Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 553

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Amendment

553. Believes that similar measures would be beneficial in the event of potential future pandemics, epidemics and endemics and supports the inclusion of a TRIPS waiver in the Pandemic Treaty; underlines that, in the long term, global production of vaccines must urgently be expanded to meet global demand, and that investment in the production capabilities of low- and middle-income countries is therefore needed to make them more self-sufficient; points out the need for effective transfer of technology and know-how to make this happen; recognises that incentivising voluntary licensing agreements and voluntary technology and know-how transfer to countries with pre-existing vaccine-producing industries could be a way to achieve this;