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European Parliament resolution on country of origin labelling for fresh meat

Today, the European Parliament passed a resolution on **country of origin labelling for fresh meat** asking for the labelling of country of birth, rearing and slaughter.

Monique Goyens, Director General of BEUC, The European Consumer Organisation commented:

"This vote is a positive signal to try and restore consumers' trust in their food. MEP's rightly listened to those 90% of consumers who want to have the full picture of where their meat comes from.

"We hope the Commission will not turn a deaf ear to the European Parliament's call. They should reconsider their half-hearted position and propose a law which sheds light on the full origin of the meat on our shelves."

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