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Draft report
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Towards a new trade framework between the EU and Turkey and the modernisation of the Customs Union
(2016/2031(INI))
Amendment 1
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Citation 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment

having regard to the 21 September 2005 EU declaration pertaining to the full, non-discriminatory implementation of the Additional Protocol by Turkey to all EU Member States,

Or. en

Amendment 2
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Citation 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment

having regard to the EU Common Position at the 53rd Association Council of 18 May 2015,

Or. en

Amendment 3
Stelios Kouloglou on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Citation 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment

having regard to the European Parliament report on implementation of
the 2010 recommendations of Parliament on social and environmental standards, human rights and corporate responsibility (2015/2038(INI))

Amendment 4
Nicola Danti, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martín, Sergio Gutiérrez Prieto, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Recital A (new)

Aa. whereas Turkey is a candidate country since 2005, but in the framework of the accession process the opening of eight negotiating chapters has been blocked due to the non-application of the Additional Protocol of the Ankara Association Agreement to one Member State, Cyprus;

Amendment 5
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it clearly fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties;

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Amendment 6
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution
B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it clearly fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties;

Amendment
B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it clearly fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties; whereas there are various interdependencies and high potentials for a further enhanced partnership in terms of economy, trade, energy, politics and security, between the parties;

Or. en

Amendment 7
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution
B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it clearly fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties;

Amendment
B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it clearly fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties and has not been implemented effectively;

Or. en

Amendment 8
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary, Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution
Recital B
Amendment 9
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution
B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it clearly fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties;

Amendment
B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it does not meet the requirements needed for modern trade relations between the parties;

Or. en

Amendment 10
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution
B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it clearly fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties;

Amendment
B. whereas the Customs Union is outdated and no longer meets the requirements for trade relations in the 21st century;

Or. en

Amendment 11
Joachim Starbatty
Motion for a resolution
Recital B

B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it clearly fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties;

Amendment

B. whereas the Customs Union has shown that it fails to meet the requirements of trade relations between the parties;

Or. en

Amendment 12
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time;

Amendment

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time; as well as keeping a discriminatory position against any given EU Member - state, including the Republic of Cyprus;

Or. en

Amendment 13
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Sergio Gutiérrez Prieto, David Martin, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time;

Amendment

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time in
breach of the provisions of the Customs Union and to the detriment of European companies;

Or. en

Amendment 14
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time;

Amendment

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time; whereas the Customs union offered to Turkey powerful tools to reform its economy;

Or. en

Amendment 15
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time;

Amendment

C. whereas both sides have been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time;

Or. en

Amendment 16
Christofer Fjellner, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Artis Pabriks

Motion for a resolution
Recital C
Motion for a resolution

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an ever increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time;

Amendment

C. whereas Turkey has been implementing an increasing number of tariff and non-tariff barriers over time;

Or. en

Amendment 17
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital C a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ca. whereas according to the assessment carried out by the European Commission in its 2016 Turkey Report SWD(2016) 366, Turkey still needs to undertake substantial efforts in order to align further with the "acquis communautaire" before the modernisation of the Customs Union can become a reality;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 18
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important;

Amendment

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Amendment 19
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important;

Amendment

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important;

Amendment

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important, and whereas the sensitive nature of certain products should be honoured and audiovisual and public services should be excluded;

Amendment

Amendment 20
Tokia Saïfi, Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important;

Amendment

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important, and whereas the sensitive nature of certain products should be honoured and audiovisual and public services should be excluded;

Amendment

Amendment 21
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Recital D
Motion for a resolution

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important;

Amendment

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important and their exclusion currently hinder the circulation of goods covered by the Custom Union;

Or. en

Amendment 22
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important;

Amendment

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important for both parties to the agreement;

Or. en

Amendment 23
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, David Martin

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, are important;

Amendment

D. whereas sectors that are currently excluded from the customs union, such as agriculture, services and public procurement, could offer new opportunities for both parties;

Or. en
Amendment 24
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas the European Commission's 2016 Turkey Report clearly states in its Chapter 3 "Right to establishment and Freedom to provide services" that, in terms of Turkey's ability to assume the obligations of membership, preparations are at an early stage on the right of establishment and freedom to provide services and that particular efforts must be made with regards the alignment with the Services Directive on the provision of cross-border services and set up a Point of Single Contact;

Or. en

Amendment 25
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas Turkey's refusal to meet its legal obligations towards EU for free trade with all EU Member States, results in inadequate implementation of the existing CU and in serious trade and economic losses for EU;

Or. en
Amendment 26
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. Whereas exchange rates are a main driver behind trade, and in the last 3 years, the Turkish Lira lost 25% of its value compared to the Euro;

Or. en

Amendment 27
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E. having regard to the will of the parties to expand and improve trade relations and the decision to launch negotiations to modernise the Customs Union and extend its scope;

Or. en

Amendment 28
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E. having regard to the will of the parties to expand and improve trade relations and the decision to launch negotiations to modernise the Customs
Union and extend its scope; whereas this cannot proceed when Turkey has not fully and effectively implemented the existing Customs Union towards all Member states of the EU including the Republic of Cyprus;

Amendment 29
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution  Amendment

E. having regard to the will of the parties to expand and improve trade relations and the decision to launch negotiations to modernise the Customs Union and extend its scope;

E. having regard that the current framework of interaction between the two countries is over twenty years old; having regard to the will of the parties to expand and improve trade relations and the decision to launch negotiations to modernise the Customs Union and extend its scope;

Amendment 30
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution  Amendment

E. having regard to the will of the parties to expand and improve trade relations and the decision to launch negotiations to modernise the Customs Union and extend its scope;

E. having regard to the will of the parties to expand and improve trade relations and to modernise the Customs Union and extend its scope;
Amendment 31
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

E. **having regard to the will of the parties** to expand and **improve** trade relations and **the decision** to launch negotiations to modernise the Customs Union and extend its scope;

Or. en

Amendment 32
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

Ea. Whereas the European Parliament resolution of 24 November 2016 on EU-Turkey relations (2016/2993(RSP)), requests for the freezing of the accession talks with Turkey due to the serious and persistent breach of the principles of liberty, democracy, respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and the rule of law by the Turkish government in recent years, and especially since the failed coup attempt in July 2016;

Or. en

Amendment 33
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin
Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment
Ea. whereas the Customs Union must be modernised and trade relations strengthened within the framework of the values and principles of the Treaties of the European Union, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and in line with the ambitions of the Trade for All strategy;

Or. it

Amendment 34
Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Maria Arena, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment
Ea. whereas in its resolution adopted on 24 November 2016, the European Parliament called for a temporary freeze on the accession negotiations as long as the situation of human rights and civil liberties does not improve in Turkey;

Or. en

Amendment 35
Tokia Saïfi, Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment
Ea. whereas the modernisation of the Customs Union is a purely commercial issue and is in no way connected to the
accession negotiations which the European Parliament called to be frozen in November 2016;

Or. fr

Amendment 36
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

*Motion for a resolution*  
Amendment

*Ea.* whereas the will to start the negotiations to modernise the Customs Union has no connection whatsoever to the process of Turkey joining the EU;

Or. fr

Amendment 37
Stelios Kouloglou  
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Recital E b (new)

*Motion for a resolution*  
Amendment

*Eb.* whereas external policies and trade relations should contribute to: sustainable development, eradication of poverty, support of democracy, the rule of law and protection of human rights.

Or. en

Amendment 38
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin
Motion for a resolution
Recital E b (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment

 Eb. whereas careful democratic and parliamentary monitoring of negotiations can boost their impact and increase the likelihood of the negotiations having a positive effect on Turkish and European civil society;

Or. it

Amendment 39
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis

Motion for a resolution
Recital E c (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment

Ec. whereas 9000 HDP members have been detained in the past one and a half years, including 12 Members of the Parliament and the co-chair of HDP Selahattin Demirtaş;

Or. en

Amendment 40
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E c (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment

Ec. whereas Turkey is not currently complying with the provisions governing the Customs Union with regard to the Republic of Cyprus;
Amendment 41
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E d (new)

Motion for a resolution
Amendment
Ed. whereas the lack of a functional mechanism for resolving disputes is objectively limiting the development of the potential of the Customs Union and its practical operation;

Amendment
Ed.

Or. it

Amendment 42
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E e (new)

Motion for a resolution
Amendment
Ee. whereas closer cooperation between the EU and Turkey when it comes to sharing information during the decision-making stages of drawing up European trade legislation could be a means to accelerate Turkey’s adaptation to the European acquis;

Amendment
Ee.

Or. it

Amendment 43
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E f (new)
Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ef. whereas differences remain in the way that the Union and Turkey draw up free trade agreements with third countries;

Or. it

Amendment 44
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E g (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Eg. whereas legal certainty and the independence of the judiciary are needed to boost trade exchanges and promote foreign investments, and whereas the current situation in Turkey risks undermining the credibility of important sectors of the Turkish administrative and legal system;

Or. it

Amendment 45
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E h (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Eh. whereas aligning Turkish legislation with European legislation requires a series of structural reforms in areas such as public procurement, state aid, agricultural subsidies, competitiveness, transparency, and anti-corruption strategies;
Amendment 46
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E i (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ei. whereas the transport of goods by road is currently regulated by bilateral agreements between Turkey and Member States, and whereas two multilateral regulatory systems are in place: the Multilateral Quota System (MQS), which is managed by the International Transport Forum, and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation (BSEC) permit system;

Or. it

Amendment 47
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E j (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ej. whereas the internal road transport market in the European Union is already affected by a number of issues, particularly social and security problems, and whereas those issues cause significant damage to companies and workers operating in the sector when it comes to social dumping and illegal cabotage;

Or. it
Amendment 48
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E k (new)

Amendment

Ek. having regard to the latest position of the European Parliament on the process of Turkey’s adhesion to the EU;

Or. it

Amendment 49
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Recital E l (new)

Amendment

El. whereas if their positions, political objectives and value systems diverge considerably, Turkey and the European Union could come up with new forms of cooperation;

Or. it

Amendment 50
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph -1 (new)

Amendment

(-1) Recalls that in November 2016 the European Parliament passed Resolution 2016/2993 asking for the temporary freeze of the accession talks with Turkey due to the serious and persistent breach of the principles of liberty, democracy, respect
for human rights, fundamental freedoms and the rule of law by the Turkish government in recent years, and especially since the failed coup attempt; whereas logically no new initiatives should be undertaken in relation to Turkey's EU integration, including the enhancement of the Customs Union;

Amendment 51
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

1. Addresses, in connection with the trade negotiations between the EU and Turkey, the following recommendations to the Council and the Commission:

Amendment

1. Considers that the modernisation of the Customs Union between the EU and Turkey and the negotiation of a new trade framework must be postponed to a later stage and must not be resumed until all the necessary, technical and legal conditions as assessed in the Commission annual Turkey Report are met and the political situation in Turkey has improved considerably, notably with regards to rule of law, fundamental freedoms, including press freedom, and human rights. When these conditions are met, the Council and the Commission will take into consideration the following recommendations:

Amendment 52
Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Maria Arena, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – introductory part
Motion for a resolution

1. Addresses, in connection with the trade negotiations between the EU and Turkey, the following recommendations to the Council and the Commission:

Amendment

1. Addresses, in connection with the trade negotiations between the EU and Turkey, and provided that an improvement of the situation of human rights takes place in Turkey before the Council issues a negotiating mandate, the following recommendations to the Council and the Commission:

Or. en

Amendment 53
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

1. Addresses, in connection with the trade negotiations between the EU and Turkey, the following recommendations to the Council and the Commission:

Amendment

1. Addresses the following recommendations to the Council and the Commission regarding the modernisation of the Customs Union:

Or. en

Amendment 54
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point i

Motion for a resolution

(i) while recognising Turkey’s strategic role due to its geographical proximity and to its historical, cultural, political and commercial ties with the EU, the development of a new trade framework has to be an integral, albeit specific, part of

Amendment

(i) while recognising Turkey’s strategic role due to its geographical proximity and to its historical, political and commercial ties with the EU, the development of a new trade framework has to be an integral, albeit specific, part of the
the EU’s global policy and, in particular, of
the principles and objectives of its external
action; 

EU’s global policy and, in particular, of the
principles and objectives of its external
action: the negotiation on this new
framework should be consistent with
Turkey's accession negotiations and its
European perspective;

Or. en

Amendment 55
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou,
Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point i

Motion for a resolution

(i) while recognising Turkey’s strategic role due to its geographical
proximity and to its historical, cultural, political and commercial ties with the EU,
the development of a new trade framework has to be an integral, albeit specific, part of
the EU’s global policy and, in particular, of
the principles and objectives of its external
action;

Amendment

(i) while recognising Turkey’s important role due to its geographical
proximity and to its historical, cultural, political and commercial ties with the EU,
the development of a new trade framework has to be an integral, albeit specific, part of
the EU’s global policy and, in particular, of
the principles and objectives of its external
action;

Or. en

Amendment 56
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point i

Motion for a resolution

(i) while recognising Turkey’s strategic role due to its geographical
proximity and to its historical, cultural, political and commercial ties with the EU,
the development of a new trade framework has to be an integral, albeit specific, part

Amendment

(i) while recognising Turkey’s strategic role due to its geographical
proximity and to its historical, cultural, political and commercial ties with the EU,
the development of a new trade framework has to be part of the EU’s global policy
of the EU’s global policy and, in particular, of the principles and objectives of its external action; and, in particular, of the principles and objectives of its external action;

Amendment 57
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point i – point 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

1) Stresses that no actions to accelerate the modernisation of the Customs Union should be taking place until the respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms, democracy, and the rule of law are respected and implemented;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 58
Tokia Saïfi, Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

Motion for a resolution

(ii) the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU’s founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively;

Amendment

(ii) the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU’s founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively; what is more, as an EU external policy, the EU’s trade policy must
help to protect and promote the values on which the EU is founded, such as democracy, the rule of law, and respect for human rights, fundamental rights and freedoms;

Or. fr

Amendment 59
Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Maria Arena, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

(ii) the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU’s founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively;

(ii) the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU’s founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively; besides, in case of a repeated deterioration of the situation of human rights and fundamental freedoms in Turkey during the negotiations process, the trade discussions should be temporarily frozen;

Or. en

Amendment 60
Nicola Danti, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Sergio Gutiérrez Prieto, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

(ii) the strengthening of trade relations (ii) the strengthening of trade relations
between the EU and Turkey should be set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU's founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively;

Amendment 61
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

(ii) the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU's founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively;

Amendment
(ii) the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU's founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively; systematic fundamentals rights checks must be established to ensure the compliance of Turkey with the European Convention of Human Rights;

Amendment 62
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous
(ii) the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU’s founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively;
(ii) **the strengthening** of trade relations between the EU and Turkey **should be set against the background of** the common will of the parties to share the set of values and principles laid down in the EU's founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively;

(ii) **any kind** of trade relations between the EU and Turkey **have to be based on** the common acceptance of fundamental human rights, including a proper separation of powers, an independent judiciary and the freedom of press;

Or. en

Amendment 65
Marietje Schaake

**Motion for a resolution**
Paragraph 1 – point a – point ii

**Motion for a resolution**
(ii) **the strengthening** of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be **set against the background of the common will of the parties to share the set of** values and principles laid down in the EU's founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively;

(ii) **the strengthening** of trade relations between the EU and Turkey should be **based on the** values and principles laid down in the EU's founding treaties, including the Charter of Fundamental Rights, and **the mutual will** to work together to implement them fully and comprehensively;

Or. en

Amendment 66
Joachim Starbatty

**Motion for a resolution**
Paragraph 1 – point a – point iii

**Motion for a resolution**
(iii) **with a view to the start of the negotiations, the economic, social,**

*deleted*
political and legal conditions under which they are to take place and which, in any case, will determine the effects of those negotiations on citizens’ lives, should be specifically and carefully considered;

Amendment 67
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point iii

Motion for a resolution
(iii) with a view to the start of the negotiations, the economic, social, political and legal conditions under which they are to take place and which, in any case, will determine the effects of those negotiations on citizens’ lives, should be specifically and carefully considered;

Amendment
(iii) with a view to the start of the negotiations, the economic, social, political and legal conditions under which they are to take place and which, in any case, will determine the effects of those negotiations on citizens’ lives, should be specifically and carefully considered; to this aim, the results of the public consultation and of the impact assessment should be duly taken into account; similarly, the findings of the Sustainability Impact Assessment - resulting from several consultations with civil society, social partners, NGOs and all relevant stakeholders - will have to effectively feed into the negotiations, notably regarding flanking measures identified to compensate possible negative impacts;

Amendment 68
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point iii
Motion for a resolution

(iii) with a view to the start of the negotiations, the economic, social, political and legal conditions under which they are to take place and which, in any case, will determine the effects of those negotiations on citizens' lives, should be specifically and carefully considered;

Amendment

(iii) with a view to the start of the trade and customs aspects of EU-Turkey relations, the economic, social, political and legal conditions under which they are to take place and which, in any case, will determine the effects of those negotiations on citizens' lives, should be specifically and carefully considered;

Or. fr

Amendment 69
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point iii

Motion for a resolution

(iii) with a view to the start of the negotiations, the economic, social, political and legal conditions under which they are to take place and which, in any case, will determine the effects of those negotiations on citizens' lives, should be specifically and carefully considered;

Amendment

(iii) the economic, social, political and legal conditions under which the possible negotiations are to take place and which, in any case, will determine the effects of those negotiations on citizens' lives, should be specifically and carefully considered; social partners and civil society should be involved in this process;

Or. en

Amendment 70
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point iv

Motion for a resolution

(iv) the current structure of the Ankara agreement should be considered

Amendment

deleted

or
inadequate in terms of the evolution of the EU’s trade policy, in that: (a) it does not consider specific issues such as sustainable development, protection of social rights and labour, gender equality, protection of food safety and health, SMEs or the protection of foreign investments; (b) it does not take account of the specific role of the European Parliament and of the national parliaments; (c) the provisions concerning the settlement of disputes reflect the political nature of the agreement;

Amendment 71
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Sergio Gutiérrez Prieto, Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel, David Martin, Eric Andrieu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point iv

   Motion for a resolution
   Amendment

(iv) the current structure of the Ankara agreement should be considered inadequate in terms of the evolution of the EU’s trade policy, in that: (a) it does not consider specific issues such as sustainable development, protection of social rights and labour, gender equality, protection of food safety and health, SMEs or the protection of foreign investments; (b) it does not take account of the specific role of the European Parliament and of the national parliaments; (c) the provisions concerning the settlement of disputes reflect the political nature of the agreement;
Amendment 72
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point iv

Motion for a resolution
(iv) the current structure of the Ankara agreement should be considered inadequate in terms of the evolution of the EU’s trade policy, in that: (a) it does not consider specific issues such as sustainable development, protection of social rights and labour, gender equality, protection of food safety and health, SMEs or the protection of foreign investments; (b) it does not take account of the specific role of the European Parliament and of the national parliaments; (c) the provisions concerning the settlement of disputes reflect the political nature of the agreement;

Amendment
(iv) the current structure of the Ankara agreement should be considered inadequate in terms of the evolution of the EU’s trade policy, in that: (a) it does not consider specific issues such as, protection of food safety and health, SMEs or the protection of foreign investments; (b) it does not include binding provisions on sustainable development, protection of social, environmental and labour rights and gender equality (c) it does not take account of the specific role of the European Parliament and of the national parliaments; (d) the provisions concerning the settlement of disputes reflect the political nature of the agreement;

Or. en

Amendment 73
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point iv

Motion for a resolution
(iv) the current structure of the Ankara agreement should be considered inadequate in terms of the evolution of the EU’s trade policy, in that: (a) it does not consider specific issues such as sustainable development, protection of social rights and labour, gender equality, protection of food safety and health, SMEs or the protection of foreign investments; (b) it

Amendment
(iv) the current nature of the Customs Union is not sufficient to deal with changes in the global economy and the EU’s trade policy, in that: (a) it does not cover important economic sectors such as services, public procurement and agriculture, (b) it does not contain chapters on specific issues such as sustainable development, protection of
does not take account of the specific role of the European Parliament and of the national parliaments; (c) the provisions concerning the settlement of disputes reflect the political nature of the agreement; social rights and labour, gender equality, child labour, food safety and health, SMEs, energy and raw materials or the protection of foreign investments; (c) the provisions concerning the settlement of disputes are not adequate to properly deal with situations that may arise;
Motion for a resolution

(iv) the current structure of the Ankara agreement should be considered inadequate in terms of the evolution of the EU’s trade policy, in that: (a) it does not consider specific issues such as sustainable development, protection of social rights and labour, gender equality, protection of food safety and health, SMEs or the protection of foreign investments; (b) it does not take account of the specific role of the European Parliament and of the national parliaments; (c) the provisions concerning the settlement of disputes reflect the political nature of the agreement;

Amendment

(iv) the current structure of the Customs Union is outdated in terms of the evolution of the EU’s trade policy, in that: (a) it does not consider specific issues such as sustainable development, protection of social rights and labour, gender equality, protection of food safety and health, sanitary-phytosanitary measures (SPS), SMEs or the protection of foreign investments; (b) it does not take account of the specific role of the European Parliament and of the national parliaments; (c) the provisions concerning the settlement of disputes reflect the political nature of the agreement;

Or. en

Amendment 76
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point v

Motion for a resolution

(v) the agreement on the modernisation of the Customs Union and the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey will have to be applied fully and equally to all Member States;

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 77
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point v
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point v

(v) the agreement on the modernisation of the Customs Union and the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey will have to be applied fully and equally to all Member States;

Amendment

Amendment 78
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point v

(v) the agreement on the modernisation of the Customs Union and the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey will have to be applied fully and equally to all Member States;
given that Turkey fulfils its obligations towards all EU member states including the Republic of Cyprus and respects the rule of law;

Amendment

Amendment 79
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point v

(v) the agreement on the modernisation of the Customs Union and the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey will have to be applied fully and equally to all Member States;
strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey will have to be applied fully and equally to all Member States;

strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey will have to be applied fully, equally and in a non-discriminatory manner to all Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus;

Or. en

Amendment 80
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point v

Motion for a resolution
(v) the agreement on the modernisation of the Customs Union and the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey will have to be applied fully and equally to all Member States;

Amendment
(v) the agreement on the modernisation of the Customs Union and the strengthening of trade relations between the EU and Turkey will have to be applied fully and equally to all Member States without any exceptions, not even temporary exceptions;

Or. it

Amendment 81
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point vi

Motion for a resolution
(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings;

Amendment
(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings; the Commission shall continue to monitor and report closely the ongoing human rights, social and economic situation in Turkey at every step of this process and in the event of the deterioration of the situation, suspension of the process shall be invoked;
Amendment 82
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Sergio Gutiérrez Prieto, David Martin, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point vi

Motion for a resolution

(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings;

Amendment

(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings allowing adequate monitoring from the European Parliament; calls on the Council to publish the negotiating mandate as soon as possible;

Amendment 83
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point vi

Motion for a resolution

(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings;

Amendment

(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings, whereby the EU should use the experience gained in the negotiations on the trans-Atlantic Trade and Investment Partnership as a basis;

Amendment 84
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**
**Paragraph 1 – point a – point vi**

*(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings;*

**Amendment**

*(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings, **including the publication of the Council mandate, the different negotiation proposals and consolidated texts**;*

Or. en

**Amendment 85**
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary, Christofer Fjellner, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt

**Motion for a resolution**
**Paragraph 1 – point a – point vi**

*(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings;*

*(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings **where appropriate without undermining European interests in the negotiations**;*

Or. en

**Amendment 86**
Joachim Starbatty

**Motion for a resolution**
**Paragraph 1 – point a – point vi**

*(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency and full access to the proceedings**

*(vi) the entire negotiating process should be based on the principles of transparency*
proceedings:

Amendment 87
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point a – point vi a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(vi a) the European Union must take a two-track approach in which negotiation on the modernisation of the Customs Union does not come at the expense of addressing ongoing concerns around the deterioration of the rule of law and undermining of fundamental freedoms in Turkey, neither can the Customs Union been considered a direct or indirect replacement of accession talks;

Amendment 88
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(b) regarding the modernisation of the Customs Union:

(i) a prerequisite for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey should refrain from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures, such as the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU, including goods released for free circulation, or government policies to reduce imports;
(ii) the proper functioning of the Customs Union is closely linked to the harmonisation and alignment of Turkish legislation with the acquis communautaire, in particular with regard to protection of intellectual property, competition and state aid;

(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, piracy, the trade in wild animals and food fraud are important aspects of the Customs Union;

(iv) the harmonisation of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; to that end, the Commission should strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey;

(v) it is important to introduce a dispute settlement mechanism that is able to operate within a framework of impartiality and legal certainty in keeping with the rules and practice of the WTO;

(vi) in order to enable Turkey to become more involved in the decision-making process related to the EU's trade policy, and provided there is significant progress in terms of convergence and legislative harmonisation, it would be helpful to allow Turkey access as an observer;

(vii) in relation to the negotiation of trade agreements between the EU and third countries in which Turkey does not participate, methods of involvement that respect the sovereignty and negotiating independence of the EU need to be considered;
Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(-i) modernising the Customs Union by broadening its scope and including new sectors and at the same deepening the trade relations between the EU and Turkey by including rules on specific issues would be beneficial for both sides; the EU and Turkey must work together as strategic partners to set high standards and global rules for trade, which enshrine and strengthen our values;

Or. en

Amendment 90
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary, Christofer Fjellner, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point i

Amendment

(i) a prerequisite for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey should refrain from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures, such as the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU, including goods released for free circulation, or government policies to reduce imports;

(ii) a prerequisite for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey before the start of the negotiations should commit to progressively abolish existing barriers to trade that do not comply with the Customs Union and refrain from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures in the future, such as the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU, including goods released for free circulation, or government policies to reduce imports;

Or. en

Amendment 91
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point i

(i) a prerequisite for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey should refrain from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures, such as the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU, including goods released for free circulation, or government policies to reduce imports;

Amendment

(i) a prerequisite for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey should meet all the legal and technical conditions assessed in the 2016 country report, such as refraining from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures including the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU that are not justified for reasons of public interest, and while preserving the right of the EU and Turkey to regulate;

Or. en

Amendment 92
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point i

(i) a prerequisite for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey should refrain from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures, such as the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU, including goods released for free circulation, or government policies to reduce imports;

Amendment

(i) Turkey shall refrain from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures, such as the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU, including goods released for free circulation, or government policies to reduce imports;

Or. en

Amendment 93
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, David Martín, Costas Mavrides
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point i

(i) a prerequisite for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey should refrain from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures, such as the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU, including goods released for free circulation, or government policies to reduce imports;

Amendment

(i) a prerequisite for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey should refrain from adopting any protectionist or restrictive measures, such as the unilateral imposition of customs duties and non-tariff barriers on goods produced in the EU, including goods released for free circulation coming from third countries, or government policies to reduce imports;

Or. en

Amendment 94
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

(ia) a prerequisite for launching negotiations for the modernisation of the Customs Union is that Turkey should proceed to the full, effective and non-discriminatory implementation of the existing Customs Union vis a vis all MS, including the Republic of Cyprus;

Or. en

Amendment 95
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point i a (new)
Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ia) Considers that Turkey has to align with the "acquis communautaire" before the modernisation of the Customs Union can become a reality;

Or. en

Amendment 96
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point i b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ib) Considers that the Commission should conduct a sustainability impact assessment (on economic, social, human rights and environmental impacts) before the opening of trade negotiations with Turkey;

Or. en

Amendment 97
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point ii

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ii) the proper functioning of the Customs Union is closely linked to the harmonisation and alignment of Turkish legislation with the acquis communautaire, in particular with regard to protection of intellectual property, competition and state aid,
aid; consumer protection, public procurement and standardisation;

Amendment 98
David Martin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point iii

Motion for a resolution  Amendment

(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, piracy, the trade in wild animals and food fraud are important aspects of the Customs Union;

(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, piracy, illegal wildlife trade and food fraud are important aspects of the Customs Union and need to be properly addressed in the modernisation process;

Amendment 99
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Sergio Gutiérrez Prieto, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point iii

Motion for a resolution  Amendment

(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, piracy, the trade in wild animals and food fraud are important aspects of the Customs Union;

(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, piracy, the trade in wild animals and food fraud are fundamental aspects of the Customs Union to safeguard consumers and companies;

Amendment 100
Joachim Starbatty
(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, piracy, the trade in wild animals and food fraud are important aspects of the Customs Union;

Amendment

(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, piracy, illegal wildlife trade and food fraud are important aspects of the Customs Union;

Or. en

Amendment 101
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Amendment

(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, piracy, the trade in wild animals and food fraud are important aspects of the Customs Union;

Or. en

Amendment 102
Marietje Schaake

Amendment

(iii) the fight against counterfeiting, the trade in wild animals and food fraud are important aspects of the Customs Union;

Or. en

(iii) the issue of corruption must also be addressed; high standards and clear rules within the context of a modernised Customs Union can help combat corruption in Turkey;

Or. en
Amendment 103
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point iv

Motion for a resolution
(iv) the harmonisation of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; to that end, the Commission should strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey;

Amendment
(iv) the harmonisation of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; to that end, the Commission should strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey; in this respect the European Parliament welcomes the swift ratification by both parties of the WTO Agreement on Trade Facilitation that has entered into force on the 22nd of February 2017 and will allow standardisation and simplification of trade-related procedures at the multilateral level;

Or. en

Amendment 104
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point iv

Motion for a resolution
(iv) the harmonisation of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; to that end, the Commission should strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey;

Amendment
(iv) the harmonisation of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; to that end, the Commission should strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey; takes note that Turkey has harmonized its product standards for industrial products and its technical legislation with the European ones, established quality infrastructure comparable to the EU’s, and developed...
market surveillance and import control system as in the EU;

Or. en

Amendment 105
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point iv

Motion for a resolution

(iv) the harmonisation of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; to that end, the Commission should strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey;

Amendment

(iv) the harmonisation of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; the Customs Union covers legislative, administrative and procedural arrangements concerning the processing of goods when entering the Single Market, and therefore it is important to ensure a timely and efficient working arrangement between the EU and Turkey in order to strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey;

Or. en

Amendment 106
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point iv

Motion for a resolution

(iv) the harmonisation of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; to that end, the Commission should strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey;

Amendment

(iv) the outcome of customs systems is vital for the development of trade between the EU and Turkey; to that end, the Commission should strengthen customs cooperation and the exchange of information between the Member States and Turkey;
Amendment 107
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point v

(v) it is important to introduce a dispute settlement mechanism that is able to operate within a framework of impartiality and legal certainty in keeping with the rules and practice of the WTO;

(v) it is important to introduce an effective dispute settlement mechanism that is able to ensure the full, effective and non-discriminatory implementation of the CU vis a vis all MS and to operate within a framework of impartiality and legal certainty in fully implementing the rules and practice of the WTO;

Amendment 108
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point v

(v) it is important to introduce a dispute settlement mechanism that is able to operate within a framework of impartiality and legal certainty in keeping with the rules and practice of the WTO;

(v) investors must be submitted to the same national justice systems that any other citizens, recognizing their rights and obligations. In case clear abuses are detected, a dialogue must be established and if no solution is found, the cases must be solved by a state to state dispute settlement;
Amendment 109
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point v

Motion for a resolution
(v) it is important to introduce a dispute settlement mechanism that is able to operate within a framework of impartiality and legal certainty in keeping with the rules and practice of the WTO;

Amendment
(v) it is important to introduce a strict and effective dispute settlement mechanism that is able to operate within a framework of impartiality and legal certainty in keeping with the rules and practice of the WTO;

Or. en

Amendment 110
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boștinaru, Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point v

Motion for a resolution
(v) it is important to introduce a dispute settlement mechanism that is able to operate within a framework of impartiality and legal certainty in keeping with the rules and practice of the WTO;

Amendment
(v) it is important to introduce an effective dispute settlement mechanism that is able to operate within a framework of impartiality and legal certainty in keeping with the rules and practice of the WTO;

Or. en

Amendment 111
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vi

Motion for a resolution
(vi) in order to enable Turkey to deleted
become more involved in the decision-making process related to the EU’s trade policy, and provided there is significant progress in terms of convergence and legislative harmonisation, it would be helpful to allow Turkey access as an observer;

Amendment 112
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vi

Motion for a resolution  
Amendment

(vi) in order to enable Turkey to become more involved in the decision-making process related to the EU’s trade policy, and provided there is significant progress in terms of convergence and legislative harmonisation, it would be helpful to allow Turkey access as an observer;

Or. en

Amendment 113
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylikiotis, Eleni Theoccharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vi

Motion for a resolution  
Amendment

(vi) in order to enable Turkey to become more involved in the decision-making process related to the EU’s trade policy, and provided there is significant progress in terms of convergence and legislative harmonisation, it would be helpful to allow Turkey access as an observer;

Or. fr
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vi

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Amendment 114
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Takis Hadjigeorgiou, Neoklis Sylkiotis, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vi

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Amendment

Amendment 115
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, David Martin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vi

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Amendment

Amendment

Amendment

Amendment
Amendment 116
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vi

Motion for a resolution

(vi) *in order to enable Turkey to become more involved in the decision-making process related to the EU's trade policy, and provided there is significant progress in terms of convergence and legislative harmonisation, it would be helpful to allow Turkey access as an observer;*

Amendment

(vi) *it is important to make sure that Turkey remains well informed of developments in EU trade policy; in specific cases, it could be helpful to allow Turkey access to decision-making processes as an observer;*

Or. en

Amendment 117
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vi

Motion for a resolution

(vi) *in order to enable Turkey to become more involved in the decision-making process related to the EU's trade policy, and provided there is significant progress in terms of convergence and legislative harmonisation, it would be helpful to allow Turkey access as an observer;*

Amendment

(vi) *in order to ensure that Turkey is better informed about the decision-making process related to the EU's trade policy, and provided there is significant progress in terms of convergence and legislative harmonisation, it would be helpful to allow Turkey access as an observer;*

Or. it

Amendment 118
Franck Proust
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vii

(vii) in relation to the negotiation of trade agreements between the EU and third countries in which Turkey does not participate, methods of involvement that respect the sovereignty and negotiating independence of the EU need to be considered;

Amendment 119
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vii

(vii) in relation to the negotiation of trade agreements between the EU and third countries in which Turkey does not participate, methods of involvement that respect the sovereignty and negotiating independence of the EU need to be considered;

Or. fr

Amendment 120
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vii

(vii) in relation to the negotiation of trade agreements between the EU and third countries in which Turkey does not participate, methods of involvement that respect the sovereignty and negotiating independence of the EU need to be considered;

Or. en
countries in which Turkey does not participate, methods of involvement that respect the sovereignty and negotiating independence of the EU need to be considered; countries in which Turkey does not participate, methods of involvement that respect the sovereignty and negotiating independence of the EU need to be considered as well as the means to foster the parallel conclusion of trade agreements between Turkey and such third countries;

Amendment 121
Costas Mavrides, Lefteris Christoforou, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vii

(vii) in relation to the negotiation of trade agreements between the EU and third countries in which Turkey does not participate, methods of involvement that respect the sovereignty and negotiating independence of the EU need to be considered;

(vii) in relation to the negotiation of trade agreements between the EU and third countries, EU could encourage third countries to start trade negotiations with Turkey;

Amendment 122
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point b – point vii

(vii) in relation to the negotiation of trade agreements between the EU and third countries in which Turkey does not participate, methods of involvement that respect the sovereignty and negotiating independence of the EU need to be considered;

(vii) in relation to the negotiation of trade agreements between the EU and third countries in which Turkey does not participate, possible methods of involvement could be examined;
Amendment 123
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

(c) regarding a new trade framework:

Amendment

(c) regarding a new trade and investment framework:

Amendment 124
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point i

Motion for a resolution

(i) when major sectors such as agriculture, services and public procurement are included in the new framework for trade relations between the EU and Turkey, it is important that the new structure is defined on the basis of Articles 207 and 218 TFEU;

Amendment

(i) when major sectors such as agriculture, services and public procurement are included in the new framework for trade relations between the EU and Turkey, it is important that the new structure is defined on the basis of Articles 207 and 218 TFEU and that the commitments taken in the modernised Customs Union clearly take into account the distribution of competences between the Union and the Member States;

Amendment 125
Tokia Saïfi, Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point i
Motion for a resolution

(i) when major sectors such as agriculture, services and public procurement are included in the new framework for trade relations between the EU and Turkey, it is important that the new structure is defined on the basis of Articles 207 and 218 TFEU;

Amendment

(i) when major sectors such as agriculture, services and public procurement are included in the new framework for trade relations between the EU and Turkey, it is important that the new structure is defined on the basis of Articles 207 and 218 TFEU and, at the same time, that the sensitive nature of certain products is honoured and that audiovisual and public services are excluded from the framework;

Or. fr

Amendment 126
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point i

Motion for a resolution

(i) when major sectors such as agriculture, services and public procurement are included in the new framework for trade relations between the EU and Turkey, it is important that the new structure is defined on the basis of Articles 207 and 218 TFEU;

Amendment

(i) it is important that the new framework for trade relations between the EU and Turkey and any modification of the sectors involved are defined on the basis of the procedures laid down in Articles 207 and 218 TFEU;

Or. en

Amendment 127
Franck Proust

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point i
Motion for a resolution

(i) when major sectors such as agriculture, services and public procurement are included in the new framework for trade relations between the EU and Turkey, it is important that the new structure is defined on the basis of Articles 207 and 218 TFEU;

Amendment 128
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by

Amendment

(Does not affect the English version.)

Or. fr

Amendment 129
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Eleonora Forenza, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii

Motion for a resolution

(ia) The Commission should include a political clause in the Customs Union between Turkey and the EU on human rights and fundamental freedoms, media freedom, minorities rights;

Or. en
measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs, consumers and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;

Amendment 130
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii

Motion for a resolution

(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs, consumers and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;

Amendment

(ii) there should be no further liberalisation of sectors beyond the current status quo;

Amendment 131
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii

Motion for a resolution

(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs,

Amendment

(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, creating positive impact for businesses, particularly SMEs,
consumers and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society; and consumers, while upholding standards related to, amongst others, consumer protection, worker’s rights, animal welfare, health and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;

Amendment 132
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii

(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs, consumers and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;

Amendment
(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs, consumers, social and environmental rights. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;

Amendment 133
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii

(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs

Amendment
(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs
Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs, consumers and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;

Amendment 134
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii

(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs, consumers and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;

Or. it

Amendment 135
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Sergio Gutiérrez Prieto, David Martin, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii

(ii) the liberalisation of the sectors that are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs, employees, consumers and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;
are not currently included in the Customs Union should take place in a progressive and binding manner, by measuring its impact on businesses, particularly SMEs, workers, consumers and the environment. To that end, parliamentary institutions, both at EU level and nationally, can play an active role in liaising and holding talks with stakeholders and civil society;

Amendment 136
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(iiia) as part of the Sustainability Impact Assessment, and with a view to increasing the transparency and democratic legitimacy of the negotiating process, the Parties must push for the European Parliament to be actively involved in the monitoring of stakeholders and other interested parties, whether Turkish or European;

Or. it

Amendment 137
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(iiia) the negotiations should take into account the specific challenges and interests of SMEs, dedicating a chapter to SMEs;
Amendment 138
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iii

Motion for a resolution

(iii) negotiations should focus on the active promotion of decent work for all and the effective fight against national practices which seek to undermine the social and environmental substance of work for the purpose of promoting domestic production and attracting foreign investment;

Amendment

(iii) negotiations should contribute to the Parties’ activities pursuing public policy objectives such as inter alia a high level of protection of:

a) public health; human, animal and plant life and health; health and safety; working conditions; animal welfare;
b) the environment;
c) consumers;
d) social protection and social security;
e) personal data and cybersecurity;
f) cultural diversity;
g) financial stability;
whilst facilitating trade and investment.

Amendment 139
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Sergio Gutiérrez Prieto, David Martin, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iii
(iii) negotiations **should** focus on the active promotion of decent work for all and the effective fight against national practices which seek to undermine the social and environmental substance of work for the purpose of promoting domestic production and attracting foreign investment;

(iii) negotiations **must** focus on the active promotion of decent work for all and the effective fight against national practices which seek to undermine the social and environmental substance of work for the purpose of promoting domestic production and attracting foreign investment **by means of a specific chapter on sustainable development that includes binding provisions and a sanctions based mechanism**;

Or. en

**Amendment 140**  
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1 – point c – point iii**

(iii) negotiations should focus on the active promotion of decent work for all and the effective fight against national practices which seek to undermine the social and environmental substance of work for the purpose of promoting domestic production and attracting foreign investment;

(iii) negotiations should focus on the active promotion of decent work for all and **of female entrepreneurship**, and the effective fight against national practices which seek to undermine the social and environmental substance of work for the purpose of promoting domestic production and attracting foreign investment;

Or. it

**Amendment 141**  
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1 – point c – point iii**

(iii) negotiations should **focus on the**

(iii) negotiations should **include the**

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active promotion of decent work for all and the effective fight against national practices which seek to undermine the social and environmental substance of work for the purpose of promoting domestic production and attracting foreign investment;

active promotion of decent work for all and the effective fight against national practices which seek to undermine the social and environmental substance of work for the purpose of promoting domestic production and attracting foreign investment;

Or. en

Amendment 142
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(iii) negotiations on public procurement should be consistent with the EU Directives on this matter which allow amongst others selecting service providers on the basis of qualitative (e.g. social or environmental) in addition to quantitative (e.g. cost-based) criteria;

Or. en

Amendment 143
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(iii) when including chapters on sustainable development it is important that no uncertainties about the distribution of competences between the Union and the Member States persist;

Or. en
Amendment 144
Christofer Fjellner, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iv

(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be conditional upon reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on the CAP system.
Special consideration should be given to the impact on small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition;

Amendment
(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be done after careful assessment on the effects to the EU agricultural markets;

Or. en

Amendment 145
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iv

(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be conditional upon reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on the CAP system.
Special consideration should be given to the impact on small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition;

Amendment
(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be conditional upon reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on the CAP system.
Special consideration should be given to the impact on small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition, and the protection of Geographical Indications should be guaranteed;

Or. it

Amendment 146
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iv

(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be conditional upon reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on the CAP system. Special consideration should be given to the impact on small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition;

Amendment
(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be progressive and reciprocal and it should be accompanied by a reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on the CAP system. Special consideration should be given to the impact on small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition;

Or. en

Amendment 147
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iv

(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be conditional upon reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on the CAP system. Special consideration should be given to the impact on small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition;

Amendment
EU-Turkey cooperation in matters of trade in agricultural products should be conditional upon reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on the CAP system. Special consideration should be given to the impact on EU small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition;

Or. en

Amendment 148
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, David Martin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iv
(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be conditional upon reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on the CAP system. Special consideration should be given to the impact on small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition;

Amendment 149
Tokia Saïfi, Franck Proust, Artis Pabriks

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iv a (new)

Motion for a resolution

(iv) the liberalisation of agricultural products should be conditional upon reform of Turkish legislation on grants and export subsidies in order to avoid distortionary effects on agri-food markets. Special consideration should be given to the impact on small-scale farmers regarding those categories of product that are vulnerable to competition;

Or. en

Amendment 150
Tokia Saïfi, Franck Proust, Artis Pabriks

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point iv b (new)

Motion for a resolution

(iva) the agricultural products in question should be identified, transitional periods and appropriate quotas should be laid down for the most sensitive products, and in some cases such products should be excluded;

Or. fr

(ivb) takes the view that the recognition and protection of geographical indications must be included owing to their economic importance and their significance in terms of retaining know-
how, particularly for SMEs;

Amendment 151
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point v

Motion for a resolution
(v) the lack of harmonisation of plant health rules is a major barrier to trade in agricultural products; removal of that barrier should, however, be contingent upon compliance with the high quality standards applied by the EU, also taking into account the risk of fraud;

Amendment
(v) the lack of harmonisation of plant health rules is a major barrier to trade in agricultural products; removal of that barrier should, however, be contingent upon compliance with the high quality standards applied by the EU, also taking into account the risk of fraud; harmonization of plant health rules should not be used as a pretext to prevent farmers from using farm-saved seed systems, including exchange;

Or. en

Amendment 152
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point v

Motion for a resolution
(v) the lack of harmonisation of plant health rules is a major barrier to trade in agricultural products; removal of that barrier should, however, be contingent upon compliance with the high quality standards applied by the EU, also taking into account the risk of fraud;

Amendment
(v) the lack of harmonisation of plant health rules is a major barrier to trade in agricultural products; removal of that barrier should, however, be contingent upon compliance with the high quality standards applied by the EU, also taking into account the risk of food fraud and imports of products that pose a potential risk to consumer health;
Amendment 153
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point v

(v) the lack of harmonisation of plant health rules is a major barrier to trade in agricultural products; removal of that barrier should, however, be contingent upon compliance with the high quality standards applied by the EU, also taking into account the risk of fraud;

Amendment

(v) the lack of harmonization and/or mutual recognition of plant health rules is a major barrier to trade in agricultural products; removal of that barrier should, however, be contingent upon compliance with the high quality standards applied by the EU, also taking into account the risk of fraud;

Or. en

Amendment 154
David Martin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point v

(v) the lack of harmonisation of plant health rules is a major barrier to trade in agricultural products; removal of that barrier should, however, be contingent upon compliance with the high quality standards applied by the EU, also taking into account the risk of fraud;

Amendment

(v) the lack of harmonisation of plant health and animal welfare rules is a major barrier to trade in agricultural products; removal of that barrier should, however, be contingent upon compliance with the high quality standards applied by the EU, also taking into account the risk of fraud;

Or. en

Amendment 155
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Helmut Scholz
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point v a (new)

Motion for a resolution
Amendment
(va) The new EU-Turkey trade framework should ensure a solid and rigorous level of protection and enforcement of Geographical Indications

Amendment 156
Christofer Fjellner, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vi

Motion for a resolution
Amendment
(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest;

(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of services supplied in the exercise of governmental authority and services carried out neither on a commercial basis nor in competition with one or more economic operators;

Amendment 157
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, David Martin, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vi

Motion for a resolution
Amendment
(vi) owing to its importance and impact,
the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest; the services sector should be liberalised preferably on the basis of a positive list approach and of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion in the negotiating mandate of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest; 

Amendment 158
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vi

Motion for a resolution
(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest;

Amendment
(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services, cultural services and services of general interest, including services of general economic interest;

Amendment 159
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vi

Motion for a resolution
(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the

Amendment
(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the
exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest; exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest, as is the EU’s common practice in all trade negotiations; 

Or. en

Amendment 160
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vi

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest; (vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation and according to the positive list criterion, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest;

Or. it

Amendment 161
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vi

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest; (vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination, mutual recognition of high standards and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest;

Or. en
Amendment 162
Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vi

Motion for a resolution

(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest;

Amendment

(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of positive lists and stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest;

Or. fr

Amendment 163
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vi

Motion for a resolution

(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, with the exclusion of audiovisual services and services of general economic interest;

Amendment

(vi) owing to its importance and impact, the services sector should be liberalised on the basis of stringent transparency criteria, full reciprocity, non-discrimination and legislative harmonisation, while excluding audiovisual and public services from all direct or indirect privatisation obligations;

Or. en

Amendment 164
David Borrelli, Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vii
Motion for a resolution

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

Amendment

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection; In the transport sector, the current quota system, which is based on authorisation regimes currently in force, should be maintained, as changes to the system could have a negative social and environmental impact on the sector and on security within the European Union;

Or. it

Amendment 165
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vii

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

Motion for a resolution

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

Amendment

(vii) the Customs Union must be updated to a 21st century trade agreement and therefore the EU must take an ambitious approach to areas relating to digital trade and the digital economy, for example by establishing specific chapters on e-commerce and telecommunications, without prejudice to the EU acquis on data protection;

Or. en

Amendment 166
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary, Christofer Fjellner, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vii

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

Amendment

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection;
services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained; services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to the free flow of data while providing adequate data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

Or. en

Amendment 167
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, David Martin, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vii

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, great attention has to be paid to aspects relating to data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

Or. en

Amendment 168
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point vii

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(vii) in areas such as the digital economy, telecommunications, postal services and financial services, attention should be paid to aspects relating to data protection; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

(vii) respect to EU legislation on data protection must be ensured in all sectors covered by the agreement; in the transport sector, the current quota system should be maintained;

Or. en
Amendment 169
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point viii

Motion for a resolution Amendment

(viii) rigorous procedures should be established regarding the entry and residence of professionals;
deleted

Or. en

Amendment 170
Christofer Fjellner, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Artis Pabriks

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point viii

Motion for a resolution Amendment

(viii) rigorous procedures should be established regarding the entry and residence of professionals;
(viii) commitments in Mode 4 should be achieved including procedures regarding the entry and residence of professionals;

Or. en

Amendment 171
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point viii

Motion for a resolution Amendment

(viii) rigorous procedures should be established regarding the entry and residence of professionals;
(viii) a clear and fair framework regarding the entry and (temporary) residence of professionals should be established;

Or. en
Amendment 172
Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point viii

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

(viii) **rigorous** procedures should be established regarding the entry and **residence** of professionals; (viii) **rigorous** procedures should be established regarding the **temporary** entry and **stay** of professionals;

Or. en

Amendment 173
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point viii

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

(viii) **rigorous** procedures should be established regarding the entry and **residence** of professionals; (viii) **clear** procedures should be established regarding the entry and **residence** of professionals;

Or. en

Amendment 174
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, David Martin, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point viii a (new)

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

(viia) **being the European public procurement market largely open, negotiations should aim at obtaining full reciprocity at all levels of government, restoring thus a level playing field, and**
further alignment and approximation of Turkish legislation to the acquis communautaire in that sector;

Or. en

Amendment 175
Nicola Danti, Pedro Silva Pereira, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Victor Boştinaru, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin, Eric Andrieu, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point viii b (new)

Motion for a resolution Amendment
(viii b) on rules, it will be important to negotiate specific provisions for SMEs, binding and enforceable provisions on sustainable development and a proper protection of European GIs;

Or. en

Amendment 176
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ix

Motion for a resolution Amendment
(ix) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments; deleted

Or. en

Amendment 177
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Eleonora Forenza, Helmut Scholz
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ix

Motion for a resolution                                           Amendment

(ix) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments;

Amendment 178
Nicola Danti, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Maria Arena, Alessia Maria Mosca, Goffredo Maria Bettini, Emmanuel Maurel, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin, Eric Andrieu

Motion for a resolution                                           Amendment

(ix) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments;

Amendment 179
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution                                           Amendment

(ix) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments;

(ix) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments, on the basis of the reformed investment protection system that the European Commission has formulated and which has been taken up in the
Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement between the EU and Canada, noting that the EU and Turkey should work together on the global stage to reform the outdated ISDS system;

Amendment 180
Joachim Starbatty

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ix

Motion for a resolution
(x) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments;

Amendment
(x) the new EU-Turkey trade and investment framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments and include a dispute settlement procedure;

Amendment 181
Christofer Fjellner, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Artis Pabriks

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ix

Motion for a resolution
(x) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments;

Amendment
(x) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments including a dispute settlement mechanism;

Amendment 182
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary
Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point ix

(ix) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments;

Amendment

(ix) the new EU-Turkey trade framework should lay down specific provisions for the protection of investments within the Union's exclusive competence;

Or. en

Amendment 183
Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis, Lefteris Christoforou, Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point x

(x) the inclusion of the energy and commodity sectors represents strategic added value in EU-Turkey trade relations, provided that an open, competitive and non-discriminatory economic environment is established;

Amendment

deleted

(x) the inclusion of the energy and commodity sectors represents strategic added value in EU-Turkey trade relations, provided that an open, competitive and non-discriminatory economic environment is established;

Or. en

Amendment 184
Ska Keller, Heidi Hautala
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point x

(x) the inclusion of the energy and commodity sectors represents strategic added value in EU-Turkey trade relations, provided that an open, competitive and non-discriminatory economic environment is established;

Amendment

(x) the inclusion of the energy and commodity sectors represents strategic added value in EU-Turkey trade relations, provided that an open, competitive and non-discriminatory economic environment is established and that the European objective of sustainability is respected;
Amendment 185
Edouard Ferrand, Georg Mayer, Franz Obermayr, Matteo Salvini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point x

Motion for a resolution

(x) the inclusion of the energy and commodity sectors represents strategic added value in EU-Turkey trade relations, provided that an open, competitive and non-discriminatory economic environment is established;

Amendment

(x) the inclusion of the commodity sector might represent strategic added value in EU-Turkey trade relations; its integration should be postponed to the moment when Turkey successfully establishes an open, competitive and non-discriminatory economic environment;

Or. en

Amendment 186
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point x a (new)

Motion for a resolution

(x a) for highly regulated sectors it is important to include transparency provisions that are built upon general due process principles in decision-making procedures and respect of rule of law;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 187
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c – point x b (new)
Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(xb) it is imperative to foresee a special mechanism to monitor the implementation of the modernised Customs Union, in line with this also the actual utilisation of preferences, especially of SMEs, should be analysed in order to maximise the trade benefits;

Or. en

Amendment 188
David Martin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point c a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ca) Any removal of barriers to trade in animal products must be contingent upon compliance with the EU animal welfare standards; removal of barriers to trade in live animals must be conditional upon effective enforcement of Council Regulation (EC) No 1/2005 on the protection of animals during transport as interpreted by the European Court of Justice in case C-424/13 Zuchtvieh-Export GmbH v Stadt Kempten;

Or. en

Amendment 189
Artis Pabriks, Daniel Caspary

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1 a. Asks the Council to give its mandate to the Commission to start the
Amendment 190
Stelios Kouloglou
on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2 – point 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

Ia. Asks the Council and the Commission not to start any negotiation on Customs Union modernisation until the respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms, democracy, and the rule of law are respected and implemented and the situation redressed, with the liberation of political opposition leaders and Members of Parliament.