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by the European Greens

Title:	**AM-28-1 to Res 1. : EUROPE IS NOT FOR SALE – For a sovereign, just and democratic Europe**
Tabled by:	Bündnis90/Die Grünen

Demands

From line 27 to 31:

renewable energy, energy communities, public transport, fair wages and social protection. Trade unions are key allies in this transition. Essential services – from housing and energy to healthcare, education, mobility and digital connectivity – must be guaranteed to all. No child should be left without three meals a day. The wealthiest, multinationals and major polluters[Space]must pay their fair share: we demand a European minimum tax on very large fortunes, an end to tax havens within the EU and a European windfall tax on fossil crisis profits.

Explanation / Comment

Justification 1: A just transition cannot succeed without workers and their organisations. Naming trade unions as allies broadens the alliance the resolution calls for.

Justification: “Fair share” stays abstract without instruments. A minimum tax on very large fortunes, an end to tax havens within the EU and a windfall tax on fossil crisis profits are established Green demands and make the claim tangible.