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On 26 October 2016 the Committee on Environment, Environmental Properties and the Land adopted a positive resolution with the following qualifications:

- 1) the first three compliance reports on the balance of total greenhouse gas emissions and removals should be submitted to the Commission by member States every two years;
- 2) an invitation was expressed to discourage in the future such an unprecedented procedure as was followed for the ratification of the Paris Agreement, namely that political consensus on the proposal for a decision was reached at an extraordinary Environment Council meeting and the Commission proposal was amended so that the EU could ratify the Agreement separately from member States;
- 3) national targets should be envisaged, on which member States would be liable for full-scale emissions (ETS and non-ETS);
- 4) Article 6 of the proposal should be enforced on all member States, making compensation between ETS and non-ETS systems possible;
- 5) the ETS mechanisms should be reviewed, with the aim of promoting an effective and universal carbon-pricing instrument at European level.

On 28 September 2016 the Committee on European Union Policies adopted a positive resolution, urging the Government to provide prompt and comprehensive information to Parliament.