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Motion for a resolution

Citation 8a (new)

- *having regard to the Declaration and Action Programme of the Fourth World Conference on Women adopted in Beijing on 15 September 1995, and to the Outcome Document of the Fourth World Conference on Women +5 Conference adopted on 10 June 2000,*

Or. en

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Citation 8b (new)

- *having regard to the Millennium Development Goals adopted at the Millennium Summit of the United Nations on 8 September 2000 and the Declaration adopted by the United Nations World Summit on Sustainable Development on 4 September 2002,*

Or. en

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Citation 8c (new)

- *having regard to the 2002 report of the UN Population Fund on the state of world population,*

Or. en

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Citation 8d (new)

- *having regard to the report of the Council of Europe on the impact of the Mexico City Policy¹ and the Commission's proposal for a Regulation on aid for policies and actions on reproductive and sexual health and rights in developing countries (COM(2002) 120),*

Or. en

¹ CoE document 9901, 11.9.2003.

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Citation 8e (new)

– *having regard to its resolution of 1 November 2001 on HIV/AIDS¹,*

Or. en

¹ OJ C 78, 2.4.2002, p. 66.

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Citation 8f (new)

– *having regard to its resolution of 20 September 2001 on female genital mutilation¹,*

Or. en

¹ OJ C 77 E, 28.3.2002, p. 126

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Recital Qa (new)

Qa. recognising that access to reproductive health is a fundamental human right and that women and men should therefore be guaranteed the freedom to make their own informed and responsible choice in regard to their sexual and reproductive health and rights, while being conscious of the importance of their decisions for other individuals as well as for society,

Or. en

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Recital Sa (new)

Sa. whereas reproductive health is a major concern for the social and economic well-being of a nation, and deficiencies in access to reproductive health have direct effects on the economic and social fabric of the country concerned,

Or. en

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Recital Sb(new)

Sb. concerned at the deliberate withholding of information in a large number of countries, which are the most affected by low standards of reproductive health,

Or. en

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Recital Sc (new)

Sc. shocked by the lack of willingness shown by developed countries to ensure the necessary funding to meet the basic standards as outlined in the Action Programme of the UN Conference on Population and Development adopted in Cairo on 13 September 1994 and even more concerned by the sharp decrease in the funds available since the entry into force of the Mexico City Policy, diminishing US funding to any NGO which is not following a strict abstinence-promoting policy,

Or. en

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Recital Sd (new)

Sd. whereas access to information on and the promotion through social marketing of condoms can for the moment be considered as the most effective preventive measure against all forms of sexually transmitted diseases,

Or. en

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Recital Se (new)

Se. whereas the denial of access to treatment for HIV/AIDS through a lack of available funds, in particular access to anti-retroviral drug combinations, which are proving successful at stabilising but not curing HIV/AIDS, is causing a major security threat both regionally and worldwide, including in Eastern Europe and Central Asia where a sharp increase in sexually transmitted diseases as well as increase in sexual violence has to be deplored;

Or. en

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Paragraph 66a (new)

66a. Acknowledges that the legal or regulatory policy concerning reproductive health falls within the Member States' sphere of competence, but considers that on an international level the EU is obliged to do its utmost to meet the Millennium Development Goals and to ensure that obligations are fulfilled in the framework of the UN Charter, UN Conventions and many other agreements covering the issue;

Or. en

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Paragraph 66b (new)

66b. Calls on the Commission to pay particular attention to assisting not only developing countries, but also countries in Eastern Europe, Latin America and Asia, which are not covered by the Cotonou Agreement, and to provide financial and technical support as well as training for personnel;

Or. en

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Paragraph 66c (new)

66c. Welcomes the action taken by ECHO in the field of humanitarian aid, which often has a component of reproductive health, and urges it to pay even greater attention to the dramatic situation caused by the lack of access to all aspects of reproductive health in emergency situations and in refugee camps;

Or. en

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Paragraph 67a (new)

67a. Calls on the Commission to step up its funding of educational programmes devoted to reproductive health, focusing on the fight against sexual violence and female genital cutting or mutilation, and educating people on responsible sexual behaviour and the use of modern family planning methods, as well as available HIV/AIDS preventive methods;

Or. en

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Paragraph 67b (new)

67b. Calls on the Council to act upon its stated intention to step up funding for the Global Fund, specifically for programmes in the field of reproductive health as well as funding of NGOs under all assistance programmes (TACIS, PHARE, MEDA, CARDS, etc.) via not only health projects, but also projects dedicated to drug problems and general educational and awareness-raising projects;

Or. en

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Paragraph 67c (new)

67c. Asks the Commission, in particular, to step up its reproductive health programmes in the TACIS area as the situation is increasingly worrying and the countries concerned do not have the means to meet educational as well as supply needs, which results in a sharp increase of HIV/AIDS transmission (1.2 million people living with HIV/AIDS in Eastern Europe/Central Asia), an extremely high rate of abortions (3.6 per lifetime abortions per woman), poor-quality contraceptive methods and a high infant mortality rate (up to 74 per 1000 compared to 5 per 1000 in France);

Or. en

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Paragraph 67d (new)

67d. Calls on the Member States to meet their obligations under the 'Global Fund to fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria' as one of the most effective means in the fight against AIDS and other contagious, poverty-related diseases;

Or. en

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Paragraph 67e (new)

67e. Calls on the Commission and the Council to take all appropriate measures as soon as possible, including the necessary legislative measures, to fulfil their commitment to act upon the decision of the General Council of the World Trade Organisation on the Implementation of Paragraph 6 of the Doha Declaration on the TRIPS Agreement and Public Health;

Or. en

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Paragraph 67f (new)

67f. Welcomes the Report on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health to the 60th Session of the Commission on Human Rights, and the report on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography and other aspects related to the issue;

Or. en

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Paragraph 68 (CHANGED)

68. Calls on the Commission to make up for the loss of funds due to the 'Mexico City Policy' *and to the US policy advocating exclusively abstinence promoting programmes, in particular to step in for the funds withheld from UNFPA and the funds cancelled for NGO programmes;*

Or. en

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Paragraph 68a (new)

68a. Urges all Member States and applicant countries to respect the human right to privacy and the right to travel freely, and to fully respect the ruling of the European Court of Human Rights in this area; is outraged at recent attempts by applicant countries to disregard this ruling;

Or. en

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Paragraph 69a (new)

69a. Regrets that people arrested in Egypt on grounds of their sexual orientation are all too often denied certain aspects of their fundamental human rights, including the right to a fair trial;

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Paragraph 69b (new)

69b. Following persistent arrests and harassment of homosexual men in Egypt and the entrapment of homosexuals by security services over the internet, expresses deep concern about the denial of fundamental rights, including the right to free association, the right to privacy and the right to a fair trial;

Or. en