

Amendment 116

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Report**A8-0048/2018****Jan Olbrycht, Isabelle Thomas**

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Motion for a resolution**Paragraph 85***Motion for a resolution**Amendment*

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Amendment 117

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Paragraph 89 a (new)

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89a. Stresses that cohesion policy is the European Union's key toolkit for expressing EU solidarity as one of the fundamental principles of the Union, by pursuing its Treaty-based objective of promoting the harmonious development of the whole Union, leading to a strengthening of its economic, social and territorial cohesion, in a spirit of solidarity and with the aim of promoting growth and reducing the backwardness of the least-favoured regions;

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