

TEXTS ADOPTED

P8_TA(2017)0446

EU-New Zealand Partnership Agreement on Relations and Cooperation (Consent)***

European Parliament legislative resolution of 16 November 2017 on the draft Council decision on the conclusion on behalf of the Union of the Partnership Agreement on Relations and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and New Zealand, of the other part (15470/2016 - C8-0027/2017 - 2016/0366(NLE))

(Consent)

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the draft Council decision (15470/2016),
- having regard to the draft Partnership Agreement on relations and cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and New Zealand, of the other part (09787/2016),
- having regard to the request for consent submitted by the Council in accordance with Article 37 of the Treaty on European Union and Article 207, Article 212(1), Article 218(6), second subparagraph, point (a), and Article 218(8), second subparagraph, of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (C8-0027/2017),
- having regard to its non-legislative resolution of 16 November 2017 on the draft decision¹,
- having regard to Rule 99(1) and (4) and Rule 108(7) of its Rules of Procedure,
- having regard to the recommendation of the Committee on Foreign Affairs (A8-0327/2017),
- 1. Gives its consent to conclusion of the agreement;
- 2. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council, the Commission and the governments and parliaments of the Member States and of New Zealand.

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¹ Texts adopted, P8 TA(2017)0447.