EP Rules of Procedure, Rule 51: procedures with joint committee meetings with regard to international agreements in the field of international trade, interpretation

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The Committee on Constitutional Affairs, which had been consulted on the application of Rule 51 of the Rules of Procedure, provided the following interpretation on that provision:

"This Rule can be applied to the procedure leading to a recommendation to approve or reject the conclusion of an international agreement pursuant to Rules 90(5) and 81(1) provided that the conditions set out in it are fulfilled. "