

Amendment 35**Alexander Graf Lambsdorff**

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Renate Sommer

on behalf of the PPE Group

Kati Piri

on behalf of the S&D Group

Motion for a resolution**B8-0442/2016****Kati Piri**

on behalf of the Committee on Foreign Affairs

2015 report on Turkey

Motion for a resolution**Paragraph 32***Motion for a resolution*

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