Amendment 25

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Motion for a resolution
Annex – Part I – recital 17 – footnote

* The Commission should identify high-risk sectors of economic activity with a significant impact on human rights, the environment and good governance in order to include the small and medium-sized undertakings operating in those sectors within the scope of this Directive. High-risk small and medium-sized undertakings should be defined by the Commission in this Directive. The definition should take into account the sector of the undertaking or its type of activities.

* The Commission shall identify high-risk sectors of economic activity with a significant impact on human rights, the environment and good governance in order to include the small and medium-sized undertakings operating in those sectors within the scope of this Directive. Large undertakings and high-risk small and medium-sized undertakings shall be defined by the Commission in this Directive. The definition shall take into account several criteria, which include, but are not limited to, business indicators, business demographics information, the undertaking’s member state, its position in the value chain and the sector of the undertaking or its type of activities.

Or. en
Amendment 26
Henna Virkkunen, Jens Gieseke, Markus Pieper, Markus Ferber, Isabel Benjumea Benjumea, Alexander Bernhuber, Stefan Berger, Paolo Borchia, Salvatore De Meo, Herbert Dorfmann, Lena Dupont, Maria Grapini, Eni Kö Győri, Peter Jahr, Radan Kanev, Seán Kelly, Stelios Kypouropoulos, Arba Kokalari, Georgios Kyrtosos, Elżbieta Katarzyna Łukacijewska, Lukas Mandl, Marian-Jean Marinescu, Liudas Mažylis, Marlene Mortler, Angelika Niebler, Mauri Pekkarinen, Jessica Polfjärd, Robert Roos, Christian Sagartz, Massimiliano Salini, Petri Sarvamaa, Simone Schmiedtbauer, Christine Schneider, Sven Schulze, Ralf Seekatz, Sven Simon, Jessica Stegrud, Riho Terras, Barbara Thaler, Tomas Tobé, Sabine Verheyen, Marion Walsmann, Jörgen Warborn, Angelika Winzig

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Motion for a resolution
Annex – Part I – recital 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution
12a. The Commission shall thoroughly examine to what extent the scope of this directive may favour global supply chain relocations, their dismantling, or the endangerment of natural comparative advantages of development partners. The Commission shall also scrutinize the enforceability of such a directive in third countries.

Amendment
Or. en
Amendment 27
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Benjumea, Alexander Bernhuber, Stefan Berger, Paolo Borchia, Salvatore De Meo,
Herbert Dorfmann, Lena Düpont, Maria Grapini, Enikő Győri, Peter Jahr, Radan
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Motion for a resolution
Annex – Part I – Article 15 – paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution
1. Member States shall ensure that a specific portal for small and medium-sized undertakings is available where they may seek guidance and obtain further support and information about how best to fulfil their due diligence obligations.

Amendment
1. Member States shall ensure that a specific portal for small and medium-sized undertakings, falling under the scope of this directive, is available where they may seek guidance and obtain further support and information about how best to fulfil their due diligence obligations.
Amendment 28

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Motion for a resolution
Annex – Part I – Article 15 – paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Small and medium-sized undertakings shall be eligible for financial support to perform their due diligence obligations under the Union’s programmes to support small and medium sized undertakings.

Amendment

2. **High-risk and listed** small and medium-sized undertakings shall be eligible for financial support to perform their due diligence obligations under the Union’s programmes to support small and medium sized undertakings.

Or. en