses due to the European Ombudsman (including his or her family) on taking up duty or leaving the institution, installation and resettlement allowances due to the European Ombudsman on taking up duty or leaving the institution and removal expenses due to the European Ombudsman on taking up duty or leaving the institution.

#### Legal basis

Regulation No 422/67/EEC, No 5/67/Euratom of the Council of 25 July 1967 determining the emoluments of the President and Members of the Commission, of the President, Judges, Advocates-General and Registrar of the Court of Justice, of the President, Members and Registrar of the General Court and of the President, Members and Registrar of the European Union Civil Service Tribunal (OJ 187, 8.8.1967, p. 1), and in particular Article 5 thereof.

Decision 94/262/ECSC, EC, Euratom of the European Parliament of 9 March 1994 on the regulations and general conditions governing the performance of the Ombudsman's duties (OJ L 113, 4.5.1994, p. 15).

Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016 determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).

#### CHAPTER 12— OFFICIALS AND TEMPORARY STAFF

#### 120 Remuneration and other entitlements

### 1 2 0 0 Remuneration and allowances

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
9 648 707	9 104 366	7 915 605,40

### Remarks

This appropriation is mainly intended to cover, for officials and temporary staff holding a post provided for in the establishment plan:

- salaries, allowances and payments related to salaries,
- insurance against sickness, accidents and occupational disease and other social security charges,
- flat-rate overtime allowances,
- miscellaneous allowances and grants,

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#### CHAPTER 1 2 — OFFICIALS AND TEMPORARY STAFF (cont'd)

#### **120** (cont'd)

#### 1 2 0 0 (cont'd)

- payment of travel expenses for officials or temporary staff, their spouses and dependants from their place of employment to their place of origin,
- the impact of salary weightings applicable to remuneration and to the part of emoluments transferred to a country other than the country of employment,
- unemployment insurance for temporary staff and payments by the institution to temporary staff in order to constitute or maintain their pension rights in their countries of origin.

# Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union.

Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union.

#### 1 2 0 2 Paid overtime

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
3 000	3 000	0,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the payment of overtime under the conditions set out in the legal basis.

# Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Article 56 thereof and Annex VI thereto.

Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union.

# 1 2 0 4 Entitlements on entering the service, transfer and leaving the service

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
30 000	30 000	17 399,45

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

 travel expenses due to officials and temporary staff (including their families) entering or leaving the service or being transferred to another place of employment,

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#### CHAPTER 1 2 — OFFICIALS AND TEMPORARY STAFF (cont'd)

#### **120** (cont'd)

#### 1 2 0 4 (cont'd)

- installation/resettlement allowances and removal expenses due to officials and temporary staff obliged to change their place of residence on taking up duty, on transfer to a new place of employment and on finally leaving the institution and resettling elsewhere,
- daily subsistence allowances for officials and temporary staff who provide evidence that they must change their place of residence on taking up duty or transferring to a new place of employment,
- compensation for a probationary official who is dismissed because his or her work is obviously inadequate,
- compensation for a member of the temporary staff whose contract is terminated by the institution.

Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union.

Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union.

# 122 Allowances upon early termination of service

#### 1 2 2 0 Allowances for staff retired in the interests of the service

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the allowances payable to officials:

- assigned non-active status in connection with action to reduce the number of posts in the institution,
- holding an AD 16, AD 15 or AD 14 grade post who are retired in the interests of the service.

It also covers the employer's contribution to sickness insurance and the impact of weightings applicable to these allowances.

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#### CHAPTER 1 2 — OFFICIALS AND TEMPORARY STAFF (cont'd)

**122** (cont'd)

1 2 2 0 (cont'd)

Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Articles 41 and 50 thereof and Annex IV thereto.

1 2 2 2 Allowances for staff whose service is terminated and special retirement scheme for officials and temporary staff

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

# Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- the allowances payable under the Staff Regulations, Regulation (ECSC, EEC, Euratom) No 3518/85 or Regulation (EC, Euratom, ECSC) No 2688/95,
- the employer's contributions towards sickness insurance for the persons in receipt of the allowances,
- the impact of the salary weightings applicable to the various allowances.

# Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Articles 64 and 72 thereof.

Council Regulation (ECSC, EEC, Euratom) No 3518/85 of 12 December 1985 introducing special measures to terminate the service of officials of the European Communities as a result of the accession of Spain and Portugal (OJ L 335, 13.12.1985, p. 56) and Council Regulation (EC, Euratom, ECSC) No 2688/95 of 17 November 1995 introducing special measures to terminate the service of officials of the European Communities as a result of the accession of Austria, Finland and Sweden (OJ L 280, 23.11.1995, p. 1).

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#### CHAPTER 14— OTHER STAFF AND OUTSIDE SERVICES

# 140 Other staff and external persons

#### 1 4 0 0 Other staff

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
450 500	450 500	350 168,37

#### Remarks

This appropriation is mainly intended to cover:

- the remuneration of other staff including contract and local staff and special advisers (within the meaning of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union), employer's contributions to the various social security schemes and the impact of salary weightings applicable to the remuneration of these staff,
- fees of staff paid under the arrangements for the provision of services and, in special cases, the employment of temporary agency staff.

# Legal basis

Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union.

# 1 4 0 4 Graduate traineeships, grants and exchanges of officials

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriati	ions	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
	222 000	209 200	165 852,19

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- allowances, travel and mission expenses for trainees, and accident and sickness insurance during courses,
- expenditure arising from movements of staff between the European Ombudsman and the public sector in the Member States or other countries specified in the rules.

# Legal basis

European Ombudsman's decision concerning traineeships and European Ombudsman's decision concerning seconded international, national and regional or local officials to the European Ombudsman's office.

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#### CHAPTER 16 — OTHER EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION

# 161 Expenditure relating to staff management

# 1 6 1 0 Expenditure on recruitment

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
3 000	3 000	1 145,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- expenditure on organising the competitions provided for in Article 3 of Decision 2002/621/EC and travel and subsistence expenses for applicants called for interviews and medical examinations,
- the costs of organising procedures for selecting officials and other staff.

In cases duly justified by operating requirements and after consulting the European Personnel Selection Office, this appropriation may be used for competitions organised by the institution itself.

# Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Articles 27 to 31 and 33 thereof and Annex III thereto.

Decision 2002/620/EC of the European Parliament, the Council, the Commission, the Court of Justice, the Court of Auditors, the Economic and Social Committee, the Committee of the Regions and the European Ombudsman of 25 July 2002 establishing a European Communities Personnel Selection Office (OJ L 197, 26.7.2002, p. 53) and Decision 2002/621/EC of the Secretaries-General of the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission, the Registrar of the Court of Justice, the Secretaries-General of the Court of Auditors, the Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions, and the representative of the European Ombudsman of 25 July 2002 on the organisation and operation of the European Communities Personnel Selection Office (OJ L 197, 26.7.2002, p. 56).

# 1 6 1 2 Further training

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
90 000	90 000	87 036,20

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

— expenditure on training for improving staff skills and the performance and efficiency of the institution,

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#### CHAPTER 16 — OTHER EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION (cont'd)

#### **161** (cont'd)

#### 1 6 1 2 (cont'd)

— expenditure on transport costs, the payment of daily mission allowances and the ancillary or exceptional expenses incurred in the performance of a mission, including ancillary costs relating to tickets and reservations (other than that in Article 3 0 0).

Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Article 24a thereof.

Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Union.

# 163 Measures to assist the institution's staff

#### 1 6 3 0 Social welfare

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- as part of an interinstitutional policy to assist people with disabilities in the following categories:
  - officials and temporary staff in active employment,
  - spouses of officials and temporary staff in active employment,
  - all dependent children within the meaning of the Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union,

the reimbursement, subject to budgetary ceilings and once any national entitlements granted in the country of residence or of origin have been exhausted, of non-medical expenditure that is recognised as necessary, results from disability, is duly substantiated and is not covered by the Joint Sickness Insurance Scheme,

action taken in respect of officials and other servants in particularly difficult situations.

#### Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Article 9(3), third subparagraph, and Article 76 thereof.

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# $\textbf{CHAPTER 1 6} \qquad \textbf{OTHER EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION} \ (\textit{cont'd})$

#### **163** (cont'd)

#### 1 6 3 0 (cont'd)

European Ombudsman's decision of 15 January 2004 adopting the rules on social assistance to officials and other staff of the European Ombudsman's office.

# 1 6 3 1 Mobility

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
19 950	26 000	2 317,25

### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to finance the scheme supporting:

- the use of sustainable multimodal transport options, including cycling, walking and public transportation, to come to work,
- the acquisition and maintenance of service bicycles, organisation of awareness raising events, etc.,

following the commitment of the institutions of the Union to reducing their  $CO_2$  emissions and the Union's objectives expressed in the European Green Deal.

#### 1 6 3 2 Social contact between members of staff and other social measures

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
7 000	7 000	4 576,60

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to encourage and provide financial backing for schemes to promote social contact between staff of different nationalities, for example subsidies to staff clubs, associations and cultural activities, and to make a contribution to the cost of activities organised by the staff committee (cultural, leisure activities, meals, etc.).

It also covers financial participation in interinstitutional social activities.

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#### CHAPTER 16 — OTHER EXPENDITURE RELATING TO PERSONS WORKING WITH THE INSTITUTION (cont'd)

# 165 Activities relating to all persons working with the institution

# 1 6 5 0 European Schools

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
175 694	167 676	124 697,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- the European Ombudsman's contribution to the Type II European Schools accredited by the Board of Governors of the European Schools, or
- the reimbursement to the Commission of the contribution to the Type II European Schools accredited by the Board of Governors of the European Schools paid by the Commission in the name and on behalf of the European Ombudsman and based on a Mandate and Service agreement signed with the Commission.

It will cover the cost for children of the European Ombudsman's staff enrolled in a Type II European School.

#### Legal basis

Commission Decision C(2013) 4886 of 1 August 2013 on the putting into effect of the EU contribution paid on a pro-rata basis to schools accredited by the Board of Governors of the European Schools according to the number of children of EU staff enrolled, replacing Commission Decision C(2009) 7719 as amended by Commission Decision C(2010) 7993 (OJ C 222, 2.8.2013, p. 8).

# 1 6 5 1 Crèches and childcare facilities

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
50 000	50 000	85 700,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the European Ombudsman's contribution to the cost of the Early Childhood Centre and other crèches and childcare facilities (to be paid to the Commission).

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TITLE 2
BUILDINGS, FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS OPERATING EXPENDITURE

CHAPTER 2 0 — BUILDINGS AND ASSOCIATED COSTS CHAPTER 2 1 — DATA PROCESSING, EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE: PURCHASE, HIRE AND MAINTENANCE

Article Item	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 2 0				
200	Buildings				
2000	Rent				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	1 045 620	942 000	1 176 938,81	112,56
2 0 0 1	Fitting-out and installation work				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	5 000	p.m.	5 314,96	106,30
2002	Cleaning, maintenance and energy consumption				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	195 969	195 000	152 510,16	77,82
2003	Security and surveillance of buildings				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	324 120	292 000	286 000,—	88,24
	Article 2 0 0 — Total	1 570 709	1 429 000	1 620 763,93	103,19
	CHAPTER 2 0 — TOTAL	1 570 709	1 429 000	1 620 763,93	103,19
	CHAPTER 2 1				
210	Equipment, operating costs and services relating to data processing and telecommunications				
2 1 0 0	Purchase, servicing and maintenance of equipment and software, and related work				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	310 000	310 000	258 639,50	83,43
	Article 2 1 0 — Total	310 000	310 000	258 639,50	83,43
2 1 2	Furniture				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	3 000	3 000	6 304,87	210,16
2 1 6	Vehicles				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	12 000	12 000	10 040,08	83,67
	CHAPTER 2 1 — TOTAL	325 000	325 000	274 984,45	84,61

CHAPTER 23— CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURE

Article Item	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 2 3				
2 3 0	Administrative expenditure				
2 3 0 0	Stationery, office supplies and miscellaneous consumables				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	3 500	5 500	2 846,74	81,34
2 3 0 1	Postage on correspondence and delivery charges				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	2 500	3 000	3 000,—	120
2 3 0 2	Telecommunications				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	4 500	5 000	3 479,53	77,32
2 3 0 3	Financial charges				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	700	700	960,—	137,14
2 3 0 4	Other expenditure				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	3 500	3 500	2 549,26	72,84
2 3 0 5	Legal costs and damages				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	1 000	1 000	0,—	
	Article 2 3 0 — Total	15 700	18 700	12 835,53	81,75
2 3 1	Translation and interpretation				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	315 000	315 000	315 000,—	100
2 3 2	Support for activities				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	179 000	177 000	146 499,56	81,84
	CHAPTER 2 3 — TOTAL	509 700	510 700	474 335,09	93,06
	Title 2 — Total	2 405 409	2 264 700	2 370 083,47	98,53

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# BUILDINGS, FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS OPERATING EXPENDITURE

# CHAPTER 20 — BUILDINGS AND ASSOCIATED COSTS

# 200 Buildings

#### 2 0 0 0 Rent

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
1 045 620	942 000	1 176 938,81

# Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover rent for the buildings occupied by the European Ombudsman:

- premises in Strasbourg,
- premises in Brussels.

# Legal basis

Administrative arrangement between the European Ombudsman and the European Parliament.

# 2 0 0 1 Fitting-out and installation work

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
5 000	p.m.	5 314,96

### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover various kinds of fitting-out work, including in particular the installation of partitions, curtains, cables, painting, wall coverings, floor coverings, suspended ceilings and the related technical installations.

# Legal basis

Administrative arrangement between the European Ombudsman and the European Parliament.

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#### CHAPTER 20 — BUILDINGS AND ASSOCIATED COSTS (cont'd)

#### **200** (cont'd)

2 0 0 2 Cleaning, maintenance and energy consumption

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
195 969	195 000	152 510,16

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- the maintenance, upkeep, operating and cleaning costs for the buildings rented by the European Ombudsman,
- water, gas, electricity and heating costs.

Legal basis

Administrative arrangement between the European Ombudsman and the European Parliament.

# 2 0 0 3 Security and surveillance of buildings

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
324 120	292 000	286 000,—

# Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover security costs for the buildings occupied by the European Ombudsman.

Legal basis

Administrative arrangement between the European Ombudsman and the European Parliament.

# CHAPTER 21 — DATA PROCESSING, EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE: PURCHASE, HIRE AND MAINTENANCE

#### Remarks

In connection with public procurement, the institution will consult the other institutions on the contractual terms each of them has obtained.

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# CHAPTER 2 1 — DATA PROCESSING, EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE: PURCHASE, HIRE AND MAINTENANCE (cont'd)

# 2 1 0 Equipment, operating costs and services relating to data processing and telecommunications

2 1 0 0 Purchase, servicing and maintenance of equipment and software, and related work

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
310 000	310 000	258 639,50

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure on:

- the purchase, hire, servicing and maintenance of equipment and development of software,
- assistance in connection with the operation and maintenance of data-processing systems,
- data-processing operations entrusted to third parties and other data-processing service expenditure,
- purchase, hire, servicing and maintenance of telecommunications equipment and other expenditure in connection with telecommunications (transmission networks, telephone switchboards, handsets and similar equipment, fax machines, telex systems, installation costs, etc.).

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 1 000.

#### 2 1 2 Furniture

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
3 000	3 000	6 304,87

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the purchase, hire, maintenance and repair of furniture, including the purchase of ergonomic furniture, the replacement of worn-out and broken furniture and office machines.

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#### CHAPTER 2 1 — DATA PROCESSING, EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE: PURCHASE, HIRE AND MAINTENANCE (cont'd)

#### 2 1 6 Vehicles

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
12 000	12 000	10 040,08

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the acquisition, maintenance, use and repair of vehicles (service cars) and the hire of cars, taxis, coaches and lorries, with or without drivers, including the necessary insurance cover and the payment of eventual fines.

#### CHAPTER 23 — CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURE

#### 2 3 0 Administrative expenditure

#### Remarks

In connection with public procurement, the institution will consult the other institutions on the contractual terms each of them has obtained.

# 2 3 0 0 Stationery, office supplies and miscellaneous consumables

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
3 500	5 500	2 846,74

# Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the purchase of paper, envelopes, office supplies, supplies for the print shop and reproduction workshops, etc.

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 1 000.

#### 2 3 0 1 Postage on correspondence and delivery charges

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
2 500	3 000	3 000,—

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#### CHAPTER 2 3 — CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURE (cont'd)

#### **230** (cont'd)

#### 2 3 0 1 (cont'd)

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover charges for postage, processing and delivery by the postal services or private delivery firms.

#### 2 3 0 2 Telecommunications

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
4 500	5 000	3 479,53

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover subscriptions and charges for cable and radio communications (fixed and mobile telephony, and television) as well as expenditure on data transmission networks and telematic services.

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 5 000.

# 2 3 0 3 Financial charges

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
700	700	960,—

# Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover bank charges (commission, agios and miscellaneous charges) and other financial charges, including ancillary costs for the financing of buildings.

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 10 000.

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#### CHAPTER 2 3 — CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURE (cont'd)

#### **230** (cont'd)

# 2 3 0 4 Other expenditure

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
3 500	3 500	2 549,26

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- insurance not specifically provided for in another item,
- miscellaneous operating expenses, such as for the purchase of railway and flight timetables and the publication of notices of sales of second-hand equipment in newspapers,
- imprest accounts in Brussels and Strasbourg.

# 2 3 0 5 Legal costs and damages

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
1 000	1 000	0,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- all costs deriving from the European Ombudsman's involvement in cases before Union and national courts, the cost of legal services, and any other legal, court or out-of-court expenses,
- damages, interest and any debts within the meaning of the Financial Regulation.

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 5 000.

#### 2 3 1 Translation and interpretation

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
315	315 00	315 000,—

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#### CHAPTER 2 3 — CURRENT ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURE (cont'd)

#### **231** (cont'd)

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the cost of all supplementary services, in particular the translation and typing of the annual report and other documents, contracted and occasional interpreters and other associated costs.

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 5 000.

# 2 3 2 Support for activities

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
179 000	177 000	146 499,56

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the global management costs payable to the European Parliament to cover the costs in staff time to the European Parliament of providing general services such as accounting, internal audit and a medical service, etc.

It is also intended to support the cost of providing the various interinstitutional services which are not already covered by another budget line.

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TITLE 3
EXPENDITURE RESULTING FROM GENERAL FUNCTIONS CARRIED OUT BY THE INSTITUTION

CHAPTER 3 0 — MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES CHAPTER 3 2 — EXPERTISE AND INFORMATION: ACQUISITION, ARCHIVING, PRODUCTION AND DISSEMINATION

Article Item	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 3 0				
300	Staff mission expenses				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	100 000	100 000	118 306,25	118,31
3 0 2	Reception and representation expenses				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	2 000	2 000	496,40	24,82
3 0 3	Meetings in general				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	67 000	124 000	24 823,44	37,05
3 0 4	Internal meetings				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	25 000	25 000	6 204,51	24,82
	CHAPTER 3 0 — TOTAL	194 000	251 000	149 830,60	77,23
	CHAPTER 3 2				
3 2 0	Acquisition of information and expertise				
3 2 0 0	Documentation and library expenditure				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	3 000	4 000	1 463,08	48,77
3 2 0 1	Expenditure on archive resources				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	6 000	3 000	16 000,—	266,67
	Article 3 2 0 — Total	9 000	7 000	17 463,08	194,03
3 2 1	Production and dissemination				
3 2 1 0	Communication and publications				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	26 000	25 000	57 428,45	220,88
	Article 3 2 1 — Total	26 000	25 000	57 428,45	220,88
	CHAPTER 3 2 — TOTAL	35 000	32 000	74 891,53	213,98

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CHAPTER 3 3 — STUDIES AND OTHER SUBSIDIES CHAPTER 3 4 — EXPENSES RELATING TO THE EUROPEAN OMBUDSMAN'S DUTIES

Article Item	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 3 3				
3 3 0	Studies and subsidies				
3 3 0 0	Studies				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	10 000	10 000	18 250,—	182,50
3 3 0 1	Relations with national/regional ombudsmen and other similar bodies and support for activities of the European Network of Ombudsmen				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	Article 3 3 0 — Total	10 000	10 000	18 250,—	182,50
	CHAPTER 3 3 — TOTAL	10 000	10 000	18 250,—	182,50
	CHAPTER 3 4				
3 4 0	Expenses relating to the European Ombudsman's duties				
3 4 0 0	Miscellaneous expenses				
	Non-differentiated appropriations	2 400	2 400	2 400,—	100
	Article 3 4 0 — Total	2 400	2 400	2 400,—	100
	CHAPTER 3 4 — TOTAL	2 400	2 400	2 400,—	100
	Title 3 — Total	241 400	295 400	245 372,13	101,65

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#### TITLE 3

#### EXPENDITURE RESULTING FROM GENERAL FUNCTIONS CARRIED OUT BY THE INSTITUTION

#### CHAPTER 30 — MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES

# 300 Staff mission expenses

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
100 000	100 000	118 306,25

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure on transport costs, the payment of daily mission allowances and the ancillary or exceptional expenses incurred in the performance of a mission, including ancillary costs relating to tickets and reservations.

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 5 000.

#### Legal basis

Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Union, and in particular Article 71 thereof and Articles 11, 12 and 13 of Annex VII thereto.

# 3 0 2 Reception and representation expenses

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
2 000	2 000	496,40

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the costs related to the institution's obligations concerning receptions, representation costs and the purchase of representational items offered by the European Ombudsman.

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#### CHAPTER 3 0 — MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES (cont'd)

# 303 Meetings in general

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
67 000	124 000	24 823,44

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the travel, subsistence and incidental expenses of experts and other persons invited to take part in committees, study groups or working meetings, as well as other connected expenditure (renting of rooms, interpretation needs, etc.).

#### 304 Internal meetings

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
25 000	25 000	6 204,51

### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the costs related to the organisation of the internal meetings of the institution.

# CHAPTER 3 2— EXPERTISE AND INFORMATION: ACQUISITION, ARCHIVING, PRODUCTION AND DISSEMINATION

# 3 2 0 Acquisition of information and expertise

#### 3 2 0 0 Documentation and library expenditure

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
3 000	4 000	1 463,08

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

— the extension and renewal of the general reference works section and keeping the library stock up to date,

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#### CHAPTER 3 2 — EXPERTISE AND INFORMATION: ACQUISITION, ARCHIVING, PRODUCTION AND DISSEMINATION (cont'd)

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#### 3 2 0 0 (cont'd)

- subscriptions to newspapers and periodicals and news agencies and to the publications thereof and online services, including copyright fees for the reproduction and dissemination of the above in written and/or electronic form and service contracts for press reviews and cuttings,
- subscriptions or service contracts for the supply of summaries and analyses of the content of periodicals or the storage on optical media of articles taken from such periodicals,
- utilising external documentary and statistical databases (computer hardware and telecommunications charges excepted),
- the purchase or hire of special library, documentation and media library materials, including electric, electronic and computer facilities and/or systems, as well as outside services for the acquisition, development, installation, use and maintenance of these facilities and systems,
- the cost of services relating to library activities, in particular in dealings with library customers (enquiries, analyses), and quality management systems, etc.,
- binding and preservation equipment and work for the library, documentation and media library,
- the purchase of dictionaries, glossaries and other works for the European Ombudsman's services.

#### 3 2 0 1 Expenditure on archive resources

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
6 000	3 000	16 000,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover:

- the cost of outside services for archiving operations, including sorting, filing and refiling in the depositories, the cost of archive services, the acquisition and use of archive resources on substitute media (microfilms, discs, cassettes, etc.), the purchase, hire and maintenance of special facilities (electronic, computerised and electrical) and expenditure on publications on all media (brochures, CD-ROM, etc.),
- the cost of processing papers of the European Ombudsman accumulated in the exercise of his or her office and handed over, in the form of legal donations or legacies, to the European Parliament, to the Historical Archives of the European Union (HAEU) or to an association or foundation according to established rules.

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#### CHAPTER 3 2 — EXPERTISE AND INFORMATION: ACQUISITION, ARCHIVING, PRODUCTION AND DISSEMINATION (cont'd)

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Legal basis

Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43), and the implementing measures adopted within the European Ombudsman's office.

#### 3 2 1 Production and dissemination

# 3 2 1 0 Communication and publications

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
26 00	25 000	57 428,45

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure on publishing and information, and in particular:

- the cost of printing and reproducing, in the official languages, various publications (annual report, etc.),
- printed material (by traditional or electronic means) promoting information with regard to the European Ombudsman (publicity and measures to promote the principle of the European Ombudsman to the public at large)
- any other expenses in connection with the institution's information policy (symposia, seminars, participation in public events, etc.).

The amount of assigned revenue in accordance with Article 21(3) of the Financial Regulation is estimated at EUR 1 000.

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# CHAPTER 3 3 — STUDIES AND OTHER SUBSIDIES

#### 3 3 0 Studies and subsidies

#### 3 3 0 0 Studies

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
10 000	10 000	18 250,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover the financing of studies and/or surveys contracted out to qualified experts and research institutes, as well as the publication costs of such studies and associated costs.

Relations with national/regional ombudsmen and other similar bodies and support for activities of the European Network of Ombudsmen

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure committed to promoting relations and strengthening cooperation between the European Ombudsman and the national/regional ombudsmen and other similar bodies.

It can cover, in particular, financial contributions to projects in the fields of activity of the European Network of Ombudsmen (other than that in Item 3 2 1 0).

It is also intended to cover any contribution in relation to the European Ombudsman's visitors groups.

#### CHAPTER 34— EXPENSES RELATING TO THE EUROPEAN OMBUDSMAN'S DUTIES

# 3 4 0 Expenses relating to the European Ombudsman's duties

# 3 4 0 0 Miscellaneous expenses

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn	
2 400	2 400	2 400,—	

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# CHAPTER 3 4— EXPENSES RELATING TO THE EUROPEAN OMBUDSMAN'S DUTIES (cont'd)

**340** (cont'd)

3 4 0 0 (cont'd)

Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure incurred owing to the special nature of the European Ombudsman's duties such as relations with the national ombudsmen and international organisations of ombudsmen and subscriptions to international organisations.

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# TITLE 10 OTHER EXPENDITURE

# CHAPTER 10 0 — PROVISIONAL APPROPRIATIONS CHAPTER 10 1 — CONTINGENCY RESERVE

Article Item	Heading	2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn	%2022/2024
	CHAPTER 10 0	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	CHAPTER 10 0 — TOTAL	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	CHAPTER 10 1	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	CHAPTER 10 1 — TOTAL	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	
	Title 10 — Total	p.m.	p.m.	0,—	

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#### TITLE 10

#### **OTHER EXPENDITURE**

# CHAPTER 100 — PROVISIONAL APPROPRIATIONS

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations	2023 appropriations	2022 out-turn
p.m.	p.m.	0,—

#### Legal basis

Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1).

## CHAPTER 10 1 — CONTINGENCY RESERVE

Figures (Non-differentiated appropriations)

2024 appropriations 2023 appropriations		2022 out-turn	
p.m.	p.m.	0,—	

#### Remarks

This appropriation is intended to cover expenditure resulting from budgetary decisions taken in the course of the financial year (expenditure that cannot be estimated).

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Function group and grade	2024		2023	
	Permanent posts	Temporary posts	Permanent posts	Temporary posts
AD 16	_	1	_	1
AD 15	3	_	1	_
AD 14	1	1	3	1
AD 13	1	2	1	1
AD 12	5	_	5	1
AD 11	1	1	2	1
AD 10	1	1	_	1
AD 9	6	1	4	1
AD 8	5	2	7	1
AD 7	2	3	4	4
AD 6	2	3	1	4
AD 5	2	2	1	1
Subtotal AD	29	17	29	17
AST 11	_	_	_	_
AST 10	_	1	_	1
AST 9	1	1	1	1
AST 8	2	1	3	1
AST 7	3	1	2	1
AST 6	3	4	2	3
AST 5	2	1	2	2
AST 4	2	1	3	1
AST 3	1	_	_	_
AST 2	_	3	_	_
AST 1	_	_	_	_
Subtotal AST	14	13	13	10
AST/SC 6	_	_	_	_
AST/SC 5	_	_	_	_
AST/SC 4	1	_	1	_
AST/SC 3	_	1	_	2
AST/SC 2	_	_	_	3
AST/SC 1	_	_	_	_
Subtotal AST/SC	1	1	1	5
Total	44	31	43	32
Grand Total	75		75	