Basic information

2017/2586(RSP) RSP - Resolutions on topical subjects	Procedure completed
New European consensus on development - our world, our dignity, our future **Subject** 6.30 Development cooperation	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
DEVE Development	WENTA Bogdan Brunon (PPE) NEUSER Norbert (S&D)	07/02/2017 07/02/2017
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Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Foreign Affairs	3540	2017-05-19

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
19/05/2017	Resolution/conclusions adopted by Council		
29/05/2017	Vote in committee		
31/05/2017	Debate in Parliament		
01/06/2017	Decision by Parliament	T8-0241/2017	Summary
01/06/2017	Results of vote in Parliament		

01/06/2017	End of procedure in Parliament		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2017/2586(RSP)
Procedure type	RSP - Resolutions on topical subjects
Procedure subtype	Resolution on statement
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Other legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 165
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	DEVE/8/09568

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Amendments tabled in committee		PE602.961	26/04/2017	
Motion for a resolution		B8-0387/2017	31/05/2017	
Motion for a resolution		B8-0390/2017	31/05/2017	
Text adopted by Parliament, single reading		T8-0241/2017	01/06/2017	Summary

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Commission response to text adopted in plenary	SP(2017)536	06/10/2017	

New European consensus on development - our world, our dignity, our future

2017/2586(RSP) - 01/06/2017 - Text adopted by Parliament, single reading

The European Parliament adopted by 405 votes to 70, with 159 abstentions, a resolution prepared by its Committee on Development, on a joint statement by the Parliament, the Council and the representatives of the governments of the Member States meeting within the Council, and the Commission on the new European Consensus on Development – Our World, Our Dignity, Our Future.

Parliament welcomed the Commission's proposal aiming to **revise the 2005 European Consensus on Development** in order to reflect the new global development context following the adoption of the 2030 Agenda and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), as well as changes in the EU's legal and institutional structure.

Overall, Members welcomed that the new Consensus explicitly enshrines the reduction of poverty, and in the long term, the **eradication of poverty** as the primary objective of EU development policy.

They reiterated that this should be done fully in line with the principles of effective development cooperation: **ownership of development priorities by developing countries**, focus on results, inclusive partnerships, and transparency and **accountability**.

They insisted on the need for accountability mechanisms for the monitoring and implementation of the SDGs and the **0.7 % ODA/GNI** (Official Development Assistance/Gross National Income) objectives.

Members called on the EU and its Member States to submit a timeline on how to gradually achieve these goals and objectives, and for **progress to be reported annually to Parliament**.

Lastly, they endorsed the joint statement by the Parliament, the Council and the representatives of the governments of the Member States meeting within the Council, and the Commission on the new European Consensus on Development – **Our World, Our Dignity, Our Future**.