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AMENDMENTS

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Draft report
Bernd Lange
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containing the European Parliament's recommendations to the Commission on the negotiations for the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP) (2014/2228(INI))

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Amendment 1

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Petras Auštrevičius, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution

Citation 1

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the EU directives for the negotiations for the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP) between the EU and the US, adopted by the Council on 14 June 2013¹ and declassified and made public by the Council on 9 October 2014,

¹<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-11103-2013-DCL-1/en/pdf>

Amendment

– having regard to the EU directives for the negotiations for the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP) between the EU and the US, **unanimously** adopted by the Council on 14 June 2013¹ and declassified and made public by the Council on 9 October 2014,

¹<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-11103-2013-DCL-1/en/pdf>

Or. en

Amendment 2

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Citation 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to articles 168 to 191 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular to the precautionary principle enshrined in article 191(2),

Or. en

Amendment 3

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Citation 1 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the European Social Charter,

Or. en

Amendment 4

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Citation 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the joint statement of 16 November 2014 by US President Barack Obama, Commission President Jean-Claude Juncker, European Council President Herman Van Rompuy, UK Prime Minister David Cameron, German Chancellor Angela Merkel, French President François Hollande, Italian Prime Minister Matteo Renzi and Spanish Prime Minister Mariano Rajoy, following their meeting on the margins of the G20 Summit in Brisbane, Australia⁵,

deleted

⁵ http://europa.eu/rapid/press-release_STATEMENT-14-1820_en.htm

Or. en

Amendment 5
Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution
Citation 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the letter signed by 14 Member States to Commission President Jean-Claude Juncker on October 21st 2014, expressing their strong support for the inclusion of the investor-to-state dispute settlement mechanism in the investment chapter in TTIP;

Or. en

Amendment 6
Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Ulrike Müller, Petras Auštrevičius, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the Council Conclusion on TTIP of 20 March 2015,

Or. en

Amendment 7
Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García

Motion for a resolution
Citation 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the Commission’s communication to the Commission of 25 November 2014 on transparency in TTIP negotiations (C(2014)9052), and to the

– having regard to ***the judgment of the Court of Justice of the European Union in C-350/12 P, 3 July 2014, concerning the right of access to documents of the***

Commission decisions of 25 November 2014 on the publication of information on meetings held between Members of the Commission and organisations or self-employed individuals (C(2014)9051) and on the publication of information on meetings held between Directors-General of the Commission and organisations or self-employed individuals (C(2014)9048),

institutions, having regard to the Commission's communication to the Commission of 25 November 2014 on transparency in TTIP negotiations (C(2014)9052), and to the Commission decisions of 25 November 2014 on the publication of information on meetings held between Members of the Commission and organisations or self-employed individuals (C(2014)9051) and on the publication of information on meetings held between Directors-General of the Commission and organisations or self-employed individuals (C(2014)9048),

Or. es

Amendment 8
Ska Keller, Yannick Jadot

Motion for a resolution
Citation 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the decision of the European Ombudsman closing her own initiative inquiry 01/10/2014/RA concerning the European Commission;

Or. en

Amendment 9
Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel, Jude Kirton-Darling

Motion for a resolution
Citation 7 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the 3rd July 2014 judgment of the Court of Justice of the European Union (C-350/12 P) on access to documents of the institutions, and to

the 6th January 2015 decision of the European Ombudsman closing her own-initiative inquiry (OI/10/2014/RA) concerning the European Commission on dealing with requests for information and access to documents (Transparency),

Or. en

Amendment 10
Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Citation 9

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the Commission report of 13 January 2015 on the online public consultation on investment protection and investor-to-state dispute settlement (ISDS) in the TTIP (SWD(2015)0003),

Amendment

– having regard to the Commission report of 13 January 2015 on the online public consultation on investment protection and investor-to-state dispute settlement (ISDS) in the TTIP (SWD(2015)0003), *whose result showed clear contrariety to the inclusion of ISDS in TTIP,*

Or. en

Amendment 11
Tonino Picula

Motion for a resolution
Citation 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

- taking into account the joint statement of European Commissioner Malmström and US Trade Representative Froman about public services of 20 March 2015,

Or. hr

Amendment 12
Yannick Jadot, Ska Keller

Motion for a resolution
Citation 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the case law of the Court of Justice of the European Union (ECJ) particularly Judgment C-350/12[1] and Opinions 2/13[2] and 1/09[3];

Or. fr

Amendment 13
Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel, Jude Kirton-Darling

Motion for a resolution
Citation 9 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the UNESCO Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions of the 20 October 2005, and to the Article 167 of the TFEU - Part III: Union policies and internal action - Title XIII: Culture,

Or. en

Amendment 14
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Citation 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the EU’s textual proposals tabled for discussion with the US in the TTIP negotiating rounds, in

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particular those which have been declassified and made public by the Commission, inter alia the EU position papers entitled ‘TTIP regulatory issues - engineering industries’⁸, ‘Test-case on functional equivalence: proposed methodology for automotive regulatory equivalence’⁹, and ‘Trade and sustainable development chapter/labour and environment: EU paper outlining key issues and elements for provisions in the TTIP’¹⁰, and the textual proposals on technical barriers to trade (TBT)¹¹, sanitary and phytosanitary measures (SPS)¹², customs and trade facilitation¹³, small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs)¹⁴, possible provisions on competition¹⁵, possible provisions on state enterprises and enterprises granted special or exclusive rights or privileges¹⁶, possible provisions on subsidies¹⁷, and dispute settlement¹⁸,

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^{9a}http://trade.ec.europa.eu/doclib/docs/2014/may/tradoc_152470.pdf

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Or. en

Amendment 15

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Citation 10

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the EU’s textual proposals tabled for discussion with the US in the TTIP negotiating rounds, in particular those which have been declassified and made public by the Commission, inter alia the EU position papers entitled ‘TTIP regulatory issues - engineering industries’⁸, ‘Test-case on functional equivalence: proposed methodology for automotive regulatory equivalence’⁹, and ‘Trade and sustainable development chapter/labour and environment: EU paper outlining key issues and elements for provisions in the TTIP’¹⁰, and the textual proposals on technical barriers to trade (TBT)¹¹,

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Amendment 16

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García

Motion for a resolution

Citation 10

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

– having regard to the EU’s textual proposals tabled for discussion with the US in the TTIP negotiating rounds, in particular those which have been declassified and made public by the Commission, inter alia the EU position papers entitled ‘TTIP regulatory issues - engineering industries’⁸, ‘Test–case on functional equivalence: proposed methodology for automotive regulatory equivalence’⁹, and ‘Trade and sustainable development chapter/labour and environment: EU paper outlining key issues and elements for provisions in the TTIP’¹⁰, and the textual proposals on technical barriers to trade (TBT)¹¹, sanitary and phytosanitary measures (SPS)¹², customs and trade facilitation¹³, small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs)¹⁴, possible provisions on competition¹⁵, possible provisions on state enterprises and enterprises granted special or exclusive rights or privileges¹⁶, possible provisions on subsidies¹⁷, and dispute settlement¹⁸,

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(Corrigendum)

Or. es

Amendment 17

Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel, Jude Kirton-Darling

Motion for a resolution

Citation 10 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the opinion on "The Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP)" of the Committee of the Regions (ECOS-V-063) adopted during the 110th plenary session (11-13 February 2015), and to the 4th June 2014 opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee on "Transatlantic trade relations and the EESC's views on an enhanced cooperation and eventual EU-USA FTA",

Or. en

Amendment 18
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Citation 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regards to the Commission's 2015 report on Trade and Investment Barriers,^{19a}

^{19a}

http://trade.ec.europa.eu/doclib/docs/2015/march/tradoc_153259.pdf

Or. en

Amendment 19
Helmut Scholz
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Citation 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the study of Austrian Foundation for Development Research "Assess TTIP: Assessing the Claimed benefits of the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP)"^{19b}

^{19b}http://www.guengl.eu/uploads/plenary-focus-pdf/ASSESS_TTIP.pdf

Or. en

Amendment 20

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Citation 11 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard of the Global Development and Environment Institute (Tufts University) working paper no. 14-03 "The Trans-Atlantic Trade and Investment Partnership: European Disintegration, Unemployment and Instability"^{19c}

^{19c}<http://ase.tufts.edu/gdae/Pubs/wp/14-03CapaldoTTIP.pdf>

Or. en

Amendment 21

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Citation 11 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the Decision of the European Ombudsman following her own-initiative inquiry OI/10/2014/RA concerning the European Commission regarding transparency in the TTIP negotiations^{19 d}

^{19 d}

<http://www.ombudsman.europa.eu/en/cases/decision.faces/en/58668/html.bookmark>

Or. en

Amendment 22

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Citation 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the Commission's communication to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social committee and the Committee of the Regions entitled 'A Roadmap for moving to a competitive low carbon economy in 2050' COM(2011) 112.^{19 e}

^{19 e} **<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX:52011DC0112>**

Or. en

Amendment 23

Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Iuliu Winkler, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution

Citation 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*- having regard to its resolution of
6 April 2011 on the future European
international investment policy^{19f}*

^{19f} *Texts adopted, P7_TA(2011)0141.*

Or. de

Amendment 24

Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Iuliu Winkler, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution

Citation 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*- having regard to its resolution of 6 April
2011 on European international
investment policy^{19g}*

^{19g} *Texts adopted, P7_TA(2011)0141.*

Or. en

Amendment 25

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Citation 12 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the UNCTAD World Investment Report 2014 "Investing in the SDGs: An Action Plan".^{19 h}

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http://unctad.org/en/PublicationsLibrary/wir2014_en.pdf

Or. en

Amendment 26

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Citation 12 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the opinion of the Committee of the Regions "The Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership" ECOS-V-063

Or. en

Amendment 27

Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution

Citation 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to its earlier resolutions, in particular those of 23 October 2012 on trade and economic relations with the United States²⁰, 23 May 2013 on EU trade and investment negotiations with the

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United States of America²¹, **12 March 2014 on the US NSA surveillance programme, surveillance bodies in various Member States and their impact on EU citizens' fundamental rights and on transatlantic cooperation in Justice and Home Affairs**²², and 15 January 2015 on the annual report on the activities of the European Ombudsman 2013²³,

United States of America²¹, and 15 January 2015 on the annual report on the activities of the European Ombudsman 2013²³,

²⁰ OJ C 68 E, 7.3.2014, p.53.

²⁰ OJ C 68 E, 7.3.2014, p.53.

²¹ Texts adopted, P7_TA(2013)0227.

²¹ Texts adopted, P7_TA(2013)0227.

²² **Texts adopted, P7_TA-PROV(2014)0230.**

²³ Texts adopted, P8_TA-PROV(2015)0009.

²³ Texts adopted, P8_TA-PROV(2015)0009.

Or. en

Amendment 28
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Citation 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to its earlier resolutions, in particular those of 23 October 2012 on trade and economic relations with the United States²⁰, 23 May 2013 on EU trade and investment negotiations with the United States of America²¹, **12 March 2014 on the US NSA surveillance programme, surveillance bodies in various Member States and their impact on EU citizens' fundamental rights and on transatlantic cooperation in Justice and Home Affairs**²², and 15 January 2015 on the annual report on the activities of the European Ombudsman 2013²³,

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²⁰ OJ C 68 E, 7.3.2014, p.53.

²¹ Texts adopted, P7_TA(2013)0227.

²² Texts adopted, P7_TA-PROV(2014)0230.

²³ Texts adopted, P8_TA-PROV(2015)0009.

²⁰ OJ C 68 E, 7.3.2014, p.53.

²¹ Texts adopted, P7_TA(2013)0227.

²² Texts adopted, P7_TA-PROV(2014)0230.

²³ Texts adopted, P8_TA-PROV(2015)0009.

Or. en

Amendment 29

Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Iuliu Winkler, Daniel Caspary

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²² Texts adopted, P7_TA-PROV(2014)0230.

²⁰ OJ C 68 E, 7.3.2014, p.53.

²¹ Texts adopted, P7_TA(2013)0227.

²³ Texts adopted, P8_TA-PROV(2015)0009.

Amendment

– having regard to its earlier resolutions, in particular those of 23 October 2012 on trade and economic relations with the United States²⁰, 23 May 2013 on EU trade and investment negotiations with the United States of America²¹, ***12 March 2014 on the US NSA surveillance programme, surveillance bodies in various Member States and their impact on EU citizens' fundamental rights and on transatlantic cooperation in Justice and Home Affairs***²², and 15 January 2015 on the annual report on the activities of the European Ombudsman 2013²³,

²² Texts adopted, P7_TA-PROV(2014)0230.

²⁰ OJ C 68 E, 7.3.2014, p.53.

²¹ Texts adopted, P7_TA(2013)0227.

²³ Texts adopted, P8_TA-PROV(2015)0009.

Or. de

Amendment 30
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

**- having regards to the EU US Joint
Statement on Public Services of 20 March
2015^{23 a},**

^{23 a}

http://trade.ec.europa.eu/doclib/docs/2015/march/tradoc_153264.pdf

Or. en

Amendment 31
Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

**- having regard to the recommendations
of 6 January 2015 of the European
Ombudsman on increased transparency
in TTIP**

Or. fr

Amendment 32
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Citation 13 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

**- having regards to the briefings given by
the Commission to the Parliament before**

and after each of the negotiation rounds,

Or. en

Amendment 33
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Citation 13 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*- having regard to Commissioner
Malmström's 18 March 2015 statement to
the INTA committee on Investment in
TTIP,^{23b}*

^{23b} [http://europa.eu/rapid/press-
release_SPEECH-15-4624_en.htm](http://europa.eu/rapid/press-release_SPEECH-15-4624_en.htm)

Or. en

Amendment 34
**Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn,
Dita Charanzová**

Motion for a resolution
Recital -A (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*-A. whereas exports through trade and
growth through investments are key
drivers of jobs and economic growth
which do not require government
investments;*

Or. en

Amendment 35
Emma McClarkin, Joachim Starbatty, Sander Loones, David Campbell Bannerman,

Jan Zahradil, Sajjad Karim, Boleslaw G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution

Citation 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the joint statement of 20th March by Commissioner Cecilia Malmström and US Trade Representative Michael Froman regarding the exclusion of public services in EU and US trade agreements;

Or. en

Amendment 36

Ulrike Müller

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create ***opportunities*** especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create ***advantages*** especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Or. en

Amendment 37

Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an **ambitious** agreement with the US **may** support the reindustrialisation of Europe **and help achieve the 2020 target for** an increase of the EU's GDP **generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %**; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities **especially** for SMEs, which suffer **more** from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; **whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well**;

Amendment

A. whereas an agreement with the US **is unlikely to** support the reindustrialisation of Europe **or lead to** an increase of the EU's GDP; whereas it has the potential to create **both** opportunities **and disadvantages** for SMEs, which suffer from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) **compared with** larger companies **and which, compared with American companies, must pay a considerable amount of tax**;

Or. it

Amendment 38

Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Amendment

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe **by reducing the mutually destructive competition caused in recent decades by technology transfer to other markets in which competition was detrimental to our local production** and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the

world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Or. fr

Amendment 39

G rard Deprez, Louis Michel, Fr d rique Ries

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US **may** support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Amendment

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US **should** support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well **and should make it possible to avoid a fragmentation of world trade**;

Or. fr

Amendment 40

David Martin, Maria Arena, Jude Kirton-Darling, J rg Leichtfried, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Mois , Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodr guez-Pi nero Fern ndez, Joachim Schuster, Clara Eugenia Aguilera Garc a, Eric Andrieu, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Nicola Danti, Agnes Jongerius, Costas Mavrides, Pedro Silva Pereira, Marita Ulvskog, Martina Werner

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the *EU's* GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Amendment

A. whereas an ambitious ***and balanced*** agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the *EU's* GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, ***micro enterprises, according to the definition of Recommendation COM 2003/361/CE, clusters and enterprises networks*** which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Or. en

Amendment 41
Marine Le Pen

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ***ambitious agreement*** with the US may ***support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities*** especially ***for*** SMEs, which suffer more ***from*** non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world ***has the potential to create*** standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, ***which would serve to the advantage***

Amendment

A. whereas ***such an agreement*** with the US ***may offer advantages to American businesses and financial institutions in European markets – as they benefit from greater regulatory and financial margins of manoeuvre resulting from US trade policy, which is realistic, independent and based on the defence of American national interests – and particularly threaten*** SMEs, which suffer more than larger companies ***from the absence of independent, national offensive trade policies and from the absence of tariff and non-tariff barriers (NTBs); and whereas an***

of third countries as well;

agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world ***creates the risk that*** standards, norms and rules will be ***introduced and*** adopted at a global level, ***to the detriment of national laws and interests;***

Or. fr

Amendment 42

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US ***may*** support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas ***it*** has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world ***has*** the potential to ***create*** standards, norms and rules ***which will be adopted*** at a global level, ***which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;***

Amendment

A. whereas ***the Commission argues that*** an ambitious agreement with the US ***might*** support the reindustrialisation of Europe and ***would*** help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas ***the Commission argues that TTIP*** has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from ***certain*** non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas ***the Commission argues that*** an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world ***would have*** the potential to ***impose*** standards, norms and rules at a global level; ***whereas several independent impact assessment studies on TTIP project negative economic and budgetary consequences for the European Union and its Member States;***

Or. en

Amendment 43

Yannick Jadot, Ska Keller

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe **and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %**; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for **SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies**; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, **which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well**;

Amendment

A. whereas ***econometric impact assessments on TTIP come to very different results, some of them predicting that*** an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe ***while at the same time leading to protracted and significant job losses***; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for ***export-oriented SMEs while at the same time it may lead to increased pressures on non-export-oriented SMEs whose concerns should be duly taken into account***; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level;

Or. en

Amendment 44

Jarosław Wałęsa, Andrzej Grzyb, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Julia Pitera, Dariusz Rosati, Bogdan Brunon Wenta, Adam Szejnfeld, Danuta Jazłowiecka, Elżbieta Katarzyna Łukacijewska, Bolesław G. Piecha, Andrey Kovatchev, Eva Paunova, Mariya Gabriel, Emil Radev, Vladimir Urutchev

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger

Amendment

A. whereas an ambitious ***and balanced*** agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more

companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Or. en

Amendment 45
David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the *EU's* GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas *it* has the potential to create opportunities *especially for* SMEs, *which suffer* more from *non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies*; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Amendment

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US may support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the *EU's* GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas *this agreement* has the potential to create *macro-economic* opportunities, *but it should consider than* SMEs, *compared with larger companies, are suffering* more from *access to credit, lack of innovation and cultural/language barriers than to non-tariff barriers*; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Or. en

Amendment 46
Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Petras Auštrevičius, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US **may** support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; **whereas it has the potential to** create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the **potential** to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Amendment

A. **whereas the EU's GDP is heavily dependent on trade and export and benefits from rules based trade and investment;** whereas an ambitious agreement with the US **should** support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %, **by strengthening the trans-Atlantic trade in both goods and services;** **whereas it should** create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the **goal** to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Or. en

Amendment 47

Emma McClarkin, Joachim Starbatty, Sajjad Karim, Jan Zahradil, David Campbell Bannerman, Sander Loones, Boleslaw G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US **may** support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the **EU's** GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies; **whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in**

Amendment

A. whereas an ambitious agreement with the US **will** support the reindustrialisation of Europe and help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the **EU's** GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than larger companies;

the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well;

Or. en

Amendment 48
Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas an **ambitious** agreement with the US **may** support the reindustrialisation of Europe **and** help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to **create opportunities especially for SMEs, which suffer more from non-tariff barriers (NTBs) than** larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which would **serve to the advantage of third countries as well;**

Amendment

A. whereas an agreement with the US **will not** support the reindustrialisation of Europe, **as energy prices will continue to be lower in the US, and will not** help achieve the 2020 target for an increase of the EU's GDP generated by industry from 15 % to 20 %; whereas it has the potential to **damage** SMEs, which **will** suffer **from unprotected competition by** larger companies; whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which will be adopted at a global level, which **third countries** would **have to adapt to;**

Or. en

Amendment 49
Ramon Tremosa i Balcells

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. Notes the fundamental importance of achieving a comprehensive and

ambitious agreement, as it will permit Europe to multiply its commercial ties with one of the biggest markets and more reliable democratic countries in the world. This agreement will create a precedent for future trade deals;

Or. en

Amendment 50
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas nine Member States of the European Union have already signed a bilateral agreement with the USA, so allowing TTIP to take inspiration from good practice and better enable the obstacles encountered by these Member States to be overcome;

Or. fr

Amendment 51
Markus Pieper, Markus Ferber, Paul Rübig, Antonio Tajani, Othmar Karas, Michal Boni, Bendt Bendtsen, Sven Schulze

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. having in mind that bureaucratic burden and administrative costs which stem from tariff and non-tariff barriers to trade affect small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) disproportionately more than big companies;

Or. en

Amendment 52

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas the abolition of tariffs between the EU and the US translates directly into several billion Euro of losses in income for the EU budget in own resources.

Or. en

Amendment 53

Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. Whereas tariff barriers between the US and the European Union are practically non-existent in many sectors and a transatlantic trade agreement will therefore bear essentially on US and European standards, which however constitute the responses of legislators to economic, social, and environmental issues;

Or. fr

Amendment 54

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas a comprehensive and ambitious TTIP will likely have geopolitical effects through strengthening a rules-based global trading system, diversifying the EU's exports and strengthening the trans-Atlantic relationship between the world's two largest and most open economic blocs, which are based on a mutual commitment to human rights, fundamental freedoms, upholding standards and strengthening our values globally;

Or. en

Amendment 55
Emma McClarkin, Joachim Starbatty, Sajjad Karim, Jan Zahradil, David Campbell
Bannerman, Sander Loones, Boleslaw G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas an agreement between the two biggest economic blocs in the world has the potential to create standards, norms and rules which could be adopted at a global level, which would serve to the advantage of third countries as well, especially developing countries; whereas failure to negotiate an agreement will allow other third countries with different standards and values to assume this role instead;

Or. en

Amendment 56
Ramon Tremosa i Balcells

Motion for a resolution
Recital A b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ab. whereas the main beneficiaries from TTIP can be SMEs, as big corporations have economies of scale that allow them more easily to access markets in both sides of the Atlantic. SMEs do not have the financial, legal and human resources to cope with regulatory differences and other barriers to trade;

Or. en

Amendment 57
Ramon Tremosa i Balcells

Motion for a resolution
Recital A b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ab. whereas, taking into account the democratic trends in certain Member States, high levels of unemployment, lack of internal demands and the high level of indebtedness of several Member States, economic growth cannot come through more public debt but only through the opening of new markets, thus trade must be the privilege tool for growth;

Or. en

Amendment 58
Helmut Scholz
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Recital A b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ab. whereas the creation of a transatlantic common market has been promoted by the Transatlantic Business Dialogue (TABD) for two decades, for it would benefit large and influential corporations, including in the financial sector, at the expense of small and medium enterprises and public budgets bearing the adjustment costs; whereas today without TTIP the U.S. and the EU are already their respective main trading partners with low tariffs applied in most sectors, and with a trade balance constantly in favour of the EU; whereas the EU should further diversify its trade partners with an emphasis on reinforcing its values and goals in terms of sustainable production, social and labour rights, environmental protection and cultural diversity;

Or. en

Amendment 59
Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Recital A b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ab. Whereas these standards reflect different histories, cultures, and balance of forces, differ in their approaches and responses, fit within different legal and administrative frameworks, so that the convergence of standards on the basis of a trade agreement could unbalance their entire framework, rendering them inappropriate and ineffective, and thus undo the work of the legislators;

Amendment 60

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Petras Auštrevičius, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution

Recital A b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ab. whereas the recent crises on the EU's borders and developments around the world show the need to invest in global governance and a system based on rules and values

Amendment 61

Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital A c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ac. Whereas a major trade agreement with the United States could reduce the ability of national and European legislators to legislate, put the sovereignty of citizens at risk, undermine the democratic foundations of the European project and overwhelm remaining European policies within an economic context which is no longer political;

Amendment 62

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Recital A c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ac. whereas the conclusion of an EU - U.S. FTA appears to be incompatible with the advancement of an self-determined European Union promoting its goals in terms of environmental protection, application of the precautionary principle, social cohesion, decent work, defence of civil liberties in particular with regard to data protection, access to health services, cultural policies and cultural diversity, food security and safeguarding of family agriculture; whereas the reduction of certain unnecessary regulatory provisions and differences should be embedded in multilateral processes instead of a bilateral FTA;

Or. en

Amendment 63

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Petras Auštrevičius, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital A c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ac. whereas the negative impact on EU exporters of Russian sanctions must encourage the Commission to do more to open up new markets to EU businesses large and small;

Or. en

Amendment 64

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital A d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ad. whereas the U.S. Trade Representative annually denounces EU and Member State regulations in the areas of environmental protection, food safety and consumer information, as well as the application of the precautionary principle;

Or. en

Amendment 65

Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital A d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ad. Whereas the lack of transparency in impact assessments, the absence of analyses and objective consideration of this new type of agreement even though it could have a significant impact on the European agricultural, industrial and services sectors and on the rights of European workers, consumers and citizens;

Or. fr

Amendment 66

Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Recital A e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ae. Whereas the objective of concluding the negotiations by the end of 2015, as announced by Heads of State at the Council on 19 and 20 March, is unrealistic and irresponsible;

Or. fr

Amendment 67
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that ***negotiators and*** policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains; ***it is therefore necessary to have a clear definition of the rules on product origin, including the place of manufacture and the extent of processing of products which will circulate in the market as a result of TTIP;***

Or. fr

Amendment 68
Marine Le Pen

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – *it is crucial that policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;*

Amendment

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – *and given the significant differences between the balances of trade of different Member States, it is essential that trade rules should be developed independently so as to more closely reflect national interests.*

Or. fr

Amendment 69

Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;;

Amendment

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains, *but all too often the policies of the European institutions encourage delocalisation of manufacturing industries to third countries;*

Or. it

Amendment 70

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that ***policymakers*** shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are ***fundamental*** to creating added value ***in Europe***, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;

Amendment

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that ***parliaments and civil society*** shape the way these markets interact, ***and to regulate the conditions of preservation, production and consumption***; whereas proper trade rules are ***supportive*** to creating added value, ***the implementation of the United Nations' International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights has become of fundamental importance***, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;

Or. en

Amendment 71

Daniel Caspary, Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;

Amendment

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that policymakers ***further and*** shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;

Amendment 72

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Ulrike Müller, Petras Auštrevičius, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

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B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules **and removing unnecessary barriers** are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;

Amendment 73

Jarosław Wałęsa, Andrzej Grzyb, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Julia Pitera, Dariusz Rosati, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski, Bogdan Brunon Wenta, Adam Szejnfeld, Danuta Jazłowiecka, Elżbieta Katarzyna Łukacijewska, Bolesław G. Piecha, Andrey Kovatchev, Eva Paunova, Mariya Gabriel, Emil Radev, Vladimir Urutchev

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Amendment

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets it is crucial that **Europe benefits from participation in global supply chains, while maintaining and developing a strong, competitive and diversified industrial base in Europe;**

Europe, since industrial production takes place in global value chains;

(For consistency with the Recital A European added value should not be built only on e.g. costs of marketing, storage and/or distribution of imports. Also resolution should not quote data without reference to sources. TTIP should first and foremost promote trade of goods manufactured in the EU or the US but the imported goods only repacked/relabelled/assembled in the EU or the US.)

Or. en

Amendment 74

Emma McClarkin, Joachim Starbatty, Sajjad Karim, Jan Zahradil, David Campbell Bannerman, Sander Loones, Bolesław G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production *takes* place in global value chains;

Amendment

B. whereas, given the growing interconnectedness of global markets – up to 40 % of European industrial products are manufactured from imported upstream products – it is crucial that policymakers shape the way these markets interact; whereas proper trade rules are fundamental to creating added value in Europe, since industrial production *will increasingly take* place in global value chains;

Or. en

Amendment 75

Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution

Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas the successful establishment of a trans-atlantic market would offer the historic chance for both the EU and the US to define "Golden Standards" in the next phase of globalisation together with traditional and likeminded partners, based on similar values, thus fostering security and cooperation with trans-atlantic partners in a world of increasing conflicts and insecurity around Europe, rather than leaving geo-political importance to the trans-pacific region and consequently weakening Europe's position while its values and security are increasingly endangered by several conflicts.

Or. en

Amendment 76

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas currently 62 per cent of the EU trade is consisting of intra-EU exchanges, while impact assessment studies project that TTIP would cause a 30 per cent decrease of intra-EU trade and expose EU producers, in particular SMEs, to fierce competition of US producers in many sectors who benefit from relatively lower production costs due to lower environmental, consumer safety and labour standards and access to low-cost energy gained from unsustainable generation methods like fracking;

Or. en

Amendment 77
Viviane Reding

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas the European Commission's calculations show that services represented 35.5% of EU exports to the US and 42.7% of US exports to the EU in 2013; whereas these figures would largely exceed 50% if the services-related content of exports in goods was taken into account; whereas the majority of foreign direct investments from the EU to the US and from the US to the EU are made in the services sector, an ambitious agreement should recognise the importance of services in transatlantic trade;

Or. en

Amendment 78

Jarosław Wałęsa, Adam Szejnfeld, Danuta Jazłowiecka, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Andrzej Grzyb, Bogdan Brunon Wenta, Julia Pitera, Róża Gräfin von Thun und Hohenstein, Elżbieta Katarzyna Łukacijewska, Bolesław G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas EU's attempts to deal with the challenges of climate change, environmental protection and consumer safety have resulted in high regulatory costs for EU enterprises, coupled with high energy feedstock and electricity prices, which - if left unaddressed in TTIP - may accelerate the process of delocalization, deindustrialization and job

losses thereby threatening EU reindustrialization and employment targets, that will also defeat the very policy targets that EU regulations seek to achieve;

Or. en

Amendment 79
Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas it is acknowledged that TTIP will have considerable effects on intra-EU trade, reducing trade flows between all EU countries even by 40% in some cases; whereas this may lead to further European disintegration and will strike particularly the 87% of non-exporting SMEs in Europe which rely extensively on domestic and intra-EU trade;

Or. en

Amendment 80
Helmut Scholz
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Recital B b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Bb. whereas 87 per cent of the more than 20 Million SMEs in the EU rely on domestic demand and are not involved in international trade and that for them progress in further developing local,

regional and the European common market is of much higher priority;

Or. en

Amendment 81
Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas *we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and* a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level *in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;*

Amendment

C. whereas a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level;

Or. en

Amendment 82
Ulrike Müller

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

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should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping **and to ensure a high level of consumer protection;**

Or. en

Amendment 83
Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation **and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation;** whereas **such** an agreement should not **only focus on** reducing tariffs **and** NTBs **but** should **also** be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Amendment

C. whereas we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation; whereas an agreement should not **be concerned with** reducing tariffs **but only with limiting** NTBs; **whereas an agreement should** be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Or. it

Amendment 84
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas *we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;*

Amendment

C. whereas *a strong and ambitious trade agreement is not only an opportunity to focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but also on strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level;*

Or. en

Amendment 85
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing *liberalisation*; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to *protect* workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Amendment

C. whereas we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing the *opening up of markets and increases in trade*; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to *support the general public interest by protecting* workers, consumers, *business* and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level *and developing new standards* in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Or. fr

Amendment 86

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas we are faced with an ***unregulated picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect*** workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a ***strong and ambitious*** trade agreement ***is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening*** regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Amendment

C. whereas we are faced with an ***under-regulated globalisation, a trade agreement focussing on even more deregulation by targeting mainly existing and future non-tariff barriers would be detrimental to workers' and consumers' right, while large corporations and investment funds would further harness this sort of liberalisation; whereas a cooperation agreement is needed that focusses on the protection or*** workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a trade agreement ***could only be complementary to such a major effort to strengthen*** regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Or. en

Amendment 87

Marine Le Pen

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and a ***well-designed*** trade agreement ***could contribute to harnessing liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs***

Amendment

C. whereas we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and a trade agreement ***of this significance could contribute to developments in liberalisation which would threaten*** workers, consumers, the environment;

but should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

strategic national economic activities and national public services;

Or. fr

Amendment 88

Daniel Caspary, Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas we are faced with an **unregulated** picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect **workers**, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Amendment

C. whereas we are faced with an **insufficiently regulated** picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect **employees, employers**, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Or. de

Amendment 89

Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Iuliu Winkler, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas we are faced with an **unregulated** picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Amendment

C. whereas we are faced with **a constantly evolving** picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing **the far-reaching effects of** liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Or. de

Amendment 90
Yannick Jadot, Ska Keller

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing **liberalisation**; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping;

Amendment

C. whereas we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing **regulation**; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in order to prevent social and environmental dumping; **whereas the first 20 months of negotiations show however an orientation towards industry concerns of cost reduction**;

Amendment 91

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas *we are faced with an unregulated picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to harnessing liberalisation*; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also *be a tool to protect* workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework *by strengthening regulation to* the highest standards at a global level *in order to prevent social and environmental dumping*;

Amendment

C. whereas a well-designed trade agreement *should* contribute to *further trade* liberalisation, *while upholding standards and values*; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also *secure the protection of* workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework *which sets* the highest standards at a global level *in line with the values upheld and cherished on both sides of the Atlantic*;

Amendment 92

Emma McClarkin, Joachim Starbatty, Sajjad Karim, Jan Zahradil, David Campbell Bannerman, Bolesław G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas *we are* faced with *an unregulated* picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to *harnessing* liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also be a tool to protect workers,

Amendment

C. whereas *the EU is* faced with *a rapidly evolving* picture of globalisation and a well-designed trade agreement could contribute to *ensuring positive spill over effects of* liberalisation; whereas such an agreement should not only focus on reducing tariffs and NTBs but should also

consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in ***order to prevent social and environmental dumping***;

be a tool to protect workers, consumers and the environment; whereas a strong and ambitious trade agreement is an opportunity to create a framework by strengthening regulation to the highest standards at a global level in ***light of the shared objective of ensuring free and open competition on a level playing field***;

Or. en

Amendment 93
Bernd Lange

Motion for a resolution
Recital C a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ca. whereas a potential increase of trade flows reinforces the need for emissions mitigation and the internationalisation of external costs within the transport sector-aviation, shipping and road transport;

Or. en

Amendment 94
Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Recital C a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ca. whereas an institutionalised regulatory cooperation as currently proposed by the Commission prejudices legislative prerogatives of the European Parliament as well as of national parliaments and therefore have a chilling effect on the

application of the values of the Union as laid out in Article 2 TEU;

Or. en

Amendment 95

Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Pedro Silva Pereira

Motion for a resolution

Recital C a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ca. whereas in the agricultural sector a reduction of tariff barriers has necessarily to be accompanied by the elimination or significant reduction of excessively burdensome SPS and TBT measures applied by the US in order for EU agricultural producers to benefit from actual access to the US market;

Or. en

Amendment 96

Ramon Tremosa i Balcells

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. whereas even though common high standards are in the interest of the consumers, it should be noted that they also make sense from an economic perspective, as the higher costs stemming from higher standards are compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;

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Or. en

Amendment 97
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas *even though* common high standards are in the interest of the consumers, *it should be noted that they also make sense from an economic perspective, as the higher costs stemming from higher standards are compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;*

Amendment

D. whereas common high standards are in the interest of *both* the consumers *and businesses as common* standards *will help* increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers, *lowering costs and bring benefits to all sides;*

Or. en

Amendment 98
Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas *even though common high standards are* in the interest of the consumers, *it should be noted that they also make sense from an economic perspective, as the* higher costs stemming from higher standards are compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;

Amendment

D. whereas *existing high standards in EU and Member State regulations, as well as existing regulations in areas where the U.S. or Federal States are advanced, are* in the interest of the consumers *and* should be *raised to a common goal of respective parallel legislative procedures, as* higher costs stemming from higher standards are compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers; *whereas deregulation proved to lead to extremely high budgetary costs caused by an increase in health problems, insecurity, environmental damage or financial instability;*

Or. en

Amendment 99

Daniel Caspary, Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas *even though* common high standards are in the interest of the consumers, *it should be noted that they also make sense from an economic perspective*, as the higher costs stemming from higher standards are compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;

Amendment

D. whereas common high standards are in the interest of the consumers, as the higher costs stemming from higher standards are *more easily* compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;

Or. de

Amendment 100

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Ulrike Müller, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas *even though* common high standards are in the interest of the consumers, it should be noted that they also make sense from an economic perspective, as the higher costs stemming from higher standards are compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;

Amendment

D. whereas common high standards are in the interest of the consumers, it should be noted that they also make sense from an economic perspective, as the higher costs stemming from higher standards are compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;

Or. en

Amendment 101

Emma McClarkin, Joachim Starbatty, Sajjad Karim, Jan Zahradil, David Campbell Bannerman, Sander Loones, Bolesław G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas even though common high standards are in the interest of the consumers, it should be noted that **they also make** sense from an economic perspective, as the higher costs stemming from higher standards **are** compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;

Amendment

D. whereas even though common high standards are in the interest of the consumers, it should be noted that **convergence also makes** sense from an economic perspective, as the higher costs stemming from higher standards **may be** compensated by increased economies of scale in a market of 850 million consumers;

Or. en

Amendment 102
Louis Michel, Frédérique Ries, Gérard Deprez

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas a diverse energy supply is essential for the European Union and TTIP could be an engine for the development of a strategic transatlantic energy partnership.

Or. fr

Amendment 103
Salvatore Cicu

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas agriculture is of fundamental importance and is a sensitive

sector in the TTIP negotiations, the European Commission must continue negotiations in this regard with the aim of guaranteeing better access to the American market in different sectors, resolving the issue of non-tariff barriers while also protecting the interests of sensitive sectors in the EU.

Or. it

Amendment 104
Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas deep differences exist between the EU and US labour markets; whereas it is necessary to acknowledge that TTIP will displace 1.3 million workers across Europe and to put in place all necessary measures to face prolonged and substantial adjustment costs on the labour market;

Or. en

Amendment 105
Ramon Tremosa i Balcells

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory

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barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU ***and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;***

barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU ***however given the high levels of unemployment's; lack of internal demands and the high level of indebtedness of several Member States, economic growth cannot come through more public debt but only through the opening of new markets, thus trade must be the privilege tool for growth;***

Or. en

Amendment 106
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas ***many*** economic impact studies on TTIP ***should be taken with caution as they*** are built on computable general equilibrium economic models ***with very optimistic predictions about the capacity*** of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP ***alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;***

Amendment

E. whereas economic impact studies on TTIP ***that*** are built on ***the most suitable*** computable general equilibrium economic models ***should be taken into account the with regard to the ambition*** of the EU and the US to reduce ***tariffs, non-tariff and*** regulatory barriers to trade;

whereas the TTIP ***will give the necessary boost to economic growth and set rules and standards for our other economic partners globally***

Or. en

Amendment 107
Reimer Böge

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas **many** economic impact studies on TTIP **should be taken with caution as they** are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU **and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect**;

Amendment

E. whereas **all scientific** studies on **the economic impact of the TTIP invariably conclude that the TTIP will have positive effects on the development of the European economy**; whereas some studies are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU;

Or. de

Amendment 108
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas **many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade**; whereas **the TTIP** alone will not **resolve** economic problems in the EU **and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect**;

Amendment

E. whereas **TTIP could help complement the Union's own initiatives in other policy areas and the Union's work towards completing the single market**; whereas **TTIP** alone will not **resolve all current** economic problems in the EU **but could serve, alongside internal reforms, as a positive boost towards returning Europe to growth**;

Or. en

Amendment 109
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes *and expectations* should be raised *in that respect*;

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should, *unfortunately*, be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes *or arguments* should be raised *by interpreting the studies in that way*;

Or. fr

Amendment 110
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on *computable general equilibrium* economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on *different* economic models *which do not use the same criteria* and with *either* very optimistic *or very pessimistic* predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; *whereas it is therefore regrettable that the European Commission has not decided to undertake studies of higher quality in order to improve understanding of the current trade position from a macro- and micro-economic perspective and so improve the accuracy of its public presentation of the current trade position, and that it has instead relied on assessments of the impact of the TTIP, without a great deal of transparency in relation to the authors, financing or objectives of such assessments, thus possibly misleading*

citizens and policymakers; whereas it should be noted that the TTIP is a means to resolve economic problems in the EU and not an end in itself;

Or. fr

Amendment 111
Marine Le Pen

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP *alone* will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect *by proposing such an agreement;*

Or. fr

Amendment 112

David Martin, Maria Arena, Jude Kirton-Darling, Jörg Leichtfried, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García, Eric Andrieu, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boștinaru, Nicola Danti, Agnes Jongerius, Costas Mavrides, Pedro Silva Pereira, Marita Ulvskog, Martina Werner

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas *many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general*

Amendment

E. whereas *the real impact of TTIP on both EU and US economies is difficult to assess and hard to predict while*

equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;

negotiations are still ongoing; whereas there are contradictory economic impact studies on TTIP and they should be taken with caution as regards the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers, unnecessary or unjustified, to trade and to support economic growth and job creation; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect; whereas hopes and expectations on TTIP should be commensurate to the level of ambition that will be reached sector by sector in the negotiation;

Or. en

Amendment 113

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the **United Nations Global Policy Model provides an adequate and more inclusive impact assessment tool which should be used in future assessment studies commissioned by the EU**; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU, **but might even worsen them for several Member States and for various segments of society**, and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that

respect;

Or. en

Amendment 114

Jarosław Wałęsa, Andrzej Grzyb, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Dariusz Rosati, Adam Szejnfeld, Danuta Jazłowiecka, Elżbieta Katarzyna Łukacijewska, Bolesław G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are ***built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;***

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are ***based on many general assumptions and optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;***

Or. en

Amendment 115

Daniel Caspary, Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas ***many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations***

Amendment

E. whereas ***the vast majority of the large number of economic impact studies on TTIP forecast positive effects; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU but it can make a contribution to more growth and employment;***

should be raised in that respect;

Or. de

Amendment 116

Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Iuliu Winkler, Daniel Caspary, Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

whereas *many* economic impact studies on TTIP *should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;*

Amendment

whereas *the various* economic impact studies on TTIP *carried out up to now are naturally only able to provide forecasts at this point, it can be seen at the same time, however, that all studies project a generally positive impact;*

Or. de

Amendment 117

Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas *the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;*

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas *TTIP is the most cost-effective economic stimulus package at hand;*

Amendment 118

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Petras Auštrevičius, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution**Recital E***Motion for a resolution*

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP *should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade*; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU *and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect*;

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP *predict growth on both sides of the Atlantic*; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU, *but should be seen as an element in a broader European strategy to create jobs and growth, and to strengthen our position in the global economy*;

Amendment 119

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García

Motion for a resolution**Recital E***Motion for a resolution*

E. whereas *many* economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution *as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade*; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;

whereas *many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they*

Amendment

E. whereas *it is difficult to assess and predict the true impact of the TTIP on the EU and US economies while the negotiations are still ongoing*; whereas *there are contradictory* economic impact studies on TTIP *and these* should be taken with caution *in respect of* the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce *unnecessary or unjustified* regulatory barriers to trade *and to generate sustainable growth and high-quality jobs*; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the

are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;

EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect; *whereas hopes and expectations concerning the TTIP should be in proportion to the target level to be reached by each sector in the negotiations;*

Or. es

Amendment 120
David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas *many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on* computable general equilibrium *economic models with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;*

Amendment

E. whereas *every ex ante study, research or analysis on the impact of TTIP based on the* Computable General Equilibrium *model cannot assess clearly the impact of TTIP on SMEs and on the whole European market.*

Or. en

Amendment 121
Emma McClarkin, Joachim Starbatty, Sajjad Karim, Jan Zahradil, David Campbell Bannerman, Sander Loones, Boleslaw G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken *with caution* as they are built on computable general

Amendment

E. whereas many *ex-ante* economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken *as illustrative* as they are built on computable

equilibrium economic models *with very optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade*; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve *economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect*;

general equilibrium economic models *which are unable take sufficient account of the dynamic nature of future economic opportunities and their positive spill over effects as a result of an ambitious agreement*; whereas the TTIP alone will not resolve *long standing structural economic problems and their underlying causes in the EU*;

Or. en

Amendment 122
Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with *very* optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will *not* resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with *excessively optimistic results and equally* optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the *Commission cherry-picked some of these results to support its argument for TTIP*; *whereas* TTIP alone will *neither* resolve economic problems in the EU, *nor by itself make European households richer* and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect,;

Or. en

Amendment 123
Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with **very** optimistic predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas the TTIP alone will **not** resolve economic problems in the EU and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;

Amendment

E. whereas many economic impact studies on TTIP should be taken with caution as they are built on computable general equilibrium economic models with **excessively optimistic results and equally optimistic** predictions about the capacity of the EU and the US to reduce regulatory barriers to trade; whereas **other studies based on different economic models comes to opposite conclusions; whereas** the TTIP alone will **neither** resolve economic problems in the EU **nor by itself make European households richer** and no false hopes and expectations should be raised in that respect;

Or. en

Amendment 124

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ea. whereas even when using the most optimistic CGE model, studies ordered by the Commission project that TTIP would bring only 0.30 per cent of additional growth after ten years of implementation of the agreement; whereas the publishing of the Commission's sustainability impact assessment has been repeatedly postponed; whereas the chief economist of DG Trade confirmed on March 5th, 2015, in the European Parliament Commission estimates that at least one million jobs in the EU would have to be relocated as a consequence of TTIP related changes;

Amendment 125
Maria Noichl

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ea. whereas concluding the free trade agreement is expected to have few or no positive effects for the agricultural sector and, overall, agricultural value added is expected to fall by 0.5% in Europe;

Kommentar: (Die Studie des Europäischen Parlaments "Risks and Opportunities for the EU agri-food sector in a possible EU-US trade agreement" sagt einen solchen Rückgang voraus.)

Or. de

Amendment 126
Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Petras Auštrevičius, Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ea. whereas previous trade agreements have shown significant benefits for the European economy;

Or. en

Amendment 127
Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ea. whereas each year in the United States of America, foodborne diseases caused an estimated 9 million people get sick, 55,000 hospitalization, and 1,000 die by known pathogens, such as Salmonella, Escherichia coli O157 (E. coli O157), Listeria monocytogenes (Lm), and Campylobacter², Escherichia coli O157 (E. coli O157), Listeria monocytogenes (Lm), and Campylobacter³ while in Europe registered only 55.453 alimentary caused illnesses, 5118 hospitalizations and 41 casualties.

Or. en

Amendment 128
Maria Noichl

Motion for a resolution
Recital E b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Eb. whereas the lack of a positive list means that the subject-matter of the agreement cannot be restricted, including in the future, and decisions on consumer, environmental and animal standards could be undemocratically taken in the future by so-called sectoral coordination committees or regulatory cooperation.

Or. de

Amendment 129
Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Recital E b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Eb. whereas, in the main study forming the basis of the Commission's evaluation of TTIP, namely the study conducted by CEPR:

a) the benefits proposed as being unquestionable and decisive were actually coincidental and insignificant: for example, a 0.48% increase in European GDP over 13 years;

b) the potential disadvantages were not quantified, since the analysis methods used were based on anachronistic, blind faith in the self-equilibrating power of the market;

c) the positive effect of TTIP on real employment, a crucial evaluation factor in times of economic crisis, was not examined in sufficient depth;

Or. it

Amendment 130
Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Recital E b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Eb. Whereas the US trade representatives repeatedly denounces EU standards in the areas of environmental, food safety and consumer's information, and the existence of the precautionary principle as well as the lack of normalization of the trading situation of biotech commodities between EU and US;

Or. en

Amendment 131
Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Recital E c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ec. whereas other studies which were not considered by the Commission used different methodologies (such as the Global Policy Model of the UN) to obtain markedly less optimistic results for the EU, including net employment income losses, job losses and a fall in the proportion of employment income with regard to total income;

Or. it

Amendment 132
Maria Noichl

Motion for a resolution
Recital E c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ec. whereas the right of corporations to bring actions against States hinders the democratically elected representatives of the people in the implementation of democratic decisions;

Or. de

Amendment 133
Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Recital E d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ed. whereas the study commissioned by the ITRE committee^{23c} reveals, amongst other things, that:

a) the effect of TTIP on various sectors of the European manufacturing industry, such as steel working and electrical machinery, will likely be a decrease in exports, with negative impacts on employment;

b) the Commission's view on employment is extremely simplified, as it irrationally assumes total flexibility in the movement of labour;

^{23c}

[http://www.europarl.europa.eu/RegData/etudes/STUD/2015/536316/IPOL_STU\(2015\)536316_EN.pdf](http://www.europarl.europa.eu/RegData/etudes/STUD/2015/536316/IPOL_STU(2015)536316_EN.pdf)

Or. it

Amendment 134

Maria Noichl

Motion for a resolution

Recital E d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ed. stresses that the removal of tariff and non-tariff barriers to trade in a future free trade agreement will put agricultural production in developing countries under pressure as a result of loss of market share;

Or. de

Amendment 135
Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP *should be* a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP *is not* a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Or. it

Amendment 136
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has *to be* the benchmark for *a* trade *agreement*; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has *always been* the benchmark for *the European Commission when negotiating* trade *agreements*; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Or. en

Amendment 137
Salvatore Cicu

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of **businesses**, ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements

Or. it

Amendment 138

Frédérique Ries, Gérard Deprez

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas ***the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;***

Amendment

F. whereas ***TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to multiple requirements and in particular facilitating the activities of producers of goods and services and of exporters and importers while meeting social and environmental objectives for the wellbeing of the populations concerned;***

Or. fr

Amendment 139

Marine Le Pen

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers ***has to be the benchmark*** for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers ***and the economic interests of Member States*** have to be the benchmarks for a trade agreement; ***whereas it is not obvious that respect has been observed in these***

negotiations;

Or. fr

Amendment 140

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for ***a trade agreement***; whereas TTIP ***should*** be a model for a good trade agreement ***responding*** to these requirements;

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for ***EU trade policy***; ***whereas 1.6 million citizens have signed a petition asking for a European Citizen Initiative on negotiating TTIP***; ***whereas the Commission continues to ignore this extraordinary demand for public participation and consultation***; whereas TTIP ***cannot*** be a model for a good trade agreement ***as long as negotiations are not suspended in order to conduct a broad consultation to establish a clear understanding of citizens' concerns and requirements as a precondition to be responsive*** to these requirements;

Or. en

Amendment 141

Daniel Caspary, Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be ***the benchmark for a trade agreement***;

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers ***is a*** benchmark for ***our*** trade agreement;

whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Or. de

Amendment 142
Franck Proust, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Amendment

F whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements *in order to provide a basis for future negotiations with our partner countries*;

Or. fr

Amendment 143
Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Iuliu Winkler, Daniel Caspary, Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the *wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement*; *whereas* TTIP should be a model for *a good* trade agreement *responding to these requirements*;

Amendment

F. whereas the TTIP should be a *good* model for *future* trade agreements;

Or. de

Amendment 144

Marietje Schaake, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Alexander Graf Lambsdorff, Olli Rehn, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers, ***as well as increased opportunities for businesses as the drivers of growth and jobs***, has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Or. en

Amendment 145

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Clara Eugenia Aguilera García

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ***ordinary*** citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark ***for a*** trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Amendment

F. whereas ***trade and investment are not objectives in themselves, but rather their usefulness lies in improving the level and quality of life of citizens and, therefore,*** the wellbeing of citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark ***in any*** trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Or. es

Amendment 146

Pablo Zalba Bidegain

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers **and improving the business climate** has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

Or. es

Amendment 147

Emma McClarkin, Joachim Starbatty, Sajjad Karim, Jan Zahradil, David Campbell Bannerman, Sander Loones, Boleslaw G. Piecha

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the **wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers has to be the benchmark for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements;**

Amendment

F. whereas the **primary objective of a high quality trade agreement is to enhance trade and investment by establishing improved conditions for the free flow of goods, services and capital across borders leading to the creation of jobs and growth;**

Or. en

Amendment 148

David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers **has to** be the **benchmark** for a trade agreement; whereas TTIP should be a model for a

Amendment

F. whereas the wellbeing of ordinary citizens, workers and consumers **and the development of our societies must** be the **main aim** for a trade agreement; whereas

good trade agreement responding to these requirements;

TTIP should be a model for a good trade agreement responding to these requirements; *whereas the effects of this Treaty should not be limited to the macro-economic level but should have a positive and concrete impact on the living conditions of the citizens of our countries;*

Or. en

Amendment 149
Tonino Picula

Motion for a resolution
Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. since short-stay visas traditionally are not the subject of EU trade agreements, but the lack of reciprocity may affect the movement of natural persons from the EU travelling to the territory of a country with which the EU has signed a trade agreement to provide services (the so-called 4th category of service provision);

Or. hr

Amendment 150
Yannick Jadot, Ska Keller

Motion for a resolution
Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. whereas the US federal law on animal welfare is well below the level of EU regulation, including the lack of legislation on welfare standards for farmed animals before the point of slaughter; whereas unfortunately, animal welfare is not considered by the Commission to be a trade concern in the

*same way as food safety or animal health
for the purposes of import requirements;*

Or. en

Amendment 151

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. whereas substantial differences exist also in the approach to food safety along the food chain. In the EU, food safety is guaranteed through the integrated "farm-to-fork" approach while the US system, on the other hand, mostly verifies the safety of the end product and therefore is more prone to resorting to pathogen reduction treatments.

Or. en

Amendment 152

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. whereas the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) should not be taken as a benchmark for TTIP because, among others, it is based on a negative list approach, it includes non-satisfactory provisions on ISDS and it failed to protect many European geographical indications;

Amendment 153

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital F b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fb. whereas European consumers are informed of the presence of GMOs in foodstuff thanks to mandatory labelling while in the US, the FDA recognises GMOs as "substantially equivalent" to their non-GMO counterparts.

Amendment 154

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Recital F c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fc. whereas unlike more than 150 countries worldwide, the US have not ratified major international conventions on chemical substances (e.g. the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants, the Rotterdam Convention on the trade of certain hazardous chemicals), which shows that the US is isolated in international chemicals policy; whereas moreover, the US refuses implementing the environmental part of the UN globally harmonised system for the classification

and labelling of chemicals, which illustrates that when it comes to chemicals, there is disagreement between the US and the EU at the most basic level;

Or. en