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Amendment 2 Santiago Fisas Ayxelà on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution Helmut Scholz

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on behalf of the Committee on International Trade on the accession of Ecuador to the Trade Agreement concluded between the EU and its Member States and Columbia and Peru

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