



Title: **AM-285-1 to S 5.4: Draft 2024 Manifesto - Chapter III: Courage to Take Responsibility – Building a Union of Security, Peace and Global Justice**

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Draft text

Insert from line 285 to 287:

The Greens successfully introduced and promoted legislation on due diligence, deforestation, and forced-labour-free supply chains, setting standards for imports into the EU. We must hold all multinational companies conducting trade within the EU accountable to uphold these standards and pay their fair share of taxes inside and outside the EU. We will continue by updating the Public Procurement Directive and introducing a

Explanation / Comment

While talking about development cooperation, we must also acknowledge that countries of the global south would often benefit more from companies paying their fair share, than from receiving money through development cooperation. Even in countries where the legislation requires MNCs to pay taxes they often effectively avoid it.