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On 27 January, 2015, he was appointed Alternate Foreign Minister for International Economic Relations, in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. On 6 July 2015, he was appointed Minister of Finance. On 20 September 2015, he was re-elected MP of SYRIZA in Athens and re-appointed Minister of Finance on September 23rd, 2015.