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AMENDMENTS

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Draft opinion

Bart Staes

(PE595.582v01-00)

on the draft Council decision on the conclusion of the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) between Canada, of the one part, and the European Union and its Member States, of the other part

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Amendment Ivo Belet, Michel Dantin, Angélique Delahaye, Francesc Gambús, Elisabetta Gardini, Esther Herranz García, Andrey Kovatchev, Giovanni La Via, Peter Liese

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Justification

CETA will strengthen EU-Canada relations. It is an important instrument in the EU's efforts to shape the standards of global trade in the 21st century. It is the most modern and progressive free trade agreement that the EU has ever negotiated, upholding Europe's standards related to food safety, product safety, consumer protection, health, and the environment. It also includes measures to ensure the participation of businesses, unions, civil society and citizens in the implementation of these provisions and of the agreement overall.

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