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| Thomas Cook | Chris off | Coping with the impact on tourism from the Thomas Cook collapse |  |
|  |  | *Tourism represents 4 percent of the gross domestic product of the European Union.* | :12+  *El turismo representa 4 por ciento del producto bruto de la Unión Europea.* |
| Juncker adieu | Chris off | A farewell from Commission President Jean-Claude Juncker |  |
|  |  | *Take care of Europe, and combat with all your might against stupid and thick-headed nationalism. Long live Europe!* | *25:03*  *Prenez soin de l´Europe, et combattez de toutes vos forces, le nationalisme stupide et borne. Vive l´Europe !* |
| Combatting extremism | Chris off | After the Halle shootings, how to step up the fight against extremism |  |
|  |  | *:00*  *We can always need a more and ambitious fight against extremism in Europe.* |  |
| Pressuring Turkey | Chris off | Calls to get tougher with Turkey over its offensive in Syria |  |
|  |  | *1:49*  *This country, as we speak, develops further away from the European Union.* |  |
|  |  | Jingle |  |
|  | Chris off | The European Parliament debated and voted on relief measures to help travellers and travel industry employees deal with the bankruptcy of Thomas Cook in September. The collapse required the repatriation of about 600,000 travellers around the world and impacted the EU travel industry, which employs 12 million people and generates 4% of the total GDP. |  |
|  | Rosa Estaràs Ferragut, Spanish MEP | *As it has been a complicated situation, not only for the consumer, for tourism, for the entire service sector, for transport, for connectivity, especially in areas such as the Canary Islands and the Balearic Islands.... Europe has to give an answer.* | :02  *Pues ha sido una situación complicada, no solamente para el consumidor, para el turismo, para todo el sector de servicios, para el trasporte, para la conectividad, especialmente en zonas como Canarias y Baleares. ... Europa tiene que dar una respuesta.* |
|  | Estaràs Ferragut on | *How can we mobilise funds such as the globalisation fund, such as the European social fund, and other European funds, and encourage member states to take action.* | 1:42+  *De qué manera podemos movilizar fondos como el fondo de globalización, como el Fondo Social Europeo, y otros fondos europeos, y animar a los estados miembros a que tomen medidas.* |
|  |  | Jingle |  |
|  | Chris off | Before the next European Commission takes power, Parliament looked at the past five years of the Juncker Commission, recovering from the 2008 financial crisis, dealing with terrorism, migration, populism and Brexit talks. Commission President Jean-Claude Juncker spoke to MEPs of his accomplishments in a job that´s never done. |  |
|  | Jean-Claude Juncker, European Commission President | *We are living the 25th consecutive quarter of growth. We have driven seven years of growth in the European Union. We have created 14 million jobs. Unemployment is at its lowest level since the year 2000.* | 8 :23  *Nous sommes en train de vivre le 25ème trimestre consécutif de croissance. Nous avons conduit sept années de croissance en Union européenne. Nous avons crée 14 millions d´emploi. Le chômage est le moins élevé depuis l´an 2000.* 8 :44 |
|  | Chris off | And a ´´chapeau´´ from EPP Group Chairman Manfred Weber. |  |
|  | Manfred Weber, EPP Group Chairman | *You have given the idea of ​​Europe a new lease on life, and have resolutely opposed the populists from left and right. The enormously increased election turnout, the growing enthusiasm in Europe for Europe is also to your merit. The "Last Chance Commission", as you had called it, as the whole college of Commissioners had called it, and we as the EPP would like to thank you for that.* | *30:08*  *Du hast die Europa-Idee mit neuem Leben ausgestattet, und den Populisten von links und rechts bist Du entschieden entgegengetreten. Die enorm gestiegene Wahlbeteiligung, die gewachsene Begeisterung für Europa in Europa ist auch Dein Verdienst. Die „Kommission der letzten Chance“ hat sie genutzt, das gesamte Kollegium hat sie genutzt, und dafür möchten wir als EVP Danke sagen.* |
|  |  | Jingle |  |
|  | Chris off | The right-wing extremist shootings in Halle, Germany, this month which killed two people on the Jewish holy day of Yom Kippur have stirred calls in the European Parliament for stronger laws to combat extremism. The EPP Group´s Lena Düpont is a member of the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs. |  |
|  | Lena Düpont, German MEP, on | :20  *I think existing laws should be strengthened because we do have all the discussion about terrorist content online and it clearly falls into this regulation. We need to build up a strong community together with the social platforms to work on it together, because we know Halle was online for about half an hour, which is too long, because it spread from there to other platforms, to other accounts, and we need to be strongly fighting this again.* |  |
|  |  | Jingle |  |
|  | Chris off | Turkey´s offensive against Kurdish fighters in northern Syria has drawn widespread criticism, after US troops pulled out from the region this month. The European Parliament is calling for stronger pressure on the Turkish government to pull back or face new sanctions. |  |
|  | Chris off | Michael Gahler is a member of Parliament´s Foreign Affairs Committee and is the EPP Group´s coordinator on foreign affairs. |  |
|  | Michael Gahler, German MEP | *:16*  *As the entire Parliament, the EPP Group demands an arms embargo in order to tell Turkey clearly that this action is a non-starter. We demand the immediate withdrawal of their troops from Syria.*  *:58*  *We´ve also said it would be good if an international UN-led peace mission would be stationed there, which would also give us the opportunity to play an active role on the ground.* |  |
|  | Chris off | The EPP Group is also calling for an end to EU membership negotiations, and to halt aid except for civil society and Erasmus programmes. |  |
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| Headline |  | **Thomas Cook, Juncker, Extremism, Turkey-Syria** |  |
| Description |  | The European Parliament plenary session supported measures to help tourists and tourism businesses cope with the bankruptcy of Thomas Cook´s tours. MEPs took stock of the five-year Juncker Commission and called for tougher laws to fight extremism in wake of the deadly right-wing terror attack in Halle, Germany. Parliament also approved a resolution calling for a durable end to Turkey´s offensive against Kurds in Syria. |  |
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