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**Amendment 12**

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**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Underlines that effective establishment, independent functioning and accountability of democratic institutions are essential feature of a viable democracy and a prerequisite for moving forward with the EU integration process, including obtaining candidate status; ***warns that divisive and secessionist ethno-nationalistic and anti-constitutional rhetoric, and attempts to obstruct the functioning of institutions undermine country-wide co-ordination and decision-making on key policies and reforms, as well as unity and lasting stability;***

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18. Underlines that effective establishment, independent functioning and accountability of democratic institutions are essential feature of a viable democracy and a prerequisite for moving forward with the EU integration process, including obtaining candidate status; ***acknowledges that this is an endogenous process that has to take into account that the state of BiH is shared by three constituent peoples;***

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