EC/Nepal agreement: cooperation agreement

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In adopting the report by Mr PETTINARI (GUE, I), Parliament approved the conclusion of the cooperation agreement. In adopting the report by Mr Lutz GOEPEL (PPE,D), Parliament approved the provision which seeks to reduce the quantity of by-products made available as a result of the cultivation of oilseeds on land set aside, with a view to ensuring that the annual total quantity of one million tonnes of soya bean meal equivalents is not exceeded. However, Parliament called for no account to be taken of by-products which can be used for feed or food purposes and are used for other purposes (energy production or provision of humus). Parliament also called for the coefficient for calculating the soya bean meal equivalent of rapeseed and sunflower seed to be reduced. It proposed the following coefficients: - 100 kg of the by-products produced from rapeseeds shall be equivalent to 67 kg of soya bean meal; - 100 kg of the by-products of sunflower seeds shall be equivalent to 58 kg of soya bean meal.