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Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 51 should read:

51. Stresses that SMEs' limited ability to access finance is a major impediment to their creation and growth; welcomes, in this respect, the EIB's decision to boost by additional EUR 30 000 million the funding available for guarantees and other financial instruments for SMEs; calls on the EIB to devise new forms of financial instruments and tangible new solutions to tackle the obstacles that collateral presents to accessing credit; also calls on the Member States, in the light of the current economic crisis, to encourage banks to guarantee SMEs access to credit on reasonable terms;

Paragraph 85 should read:

85. Calls on the Commission to undertake, with Member States, work on the harmonisation of the application forms which must be completed by enterprises in application and tendering processes;

Concerns EN