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Key events			
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Technical information	
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<b>Procedure subtype</b>	Interpretation of Rules
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## Rules of Procedure, Rule 32(5), first subparagraph, second indent; interpretation

2019/2019(REG) - 17/04/2019 - Text adopted by Parliament, single reading

The European Parliament decided (by 415 votes to 226, with 8 abstentions) to append the following interpretation to Rule 32(5), first subparagraph, second indent, of the Rules of Procedure:

- 'The political declaration of a group shall set out the values that the group stands for and the main political objectives which its members intend to pursue together in the framework of the exercise of their mandate. The declaration shall describe the common political orientation of the group in a substantial, distinctive and genuine way.'