From the Press Corner of the EU Commission website: "The Commission has adopted a decision to provide an additional EUR 3 billion to support Member States with the implementation of the Pact on Migration and Asylum and to host refugees from Ukraine. President von der Leyen announced this extra support in today's press conference with Chancellor Merz.

You will find her statement here. The additional funding comes from the revision of the current Multiannual Financial Framework (MFF 1.8 billion) and from a top-up to the Asylum Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF) and Border Management and Visa Instrument (BMVI 1.2 billion). It comes in addition to almost 11 billion already allocated for migration and border management under AMIF and BMVI for the period of 2025-2027, and of the 450 million allocated to Member States hosting beneficiaries of temporary protection from Ukraine since 2022. Member States will be able to use this additional financial support until the end of 2027 for the implementation of the Pact (AMIF and BMVI) and for hosting people fleeing Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine (AMIF).

Each Member State will be allocated a specific amount in line with a set of eligibility criteria. Member States will need to amend their existing national programmes by the end of 2025 to accommodate this additional funding. The Commission is already in close contact with the Member States to provide necessary support."

Source(s)

- European Commission (9 May, 2025), [Commission provides additional €3 billion for the implementation of the Pact on Migration and Asylum and to host refugees from Ukraine], https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/detail/en/ip_25_1176

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