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Amendment 1

Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán, Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution

Citation 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the Report on the Role of Local and Regional Authorities in Managing Migration in the Mediterranean of 15 December 2014 of the Euro-Mediterranean Regional and Local Assembly (ARLEM),

Or. en

Amendment 2

Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution

Citation 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the Deauville Partnership launched by the G8 at the Deauville Heads of State or Government Summit on 21 May 2011;

Or. fr

Amendment 3

Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán, Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution

Citation 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the Opinion on EU Support for Sustainable Change in Transition Societies of 11/12 April 2013

*of the European Committee of the
Regions,*

Or. en

Amendment 4
Javi López, Elena Valenciano

Motion for a resolution
Citation 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*- having regard to the conclusions of the
Foreign Affairs Council of 17 November
2014 on the Middle East Peace Process,*

Or. en

Amendment 5
Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán, Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution
Citation 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*- having regard to the conclusions of the
meeting of 23 March 2015 in Brussels of
Libyan municipality representatives,
convened by the United Nations Support
Mission in Libya and hosted by the
European Union,*

Or. en

Amendment 6
Francisco José Millán Mon

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the meeting of the EU and Southern Mediterranean countries' Foreign Affairs Ministers, organised by Spain, the Latvian presidency and the EU to discuss the future of the European Neighbourhood Policy which took place in Barcelona on April 13 2015,

Or. en

Amendment 7

Neena Gill

Motion for a resolution

Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the UN Security Council resolutions 2139, 2165 and 2191 authorising cross-border and cross-line access for the UN and its partners to deliver humanitarian aid in Syria without state consent,

Or. en

Amendment 8

Tunne Kelam

Motion for a resolution

Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to its resolution of 12 March 2015 on relations between the European Union and the League of Arab States and cooperation in countering terrorism,

Amendment 9
Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to its resolution of 12 March 2015 on recent attacks and abductions by ISIS/Da'esh in the Middle East, notably of Assyrians^{8 a},

^{8 a} P8_TA(2015)0071

Amendment 10
Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to its resolution of 12 March 2015 on recent attacks and abductions by Da'esh in the Middle East, notably of Assyrians^{8 a},

^{8 a} P8_TA(2015)0071

Amendment 11
Angel Dzhambazki

Motion for a resolution
Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the ***conflict*** in Syria, ***the conflict in*** Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the ***situation*** in Libya ***are a major potential source of destabilisation*** in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the ***number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them***; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis ***caused*** by these conflicts, ***causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities***; having regard to the ***difficulties*** in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Amendment

– whereas the ***conflicts*** in Syria ***and*** Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the ***chaos*** in Libya, ***and the increase in tensions*** in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) ***region as a whole are a serious potential danger as regards the destabilisation of that region***; having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism ***and the increasingly complex circumstances***; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of ***the serious risks these developments entail for the security of Europe***; having regard to the ***increase in the use of force which has seen outrages being committed against the civilian population and their subjection to a reign of terror***; having regard to the serious ***permanent*** humanitarian crisis ***and massive population displacements triggered*** by these conflicts, ***which have created enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities***; having regard to the ***lack of success to date*** in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region; ***whereas the current situation puts the security of Europe at risk and poses a serious threat to the EU's economic interests***;

Or. bg

Amendment 12 **Vincent Peillon**

Motion for a resolution
Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the *conflict* in Syria, *the conflict in* Iraq, *the crisis in* Yemen and *the situation in* Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Amendment

– whereas the *conflicts* in Syria, Iraq, Yemen and Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 13
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the *conflict* in Syria, *the conflict in* Iraq, *the crisis in* Yemen and *the situation in* Libya are *a major potential*

Amendment

– whereas the *conflicts* in Syria, Iraq, Yemen and Libya are major *sources* of destabilisation in the Middle East and

source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 14

Alyn Smith, Ernest Urtasun

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen *and* the situation in Libya are a major *potential* source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian

Amendment

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen, the situation in Libya *and the protracted occupation of Palestine and Western Sahara* are a major source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe;

victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 15

Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution

Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the situation in Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a *political*

Amendment

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the situation in Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a *coherent*

approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, **durable** infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

conflict resolution strategy and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, **critical** infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region, **also threatening European citizens and interests**;

Or. en

Amendment 16
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the situation in Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic

Amendment

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the situation in Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); **whereas the ISIS terror campaign has now spread to Tunisia, as evidenced by the events of 18 March 2015**; having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development,

cohesion in the region;

durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Or. it

Amendment 17
Mariya Gabriel

Motion for a resolution
Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the situation in Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Amendment

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the situation in Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism ***and their proximity, in terms of security challenges, to the sensitive area of the Horn of Africa***; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 18
Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Citation 21

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the situation in Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Amendment

– whereas the conflict in Syria, the conflict in Iraq, the crisis in Yemen and the situation in Libya are a major potential source of destabilisation in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA); having regard to the junction between the Sahel and Middle Eastern fronts in the fight against terrorism; having regard to the disastrous consequences of such a situation for the security of the whole region and of Europe; having regard to the number of civilian victims and the acts of terror committed against them ***and to the severe violations of human rights and humanitarian law committed by ISIS, particularly against ethnic and religious minorities***; having regard to the serious humanitarian crisis caused by these conflicts, causing massive population displacements and creating enormous difficulties for refugees and their host communities; having regard to the difficulties in discerning a political approach and establishing a legitimate and reliable basis for inclusive dialogue with the various parties concerned; having regard to the resulting long-term damage to political and economic development, durable infrastructures and demographic cohesion in the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 19
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Citation 22

Motion for a resolution

– whereas it is necessary to review EU action in the MENA area in the light of the implications of the Arab uprisings for the countries concerned, the new and complex situation thus created and the imperative need to combat the ISIS; whereas stabilisation in the region is not a security issue alone but also has economic, political and social implications, requiring the Union to develop strategic global and multifaceted cooperation with all parties the region, in the medium and long term;

Amendment

– whereas it is necessary to review EU action in the MENA area in the light of the implications of the Arab uprisings for the countries concerned, the new and complex situation thus created and the imperative need to combat the ISIS; whereas stabilisation in the region is not a security issue alone but also has economic, political and social implications, requiring the Union to develop strategic global and multifaceted cooperation with all parties the region, in the medium and long term; ***whereas an EU approach placing the onus on political and diplomatic action and discouraging military and/or ‘proxy’ solutions would yield benefits that would be felt beyond the security sphere; whereas in order to understand the reasons behind the instability in the region one needs to understand the social and economic causes of the social malaise in the MENA countries;***

Or. it

Amendment 20

Neena Gill

Motion for a resolution

Citation 22

Motion for a resolution

– whereas it is necessary to review EU action in the MENA area in the light of the implications of the Arab uprisings for the countries concerned, the new and complex situation thus created and the imperative need to ***combat the ISIS***; whereas stabilisation in the region is not a security issue alone but also has economic, political and social implications, requiring the Union to develop strategic global and

Amendment

– whereas it is necessary to review EU action in the MENA area in the light of the implications of the Arab uprisings for the countries concerned, the new and complex situation thus created and the imperative need to ***combat terrorist groups as well as step up pressure on authoritarian regimes in the region, which through their policies of repression have been instrumental in facilitating the rise of such groups;***

multifaceted cooperation with all parties
the region, in the medium and long term;

whereas stabilisation in the region is not a
security issue alone but also has economic,
political and social implications, requiring
the Union to develop strategic global and
multifaceted cooperation with all parties
the region, in the medium and long term;

Or. en

Amendment 21
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Citation 22

Motion for a resolution

– whereas it is necessary to review EU
action in the MENA area in the light of the
implications of the Arab uprisings for the
countries concerned, the new and complex
situation thus created and the imperative
need to combat the ISIS; whereas
stabilisation in the region is not a security
issue alone but also has economic, political
and social implications, requiring *the*
Union to develop *strategic global and*
multifaceted cooperation with all *parties*
the region, in the medium and long term;

Amendment

– whereas it is necessary to review EU
action in the MENA area in the light of the
implications of the Arab uprisings for the
countries concerned, the new and complex
situation thus created and the imperative
need to combat the ISIS; whereas
stabilisation in the region is not a security
issue alone but also has economic, political
and social implications, requiring *EU and*
Member States to develop *a co-ordinated*
approach to the situation, working with all
countries of the region, in the medium and
long term;

Or. en

Amendment 22
Mariya Gabriel

Motion for a resolution
Citation 22

Motion for a resolution

– whereas it is necessary to review EU
action in the MENA area in the light of the
implications of the Arab uprisings for the

Amendment

– whereas it is necessary to review EU
action in the MENA area in the light of the
implications of the Arab uprisings for the

countries concerned, the new and complex situation thus created and the imperative need to combat **the** ISIS; whereas stabilisation in the region is not a security issue alone but also has economic, political and social implications, requiring the Union to develop strategic global and multifaceted cooperation with all parties the region, in the medium and long term;

countries concerned, the new and complex situation thus created and the imperative need to combat ISIS **and counter the expansion of terrorist groups in the region generally**; whereas stabilisation in the region is not a security issue alone but also has economic, political and social implications, requiring the Union to develop strategic global and multifaceted cooperation with all parties the region, in the medium and long term;

Or. fr

Amendment 23
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Citation 22

Motion for a resolution

– whereas it is necessary to review EU action in the MENA area in the light of the implications of the Arab uprisings for the countries concerned, the new and complex situation thus created and the imperative need to combat the ISIS; whereas stabilisation in the region is not a security issue alone but also has economic, political and social implications, requiring the Union to develop strategic global and multifaceted cooperation with **all** parties the region, in the medium and long term;

Amendment

– whereas it is necessary to review EU action in the MENA area in the light of the implications of the Arab uprisings for the countries concerned, the new and complex situation thus created and the imperative need to combat the ISIS **and other terrorist organisations**; whereas stabilisation in the region is not a security issue alone but also has economic, political and social implications, requiring the Union to develop strategic global and multifaceted **policies and** cooperation with parties the region, in the medium and long term;

Or. en

Amendment 24
Cristian Dan Preda

Motion for a resolution
Citation 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- whereas the terrorist organization IS has launched systematic campaigns of ethnic cleansing in northern Iraq and Syria, carrying out war crimes, including mass summary killings and abductions, against ethnic and religious minorities; whereas the UN has already reported on targeted killings, forced conversions, abductions, the selling of women, the enslavement of women and children, the recruitment of children for suicide bombings, and sexual and physical abuse and torture; whereas Christian, Yazidi, Turkmen, Shabak, Kaka'i, Sabeen and Shia communities, as well as many Arabs and Sunni Muslims, have been targeted by IS;

Or. en

Amendment 25
Hilde Vautmans, Marielle de Sarnez

Motion for a resolution
Citation 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- whereas Tunisia is the most outspoken example of democratisation after the Arab uprising and the threat of ISIS is imminent;

Or. en

Amendment 26
Vincent Peillon

Motion for a resolution
Citation 23

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS;

Amendment

- ***whereas the Middle East and North Africa are in a state of geopolitical turmoil that is likely to bring about deep and unpredictable changes to regional balances;*** having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS;

Or. fr

Amendment 27

Neena Gill

Motion for a resolution

Citation 23

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in ***connection with the fight against ISIS;***

Amendment

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in ***fighting terrorism and supporting inclusive democratic reform;***

Or. en

Amendment 28

Marie-Christine Vergiat, Pablo Iglesias, Javier Couso Permuy

Motion for a resolution

Citation 23

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Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS;

Amendment

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their *political*, ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; ***having regard to the many human rights violations resulting from this***; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS;

Or. fr

Amendment 29

Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution

Citation 23

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS;

Amendment

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS ***and other terrorist organisations***;

Or. en

Amendment 30

Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution

Citation 23

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS;

Amendment

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS ***and affiliated groups***;

Or. en

Amendment 31

Alyn Smith

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Citation 23

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS;

Amendment

– having regard to the escalating crises and conflicts, their ethnic and sectarian dimension, the rise of paramilitary groups and the weakness or collapse of certain states ***or regimes*** in the region; whereas the MENA countries and international community have shared security interests in connection with the fight against ISIS;

Or. en

Amendment 32

Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution

Citation 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– ***whereas before the ‘Arab Spring’, the***

authoritarian regimes in power in many MEDA countries were supported or at least tolerated for decades by the West;

Or. it

Amendment 33
Vincent Peillon

Motion for a resolution
Citation 24

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the conflict in Iraq and Syria is exacerbating regional tensions, *with the* risk of political confrontation between Sunni and Shia *extending* beyond *their* immediate borders *and jeopardising* other countries in the region;

Amendment

– whereas the conflict in Iraq and Syria, *like the conflict in Yemen*, is exacerbating regional tensions; *whereas the religious cause is being used as a tool to further interests of politics and power; whereas this creates a* risk of confrontation between Sunni and Shia *that extends* beyond immediate *geographical* borders *and threatens* other countries in the region

Or. fr

Amendment 34
Alyn Smith
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Citation 24

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the conflict in Iraq and Syria is exacerbating regional tensions, with the risk of political *confrontation between Sunni and Shia extending beyond their immediate borders and jeopardising other* countries *in the region*;

Amendment

– whereas the conflict in Iraq and Syria is exacerbating regional *and international* tensions, with the risk of political *instrumentalization of religion and ethnicity further deteriorating the situation in these* countries *and beyond*;

Or. en

Amendment 35
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Citation 24

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the conflict in Iraq and Syria is exacerbating regional tensions, with the risk of political confrontation between Sunni and Shia extending beyond their immediate borders **and jeopardising** other countries in the region;

Amendment

– whereas the conflict in Iraq and Syria is exacerbating regional tensions, with the risk of political confrontation between Sunni and Shia extending beyond their immediate borders, **destabilising** other countries in the region **and further affecting European security**;

Or. en

Amendment 36
Neena Gill

Motion for a resolution
Citation 24

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the **conflict** in Iraq and Syria **is** exacerbating regional tensions, with the risk of political confrontation between Sunni and Shia extending beyond their immediate borders and jeopardising other countries in the region;

Amendment

– whereas the **respective conflicts** in Iraq and Syria **are** exacerbating regional tensions, with the risk of political confrontation between Sunni and Shia extending beyond their immediate borders and jeopardising other countries in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 37
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Citation 24

Motion for a resolution

– whereas the ***conflict in Iraq and Syria*** is exacerbating regional tensions, with the risk of political confrontation between Sunni and Shia extending beyond their immediate borders and jeopardising other countries in the region;

Amendment

– whereas the ***conflicts in Iraq, Syria, Yemen and Libya*** are exacerbating regional tensions, with the risk of political confrontation between Sunni and Shia extending beyond their immediate borders and jeopardising other countries in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 38

Alyn Smith, Ernest Urtasun

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Citation 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- whereas most countries of the MENA region may be characterised by a lack of democratic and inclusive governance, widespread human rights violations and impunity, exclusion or discrimination against women and girls, pervasive corruption and socio-economic marginalization of a number of social groups, sectarianism, all of which provide an enabling environment for instability;

Or. en

Amendment 39

Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution

Citation 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– whereas the fighting in Yemen is a

reflection of the latent conflict between Iran and Saudi Arabia and whereas the EU must take up a position equidistant between the two and, in particular, not in any way encourage military solutions or a proxy war between the two Middle Eastern countries;

Or. it

Amendment 40
Tunne Kelam

Motion for a resolution
Citation 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- whereas violence in Yemen is deteriorating; whereas extremist rebel groups in Yemen, some of them supported by Iran, have seized large territories; whereas attacks have been launched targeting refugee camps, hospitals, schools and civilian facilities;

Or. en

Amendment 41
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Citation 25

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the limited influence of the European Union in the region and the declining influence of the Member States; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

deleted

Amendment 42
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Citation 25

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the **limited influence of the European Union** in the region **and the declining influence of the Member States**; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Amendment

– having regard to the European **Union's regrettable lack of influence** in the region; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Or. it

Amendment 43
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Citation 25

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the limited influence of the European Union in the region and the declining influence of the Member States; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in **the** region;

Amendment

– having regard to the limited influence of the European Union in the region and the declining influence of the Member States; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in **promoting conflict resolution and democratic governance in the MENA** region;

Or. en

Amendment 44
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Citation 25

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the limited influence of the European Union *in the region* and the *declining* influence of the Member States; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Amendment

– having regard to the limited influence of the European Union and the *very unequal* influence of *its Member States in the region*; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 45
Francisco José Millán Mon

Motion for a resolution
Citation 25

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the *limited* influence of the European Union in the region *and the declining influence of the Member States*; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Amendment

– having regard to the *need to increase the* influence of the European Union in the region whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 46
Neena Gill

Motion for a resolution
Citation 25

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the limited influence of the European Union in the region and the declining influence of the Member States; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Amendment

– having regard to the limited influence of the European Union in the region and the declining influence of the Member States; whereas ***long-term*** political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; ***whereas achieving inclusive democratic reform will be crucial in bringing this about***; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 47

Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution

Citation 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the limited influence of the European Union in the region and the declining influence of the Member States; whereas political and economic stability in the MENA region is of fundamental strategic importance to the Union; whereas the Union accordingly has a major role to play in the region;

Amendment

– ***whereas a concerted EU strategy in the MENA region has been made impossible by the actions of some Member States, which include involvement in NATO's military intervention in Libya in 2011;***

Or. it

Amendment 48

Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution

Citation 26

Motion for a resolution

– whereas EU aid to MENA countries has in the past been too fragmented and too slow to adapt to the political and economic

Amendment

– whereas EU aid to MENA countries has in the past been too fragmented and too slow to adapt to the political and economic

needs of the countries concerned, **thereby undermining** the EU's capacity to play a **major** role in the region;

needs of the countries concerned **and whereas the EU has failed properly to monitor the use made of that aid; whereas these failings have undermined** the EU's capacity to play **an effective** role in the region;

Or. it

Amendment 49
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Citation 26

Motion for a resolution

– whereas EU aid to MENA countries has in the past been too fragmented and too slow to adapt to the political and economic needs of the countries concerned, thereby undermining the EU's capacity to play a major role in the region;

Amendment

– whereas EU **development and emergency** aid to MENA countries has in the past been too fragmented and too slow to adapt to the political and economic needs of the countries concerned, thereby undermining the **full potential of the ENP and of** EU's capacity to play a major role **and interact positively** in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 50
Vincent Peillon

Motion for a resolution
Citation 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

- whereas the upheavals in the MENA region have an impact on the EU's capacity to promote its political and democratic values; whereas they affect the development of its economic relations with the countries in question and could jeopardise its energy security;

Amendment 51
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Citation 27

Motion for a resolution

– whereas EU aid to the MENA countries, particularly under the European Neighbourhood Instrument, has in the past too often adopted the same indiscriminate strategic approach, failing to distinguish sufficiently between the specific situations in the countries concerned;

Amendment

– whereas EU aid to the MENA countries, particularly under the European Neighbourhood Instrument, has in the past too often adopted the same indiscriminate strategic approach, failing to distinguish sufficiently between the specific situations in the countries concerned; ***whereas the attempts at democratisation that were made following the ‘Arab Spring’ uprisings needed to be actively supported on the basis of an organised, long-term approach;***

Or. it

Amendment 52
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Citation 27

Motion for a resolution

– whereas EU ***aid*** to the MENA countries, particularly under the European Neighbourhood Instrument, has in the past too often adopted the same indiscriminate strategic approach, failing to distinguish sufficiently between the specific situations in the countries concerned;

Amendment

– whereas EU ***assistance*** to the MENA countries, particularly under the European Neighbourhood Instrument, has in the past too often adopted the same indiscriminate strategic approach, failing to distinguish sufficiently between the specific situations in the countries concerned ***and failing to identify civil society partners needing empowerment and capacity building assistance;***

Amendment 53
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Citation 27

Motion for a resolution

– whereas EU aid to the MENA countries, particularly under the European Neighbourhood Instrument, has in the past too often adopted the same indiscriminate strategic approach, failing to distinguish sufficiently between the specific situations in the countries concerned;

Amendment

– whereas EU aid to the MENA countries, particularly under the European Neighbourhood Instrument, has in the past too often adopted the same indiscriminate strategic approach, failing to distinguish sufficiently between the specific situations in the countries concerned ***and, in particular, to take account of the aid's social and economic impact in those countries;***

Or. it

Amendment 54
Aldo Patriciello

Motion for a resolution
Citation 27

Motion for a resolution

– whereas EU aid to the MENA countries, particularly under the European ***Neighbourhood Instrument***, has in the past too often adopted the same indiscriminate strategic approach, failing to distinguish sufficiently between the specific situations in the countries concerned;

Amendment

– whereas EU aid to the MENA countries, particularly under the European ***neighbourhood policy***, has in the past too often adopted the same indiscriminate strategic approach, failing to distinguish sufficiently between the specific situations in the countries concerned;

Or. it

Amendment 55
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Citation 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– whereas, rather than offering support for the economic and social reforms to be carried out by the democratically endorsed governments, the EU has preferred to endorse IMF financial intervention proposals that could well result in those governments having still less money to spend on protecting their peoples' human rights;

Or. it

Amendment 56
Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán

Motion for a resolution
Citation 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- whereas, taking into consideration the two previous points, the EU is not a military actor (with the exception of France and Great Britain) and has a limited military dimension in issues where the EU should give immediate answers; whereas EU responses should be decisive due to its economic and political potential;

Or. en

Amendment 57
Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán, Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution
Citation 27 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- whereas the so-called "democratic clause", contained usually in article 2 of most of the Agreements signed between the EU and third countries, gives the EU a strategic tool to demand for solutions to conflicts in which human rights are not fully respected; whereas the EU has not deeply developed this possibility;

Or. en

Amendment 58
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Citation 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– whereas *having been forced take emergency measures in response to successive crises that it failed to anticipate in the MENA region*, the European Union has been unable to analyse the key elements or deal with the complexity of the situation, expectations and prospects created by the Arab uprisings of 2011; whereas, above all, it has failed to respond to the need for a very long-term strategy for genuine democratic transition and political stability; whereas, acting on the instructions issued by the European Council of December 2013, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) launched a major strategic reflection process; whereas a broad consultation process was launched by the Commission, the European External Action Service (EEAS) for a review of the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP);

– whereas, *despite a number of factors pointing to the likelihood of instability* in the MENA *countries*, the European Union has been unable to analyse the key elements or deal with the complexity of the situation, expectations and prospects created by the Arab uprisings of 2011; whereas, above all, it has failed to respond to the need for a very long-term strategy for genuine democratic transition and political stability; whereas, acting on the instructions issued by the European Council of December 2013, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) launched a major strategic reflection process; whereas a broad consultation process was launched by the Commission, the European External Action Service (EEAS) for a review of the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP);

Amendment 59
Aldo Patriciello

Motion for a resolution
Citation 28

Motion for a resolution

– whereas having been forced take emergency measures in response to successive crises that it failed to anticipate in the MENA region, the **European Union** has been unable to analyse the key elements or deal with the complexity of the situation, expectations and prospects created by the Arab uprisings of 2011; whereas, above all, it has failed to respond to the need for a very long-term strategy for genuine democratic transition and political stability; whereas, acting on the instructions issued by the European Council of December 2013, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) launched a major strategic reflection process; whereas a broad consultation process was launched by the Commission, the European External Action Service (EEAS) for a review of the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP);

Amendment

– whereas ***the EEAS was set up at the time of the Arab revolutions, the European Union*** having been forced ***to*** take emergency measures in response to successive crises that it failed to anticipate in the MENA region, ***and whereas the EU*** has been unable to analyse the key elements or deal with the complexity of the situation, expectations and prospects created by the Arab uprisings of 2011; whereas, above all, it has failed to respond to the need for a very long-term strategy for genuine democratic transition and political stability; whereas, acting on the instructions issued by the European Council of December 2013, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) launched a major strategic reflection process; whereas a broad consultation process was launched by the Commission, the European External Action Service (EEAS) for a review of the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP);

Or. it

Amendment 60
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Citation 28

Motion for a resolution

– whereas having been forced take emergency measures in response to successive crises that it failed to anticipate in the MENA region, the European Union has been unable to analyse the key elements or deal with the complexity of the situation, expectations and prospects created by the Arab uprisings of 2011; whereas, above all, it has failed to respond to the need for a very long-term strategy for genuine democratic transition and political stability; whereas, acting on the instructions issued by the European Council of December 2013, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) launched a major strategic reflection process; whereas a broad consultation process was launched by the Commission, the European External Action Service (EEAS) for a review of the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP);

Amendment

– whereas having been forced take emergency measures in response to successive crises that it failed to anticipate in the MENA region, the European Union has been unable to analyse the key elements or deal with the complexity of the situation, expectations and prospects created by the Arab uprisings of 2011; whereas, above all, it has failed to respond to the need for a very long-term strategy for genuine democratic transition, ***economic development*** and political stability; whereas, acting on the instructions issued by the European Council of December 2013, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) launched a major strategic reflection process; whereas a broad consultation process was launched by the Commission, the European External Action Service (EEAS) for a review of the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP);

Or. en

Amendment 61
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Citation 28

Motion for a resolution

– whereas having been forced take emergency measures in response to successive crises that it failed to anticipate in the MENA region, the European Union has been unable to analyse the key elements or deal with the complexity of the situation, expectations and prospects created by the Arab uprisings of 2011; whereas, above all, it has failed to respond

Amendment

– whereas having been forced take emergency measures in response to successive crises that it failed to anticipate in the MENA region, the European Union has been unable to analyse the key elements or deal with the complexity of the situation, expectations and prospects created by the Arab uprisings of 2011; whereas, above all, it has failed to respond

to the need for a very long-term strategy *for* genuine democratic transition and political stability; whereas, acting on the instructions issued by the European Council of December 2013, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) launched a major strategic reflection process; whereas a broad consultation process was launched by the Commission, the European External Action Service (EEAS) for a review of the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP);

to the need for a very long-term strategy *to sustain and assist* genuine democratic transition and political stability; whereas, acting on the instructions issued by the European Council of December 2013, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) launched a major strategic reflection process; whereas a broad consultation process was launched by the Commission, the European External Action Service (EEAS) for a review of the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP);

Or. fr

Amendment 62
Vincent Peillon

Motion for a resolution
Citation 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- whereas the European Union, if it is to exert a positive influence on the MENA countries, must be able to do more than just hold out the prospect of economic cooperation, in particular by offering a large-scale political and strategic partnership;

Or. fr

Amendment 63
Michèle Alliot-Marie

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Addressing the security situation

Addressing the *threats and the* security situation

Amendment 64

Alyn Smith, Ernest Urtasun

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph -1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

-1. Calls on the EU and its Member States to address the root causes of the rapidly deteriorating situation across the MENA region, through a holistic and ambitious approach rather than addressing part of the consequences of this situation as embodied in the so-called Islamic State;

Or. en

Amendment 65

Alyn Smith, Ernest Urtasun

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph -1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

-1. Reminds the EU and its Member States that stability in the MENA region ultimately depends on the ability to address the legitimate demands of the local populations, notably as expressed during the Arab Spring of 2011; calls on them not to repeat the mistakes of the past and not to view the MENA region through the lens of short-term security threats only;

Or. en

Amendment 66
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS *in Iraq*; **notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets**; stresses *however* that a response must be found at **political and** regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the **EU** Member States **participating in the international coalition** against ISIS **whether in the form of direct strikes on ISIS targets or through logistical, financial and humanitarian participation**; **notes that these actions, whether military, financial or humanitarian, could usefully be coordinated under the auspices of the European Union, if necessary as part of a CSDP operation**; stresses that **in the longer term a political** response must **also** be found at regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Or. fr

Amendment 67
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by **the** Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve **CSDP targets**; stresses *however* that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by **our** Member States against ISIS in Iraq, **but stresses that action in all fronts should have been more coordinated and articulated among Member States and the EU**; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union, **including the Union's Common Security and Defence Policy**; to this end, calls on the EU to develop

facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, *in particular* Saudi Arabia *and* Iran;

sufficient operational capacity *and strategic autonomy* to achieve *CFSP and CSDP objectives and goals, including articulation of emergency and long-term development assistance*; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to *take on the role of main facilitator of a* regional dialogue involving all *regional* stakeholders, *including* Saudi Arabia, *Iran and Turkey*;

Or. en

Amendment 68

Marielle de Sarnez, Hilde Vautmans

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; *notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end*, calls on the EU to *develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets*; stresses *however* that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia *and* Iran;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; *calls urgently for greater international and European mobilisation in the humanitarian, economic, political and military spheres*; calls on the EU *to put in place a common European defence policy and develop operational capacities to that end*; stresses that a response must *also* be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia, *Iran and Turkey*;

Or. fr

Amendment 69

Aymeric Chauprade, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out *under the auspices of the European Union*; to this end, calls on the EU to *develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets*; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out *by cooperation between the national defence forces of the EU Member States*; to this end, calls on the EU to *confine itself to a coordinating role in peace-keeping operations, in line with the principles of subsidiarity and the sovereignty of Member States*; stresses however that a response must *first* be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Or. fr

Amendment 70

Alyn Smith

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; *notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets*; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq, *yet regrets its superficial nature when a more comprehensive response to the region's crisis requires to act against crimes perpetrated by all groups and Governments, notably those of the Syrian Government and other armed groups*; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia

and Iran;

Or. en

Amendment 71
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. **Welcomes** the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; **notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end**, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia **and** Iran;

Amendment

1. **Notes** the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia, Iran, **Turkey and Egypt, and taking the form of political and diplomatic talks and, at the same time, intercultural dialogue involving religious leaders, civil society and reformist Islamic political movements;**

Or. it

Amendment 72
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; **notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational**

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; stresses however that a **long-term** response must be found **at a** regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving

capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found *at political and regional level* to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran; *notes the recent announcement by the Arab League to form a standing, rapid-response unit, with a particular emphasis on fighting ISIS and other emerging terrorist groups*;

Or. en

Amendment 73
Cristian Dan Preda

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against *ISIS* in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by *ISIS*; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Amendment

1. *Supports the global campaign against IS and welcomes the commitment of the coalition partners to work together under a common, multifaceted and long-term strategy to degrade and defeat IS; welcomes in particular the* action taken by the Member States against *IS* in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by *IS and other terrorist groups*; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia, *Turkey* and Iran;

Or. en

Amendment 74
Javier Couso Permuy, Pablo Iglesias

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. **Welcomes** the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; **notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets;** stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Amendment

1. **Notes** the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS **on the basis of respect for international law and the United Nations Charter;** calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Or. es

Amendment 75

Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq, **especially by the directly involved, France and Great Britain, and asks for a more complete and active involvement (even military) of all the EU member states;** notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Or. en

Amendment 76
Michèle Alliot-Marie

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the **challenge presented by** ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular **Saudi Arabia** and Iran;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq **and Syria**; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must **first** be found at political and regional level to the **issue of combating** ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular **the countries of the Arabian Peninsula** and Iran;

Or. fr

Amendment 77
Ioan Mircea Paşcu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found **at** political and **regional level** to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a **tailored** response must be found **based on the** political and **cross-regional differences** to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in

and Iran;

particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Or. en

Amendment 78

Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia **and Iran**;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the auspices of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS, ***Al Nusrah Front and other terrorist groups***; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia, ***Iran and Turkey***;

Or. en

Amendment 79

Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the ***auspices*** of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however

Amendment

1. Welcomes the action taken by the Member States against ISIS in Iraq; notes that this type of operation should be carried out under the ***coordination*** of the European Union; to this end, calls on the EU to develop sufficient operational capacity to achieve CSDP targets; stresses however

that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

that a response must be found at political and regional level to the challenge presented by ISIS; calls on the EU to facilitate regional dialogue involving all stakeholders, in particular Saudi Arabia and Iran;

Or. en

Amendment 80
Vincent Peillon

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1a. Stresses the importance of a constant EU political presence at the highest level to secure a long-term strategic political dialogue and a genuine joint debate with the MENA countries on what they need to achieve internal political stability and promote regional stability in partnership with the EU;

Or. fr

Amendment 81
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to

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ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. en

Amendment 82
Angel Dzhambazki

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Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; ***emphasises that it is absolutely essential for the EU to discuss and adopt a Community approach to countering disintegrative processes in the Middle East and North Africa and a strategy to combat Daesh and the other Islamist groups threatening the security of that region;*** calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. bg

Amendment 83
Vincent Peillon

Motion for a resolution
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Or. fr

Amendment 84
Aymeric Chauprade, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
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Motion for a resolution

2. Stresses that the European Union will only *gain real influence* on the international scene if it is able to *speak with one voice*; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to *appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her*, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union *can* only *pursue a multilateral policy* on the international scene if it is able to *respect the prerogatives of the Member States in defence matters*; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to *take advantage of all the potential accorded her by the Treaties for enhanced cooperation, thus enabling the European Union to fully exploit its coordinating role in order* to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 85
Marielle de Sarnez, Hilde Vautmans

Motion for a resolution
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2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; ***calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her***, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; ***calls, therefore, on the EU to speedily put in place a genuine common foreign policy; calls on the HR/VP to appoint representatives at the highest level*** to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 86

Javier Couso Permuy, Pablo Iglesias

Motion for a resolution

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Motion for a resolution

2. ***Stresses*** that ***the*** European Union ***will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice***; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. ***Regrets*** that European Union ***security and defence policy is governed by the tendency for foreign policy to follow the United States and NATO model***; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. es

Amendment 87

Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution

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2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to ***appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e.*** EU foreign ministers or ***very senior*** political figures ***acting on her instructions and together with her***, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to ***put pressure on EU Member States'*** foreign ministers or ***on*** political figures ***recognised by regional actors***, to ensure, ***on her authority and on behalf of the Union, that*** a constant ***high-level*** dialogue ***takes place*** with the countries of the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 88
Ioan Mircea Paşcu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice ***and by ensuring coherence and complementarity between the internal and external aspects of EU security policies***; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. en

Amendment 89
Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. ***EU foreign ministers*** ***or*** very senior political figures acting on her instructions and ***together with her***, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. very senior political figures acting on her instructions and ***to work closely with EU foreign ministers***, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. en

Amendment 90
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. ***EU foreign ministers*** ***or very senior political figures*** acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. en

Amendment 91
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only gain real influence on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures, ***who are highly experienced and have proved their worth***, acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. it

Amendment 92

Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Stresses that the European Union will only ***gain real influence*** on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Amendment

2. Stresses that the European Union will only ***be an effective player*** on the international scene if it is able to speak with one voice; calls on the VP/HR accordingly to appoint representatives at the highest level, i.e. EU foreign ministers or very senior political figures acting on her instructions and together with her, to ensure a constant dialogue with the countries of the region;

Or. en

Amendment 93

Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2 a (new)

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Amendment

2a. Stresses the importance and necessity of effective implementation of the following initiatives in the course of 2015: supporting capacity building projects and activities with MENA countries, countering radicalisation and violent extremism, promoting international cooperation, addressing underlying factors and ongoing crises and strengthening partnership with key countries, including strengthening political dialogue with the League of Arab States, the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation, The African Union and other relevant regional coordination structures, such as G5 Sahel;

Or. en

Amendment 94

Javier Couso Permuy, Pablo Iglesias

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. ***Recalls*** that the emergence of ISIS *is* a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the ***Arab world***, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. ***Takes the view*** that the ***invasion of Iraq and foreign interference in Syria's internal affairs have been a breeding ground for the*** emergence ***and expansion*** of ISIS, ***which are also*** a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; ***condemns the role that the United States, the Member States, Saudi Arabia, Qatar and Turkey have played in exacerbating the conflict;*** calls on the EU, together with the ***neighbouring countries and regional players***, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment 95**Aymeric Chauprade, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 3***Motion for a resolution*

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; ***calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach*** through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region, ***but is also the result of destabilisation operations carried out in the region with the complicity of the European Union, such as the war in Libya which ignited the Islamist powder keg; therefore insists that the European Union acknowledge its responsibility, as an essential precondition for tackling the Islamist problem***, through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations, ***together with the Arab world***;

Amendment 96**Arnaud Danjean****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 3***Motion for a resolution*

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS ***is a symptom of*** the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; ***calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach*** through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that ***ISIS has its roots in terrorist and insurgent groups in Iraq, and then in Syria, going back long before its spectacular emergence in 2014; stresses that the prominence of this group chiefly results from deep-seated institutional and security crises in Iraq and Syria; concedes, however, that*** the economic, political, social and cultural

crisis afflicting the region *has provided fertile soil for its expansion*; calls *therefore* on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. fr

Amendment 97
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations; *points out that, unless a practical, sustainable solution is found to these problems, military action to neutralise the threat posed by ISIS will not only be more difficult but could ultimately prove unproductive, because the persistence of extremely harsh economic and social conditions is encouraging the spread of fundamentalism and terrorism in the communities concerned*;

Or. it

Amendment 98
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is *a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region*; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is *proof of the enormous influence that jihadist propaganda can have, in particular on young people, when not properly controlled*; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. it

Amendment 99
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. *Stresses that the stability and security of the MENA region is fundamental for the security of the Union*; recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. en

Amendment 100
Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that *the* emergence *of ISIS is a symptom of the* economic, political, social and cultural crisis *afflicting* the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that *ISIS is a terrorist organisation aiming for regional influence and that its* emergence *represents an opportunistic ambition of power and wealth at a time of* economic, political, social and cultural crisis *in* the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. en

Amendment 101
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach *through an approach* based on security, political, economic, social and cultural *considerations*;

Amendment

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach based on security, political, *capacity for democratic governance, job creation*, economic, social and cultural *development*;

Or. en

Amendment 102
Marielle de Sarnez, Hilde Vautmans

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is *a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region*; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is *a challenge to the whole world*; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes *of radicalisation* and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. fr

Amendment 103
Mariya Gabriel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis *afflicting* the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis *and of the recurrent security and border management problems affecting* the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. fr

Amendment 104
Alyn Smith
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the emergence of **ISIS** is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach **through an approach** based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that **all-out Government repression and** the emergence of **extremist groups such as the so-called IS are** a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach **not only** based on security, **but also on** political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. en

Amendment 105

Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that the emergence of ISIS is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations, **whereby inclusivity should be a guiding principle**;

Or. en

Amendment 106

Neena Gill

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that the **emergence of ISIS** is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. Recalls that the **rise and spread of terrorist groups in MENA** is a symptom of the economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. en

Amendment 107

Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. **Recalls** that the emergence of ISIS **is a symptom of the** economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Amendment

3. **Notes** that the emergence of ISIS **can be partly attributed to the** economic, political, social and cultural crisis afflicting the region; calls on the EU, together with the Arab world, to assess the root causes and adopt a global approach through an approach based on security, political, economic, social and cultural considerations;

Or. en

Amendment 108

Tunne Kelam

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3a. Points out that faith based violence

against religious minorities, especially against Christians in several MENA countries and Yezidism in Iraq has reached extreme levels in the last couple of years and is presenting existential danger for the minorities in question; calls on the European Union to step up its efforts in advocating for active protection of religious minorities and providing for safe havens;

Or. en

Amendment 109

Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon, ***which are absorbing the biggest share of refugees in proportion to their population;*** is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; ***calls on the EU to help the host countries in providing education and health care to the refugees;*** welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP); ***calls on the EU Member States to increase their commitments regarding the refugee crisis in terms of financial resources and resettlement of the most vulnerable refugees;***

Or. en

Amendment 110
Mariya Gabriel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon, ***responding to their urgent short-term needs while also envisaging, with these two partner countries, the possibility of a prolonged crisis and thus the need for long-term solutions that will help both the refugees and their host countries***; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Or. fr

Amendment 111
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for

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humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

humanitarian aid; ***calls on the Commission to supply detailed estimates of the expenditure required on the various items, with a view to ensuring that the aid is as effective and transparent as possible, and to present a detailed report to Parliament after the event***; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Or. it

Amendment 112
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon, ***that host around two million Syrian refugees***; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation ***and calls, therefore, on the EU to work with other partners, namely the UNHCR and UNICEF, to address persisting problems in refugee and IDPs camps in Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon and Turkey, especially in relation to lack of schooling for youth and children***; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and

under the Instrument contributing to
Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Or. en

Amendment 113
Javi López, Elena Valenciano

Motion for a resolution
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Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; **welcomes the attempts to tailor EU humanitarian assistance to gender and age specific needs**; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon **and recognizes their efforts in hosting and assisting refugees; stresses the importance that these two countries facilitate refugees' safe passage into their territories and respect the principle of non refoulement**; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Or. en

Amendment 114
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; ***emphasizes the strategic importance of a significant and efficient EU humanitarian assistance in order to limit as much as possible the effects of the conflict on the civilians***; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon ***which are facing an unprecedented wave of refugees***; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Or. en

Amendment 115

Alyn Smith

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; ***expresses its deep concern that such an approach runs against the principles upon which humanitarian aid should be independent of foreign policy and hence has made the work of European humanitarian***

under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

organizations even more dangerous in ISIS-controlled territory; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Or. en

Amendment 116

Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán, Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution

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4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan *and Lebanon*; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan, *Lebanon and Syria*; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP); *invites international organizations (UN, LAS) to guarantee the necessary security in refugee camps in Syria through deployment of neutral troops*;

Or. en

Amendment 117

Marie-Christine Vergiat, Pablo Iglesias, Javier Couso Permuy

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned *that, as a result of* extreme poverty and deprivation, *refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation*; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; *calls for aid to be brought to the canton of Kobani as a matter of urgency*; is concerned *at the situation in the refugee camps resulting from* extreme poverty and deprivation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Or. fr

Amendment 118
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan *and Lebanon*; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan, *Lebanon and the Kurdistan Regional Government*; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and

Peace (IcSP);

Or. en

Amendment 119
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Amendment

4. Notes the allocation of EUR one billion under the EU strategy entitled 'Elements of an EU Regional Strategy for Syria and Iraq as well as the Da'esh threat' , under which EUR 400 million has been earmarked for humanitarian aid; calls for special attention to be given to Jordan and Lebanon; is concerned that, as a result of extreme poverty and deprivation, refugee camps may become a hotbed of radicalisation ***and at any rate constitute, in the long term, destabilising factors for their host countries***; welcomes the funds for host populations under the new strategy and under the Instrument contributing to Stability and Peace (IcSP);

Or. fr

Amendment 120
Javi López, Elena Valenciano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4a. Notes the continuous increase of asylum applications from Syria and Iraq and calls on the EU member states to step up their efforts in hosting asylum seekers and in swiftly addressing the stock of

pending cases;

Or. en

Amendment 121

Alyn Smith

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the *Arab Peninsula* in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; *stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world;* stresses also the urgent need for a *decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;*

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the *region* in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; *reiterates its call on all countries of the region to prevent individuals, private and public entities from funding or facilitating funding of terrorist organizations and the Syrian Government's individuals and companies under EU sanctions;* stresses also the urgent need for *an increased cooperation between customs authorities at the border of Turkey, Iraq and Syria to ensure equipment shipped for mobile oil refineries is not provided to extremist groups or the Syrian Government;*

Or. en

Amendment 122

Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. **Welcomes** the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Amendment

5. **Notes** the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors **and participation in schemes for regional cooperation in monitoring capital movements, with a view to establishing close cooperation and a system of cross-checks between GCC countries, EU institutions and other regional stakeholders**; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS **and for harsh penalties for buyers**;

Or. it

Amendment 123

Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán, Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of **waqfs and** private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world;

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS, **the OIC (Organization of Islamic Cooperation) and the GCC**, so as

stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS ***and to put strict sanctions to those institutions, companies and/or individuals directly or indirectly involved in commercialization (import and export), financing and oil trafficking;***

Or. en

Amendment 124
Vincent Peillon

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of ***waqfs and*** private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS; ***notes the growing responsibilities being assumed by the states of the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) and Egypt on the regional scene; calls on these states to coordinate any intervention with the League of Arab States (LAS) and the international community;***

Or. fr

Amendment 125
Afzal Khan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, **for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors**; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by **the Arab world**; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by **international actors**; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Or. en

Amendment 126
Michèle Alliot-Marie

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; **stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine**

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world;

oil sales by ISIS;

Or. fr

Amendment 127

Pablo Iglesias, Javier Couso Permuy, Marie-Christine Vergiat

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. **Welcomes** the involvement of *the countries of the Arab Peninsula* in the *international coalition* against ISIS; urges *their* governments to redouble their efforts to **prevent the** financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Amendment

5. **Urges** the involvement of *regional governments* in the *fight* against ISIS; urges *the* governments *of countries of the Arab Peninsula* to redouble their efforts to **stop** financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Or. en

Amendment 128

Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of *the* countries of the *Arab Peninsula* in the international coalition against ISIS; urges *their* governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of *some* countries of the *MENA region* in the international coalition against ISIS; urges *all* governments *in the region and the international community* to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example

donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Or. fr

Amendment 129

Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; ***urges them to prevent the sponsoring of proxy wars in Syria and in Libya***; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by ***actors in*** the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Or. en

Amendment 130

Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to **redouble** their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to **step up** their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by the Arab world; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Or. it

Amendment 131

Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by **the Arab world**; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Amendment

5. Welcomes the involvement of the countries of the Arab Peninsula in the international coalition against ISIS; urges their governments to redouble their efforts to prevent the financing of international terrorism, for example through including increased surveillance of waqfs and private donors; stresses the urgent need to introduce an efficient system of penalties coordinated with the LAS so as to put an end to ISIS financing by **all entities in the region**; stresses also the urgent need for a decryption system to deal with clandestine oil sales by ISIS;

Or. en

Amendment 132
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Stresses the need to open up channels for cultural and religious dialogue, alongside the political dialogue, with the Organisation of the Islamic Conference, reformist Islamic political and social movements and religious institutions in the MENA countries; believes it important for those channels for dialogue to be used primarily to seek better ways of putting across the importance of human rights in order to increase the chances of them being taken into account in constitutional changes that countries with an Islamic majority subsequently make independently;

Or. it

Amendment 133
Aymeric Chauprade, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS; welcomes in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the regular organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution; ***is convinced that these crises highlight the need for the***

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS; welcomes in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the regular organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution;

LAS to be transformed by its members into a fully-fledged executive body genuinely capable of taking binding decisions;

Or. fr

Amendment 134
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS; welcomes in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the regular organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution; *is convinced that these crises highlight the need for the LAS to be transformed by its members into a fully-fledged executive body genuinely capable of taking binding decisions;*

Amendment

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS; welcomes in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the regular organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution;

Or. en

Amendment 135
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS; welcomes

Amendment

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in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the regular organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution; is convinced that these crises highlight the need for the LAS to be transformed by its members into a fully-fledged executive body genuinely capable of taking binding decisions;

in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the regular organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution; is convinced that these crises highlight the need for the LAS to be transformed by its members into a fully-fledged executive body genuinely capable of taking binding decisions;
believes that it would be useful to establish the same type of dialogue as that pursued with the Arab League, possibly on a triangular basis, with the Organisation of the Islamic Conference;

Or. it

Amendment 136

Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán, Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS; welcomes in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the regular organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution; is convinced that these crises highlight the need for the LAS to be transformed by its members into a fully-fledged executive body genuinely capable of taking binding decisions;

Amendment

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS, **OIC and GCC**; welcomes in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the regular organisation of summits between the EU and LAS, **OIC, and GCC**; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS, **OIC and GCC** in terms of crisis resolution; is convinced that these crises highlight the need for the LAS, **OIC and GCC** to be transformed by its members into a fully-fledged executive body genuinely capable

of taking binding decisions;

Or. en

Amendment 137

Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS; welcomes in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the **regular** organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution; is convinced that these crises highlight the need for the LAS to be transformed by its members into a fully-fledged executive body genuinely capable of taking binding decisions;

Amendment

6. Stresses the importance of long-term strategic dialogue with the LAS; welcomes in this regard the declaration adopted in Athens on 11 June 2014 and the memorandum of understanding of January 2015 and calls for their full implementation; stresses the crucial importance of the organisation of summits between the EU and LAS; stresses the central role to be played by the LAS in terms of crisis resolution; is convinced that these crises highlight the need for the LAS to be transformed by its members into a fully-fledged executive body genuinely capable of taking binding decisions;

Or. en

Amendment 138

Michèle Alliot-Marie

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Notes the strategic cooperation between the European Union and the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC); stresses that the GCC could exert a positive political influence in the management of crises and conflicts in the MENA

countries;

Or. fr

Amendment 139

Alyn Smith, Ernest Urtasun

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. With regard to the authoritarian nature of most of the LAS countries, underlines the need to prevent the repetition of serious mistakes of the post-9/11 approach to counter-terrorism in particular cooperation and complicity in torture, illegal renditions, kidnappings, and extra-judicial killings which have seriously undermined core EU values and norms such as human rights, the rule of law, privacy and humanitarian law principles;

Or. en

Amendment 140

Alyn Smith, Ernest Urtasun

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6b. Insists on the importance of expanding the civil society component of the Euro-Arab dialogue as the indispensable counter-weight of any enhanced inter-governmental EU-LAS engagement; expresses its great concern that independent civil society

organizations are subject to increasing intimidation and harassment by security officials in a number of member states of the League of Arab States; recalls that an independent and strong civil society is paramount to reinforcing state institutions;

Or. en

Amendment 141

Alyn Smith

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6c. Calls on the EU and its Member States to ensure that assistance programmes in the field of criminal justice reform with the LAS States contribute to human rights-compliant investigations and prosecutions; deplores the lack of transparency of certain EU and Member States' programmes in this field and calls on the EU and Member States to make public information about what steps have been taken to ensure that no European support to such schemes contributes to human rights abuses in their target countries and to publish the text of bilateral agreements;

Or. en

Amendment 142

Pablo Iglesias, Javier Couso Permuy, Marie-Christine Vergiat

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses *also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;*

Amendment

7. Stresses *the urgent need for a political settlement for the conflict in Libya; supports the proposal of Algeria for national dialogue in Libya and calls regional actors to get involved on it; condemns the intervention carried out by NATO, in which some EU member states actively participated; recalls that the intervention of 2011 led to a humanitarian and political disaster for the Libyan people;*

Or. en

Amendment 143
Angel Dzhambazki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; *stresses the need to reintegrate* Iran into the international community *once* it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the *necessity and* importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses *that Turkey should play a far more active part in combating Daesh and should take the necessary steps to identify and arrest anyone associated with Islamic State present within its borders; considers that Iran needs to be reintegrated* into the international community *as soon as* it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only; *points out that cooperation with Iran to combat Daesh is a necessary and beneficial step and takes the stance that Iran should be considered a useful and active participant in the combating of Daesh;*

Or. bg

Amendment 144
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with *Turkey and* Iran; stresses *the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;*

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Iran; stresses *in this connection the importance of holding in-depth consultations with Iran while remaining extremely vigilant and insisting on the reality of Iran's international commitments, particularly with a view to a possible agreement on the nuclear issue;*

Or. fr

Amendment 145
Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only; *in this regard, calls on the VP/HR to pursue this endeavour after all outstanding issues pertaining to the nuclear file are addressed as part of the ongoing E3+3 – Iran negotiations and the subsequent implementation phase until confirmation by the relevant international bodies, including IAEA;*

Or. en

Amendment 146
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only; ***stresses the role of Turkey in the fight against ISIS and in the stabilisation of the entire region; notes that Turkey has become the country with the largest refugee community; stresses the need to step up the counter-terrorism cooperation with Turkey;***

Or. en

Amendment 147
Aymeric Chauprade, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international ***community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;***

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the ***multilateral dialogues which give structure to dealings on the*** international stage;

Or. fr

Amendment 148
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only; ***urges the EU to actively engage in promoting confidence building between Iran and Saudi Arabia and encourage both countries to prevent the fighting of proxy wars in other states in the region;***

Or. en

Amendment 149
Javi López, Elena Valenciano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only; ***welcomes the recent agreement reached by the EU3+3 and Iran on the latter's nuclear programme and hopes to see it translated into a final comprehensive agreement by the agreed deadline;***

Or. en

Amendment 150
Tunne Kelam

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only ***and has demonstrated credible political will to end exporting terrorism and arms into neighbouring countries in the region which has further destabilized the situation there;***

Or. en

Amendment 151
Charles Tannock, Bas Belder

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only; ***Notes Iran's role in the current conflict in Yemen; reminds Turkey of the important and strategic role it has to play in preventing the movement of ISIS recruits across its south-eastern border;***

Amendment 152

Alyn Smith

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its *intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only*;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its *commitment to non-proliferation*;

Amendment 153

Afzal Khan

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only;

Amendment

7. Stresses also the importance of regional dialogue with Turkey and Iran; stresses the need to reintegrate Iran into the international community, once it has provided definitive assurances and cast-iron guarantees of its intention to develop nuclear energy for civilian purposes only, *and to insist on the country's non-interference in internal affairs of the neighbouring countries*;

Amendment 154

Alyn Smith, Ernest Urtasun

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Underlines that the lack of progress towards a negotiated two-state solution in the Israel-Palestine conflict only leads to further violence and bloodshed and regional instability; calls on the EU to take its responsibility and become a genuine actor and facilitator in the Middle East peace process, including through a comprehensive peace initiative for the region based on the Arab Peace Initiative of 2002; calls on the EU institutions and Member States to take urgent steps to protect the viability of the two-state solution and to create a positive dynamic towards genuine peace negotiations; in this regard, calls on the EU to respond to the expansion of Israeli settlements by applying measures based on international law; calls on the Israeli authorities to immediately halt and revert its settlement policy; stresses that respect for international human rights and humanitarian law by all parties and in all circumstances remains an essential precondition for achieving a just and lasting peace; underlines the particular responsibility under international law of Israel, as the occupying power, to comply with international humanitarian and human rights law;

Or. en

Amendment 155

Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Emphasises the need to urge Turkey to act in a clear and consistent manner, without equivocation, and to take all possible steps to prevent and combat the provision of support to ISIS and, in particular, the use of Turkey as a country of transit by foreign fighters;

Or. it

Amendment 156
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Calls on the EU and its Member States to persuade Turkey, through the various institutional structures that exist for dealings with a candidate country and a member of NATO, to clear away certain ambiguities and to play its full role as a stabilising force in the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 157
Bas Belder, Charles Tannock

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Underlines that any nuclear deal between the E3+3 and the Islamic Republic of Iran not taking into account

the geopolitical context of the Middle East will only promote further destabilisation of the region;

Or. en

Amendment 158
Takis Hadjigeorgiou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Calls on Turkey immediately to withdraw its occupation forces from the Republic of Cyprus, an EU Member State, in accordance with UN Security Council Resolution 550 (1984); reaffirms its support for the talks being held between the Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot communities under UN auspices in a bid to resolve the problem of a bizonal, bicomunal federation with single sovereignty, single citizenship and a single international personality in accordance with UN resolutions; notes that a solution along these lines will contribute to peace and stability in the eastern Mediterranean;

Or. el

Amendment 159
Takis Hadjigeorgiou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7b. Notes that the Palestinian problem is the key to finding a solution and

achieving peace in the Middle East as a whole; calls therefore for an immediate end to the occupation of Palestine;

Or. el

Amendment 160
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. *Remains convinced that the stability of the MENA region is intrinsically linked to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict and the fact that Palestinian self-determination is still to be fully realised through the foundation of the State of Palestine in the West Bank and Gaza; recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security with Jerusalem as capital of both states; calls on the Israeli and Palestinian authorities to do their utmost to avoid conflict, as seen last in Gaza in the Summer of 2014; calls on the Hamas to halt belligerent rhetoric against Israel and work towards pacification and the re-construction of the Gaza Strip after the deadly war of 2014; calls on the Israeli government to take concrete steps showing its commitment to a two-state solution, to stop the policy of antagonisation of all Palestinian representatives and to halt all settlement expansion plans and settlement building in the West Bank; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo*

Conference of October 2014; *urges the EU to affirm itself as a facilitator of the Middle East Peace Process;*

Or. en

Amendment 161

Alyn Smith, Ernest Urtasun

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian **Authority** for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; *welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect*; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian **Unity Government** for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; *reiterates its full support to the 2002 Arab peace initiative*; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014; *expresses again its deep concern over the rapidly deteriorating humanitarian situation in the Gaza strip following Israel's siege which has affected the lives of 1.8 million Palestinians since 2007; stresses that such a collective punishment is illegal under international law and constitutes a breeding ground for extremist groups and is deeply counter-productive for the future stability and security of the region; is of the view that Israel's continuing occupation of the Palestinian territories plays a significant role in recruiting jihadi fighters, not only across the MENA region but also in EU Member States;*

Or. en

Amendment 162
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014; ***is gravely concerned about the human rights situation in the Gaza Strip and the Israeli settlements policy in the West Bank; calls on Israel to abide by the international agreements in this area; condemns the politically motivated arrest of Khalida Jarrar and calls for her release and that of the other political prisoners, including 16 other Palestinian Legislative Council Members, being held by the Israeli authorities;***

Or. it

Amendment 163
Vincent Peillon

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both

Amendment

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countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; ***stresses that any debate on resuming the peace process and on administrative and political control of the Gaza Strip by the Palestinian Authority would gain greatly by including the LAS; stresses the crucial role played by Egypt in bringing about the final ceasefire in the conflict between Hamas and Israel in summer 2014;*** calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Or. fr

Amendment 164
Bas Belder, Charles Tannock

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; ***takes note of the fact that the Palestinian Authority must put in place the political framework it has agreed of "one authority, one law, one security service" in order to engage as a partner in peace talks with Israel;*** calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014 ***and at the same time calls on the Palestinian Authority to keep its promises made to the international community and fully cooperate in the reconstruction efforts of***

the Gaza Strip;

Or. en

Amendment 165

Javier Nart, Fernando Maura Barandiarán, Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a *lasting* settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a *definitive* settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security *over the borders of 1967*; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on *Israel and* the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014; *establishes that Israel must put an end to occupation initiated nearly half a century ago; consequently, the end to occupation must take place by the end of 2016*;

Or. en

Amendment 166

Afzal Khan

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. *Recalls the need to put in place the conditions* for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the

Amendment

8. *Is deeply concerned by the stalemate in the dialogue and the mounting tensions between Israelis and Palestinians; urges* for a resumption of peace talks between

conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security ***and for serious and credible efforts by the both sides, the EU and international community in achieving this***; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Or. en

Amendment 167
Lars Adaktusson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014; ***expresses its concern about the fact that terrorist groups in Gaza are rearming themselves and have returned to smuggle weapons, manufacture rockets and build tunnels;***

Or. en

Amendment 168
Lars Adaktusson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014; ***calls on the Palestinian Authority to continue necessary internal institutional reform which is a prerequisite to receiving financial assistance from the international community.***

Or. en

Amendment 169
Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes ***and supports High Representative Mogherini's determination for the EU to step up its engagement in the Middle East Peace Process***; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls

on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Or. en

Amendment 170
Takis Hadjigeorgiou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict **based on** a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Amendment

8. **Condemns Israel's military attack on Gaza in 2014**; recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict; **reaffirms its constant call for** a solution enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security **along the 1967 border with Eastern Jerusalem as the capital**; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Or. el

Amendment 171
Javi López, Elena Valenciano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a solution enabling both

Amendment

8. Recalls the need to put in place the conditions for a resumption of peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority for a lasting settlement of the conflict based on a **two-state** solution

countries to live side by side in peace and security; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

enabling both countries to live side by side in peace and security ***in accordance with international law***; welcomes the 2002 peace initiatives and calls on the LAS countries to put them into effect; calls on international donors to honour the commitments made by them at the Cairo Conference of October 2014;

Or. en

Amendment 172

Pablo Iglesias, Javier Couso Permuy, Marie-Christine Vergiat

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Expresses deep concern at Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's stated lack of commitment to the creation of a Palestinian state; condemns Israel's disproportional use of force within and beyond its borders; demands that the Israel government issue formal apologies for the January 28th incidents in south Lebanon, including the bombing of UN installations and the killing of Francisco Javier Soria Toledo by the IDF, and to provide justice and reparation to the family of the soldier;

Or. en

Amendment 173

Bas Belder, Charles Tannock

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8a. Expresses its concern and condemns

the fact that terrorist groups in Gaza have re-engaged in smuggling weapons, manufacturing rockets and building tunnels, undermining the region's stability and the prospect of peace;

Or. en