

Industry and Services

This (enter as appropriate) notes the important role that employee owned businesses can play in providing rewarding and fulfilling work to communities disadvantaged by globalisation. It therefore resolves that measures should be taken to expand their development by ensuring that:

1. Government policy supports mechanisms to allow employees to invest in the enterprise they work for
2. Regulation incentivises the creation of co-operative consortia that reinforce the sustainability of its constituent enterprises
3. That national governments adopt their own version of the Marcora Law, which allows businesses faced with closure to be revived as co-operatives by their employees, through the use of social security funds
4. European and national policy ensures that young people have access to educational programmes where the co-operative business model is taught

