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Amendment 1

Helmut Scholz

on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

Joint motion for a resolution

PPE, S&D, ALDE, Verts/ALE, ECR, EFD

on the situation in Ukraine

Joint motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7 a (new)

Joint motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Underlines the fact that it is for the Ukrainian people – and only for them – to decide, free from foreign interference, on the geopolitical orientation of the country and on which international agreements and communities Ukraine should join; insists that the question of whether or not to sign and ratify the negotiated Association Agreement with the European Union, to renegotiate parts of it or to join the Eurasian Union is for the Ukrainian people alone to answer; considers that such important decisions as determining the geopolitical direction of a country should be made on the basis of as wide a political consensus as possible between the different political forces in the country and on the basis of extensive consultation with the population; suggests that consideration be given to holding a referendum on the decision after publishing concrete impact assessments of the various possible economic choices and conducting a thorough public debate on the future challenges for all sectors of

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Amendment 2

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on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group

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on the situation in Ukraine

Joint motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7 b (new)

Joint motion for a resolution

Amendment

7b. Calls on the EU, the US and Russia to respect fully the sovereign right of the people to decide on their future development, including their cooperation and association with countries and organisations, and to refrain from any financial, economic or political pressure; strongly appeals to the EU, Russia and all other actors in the region, as well as to the US, not to interfere in the internal affairs of Ukraine or of any other country of the region;

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