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# **AMENDMENTS**

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**Draft report**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**  
(PE587.429v01-00)

on the Annual Report on Human Rights and Democracy in the World 2015 and  
the European Union's policy on the matter  
(2016/2219(INI))

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**Amendment 1**  
**Soraya Post**  
**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation -1 (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the Charter of the United Nations, in force since 24 October 1945,*

Or. en

**Amendment 2**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 1 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the core international human rights conventions, including the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities to which the EU is a party,*

Or. en

**Amendment 3**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 1 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the United Nations Convention of 18 December 1979 on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW)<sup>1a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup>

*<http://www.un.org/womenwatch/daw/ceda>*

**Amendment 4**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Filiz Hyusmenova, Julie Ward, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Nathalie Griesbeck, Marlene Mizzi**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 1 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child and to the Parliament's resolution of 27 November 2014 on the 25th anniversary of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child<sup>1a</sup>,***

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**<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted, P8\_TA(2014)0070.***

Or. en

**Amendment 5**

**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 1 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the International Convention of 18 December 1990 on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families<sup>1a</sup>,***

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**<sup>1a</sup>**

***<http://www.ohchr.org/EN/ProfessionalInterest/Pages/CMW.aspx>***

Or. fr

**Amendment 6**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 2 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and the Outcome document of the high-level plenary meeting of the General Assembly known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples<sup>1a</sup>,*

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*1a*

*[http://www.un.org/en/ga/search/view\\_doc.asp?symbol=A/RES/69/2](http://www.un.org/en/ga/search/view_doc.asp?symbol=A/RES/69/2)*

Or. en

**Amendment 7**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 2 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action adopted on 25 June 1993<sup>1a</sup>,*

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*1a*

*<http://www.ohchr.org/EN/ProfessionalInterest/Pages/Vienna.aspx>*

Or. en

**Amendment 8**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 2 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action of 1995<sup>1a</sup> and the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development (ICPD) of 1994<sup>2a</sup> and to the outcomes of their review conferences,*

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*1a*

*<http://www.un.org/womenwatch/daw/beijing/pdf/BDPfA%20E.pdf>*

*2a*

*[http://www.unfpa.org/sites/default/files/pub-pdf/programme\\_of\\_action\\_Web%20ENGLISH.pdf](http://www.unfpa.org/sites/default/files/pub-pdf/programme_of_action_Web%20ENGLISH.pdf)*

Or. en

## **Amendment 9**

**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 2 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the United Nations' Paris Principles on national human rights institutions (NHRI)<sup>1a</sup>,*

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*1a*

*[http://www.ohchr.org/Documents/Publications/PTS-4Rev1-NHRI\\_en.pdf](http://www.ohchr.org/Documents/Publications/PTS-4Rev1-NHRI_en.pdf)*

Or. en

## **Amendment 10**

**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 2 e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the report of 28 January 2016 on minorities and caste-based discrimination by the UN Special Rapporteur on Minority Issues<sup>1a</sup>,***

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*1a*

***[http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/RegularSessions/Session31/Documents/A\\_HRC\\_31\\_56\\_en.doc](http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/RegularSessions/Session31/Documents/A_HRC_31_56_en.doc)***

Or. en

**Amendment 11**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 2 f (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the United Nations report of 4 August 2015 on the effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of states on the full enjoyment of all human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights<sup>1a</sup>,***

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*1a*

***[http://www.un.org/ga/search/view\\_doc.asp?symbol=A/70/275&referer=/english/&F](http://www.un.org/ga/search/view_doc.asp?symbol=A/70/275&referer=/english/&F)***

Or. fr

**Amendment 12**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 2 g (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to UN Women's report of 6 May 2015 entitled 'Progress of***

*the World's Women 2015-2016:  
Transforming Economies, Realising  
Rights'* <sup>1a</sup>,

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*[http://progress.unwomen.org/en/2015/pdf/  
SUMMARY\\_FR.pdf](http://progress.unwomen.org/en/2015/pdf/SUMMARY_FR.pdf)*

Or. fr

**Amendment 13**

**María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 3 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to Article 25 of the  
EU Charter of Fundamental Rights on  
the rights of the elderly,*

Or. en

**Amendment 14**

**Tokia Saïfi**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 5 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to Article 207 of the  
Treaty on the Functioning of the  
European Union,*

Or. fr

**Amendment 15**

**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 5 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to Protocol (No 1)*



*of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) on the role of national Parliaments in the European Union,*

Or. el

**Amendment 16**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 5 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to Protocol (No 2) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) on the application of the principles of Subsidiarity and Proportionality,*

Or. el

**Amendment 17**  
**Laima Liucija Andrikiene**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 5 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the Global Strategy for the European Union's Foreign and Security Policy<sup>1a</sup>,*

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*1a*

*<https://europa.eu/globalstrategy/en/global-strategy-foreign-and-security-policy-european-union>*

Or. en

**Amendment 18**  
**Tokia Saïfi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 5 e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the document published by the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy on 28 June 2016 entitled ‘Shared Vision, Common Action: A Stronger Europe – A Global Strategy for the European Union’s Foreign and Security Policy’<sup>1a</sup>,***

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*1a*

***[https://eeas.europa.eu/top\\_stories/pdf/eugs\\_en.pdf](https://eeas.europa.eu/top_stories/pdf/eugs_en.pdf)***

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 19**

**Dennis de Jong, Peter van Dalen, Lars Adaktusson, Hannu Takkula, Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 8 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the EU Guidelines on the Promotion and Protection of Freedom of Religion or Belief<sup>1a</sup>,***

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***<sup>1a</sup> <http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A52013IP0279>***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 20**

**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 8 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the EU Guidelines on the Promotion and***

***Protection of Freedom of Religion or Belief<sup>1a</sup>,***

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<sup>1a</sup> <http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A52013IP0279>

Or. en

**Amendment 21**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 8 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the Guidelines to Promote and Protect the Enjoyment of All Human Rights by Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Intersex (LGBTI) Persons<sup>1a</sup>, adopted by the Council on 24 June 2013,***

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<sup>1a</sup>

[http://www.consilium.europa.eu/uedocs/cms\\_data/docs/pressdata/en/foraff/137584.pdf](http://www.consilium.europa.eu/uedocs/cms_data/docs/pressdata/en/foraff/137584.pdf)

Or. en

**Amendment 22**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 11 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the Council conclusions of 16 June 2016 on LGBTI equality<sup>1a</sup> and the List of actions by the Commission to advance LGBTI equality (2016-2019)<sup>2a</sup>,***

1a

<http://www.consilium.europa.eu/en/press/press-releases/2016/06/16-epsco-conclusions-lgbti-equality/>

2a

[http://ec.europa.eu/justice/discrimination/files/lgbti\\_actionlist\\_en.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/justice/discrimination/files/lgbti_actionlist_en.pdf)

Or. en

**Amendment 23**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 16 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the revised EU indicators for the Comprehensive approach to the EU implementation of UN Security Council Resolutions 1325 and 1820 on women, peace and security<sup>1a</sup>, adopted by the Council on 20 September 2016,*

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1a

<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-12525-2016-INIT/en/pdf>

Or. en

**Amendment 24**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 16 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the Council Decision of 21 March 2011 on the International Criminal Court and repealing Common Position 2003/444/CFSP<sup>1a</sup>,*

<sup>1a</sup> <http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=OJ:L:2011:076:0056:0058:EN:PDF>

Or. en

**Amendment 25**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 16 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the Council of Europe's Istanbul Convention of 11 May 2011 on preventing and combating violence against women and domestic violence<sup>1a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup>

<https://rm.coe.int/CoERMPublicCommonSearchServices/DisplayDCTMContent?documentId=090000168008482e>

Or. fr

**Amendment 26**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 16 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the adoption of a revised European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP),*

Or. en

**Amendment 27**  
**Tokia Saïfi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 16 e (new)**

- ***having regard to the joint communication of the Commission and the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy of 18 November 2015 entitled ‘Review of the European Neighbourhood Policy’<sup>1a</sup>,***

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***[http://eeas.europa.eu/enp/documents/2015/151118\\_joint-communication\\_review-of-the-enp\\_en.pdf](http://eeas.europa.eu/enp/documents/2015/151118_joint-communication_review-of-the-enp_en.pdf)***

Or. fr

**Amendment 28**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 16 f (new)**

- ***having regard to the European Agenda on Migration of 13 May 2015<sup>1a</sup>, and the Council conclusions on migration of 20 July<sup>2a</sup>, 14 September 2015<sup>3a</sup> and 22 September 2015<sup>4a</sup>,***

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*<sup>1a</sup> [http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/home-affairs/what-we-do/policies/european-agenda-migration/background-information/docs/communication\\_on\\_the\\_european\\_agenda\\_on\\_migration\\_en.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/home-affairs/what-we-do/policies/european-agenda-migration/background-information/docs/communication_on_the_european_agenda_on_migration_en.pdf)*

*2a*

***<http://www.consilium.europa.eu/en/press/press-releases/2015/07/20-fac-migration-conclusions/>***

*3a*

***<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-12002-2015-REV-1/en/pdf>***

*4a*

***<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/docu>***

**Amendment 29**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 16 g (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the Valletta Action Plan of 11-12 November 2015<sup>1a</sup>,*

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*1a*

*[www.consilium.europa.eu/en/meetings/international.../2015/11/action\\_plan\\_en\\_pdf](http://www.consilium.europa.eu/en/meetings/international.../2015/11/action_plan_en_pdf)*

Or. en

**Amendment 30**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 16 h (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the situation of the Euro-Mediterranean region and the necessity of the EU global strategy to address the migration issue,*

Or. en

**Amendment 31**

**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 16 i (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the UN Security Council Resolution of 13 October 2015 on women, peace and security*

*implementation<sup>1a</sup>,*

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*1a*

*[http://www.securitycouncilreport.org/atf/cf/%7B65BFCF9B-6D27-4E9C-8CD3-CF6E4FF96FF9%7D/s\\_res\\_2242.pdf](http://www.securitycouncilreport.org/atf/cf/%7B65BFCF9B-6D27-4E9C-8CD3-CF6E4FF96FF9%7D/s_res_2242.pdf)*

Or. en

**Amendment 32**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 16 j (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the UN Security Council Resolution of 19 June 2008 on sexual violence as war crimes<sup>1a</sup>,*

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*1a*

*<http://www.securitycouncilreport.org/atf/cf/%7B65BFCF9B-6D27-4E9C-8CD3-CF6E4FF96FF9%7D/CAC%20S%20RES%201820.pdf>*

Or. en

**Amendment 33**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 17 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the UN General Assembly Resolution of 18 December 2014 on the protection of migrants<sup>1a</sup>,*

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*1a*

*[http://www.un.org/en/ga/search/view\\_doc.asp?symbol=A/RES/69/167](http://www.un.org/en/ga/search/view_doc.asp?symbol=A/RES/69/167)*

Or. en



**Amendment 34**  
**Philippe Juvin**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

— *having regard to its resolution of  
xxx October 2016 on corporate liability  
for serious human rights abuses in third  
countries*<sup>13</sup>, *deleted*

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<sup>13</sup> NB: 2015/2315(INI). Plenary vote in  
October 2016.

Or. fr

**Amendment 35**  
**Philippe Juvin**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

— *having regard to its resolution of  
xxx September 2016 on human rights and  
migration in third countries*<sup>14</sup>, *deleted*

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<sup>14</sup> NB: 2015/2316(INI). Plenary vote in  
September 2016.

Or. fr

**Amendment 36**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 20 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to its resolution of  
13 September 2016 on the EU Trust Fund*

*for Africa: implications for development and humanitarian aid<sup>1a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted, P8\_TA(2016)0337.*

Or. en

**Amendment 37**  
**Philippe Juvin**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 23 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to its resolution of 4 February 2016 on the systematic mass murder of religious minorities by the self-styled ISIS/Daesh<sup>1a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted of that date,*  
*P8\_TA(2016)0051*

Or. fr

**Amendment 38**  
**Laima Liucija Andrikiienė**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to its resolution of 12 March 2015 on the Annual Report from the High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy to the European Parliament<sup>1a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted, P8\_TA(2015)0075.*

Or. en

**Amendment 39**  
**Laima Liucija Andrikiienė**

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**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 28 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to its resolution of 12 March 2015 on the EU's priorities for the UN Human Rights Council in 2015<sup>1a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted, P8\_TA(2015)0079.*

Or. en

**Amendment 40**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 30 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to its resolution of 10 October 2013 on caste-based discrimination<sup>1a</sup>, the report of 28 January 2016 on minorities and caste-based discrimination by the UN Special Rapporteur on Minority Issues<sup>2a</sup> and the letter of concern of 29 June 2016 on the topic addressed to the VP/HP Mogherini by Members of the European Parliament<sup>3a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted, P7\_TA(2013)0420.*

<sup>2a</sup>

*[http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/RegularSessions/Session31/Documents/A\\_HRC\\_31\\_56\\_en.doc](http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/RegularSessions/Session31/Documents/A_HRC_31_56_en.doc)*

<sup>3a</sup> *<http://idsn.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/06/Letter-to-HRVP-Mogherini-29-06-2016.pdf>*

Or. en

**Amendment 41**  
**Pier Antonio Panzeri**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 30 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to its resolution of 10 October 2013 on caste-based discrimination<sup>1a</sup>, the report of 28 January 2016 on minorities and caste-based discrimination by the UN Special Rapporteur on Minority Issues<sup>2a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted, P7\_TA(2013)0420.*

<sup>2a</sup>

*[http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/RegularSessions/Session31/Documents/A\\_HRC\\_31\\_56\\_en.doc](http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/HRC/RegularSessions/Session31/Documents/A_HRC_31_56_en.doc)*

Or. en

**Amendment 42**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 30 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to its resolution of 10 October 2013 on caste-based discrimination<sup>1a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted, P7\_TA(2013)0420.*

Or. en

**Amendment 43**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 30 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to its resolution of*

***13 June 2013 on the freedom of press and media in the world<sup>1a</sup>,***

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***<sup>1a</sup> Texts adopted, P7\_TA(2013)0274.***

Or. en

**Amendment 44**

**Marietje Schaake, Petras Auštrevičius, Jozo Radoš, Javier Nart, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Urmas Paet**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 30 e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**- *having regard to its resolution of 11 December 2012 on a Digital Freedom Strategy in EU Foreign Policy<sup>1a</sup>,***

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***<sup>1a</sup> Texts adopted, P7\_TA(2012)0470.***

Or. en

**Amendment 45**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 30 f (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**- *having regard to its resolution of 17 November 2011 on support for the ICC: facing challenges and overcoming difficulties<sup>1a</sup>,***

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***<sup>1a</sup> Texts adopted, P7\_TA(2011)0507.***

Or. en

**Amendment 46**

**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 33 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- ***having regard to the Annual Report 2015 of the European Endowment for Democracy<sup>1a</sup>,***

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*1a*

***<https://www.democracyendowment.eu/annual-report/>***

Or. en

**Amendment 47**

**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A**

*Motion for a resolution*

A. whereas Article 21 TEU commits the European Union to a Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) ***guided by the principles which have inspired its own creation, and which it shall seek to advance in the world: democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;***

*Amendment*

A. whereas Article 21 TEU commits the European Union to a Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP), ***i.e. to closer cooperation and stronger mutual support among the Member States;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 48**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A**

*Motion for a resolution*

A. whereas Article 21 TEU commits the European Union to a Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) guided by the principles which have inspired its own

*Amendment*

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creation, and which it shall seek to advance in the world: democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

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Or. en

## **Amendment 49**

**Louis Michel**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Recital A**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

A. whereas Article 21 TEU commits the European Union to a Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) guided by the principles which have inspired its own creation, and which it shall seek to advance in the world: democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

##### *Amendment*

A. whereas Article 21 TEU commits the European Union to a Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) guided by the principles which have inspired its own creation, and which it shall seek to advance in the world: democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter, ***the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union*** and international law;

Or. en

## **Amendment 50**

**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Recital A**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

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A. whereas Article 21 TEU commits the European Union to a Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) guided by the principles which have inspired its own

creation, and which it shall seek to advance in the world: democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

creation, and which it shall seek to advance in the world: democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law; ***whereas the European Union acceded to the European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms pursuant to Article 6 TEU;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 51**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital B**

*Motion for a resolution*

B. whereas Article 207 TFEU requires the EU's commercial policy to be based on the principles and objectives of the European Union's external action;

*Amendment*

B. whereas Article 207 TFEU requires the EU's commercial policy to be based on the principles and objectives of the European Union's external action ***and, most importantly, to be of benefit to the Member States;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 52**  
**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Filiz Hyusmenova, Julie Ward, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Nathalie Griesbeck, Marlene Mizzi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital B a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ba. whereas Article 3 TFEU affirms that "in its relations with the wider world, the Union shall uphold and promote its values and interests and contribute to the protection of its citizens. It shall contribute to peace, security, the***



*sustainable development of the Earth, solidarity and mutual respect among peoples, free and fair trade, eradication of poverty and the protection of human rights, in particular the rights of the child, as well as to the strict observance and the development of international law, including respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter'';*

Or. en

**Amendment 53**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are cornerstones of the EU's foreign and security policies;*

*deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 54**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights **are** cornerstones of the EU's foreign and security policies;

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights **should be** cornerstones of the EU's foreign and security policies;

Or. el

**Amendment 55**  
**Geoffrey Van Orden**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C**

*Motion for a resolution*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are **cornerstones** of the EU's foreign and security policies;

*Amendment*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are **among the key aims** of the EU's foreign and security policies;

Or. en

**Amendment 56**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C**

*Motion for a resolution*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are cornerstones of the EU's foreign **and security** policies;

*Amendment*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are cornerstones of the EU's foreign policies;

Or. en

**Amendment 57**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C**

*Motion for a resolution*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are cornerstones of the EU's foreign and security policies;

*Amendment*

C. whereas **respect for and** the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are cornerstones of the EU's foreign and security policies;

Or. en

**Amendment 58**  
**María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C**

*Motion for a resolution*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are cornerstones of the EU's foreign and security policies;

*Amendment*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are cornerstones of the EU's foreign and security policies, ***as established by the "democratic clause" in all the EU agreements with third countries;***

Or. en

**Amendment 59**  
**Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C**

*Motion for a resolution*

C. whereas the promotion and safeguarding of the indivisibility and universality of human rights are cornerstones of the EU's foreign and security policies;

*Amendment*

C. *Does not affect English version*

Or. es

**Amendment 60**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ca. whereas real and long term viability of the EU's security policies depends on the daily freedom of violence in any form for every person;***

Or. en

**Amendment 61**  
**Philippe Juvin**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Cb. whereas, with few exceptions, the Member States have failed to put sufficient resources into defence so as to be capable of military intervention to help protect civilian populations;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 62**  
**Francisco José Millán Mon**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital C c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Cc. whereas respect for human rights, peace, security and development are closely linked and mutually reinforcing;***

Or. es

**Amendment 63**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital D**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, migration, security, counter-terrorism, enlargement and trade;***

***deleted***

Or. fr

**Amendment 64**  
**Geoffrey Van Orden**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital D**

*Motion for a resolution*

**D.** *whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, migration, security, counter-terrorism, enlargement and trade;*

*Amendment*

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 65**  
**Mario Borghezio**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital D**

*Motion for a resolution*

D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, *migration*, security, counter-terrorism, *enlargement* and trade;

*Amendment*

D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, security, counter-terrorism and trade;

Or. it

**Amendment 66**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital D**

*Motion for a resolution*

D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, migration, security, counter-terrorism, enlargement and trade;

*Amendment*

D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, migration, security, counter-terrorism, *combating poverty*, enlargement and trade;

Or. el

**Amendment 67**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital D**

*Motion for a resolution*

D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, migration, security, counter-terrorism, enlargement and trade;

*Amendment*

D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, migration, security, counter-terrorism, ***neighbourhood policy***, enlargement and trade;

Or. en

**Amendment 68**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital D**

*Motion for a resolution*

D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, migration, security, counter-terrorism, enlargement and trade;

*Amendment*

D. whereas human rights and democracy support policies should be mainstreamed across all other EU policies with an external dimension, such as development, migration, security, counter-terrorism, enlargement and trade ***in particular through the implementation of human rights conditionality***;

Or. en

**Amendment 69**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital E**

*Motion for a resolution*

***E. whereas internal and external coherence in the area of human rights is essential for the credibility of the EU's human rights policy abroad, and whereas***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

*increased coherence between EU internal and external policies, as well as among the EU's external policies is also an indispensable requirement for a successful and effective EU human rights and democratisation policy;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 70**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital E**

*Motion for a resolution*

E. whereas internal and external coherence in the area of human rights is essential for the credibility of the EU's human rights policy abroad, and whereas increased coherence between EU internal and external policies, as well as among the EU's external policies is also an indispensable requirement for a successful and effective EU human rights and democratisation policy;

*Amendment*

E. whereas internal and external coherence in the area of human rights is essential for the credibility of the EU's human rights policy abroad, and whereas increased coherence between EU internal and external policies, as well as among the EU's external policies, is also an indispensable requirement for a successful and effective EU human rights and democratisation policy; ***whereas EU human rights policy is restricted and indeed contradicted by diplomatic, political and economic considerations;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 71**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital E**

*Motion for a resolution*

E. whereas internal and external coherence in the area of human rights is essential for the credibility of the EU's human rights policy abroad, and whereas increased coherence between EU internal and external policies, as well as among the EU's external policies is also an

*Amendment*

E. whereas internal and external coherence in the area of human rights is essential for the credibility of the EU's human rights policy abroad, and whereas increased coherence between EU internal and external policies, as well as among the EU's external policies is also an

indispensable requirement for a successful and effective EU human rights and democratisation policy;

indispensable requirement for a successful and effective EU human rights and democratisation policy; ***whereas improved consistency should enable the EU to respond faster and more efficiently, already in early stages of human rights violations;***

Or. en

## **Amendment 72**

**Barbara Lochbihler**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Recital E**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

E. whereas internal and external coherence in the area of human rights is essential for the credibility of the EU's human rights policy abroad, and whereas increased coherence between EU internal and external policies, as well as among the EU's external policies is also an indispensable requirement for a successful and effective EU human rights and democratisation policy;

##### *Amendment*

E. whereas internal and external coherence in the area of human rights is essential for the credibility of the EU's human rights policy abroad, and whereas increased coherence between EU internal and external policies, as well as among the EU's external policies is also an indispensable requirement for a successful and effective EU human rights and democratisation policy; ***whereas the challenge of coherence is particularly striking in relation to the current migration policy, which is widely perceived as inconsistent with the EU's human rights commitments;***

Or. en

## **Amendment 73**

**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Recital E**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

E. whereas internal and external coherence in the area of human rights is essential for the credibility of the EU's

##### *Amendment*

E. *[Does not affect English version]*



human rights policy abroad, and whereas increased coherence between EU internal and external policies, as well as among the EU's external policies is also an indispensable requirement for a successful and effective EU human rights and democratisation policy;

Or. fr

**Amendment 74**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital E a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Ea. whereas, in addition to the holding of fair and free elections, features of democratic regimes include transparent governance, respect for the rule of law, freedom of expression, respect for human rights, the existence of an independent judicial system, and respect for international law and international agreements on human rights;*

Or. en

**Amendment 75**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Cristian Dan Preda, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital E b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Eb. whereas the values of freedom, respect for human rights and the principle of holding periodic and genuine elections are essential elements of democracy; whereas democracy provides the environment for the protection and effective realization of human rights;*

Or. en

**Amendment 76**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital F**

*Motion for a resolution*

**F. *whereas respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes; whereas there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;***

***deleted***

*Amendment*

Or. fr

**Amendment 77**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital F**

*Motion for a resolution*

**F. *whereas* respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and *whereas* the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes; whereas *there* are *numerous attempts* worldwide to *shrink* the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;**

**F. *deploring the fact that* respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and *that* the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes; whereas *more attempts* are *needed* worldwide to *stop* the space of civil society *shrinking*, including in multilateral fora;**

*Amendment*

Or. el

**Amendment 78**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital F**

*Motion for a resolution*

**F. *whereas* respect for human rights is**

*Amendment*

**F. *whereas* respect for human rights is**

under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged **by a number of authoritarian regimes**; whereas there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;

under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged; whereas there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;

Or. fr

**Amendment 79**  
**Hans-Olaf Henkel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital F**

*Motion for a resolution*

F. whereas respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is **increasingly, and** seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes; whereas there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;

*Amendment*

F. whereas respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is seriously being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes; whereas there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;

Or. en

**Amendment 80**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital F**

*Motion for a resolution*

F. whereas respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes; whereas there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;

*Amendment*

F. whereas respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian **and/or terrorist** regimes; whereas there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;

Or. el

**Amendment 81**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital F**

*Motion for a resolution*

F. whereas respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes; whereas there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;

*Amendment*

F. whereas respect for human rights is under threat worldwide, and whereas the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes; whereas ***non-respect of human rights brings an enormous damage to the individual, his relatives and to the society;*** ***whereas*** there are numerous attempts worldwide to shrink the space of civil society, including in multilateral fora;

Or. en

**Amendment 82**  
**Angel Dzhambazki**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital E a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

***Ea. whereas basic freedoms, human rights and equal opportunities should be guaranteed for all the citizens of countries seeking to join the European Union; whereas, however, the protection of national minorities and regional and minority languages in some of these countries is a fundamental issue which cannot be resolved simply by combating xenophobia and discrimination but which requires the adoption of specific legal, linguistic, cultural, social and other arrangements and ways of treating people;***

Or. bg

**Amendment 83**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital F b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Fb. whereas the EU was a key player in the adoption of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, which seeks to realize the human rights of all;***

Or. en

**Amendment 84**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital G**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***G. whereas a new Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy 2015-2019 was adopted by the Council on 20 July 2015, with a view to enabling the EU to meet these challenges through a more focused, systematic and coordinated use of its human rights instruments;***

***deleted***

Or. fr

**Amendment 85**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital G**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**G. whereas a new Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy 2015-2019 was adopted by the Council on 20 July 2015, *with a view to enabling* the EU to *meet* these challenges *through* a more focused, systematic and coordinated use of its human rights instruments;**

**G. whereas a new Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy 2015-2019 was adopted by the Council on 20 July 2015, *however without* the EU *adequately meeting* these challenges *or adopting* a more focused, systematic and coordinated use of its human rights instruments;**

**Amendment 86**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital G**

*Motion for a resolution*

G. whereas a new Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy 2015-2019 was adopted by the Council on 20 July 2015, with a view to enabling the EU to meet these challenges through a more focused, systematic and coordinated use of its human rights instruments;

*Amendment*

G. whereas a new Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy 2015-2019 was adopted by the Council on 20 July 2015, with a view to enabling the EU to meet these challenges through a more focused, systematic and coordinated use of its human rights instruments; ***whereas this Action Plan should be implemented in coherence with the Gender Action Plan 2016-2020 adopted by the Council on 26 October 2015<sup>1a</sup>***;

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*1a*

***<http://www.consilium.europa.eu/en/press/press-releases/2015/10/26-fac-conclusions-gender-development/>***

Or. en

**Amendment 87**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital G**

*Motion for a resolution*

G. whereas a new Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy 2015-2019 was adopted by the Council on 20 July 2015, with a view to enabling the EU to meet these challenges through a more focused, systematic and coordinated use of its human rights instruments;

*Amendment*

G. ***[Does not affect English version]***

Or. fr

**Amendment 88**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital H**

*Motion for a resolution*

H. whereas the Vice-President of the Commission and High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) ***has stated that human rights will be one of her overarching priorities and that she intends to use them as a compass with regard to all her relations with third countries; whereas she has also reiterated the EU's commitment to promote human rights in all areas of foreign relations 'without exception';***

*Amendment*

H. whereas ***it is the duty of*** the Vice-President of the Commission and High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) ***to represent the Member States collectively and to endeavour, in particular, to coordinate the various diplomatic corps;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 89**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital H**

*Motion for a resolution*

H. whereas the Vice-President of the Commission and High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR) has stated that human rights will be one of her overarching priorities and that she intends to use them as a compass with regard to all her relations with third countries; whereas she has also reiterated the EU's commitment to promote human rights in all areas of foreign relations 'without exception';

*Amendment*

H. *[Does not affect English version]*

Or. fr

**Amendment 90**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital I**

*Motion for a resolution*

I. whereas the EU's commitment to effective multilateralism, with the UN at its core, is an integral part of the Union's external policy, based on the belief that *a multilateral system founded on universal rules and values is best suited to addressing* global crises, challenges and threats;

*Amendment*

I. whereas the EU's commitment to effective multilateralism, with the UN at its core, is an integral part of the Union's external policy *and should be* based on the belief that *actions are needed immediately to address* global crises, challenges and threats;

Or. el

**Amendment 91**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital I**

*Motion for a resolution*

I. whereas the EU's commitment to effective multilateralism, with the UN at its core, is an integral part of the Union's external policy, based on the belief that a multilateral system founded on universal rules and values is best suited to addressing global crises, challenges and threats;

*Amendment*

I. whereas the EU's commitment to effective multilateralism, with the UN at its core, is an integral part of the Union's external policy, based on the belief that a multilateral system founded on universal rules and values is best suited to addressing global crises, challenges and threats; *whereas engaging with third countries, in all bilateral and multilateral fora, is one of the most effective tools for addressing human rights issues in third countries;*

Or. en

**Amendment 92**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital I a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Ia. whereas the EU has played a leading role in negotiating and implementing a number of initiatives for*



*global responsibility which go hand in hand with the promotion and respect of international human rights standards;*

Or. en

**Amendment 93**

**Jozo Radoš, Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital I b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ib.     whereas there are numerous states that did not sign the Universal Declaration of Human Rights; whereas there are numerous regimes that ignore the Universal Declaration of Human Rights;***

Or. en

**Amendment 94**

**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital J**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

J.     whereas the regular sessions of the UN Human Rights Council (UNHRC), the appointment of Special Rapporteurs, the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) mechanism and the Special Procedures addressing either specific country situations or thematic issues ***all*** contribute to the international efforts to promote and respect human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

J.     whereas the regular sessions of the UN Human Rights Council (UNHRC), the appointment of Special Rapporteurs, the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) mechanism and the Special Procedures addressing either specific country situations or thematic issues ***do not*** contribute ***sufficiently*** to the international efforts to promote and respect human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

Or. el

**Amendment 95**

**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital J**

*Motion for a resolution*

J. whereas the regular sessions of the UN Human Rights Council (UNHRC), the appointment of Special Rapporteurs, the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) mechanism and the Special Procedures addressing either specific country situations or thematic issues all contribute to the international efforts to promote and respect human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

*Amendment*

J. whereas the regular sessions of the UN Human Rights Council (UNHRC), the appointment of Special Rapporteurs, the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) mechanism and the Special Procedures addressing either specific country situations or thematic issues ***should*** all contribute to the international efforts ***to ensure and*** to promote and respect human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

Or. en

**Amendment 96**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital J**

*Motion for a resolution*

J. whereas the regular sessions of the UN Human Rights Council (UNHRC), the appointment of Special Rapporteurs, the Universal Periodic Review (UPR) mechanism and the Special Procedures addressing either specific country situations or thematic issues all contribute to the international efforts to promote and respect human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

*Amendment*

J. *[Does not affect English version]*

Or. fr

**Amendment 97**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital K**

*Motion for a resolution*

***K. whereas the EU considers close cooperation with civil society and human***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

*rights defenders in third countries to be one of its main priorities in advancing human rights and tackling human rights violations;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 98**

**María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital K a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ka. whereas only in 2015, 185 environmental human rights activists have been killed in the world, 66% of that total number coming specifically from Latin American countries;***

Or. en

**Amendment 99**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital K b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Kb. whereas its resolution of 22 October 2013 on local authorities and civil society: Europe's engagement in support of sustainable development<sup>1a</sup> expresses great concern at the crackdown on CSOs cooperating with EU partners in a number of countries; calls specifically for mainstreaming the promotion of an enabling environment for civil society organisations and stresses the importance of defining a monitoring system permits the evaluation of progress in terms of policy and regulatory provisions;***

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<sup>1a</sup> *Texts adopted, P7\_TA(2013)0432.*

Or. en

**Amendment 100**

**María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital K c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**Kc.** *whereas many countries have recently passed strict NGO legislation that declare foreign organisations undesirable when deemed a threat to their constitutional order, defence or security;*

Or. en

**Amendment 101**

**Marietje Schaake, Urmas Paet, Jozo Radoš, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital K d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**Kd.** *whereas the Russian Federation passed, three years after its "Foreign Agent Law", a law on "undesirable organisations", granting the General Prosecutor authority to declare foreign organisations undesirable when deemed a threat to Russia's constitutional order, defence or security;*

Or. en

**Amendment 102**

**Marietje Schaake, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital K e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**Ke.** *whereas human rights defenders, lawyers and journalists faced increased intimidation, harassment, arbitrary arrest and violence in China, and authorities*

*stepped up their controls over the internet,  
media and academia;*

Or. en

**Amendment 103**

**María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital K f (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Kf. whereas travel bans to prevent  
human rights defenders from attending  
international events were used by a  
growing number of countries, particularly  
in Asia, the Middle East and Africa;*

Or. en

**Amendment 104**

**Marietje Schaake, Urmas Paet, Jozo Radoš, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital K g (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Kg. whereas travel bans to prevent  
human rights defenders from attending  
international events are being used by a  
growing number of countries, particularly  
in Asia, the Middle East and Africa, and  
also in Azerbaijan;*

Or. en

**Amendment 105**

**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital K h (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Kh. whereas the Sakharov Prize for  
2015 was awarded to Raïf Badawi for his*

*relentless struggle for the right to freedom of thought, freedom of expression and freedom of conscience;*

Or. en

**Amendment 106**  
**Geoffrey Van Orden**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital L**

*Motion for a resolution*

L. whereas Article 19 of the UDHR acknowledges that everyone has the right to freedom of opinion and expression, which includes the freedom to hold opinions without interference *and to seek, receive and impart information and ideas through any media and regardless of frontiers*; whereas the number of cases of persecution relating solely to people peacefully exercising their right to freedom of opinion and expression has risen sharply;

*Amendment*

L. whereas Article 19 of the UDHR acknowledges that everyone has the right to freedom of opinion and expression, which includes the freedom to hold opinions without interference; whereas the number of cases of persecution relating solely to people peacefully exercising their right to freedom of opinion and expression has risen sharply;

Or. en

**Amendment 107**  
**Lars Adaktusson**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital L**

*Motion for a resolution*

L. whereas *Article* 19 of the UDHR *acknowledges* that everyone has the right to freedom of opinion and expression, which includes the freedom to hold opinions without interference and to seek, receive and impart information and ideas through any media and regardless of frontiers; whereas the number of cases of persecution relating solely to people peacefully exercising their right to freedom of opinion and expression has risen

*Amendment*

L. whereas *Articles 18 and* 19 of the UDHR *acknowledge* that everyone has the right to *freedom of thought, conscience and religion, and* freedom of opinion and expression, which includes the freedom to hold opinions without interference and to seek, receive and impart information and ideas through any media and regardless of frontiers; whereas the number of cases of persecution relating solely to people peacefully exercising their right to freedom

sharply;

of opinion, **worship** and expression has  
risen sharply;

Or. sv

**Amendment 108**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital L a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***La.    whereas Article 20 of the UDHR acknowledges that everyone has the right to freedom of peaceful assembly and association; whereas the UN Human Rights Council Resolution 21/16 reminds States of their obligation to respect and fully protect the rights of individuals to assemble peacefully and associate freely, online as well as offline;***

Or. en

**Amendment 109**

**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital L b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Lb.    whereas Article 20 of the UDHR acknowledges that everyone has the right to freedom of peaceful assembly and association; whereas the UN Human Rights Council Resolution 21/16 reminds States of their obligation to respect and fully protect the rights of all individuals to assemble peacefully and associate freely, online as well as offline;***

Or. en

**Amendment 110**

**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital L c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Lc.    whereas the freedom of thought, conscience, religion and belief must be unconditionally enhanced through interreligious and intercultural dialogues;***

Or. en

**Amendment 111**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital M**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**M.    whereas the basic rules of international humanitarian law and human rights are provided by the Geneva Conventions and the additional protocols, and are at the core of all humanitarian actions; whereas the protection of civilians and of displaced persons in conflict areas must be guaranteed in total neutrality and impartiality, and *whereas aid independence must prevail*;**

**M.    whereas the basic rules of international humanitarian law and human rights are provided by the Geneva Conventions and the additional protocols, and are at the core of all humanitarian actions; whereas the protection of civilians and of displaced persons in conflict areas must be guaranteed in total neutrality and impartiality, and *under the auspices of the United Nations*;**

Or. fr

**Amendment 112**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital M a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ma.    whereas illegal occupation of a territory is an on-going violation of international law, which triggers the responsibility of the occupying power towards the civilian population under international humanitarian law;***

Or. en



**Amendment 113**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Mb.   whereas illegal occupation of a territory is an on-going violation of international law, which triggers the responsibility of the occupying power towards the civilian population under international humanitarian law;***

Or. en

**Amendment 114**

**Marietje Schaake, Ivo Vajgl, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Mc.   whereas evidence of war crimes and crimes against humanity is difficult to preserve - especially at a time of unprecedented flows of refugees fleeing violence; whereas the preservation of evidence is essential to bringing perpetrators to justice;***

Or. en

**Amendment 115**

**Marietje Schaake, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Md.   whereas in Syria, government forces and non-state armed groups committed war crimes and gross human rights abuses with impunity, carrying out***

*indiscriminate attacks and attacks that directly targeted civilians, including bombardments of civilian residential areas and medical facilities with artillery, mortars, barrel bombs and chemical agents, unlawfully killing civilians;*

Or. en

**Amendment 116**

**Marietje Schaake, Urmas Paet, Jozo Radoš**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Me. whereas the situation in Ukraine remained unstable in 2015, with parts of the Donetsk and Lugansk region under de facto control of Russia-backed fighters and all sides in the conflict violating international humanitarian law;*

Or. en

**Amendment 117**

**Marietje Schaake, Petras Auštrevičius, Jozo Radoš**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M f (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Mf. whereas attempts to shut down the Guantánamo Bay prison failed and only 20 detainees were released or relocated in 2015;*

Or. en

**Amendment 118**

**Marietje Schaake, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M g (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Mg.*** *whereas EU Member States continue to sell arms and military material to Gulf States and other countries which violate human rights, both internally and in other places;*

Or. en

**Amendment 119**

**Marietje Schaake, Ivo Vajgl, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M h (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Mh.*** *whereas the European Parliament, in its resolution of 25 February 2016 on the humanitarian situation in Yemen, called for an arms embargo on Saudi Arabia on the basis of the serious allegations of ongoing breaches of international humanitarian law by Saudi Arabia in Yemen;*

Or. en

**Amendment 120**

**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M i (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Mi.*** *whereas worldwide more and more people are fleeing from war, armed conflicts or other degrading conditions, and while these refugee flows and various forms of migration are a huge challenge for EU policy requiring effective and sustainable solutions that are in line with our common European values;*

Or. en

**Amendment 121**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital M j (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Mj. whereas migration represents an important EU external policy challenge requiring immediate and effective solutions; calls, therefore, for radical and immediate changes in EU policies on migration and asylum, both inside and outside the Union, on the basis of strict observance of human rights;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 122**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital M k (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Mk. whereas migration represents a global challenge requiring immediate and effective solutions; whereas the humanitarian aid provided by the European Commission, being the leading global donor, helps refugees and displaced people in over 30 countries;***

Or. en

**Amendment 123**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital M l (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***ML. whereas the fight against migrant smuggling, trafficking and labour exploitation necessitates both short, medium and long-term responses,***

*including measures to disrupt criminal networks and to bring criminals to justice, the gathering and analysis of data, measures to protect victims and to return irregularly staying migrants, as well as cooperation with third countries and longer-term strategies to address the demand for trafficked and smuggled persons and the root causes of migration which force people into the hands of criminal smugglers;*

Or. en

**Amendment 124**

**Marietje Schaake, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Jozo Radoš**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M m (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Mm. whereas EU and Turkish leaders reached a "deal" or "statement" announced on 29 November 2015 and aimed at stemming the flow of refugees via Turkey to Europe and the EU promising Turkey €3 billion in aid as well as other measures in return;*

Or. en

**Amendment 125**

**Marietje Schaake, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital M n (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Mn. whereas the human rights situation in Turkey deteriorated exorbitantly following the parliamentary elections in June 2015;*

Or. en

#### Amendment 126

Marietje Schaake, Ivo Vajgl, Jozo Radoš, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Hilde Vautmans

#### Motion for a resolution

##### Recital N

##### *Motion for a resolution*

N. whereas the EU and its Member States have been unconditional supporters of the International Criminal Court (ICC) since its inception, while promoting the universality of the Rome Statute and defending its integrity with the purpose of strengthening the Court's independence;

##### *Amendment*

N. whereas ***justice is essential to advance respect for human rights, and*** the EU and its Member States have been unconditional supporters of the International Criminal Court (ICC) since its inception, while promoting the universality of the Rome Statute and defending its integrity with the purpose of strengthening the Court's independence;

Or. en

#### Amendment 127

Petras Auštrevičius

#### Motion for a resolution

##### Recital O

##### *Motion for a resolution*

O. whereas ***substantial*** progress ***has been*** made so far towards abolishing the death penalty, and whereby many countries have suspended capital punishment, while others have taken legislative measures towards this end;

##### *Amendment*

O. whereas ***despite some*** progress ***being*** made so far towards abolishing the death penalty, and whereby many countries have suspended capital punishment, while others have taken legislative measures towards this end, ***2015 saw a dramatic rise in the overall number of executions, of which nearly 90 per cent happened in just three countries, namely, Iran, Pakistan and Saudi Arabia; whereas Belarus remains the only country in Europe which has not abolished and still regularly applies the capital punishment;***

Or. en

#### Amendment 128

Notis Marias

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital O

#### *Motion for a resolution*

O. whereas *substantial* progress *has been made so far towards abolishing* the death penalty, *and whereby* many countries have suspended capital punishment, *while* others have taken legislative measures towards this end;

#### *Amendment*

O. whereas *further* progress *is needed to abolish* the death penalty *worldwide, despite the fact that* many countries have suspended capital punishment *and* others have taken legislative measures towards this end;

Or. el

## Amendment 129

Marie-Christine Vergiat

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital O

#### *Motion for a resolution*

O. whereas substantial progress has been made so far towards abolishing the death penalty, and whereby many countries have suspended capital punishment, while others have taken legislative measures towards this end;

#### *Amendment*

O. whereas substantial progress has been made so far towards abolishing the death penalty, and whereby many countries have suspended capital punishment, while others have taken legislative measures towards this end; *whereas, however, more than 1634 people were executed in 25 countries in the course of the year, 54% more than in 2014;*

Or. fr

## Amendment 130

Angel Dzhambazki

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital O

#### *Motion for a resolution*

O. whereas substantial progress has been made so far towards abolishing the death penalty, and whereby many countries have *suspended* capital punishment, while others have taken legislative measures towards this end;

#### *Amendment*

O. whereas substantial progress has been made so far towards abolishing the death penalty, and whereby many countries have *ended* capital punishment, while others have taken legislative measures towards this end;

**Amendment 131**

**Marietje Schaake, Hilde Vautmans, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital O a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Oa. whereas 2015, however, saw a dramatic rise in the number of people executed - at least 1,634 according to Amnesty International, which is the highest recorded by the organisation since 1989 - with 90% of the executions carried out in Iran, Pakistan and Saudi Arabia;*

Or. en

**Amendment 132**

**Marietje Schaake, Petras Auštrevičius, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital O b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Ob. whereas authorities in Egypt handed down hundreds of death sentences and long prison sentences to journalists, human rights defenders, political opposition leaders and activists after grossly unfair mass trials, and subjecting some to enforced disappearances; whereas Egypt enacted a draconian new antiterrorism law and NGO law;*

Or. en

**Amendment 133**

**Jozo Radoš, Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital P**



*Motion for a resolution*

P. whereas gender equality is at the core of European values and enshrined within the EU's legal and political framework;

*Amendment*

P. whereas gender equality is at the ***very heart of human rights and United Nations' values, and at the*** core of European values and enshrined within the EU's legal and political framework;

Or. en

**Amendment 134**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital P**

*Motion for a resolution*

P. whereas gender equality is at the core of European values and enshrined within the EU's legal and political framework;

*Amendment*

P. ***whereas realising Agenda 2030 and effectively implementing the new Sustainable Development Goals, particularly with regard to gender equality, empowering women and women's rights, must be prioritised in both internal and external policies;*** whereas gender equality is at the core of European values and enshrined within the EU's legal and political framework;

Or. fr

**Amendment 135**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital P**

*Motion for a resolution*

P. whereas gender equality is at the core of European values and enshrined within the EU's legal and political framework;

*Amendment*

P. whereas gender equality is at the core of European values and enshrined within the EU's legal and political framework; ***whereas violence and discrimination against women and girls has dramatically increased during recent years, particularly in the EU neighbourhood;***

**Amendment 136**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital Q**

*Motion for a resolution*

Q. *whereas* millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination and poverty;

*Amendment*

Q. *deploring the fact that* millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination and poverty, *while the measures taken by the Commission to combat violence against children are inadequate*;

Or. el

**Amendment 137**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Nathalie Griesbeck, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Filiz Hyusmenova, Julie Ward, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Marlene Mizzi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital Q**

*Motion for a resolution*

Q. *whereas millions of* children *around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities*, discrimination and poverty;

*Amendment*

Q. *whereas according to UNICEF's estimates 250 million* children *are living in countries affected by conflict, nearly 50 million children have either been forcibly displaced by violence and conflict or have migrated across borders and many continue to suffer from all forms of violence, exploitation, abuse*, discrimination and poverty;

Or. en

**Amendment 138**  
**Geoffrey Van Orden**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital Q**

*Motion for a resolution*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination and poverty;

*Amendment*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of ***terrorism, insurgency and*** war and its atrocities, discrimination and poverty;

Or. en

**Amendment 139**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital Q**

*Motion for a resolution*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination and poverty;

*Amendment*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, ***domestic violence***, discrimination and poverty;

Or. el

**Amendment 140**  
**Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital Q**

*Motion for a resolution*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination and poverty;

*Amendment*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, ***forced labour***, discrimination and poverty;

Or. en

**Amendment 141**  
**Laima Liucija Andrikienė**

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital Q

#### *Motion for a resolution*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination **and poverty**;

#### *Amendment*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination, **poverty and malnutrition**;

Or. en

## Amendment 142

Marie-Christine Vergiat

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital Q

#### *Motion for a resolution*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination and poverty;

#### *Amendment*

Q. whereas millions of children around the world continue to suffer from all forms of violence, including the consequences and burden of war and its atrocities, discrimination and poverty; **whereas, according to UNICEF, almost 50 million children worldwide were uprooted in 2015, of whom 28 million were forcibly displaced by conflict and violence<sup>1 a</sup>**;

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<sup>1 a</sup>

***[http://www.unicef.org/publications/files/Uprooted\\_growing\\_crisis\\_for\\_refugee\\_and\\_migrant\\_children.pdf](http://www.unicef.org/publications/files/Uprooted_growing_crisis_for_refugee_and_migrant_children.pdf)***

Or. fr

## Amendment 143

Ignazio Corrao

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital Q a (new)

#### *Motion for a resolution*

#### *Amendment*

***Qa. whereas children and women face increasing threats, discrimination and***

*violence, especially in war zones and authorization regimes;*

Or. en

**Amendment 144**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital Q b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Qb. whereas Article 25 of the UDHR recognises the right of every person to a 'standard of living adequate for the health and well-being of himself and of his family', in which motherhood and childhood are entitled to special care and assistance, and which includes medical care; whereas UNHRC Resolution 26/28(36) calls for the next UNHRC Social Forum meeting to focus on access to medicines in the context of the right of everyone to enjoy the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health; whereas the Constitution of the WHO states that the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of health is one of the fundamental rights of every human being without distinction of race, religion, political belief, economic or social condition;***

Or. en

**Amendment 145**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital Q c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Qc. whereas the access to education, nutrition and healthcare should be guaranteed for all children;***

Or. en

**Amendment 146**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Nathalie Griesbeck, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Filiz Hyusmenova, Julie Ward, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Marlene Mizzi**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital Q d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Qd. whereas, according to UNICEF, 1 in 200 children in the world is a child refugee, nearly one third of the children living outside their country of birth is a refugee and the number of child refugees doubled between 2005 and 2015;*

Or. en

**Amendment 147**

**Laima Liucija Andrikienė**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital Q e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Qe. whereas according to the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child authorities must respect the rights of the child who is separated from one or both parents; whereas 800 000 children in Europe and many more worldwide suffer from the violation of their right to the protection of family relationships when one or both parents are imprisoned;*

Or. en

**Amendment 148**

**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital R**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**R.** *whereas violence against **LGBTI** people continues in many places around the world, and discrimination in health care, education, employment and other sectors is widespread;* *deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 149**  
**Angel Dzhambazki**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital R**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**R.** *whereas violence against **LGBTI** people continues in many places around the world, and discrimination in health care, education, employment and other sectors is widespread;* *deleted*

Or. bg

**Amendment 150**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital R**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**R.** *whereas violence against **LGBTI** people continues in many places around the world, and discrimination in health care, education, employment and other sectors is widespread;*

**R.** *whereas violence against **minorities** continues in many places around the world, and discrimination in health care, education, employment and other sectors is widespread;*

Or. en

**Amendment 151**  
**Marietje Schaake, Ivo Vajgl, Jozo Radoš, Petras Auštrevičius, Urmas Paet, Hilde Vautmans, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital R

#### *Motion for a resolution*

R. whereas violence against LGBTI people continues in many places around the world, and discrimination in health care, education, employment and other sectors is widespread;

#### *Amendment*

R. whereas violence against ***and unlawful prosecution of*** LGBTI people continues in many places around the world, and discrimination in health care, education, employment and other sectors is widespread;

Or. en

## Amendment 152

Mario Borghezio

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital R

#### *Motion for a resolution*

R. whereas violence against LGBTI people continues in many places around the world, and discrimination in health care, education, employment and other sectors is widespread;

#### *Amendment*

R. whereas violence against LGBTI people continues in many places around the world, and discrimination in health care, education, employment and other sectors is widespread, ***especially in many countries in the Islamic world;***

Or. it

## Amendment 153

Geoffrey Van Orden

## Motion for a resolution

### Recital S

#### *Motion for a resolution*

***S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, social and cultural rights resulting from corporate behaviour continue to be heard from around the world;***

#### *Amendment*

***deleted***

Or. en



#### **Amendment 154**

**Marietje Schaake, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart, Jozo Radoš**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Recital S**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, social and cultural rights resulting from **corporate behaviour** continue to be heard from around the world;

##### *Amendment*

S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, social and cultural rights **as well as environmental damage** resulting from **malpractices by some private sector actors** continue to be heard from around the world;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 155**

**Eleftherios Synadinos**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Recital S**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, social and cultural rights resulting from corporate behaviour continue to be heard from around the world;

##### *Amendment*

S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, **insurance**, social and cultural rights resulting from corporate behaviour continue to be heard from around the world;

Or. el

#### **Amendment 156**

**Notis Marias**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Recital S**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, social and cultural rights resulting from corporate behaviour continue to be heard from around the world;

##### *Amendment*

S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, social, **labour** and cultural rights resulting from corporate behaviour continue to be heard from around the world;

Or. el

**Amendment 157**  
**Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital S**

*Motion for a resolution*

S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, social and cultural rights resulting from corporate behaviour continue to be heard from around the world;

*Amendment*

S. whereas reports of violations of civil and political, economic, social and cultural rights resulting from corporate behaviour continue to be heard from around the world; ***whereas there is a strong link between corruption, tax evasion, illicit capital flows and human rights violations;***

Or. en

**Amendment 158**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital S a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

***Sa. whereas the world economy is going through a major crisis, the impact of which – alongside certain measures including drastic budget cuts implemented under what are termed ‘structural reforms’ – is producing adverse effects on human rights, especially economic and social rights, as well as on people’s living conditions (with increases in unemployment and poverty, inequality and insecure employment, lower-quality services and restricted access to such services) and thus on their wellbeing;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 159**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital T**

*Motion for a resolution*

T. whereas the UNGPs on Business and Human Rights apply to all states and to all business enterprises, whether transnational or other, regardless of their size, sector, location, ownership and structure, but whereas effective control and sanction mechanisms remain a challenge to the worldwide implementation of the UNGPs;

*Amendment*

T. whereas the UNGPs on Business and Human Rights apply to all states and to all business enterprises, whether transnational or other, regardless of their size, sector, location, ownership and structure, but whereas effective control and sanction mechanisms remain a challenge to the worldwide implementation of the UNGPs; *whereas special features of SMEs must be taken proper account of and bundled with flexible corporate social responsibility approach adapted to their potential;*

Or. en

**Amendment 160**

**Marietje Schaake, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Hilde Vautmans, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital T a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Ta. whereas in October 2015, the European Commission released its new trade strategy 'Trade for All', in which the Commission sets out its aim to use trade as a means to strengthen human rights in third countries;*

Or. en

**Amendment 161**

**Marietje Schaake, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Hilde Vautmans, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital T b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Tb.    whereas in 2015, the European Union started working on legislation to tackle the trade in minerals which fuels conflict;***

Or. en

**Amendment 162**

**Marietje Schaake, Jozo Radoš, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital T c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Tc.    whereas the hacking of Italian spyware firm Hacking Team in July 2015 demonstrated that there is an urgent need to reform European dual-use export legislation to make sure that technologies, which can be used against the EU's strategic interests and for human rights violations, do not fall into the wrong hands;***

Or. en

**Amendment 163**

**Urmas Paet**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital U**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***U.    whereas sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter, and should aim at a harmonious development of humankind, with a view to promoting a peaceful society concerned with the preservation of human rights and human dignity, and with no discrimination based on any grounds such as nationality, race,***

***deleted***

*religion, politics, gender or sexual orientation;*

Or. et

#### **Amendment 164**

**Notis Marias**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

**Recital U**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

U. whereas sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter, *and should aim at a harmonious development of humankind, with a view to promoting a peaceful society concerned with the preservation of human rights and human dignity, and with no discrimination based on any grounds such as nationality, race, religion, politics, gender or sexual orientation;*

##### *Amendment*

U. whereas sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter;

Or. el

#### **Amendment 165**

**Angel Dzhambazki**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

**Recital U**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

U. whereas sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter, and should aim at a harmonious development of humankind, with a view to promoting a peaceful society concerned with the preservation of human rights and human dignity, and with no discrimination based on any grounds such as nationality, race, religion, politics,

##### *Amendment*

U. whereas sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups *should not be used for political ends, but* should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter, and should aim at a harmonious development of humankind, with a view to promoting a peaceful society concerned with the preservation of human rights and human dignity, and with no discrimination based on any grounds

gender or sexual orientation;

such as nationality, race, religion, politics,  
gender or sexual orientation;

Or. bg

#### **Amendment 166**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Recital U**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

U. whereas sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter, and should aim at a harmonious development of humankind, with a view to promoting a peaceful society concerned with the preservation of human rights and human dignity, and with no discrimination based on any grounds such as nationality, race, religion, politics, gender **or** sexual orientation;

##### *Amendment*

U. whereas sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter, and should aim at a harmonious development of humankind, with a view to promoting a peaceful society concerned with the preservation of human rights and human dignity, and with no discrimination based on any grounds such as nationality, race, religion, politics, gender, ***gender identity***, sexual orientation ***or sex characteristics***;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 167**

**Louis Michel**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Recital U**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

U. whereas sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter, and should aim at a harmonious development of humankind, with a view to promoting a peaceful society concerned with the preservation of human rights and human dignity, and with no discrimination based on any grounds such as nationality, race, religion, politics,

##### *Amendment*

U. whereas ***national and international*** sporting events such as the Olympic Games and the football World Cups should be organised in full respect of all human rights, as enshrined in the Olympic Charter, and should aim at a harmonious development of humankind, with a view to promoting a peaceful society concerned with the preservation of human rights and human dignity, and with no discrimination based on any grounds such as nationality,

gender or sexual orientation;

race, religion, politics, gender or sexual orientation;

Or. en

**Amendment 168**

**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital U a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ua. whereas environmental changes are undermining the most basic human rights such as access to water, natural resources and food;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 169**

**Laima Liucija Andrikienė**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital U b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ub. whereas the right to health is a fundamental human right guaranteed by the UN Universal Declaration of Human Rights; whereas according to the UN Political Declaration of the High-level Meeting on Antimicrobial Resistance of 21 September 2016, antimicrobial resistance (AMR) has become one of the biggest threats to global health with an estimated 700,000 deaths per year globally due to resistant infections which endangers major priorities, such as human development; whereas the UK Review on AMR has analysed that by 2050 300 million people will have died of the consequences of AMR unless current policies are dramatically changed; whereas the World Health Organization has warned that AMR may lead to untreatable infections bringing humanity***

*back to the pre-antibiotic era;*

Or. en

**Amendment 170**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged *by a number of authoritarian regimes*;

*Amendment*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, *and* that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged;

Or. fr

**Amendment 171**  
**Hilde Vautmans**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged *by a number of authoritarian regimes*;

*Amendment*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged;

Or. en

**Amendment 172**  
**Hans-Olaf Henkel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**



*Motion for a resolution*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is *increasingly, and* seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes;

*Amendment*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is seriously being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes;

Or. en

**Amendment 173**  
**Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged *by a number of* authoritarian regimes;

*Amendment*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged *in many parts of the world, including under* authoritarian regimes;

Or. en

**Amendment 174**  
**Philippe Juvin**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes;

*Amendment*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, *and* that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes *and terrorist groups*;

Or. fr

**Amendment 175**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes;

*Amendment*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian ***and/or terrorist*** regimes;

Or. el

**Amendment 176**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes;

*Amendment*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes ***as well as terrorist groups such as ISIS***;

Or. en

**Amendment 177**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human

*Amendment*

1. Expresses its serious concern that the promotion and protection of human

rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian regimes;

rights and democratic values are under threat worldwide, that the universality of human rights is increasingly, and seriously, being challenged by a number of authoritarian *and/or terrorist* regimes, *particularly in States on the borders of the European Union*;

Or. el

**Amendment 178**  
**Mario Borghezio**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. *Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);*

*Amendment*

*deleted*

Or. it

**Amendment 179**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses *its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);*

*Amendment*

2. Expresses *understanding in relation to the necessary introduction of policies for responding effectively to recurrent terrorist attacks, with the aim of guaranteeing the right of all citizens to be safe; points out that human rights include the right to safety;*

Or. fr

## **Amendment 180**

**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 2**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, ***under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws)***;

##### *Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world;

Or. en

## **Amendment 181**

**Geoffrey Van Orden**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 2**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, ***under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws)***;

##### *Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world;

Or. en

## **Amendment 182**

**Cristian Dan Preda**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 2**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and

##### *Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and

human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, *under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws)*;

human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws *affecting civil society* adopted throughout the world;

Or. en

**Amendment 183**  
**Philippe Juvin**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted *throughout the world*, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

*Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted *outside the EU*, under the pretext of combating terrorism (*for example*, through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws *in Turkey*);

Or. fr

**Amendment 184**  
**Hans-Olaf Henkel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

*Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws) *in countries such as Russia, Turkey and China*;

Or. en

## Amendment 185

Notis Marias

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 2

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

##### *Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws), ***as is occurring in Turkey***;

Or. el

## Amendment 186

Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Fabio Massimo Castaldo

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 2

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

##### *Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, ***the increasing limitations on freedom of assembly and freedom of expression***, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, ***amongst others*** under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

Or. en

## Amendment 187

Ignazio Corrao

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 2

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

*Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, ***including*** under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

Or. en

**Amendment 188**

**Barbara Lochbihler**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

*Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, ***including*** under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

Or. en

**Amendment 189**

**Pier Antonio Panzeri**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the

*Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, ***including*** under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the

introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

introduction of counter-terrorism laws);  
***notably, underlines the need for urgent action to address all human rights violations in the post-coup attempt in Turkey, including arbitrary detentions, unfair trials, and allegations of torture under detention;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 190**

**Marietje Schaake, Ivo Vajgl, Petras Auštrevičius, Urmas Paet, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 2**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws);

##### *Amendment*

2. Expresses its serious concern at the numerous, ever-increasing attempts made to shrink the space of civil society and human rights defenders, and the growing number of repressive laws adopted throughout the world, under the pretext of combating terrorism (through the introduction of counter-terrorism laws, ***emergency situations and security measures***), ***whereas there is often a negative impact on human rights as well as frequent abuse of these laws for repression; calls on clear condemnation of these abuses and violations;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 191**

**Jozo Radoš, Ivan Jakovčić**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 2 a (new)**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

##### *Amendment*

***2a. Urges the EU and the Member States to take a strong stance and condemn all regimes that bluntly violate the Universal Declaration of Human***



***Rights;***

Or. en

**Amendment 192**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. Stresses firmly that the ***European Union*** is committed to ***a CFSP founded on the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;***

*Amendment*

3. Stresses firmly that the ***peoples of Europe*** are committed to ***their cultural distinctiveness, their sovereignty, their history and their diplomacy;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 193**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. Stresses firmly that the European Union is committed to a CFSP founded on the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the ***universality and*** indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

*Amendment*

3. Stresses firmly that the European Union is committed to a CFSP founded on the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

Or. el

**Amendment 194**  
**Tokia Saïfi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. Stresses firmly that the European Union is committed *to a* CFSP ***founded on*** the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

*Amendment*

3. Stresses firmly that the European Union is committed, ***through the*** CFSP ***and all its other external policies, to*** the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

Or. fr

**Amendment 195**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. Stresses firmly that the European Union is committed to a CFSP founded on the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

*Amendment*

3. Stresses firmly that the European Union is committed to a CFSP founded on the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international ***human rights and humanitarian*** law;

Or. en

**Amendment 196**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. Stresses firmly that the European Union is committed to a CFSP founded on

*Amendment*

3. Stresses firmly that the European Union is committed to a CFSP founded on

the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law;

the advancement of democracy, the rule of law, the universality and indivisibility of human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for human dignity, the principles of equality and solidarity, and respect for the principles of the United Nations Charter and international law; *reiterates that these principles are also intrinsic to external action beyond CFSP, including development and humanitarian policies;*

Or. en

**Amendment 197**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**3a.** *Is firmly opposed to any change in direction for the CFSP and believes that the European Union's policies should be directed solely towards peace and the political resolution of conflicts;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 198**  
**Jozo Radoš, Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

4. ***Calls on*** all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – including its strategic partners – and at all levels;

4. ***Urges*** all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, ***by using all necessary peaceful instruments***, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – including its strategic partners – and at all levels;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 199**

**Barbara Lochbihler**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 4**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

4. Calls on all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – including its strategic partners – and at all levels;

###### *Amendment*

4. ***Notes an increasing lack of consistency with regard to human rights compliance in the EU's external action;*** calls on all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – including its strategic partners – and at all levels;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 200**

**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 4**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

4. Calls on all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – ***including its strategic partners*** – ***and at all levels***;

###### *Amendment*

4. Calls on all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 201**

**Cristian Dan Preda**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

4. Calls on all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – including its strategic partners – and at all levels;

*Amendment*

4. Calls on all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote ***democracy and the rule of law***, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – including its strategic partners – and at all levels;

Or. en

**Amendment 202**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

4. Calls on all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – including its strategic partners – and at all levels;

*Amendment*

4. Calls on all the EU institutions and the Member States to act on their commitments to promote, protect and realise human rights and fundamental freedoms, ***including the right to development***, and to place human rights at the centre of the EU's relations with all third countries – including its strategic partners – and at all levels;

Or. en

**Amendment 203**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

5. Reiterates its call on the EU Member States to lead by example, by speaking with one voice in support of the indivisibility ***and universality*** of human rights and, in particular, by ratifying all international human rights instruments set

*Amendment*

5. Reiterates its call on the EU Member States to lead by example, by speaking with one voice in support of the indivisibility of human rights and, in particular, by ratifying all international

up by the UN;

human rights instruments set up by the UN;

Or. el

#### **Amendment 204**

**Josef Weidenholzer**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 5**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

5. Reiterates its call on the EU Member States to lead by example, by speaking with one voice in support of the indivisibility and universality of human rights and, in particular, by ratifying all international human rights instruments set up by the UN;

###### *Amendment*

5. Reiterates its call on the EU Member States to lead by example, by speaking with one voice in support of the indivisibility, ***interdependence, interrelation*** and universality of human rights and, in particular, by ratifying all international human rights instruments set up by the UN;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 205**

**Jozo Radoš, Ivan Jakovčić**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 5**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

5. Reiterates its call on the EU Member States to lead by example, by speaking with one voice in support of the indivisibility and universality of human rights and, in particular, by ratifying all international human rights instruments set up by the UN;

###### *Amendment*

5. Reiterates its call on the EU Member States to lead by example, by speaking with one voice in support of the indivisibility and universality of human rights and, in particular, by ratifying all international human rights instruments set up by the UN; ***calls on the EU Member States to never compromise when the universality of human rights is in question;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 206**

**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

5. Reiterates its call on the EU Member States to lead by example, by speaking with one voice in support of the indivisibility and universality of human rights and, in particular, by ratifying all international human rights instruments set up by the UN;

*Amendment*

5. Reiterates its call on the EU Member States to lead by example, by speaking with one voice in support of the indivisibility and universality of human rights and, in particular, by ratifying all international human rights instruments set up by the UN; ***is disappointed, therefore, by the double standards which undermine all EU policies in this area and are entirely at odds with a universal vision of human rights;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 207**

**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Cristian Dan Preda, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 6**

*Motion for a resolution*

6. Emphasises that, in order ***for the EU to be a credible actor in external relations***, it should ensure increased coherence between its internal and external policies with regard to respect for human rights and democratic values, and it should aim towards a systematically consistent and coherent implementation of the EU's human rights policy;

*Amendment*

6. Emphasises that, in order ***to advance human rights and democracy in the world***, it should ensure increased coherence between its internal and external policies with regard to respect for human rights and democratic values, and it should aim towards a systematically consistent and coherent implementation of the EU's human rights policy;

Or. en

**Amendment 208**

**Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 6**

*Motion for a resolution*

6. Emphasises that, in order for the EU to be a credible actor in external

*Amendment*

6. Emphasises that, in order for the EU to be a credible actor in external

relations, it should ensure increased coherence between its internal and external policies with regard to respect for human rights and democratic values, and it should aim towards a systematically consistent and coherent implementation of the EU's human rights policy;

relations, it should ensure increased coherence between its internal and external policies with regard to respect for human rights and democratic values, ***with human rights strategies on the promotion and protection of the rights of LGBTI people being crucial to this end***, and it should aim towards a systematically consistent and coherent implementation of the EU's human rights policy;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 209**

**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb, Cristian Dan Preda**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 7**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

7. Draws attention to its long-term commitment to promote human rights and advance democratic values, as reflected, inter alia, in the annual award of the Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought, in the work of the Subcommittee on Human Rights, and in the monthly plenary debates and resolutions on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

##### *Amendment*

7. Draws attention to its long-term commitment to promote human rights and advance democratic values, as reflected, inter alia, in the annual award of the Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought, in the work of the Subcommittee on Human Rights, ***Democracy Support and Election Coordination Group, in support and active involvement in European Endowment for Democracy*** and in the monthly plenary debates and resolutions on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 210**

**Marietje Schaake, Ivo Vajgl, Petras Auštrevičius, Urmas Paet, Jozo Radoš, Maria Teresa Giménez Barbat, Javier Nart**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 7**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

7. Draws attention to its long-term commitment to promote human rights and

##### *Amendment*

7. Draws attention to its long-term commitment to promote human rights and



advance democratic values, as reflected, inter alia, in the annual award of the Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought, in the work of the Subcommittee on Human Rights, and in the monthly plenary debates and resolutions on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

advance democratic values, as reflected, inter alia, in the annual award of the Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought, in the work of the Subcommittee on Human Rights, and in the monthly plenary debates and resolutions on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law; ***and the many parliamentary delegations;***

Or. en

## **Amendment 211**

**Notis Marias**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 7**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

7. Draws attention to its long-term commitment to promote human rights and advance democratic values, as reflected, inter alia, in the annual award of the Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought, in the work of the Subcommittee on Human Rights, and in the monthly plenary debates and resolutions on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

##### *Amendment*

7. Draws attention to its long-term commitment to promote human rights and advance democratic values, ***without political or other considerations,*** as reflected, inter alia, in the annual award of the Sakharov Prize for Freedom of Thought, in the work of the Subcommittee on Human Rights, and in the monthly plenary debates and resolutions on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

Or. el

## **Amendment 212**

**Jozo Radoš, Ivan Jakovčić**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 8**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in

##### *Amendment*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, ***to condemn regimes who do or tolerate such atrocities,*** and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of

multilateral fora;

human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 213**

**Laima Liucija Andrikiienė**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 8**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

##### *Amendment*

8. Calls on the EU ***and the VP/HR in particular*** to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the ***persecution and*** killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 214**

**Louis Michel**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 8**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

##### *Amendment*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings ***and any form of violence, deprivation and threat*** of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 215**

**Ana Gomes**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

*Amendment*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the ***harassment, persecution, imprisonment*** and killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

Or. en

**Amendment 216**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

*Amendment*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings, ***disappearance and unlawful imprisonment*** of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

Or. en

**Amendment 217**  
**Urmas Paet**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in

*Amendment*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the ***persecution*** and killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it

multilateral fora;

comes to their testimony in multilateral  
fora;

Or. et

#### **Amendment 218**

**Barbara Lochbihler**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 8**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

###### *Amendment*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the ***harassment, arbitrary arrests and*** killings of human rights defenders (***HRDs***), and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora; ***encourages the EU Delegations and the Member States' diplomatic representations to continue to actively support human rights defenders, notably by systematically monitoring trials, visiting HRDs in jail and issuing statements on individual cases, where appropriate;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 219**

**Kati Piri**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 8**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

###### *Amendment*

8. ***Is deeply concerned that a growing number of human right defenders is under attack nowadays;*** calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral

fora;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 220**

**Pier Antonio Panzeri**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 8**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora;

###### *Amendment*

8. Calls on the EU to denounce, systematically and unequivocally, the killings of human rights defenders, and to step up its public diplomacy in open and clear support of human rights defenders, also when it comes to their testimony in multilateral fora; ***reiterates the importance of the EIDHR in providing urgent direct financial and material support for human rights defenders at risk and the emergency fund that allows the EU Delegations to give direct ad-hoc grants to Human Rights Defenders whose life is under imminent threat;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 221**

**Hans-Olaf Henkel, Geoffrey Van Orden**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 8 a (new)**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

###### *Amendment*

***8a. Reiterates that human rights should not be used to promote ideology;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 222**

**Barbara Lochbihler**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 8 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**8b.     *Insists on the importance of ensuring coherence of EU policy towards situations of occupation or annexation of territory; recalls that international humanitarian law should guide EU policy towards all such situations, including in cases of protracted occupation such as in Palestine, Western Sahara, Northern Cyprus and the multiple frozen conflicts in the Eastern Partnership countries;***

Or. en

**Amendment 223**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**8c.     *Calls on the EU and its Member States to encourage the establishment of national human rights institutions (NHRIs) according to the United Nations' Paris Principles with sufficient mandate, resources and expertise, to fulfil the safeguarding and respect for human rights;***

Or. en

**Amendment 224**  
**Tokia Saïfi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**8d.     *Highlights the need to further inter-parliamentary relations between the Union and its partner countries, in a framework of honest dialogue underpinned by mutual understanding and trust, with the aim of promoting***

*human rights effectively;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 225**

**Barbara Lochbihler**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Josef Weidenholzer**

on behalf of the S&D Group

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

9. Welcomes the adoption of the second EU Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy (2015-2019), and urges *all EU actors to make full use of the Action Plan's tools and flexibility to respond effectively to emerging and shifting challenges to the protection of human rights;*

*Amendment*

9. Welcomes the adoption of the second EU Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy (2015-2019), and urges *the EU and its Member States to fully implement the actions therein and in a timely manner;*

Or. en

**Amendment 226**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

9. Welcomes the adoption of the second EU Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy (2015-2019), and urges all EU actors to make full use of the Action Plan's tools and flexibility to respond effectively to emerging and shifting challenges to the protection of human rights;

*Amendment*

9. Welcomes the adoption of the second EU Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy (2015-2019), and urges all EU actors to *ensure an efficient, transparent and coherent implementation of the new Action Plan and to* make full use of the Action Plan's tools and flexibility to respond effectively to emerging and shifting challenges to the protection of human rights;

Or. en

**Amendment 227**  
**Laima Liucija Andrikienė**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

9. Welcomes the adoption of the second EU Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy (2015-2019), and urges all EU actors to make full use of the Action Plan's tools and flexibility to respond effectively to emerging and shifting challenges to the protection of human rights;

*Amendment*

9. Welcomes the adoption of the second EU Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy (2015-2019), and urges all EU actors to make full use of the Action Plan's tools and flexibility to respond effectively to emerging and shifting challenges to the protection of human rights ***and to strengthen democracy support***;

Or. en

**Amendment 228**  
**Cristian Dan Preda**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 9 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

***9a. Underlines that a solid consensus and enhanced coordination between the EU and Member States is needed in order to ensure a coherent implementation of the Action Plan; encourages Member States to take greater ownership of the implementation both of the EU Strategic Framework and of the Action Plan and to use them as their blueprint in promoting human rights and democracy bilaterally and multilaterally;***

Or. en

**Amendment 229**  
**Laima Liucija Andrikienė**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 9 b (new)**



*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**9b.** *Draws attention that the Action Plan does not include a separate objective on fostering democratic standards in partner countries; stresses that a single democracy support approach is highly needed and underlines that it has to be mainstreamed through all EU financial instruments in the same way as human rights support; calls on the Commission to develop EU guidelines for democracy support;*

Or. en

**Amendment 230**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 9 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**9c.** *Welcomes the inclusion of an objective to address threats to civil society space and urges the EU to implement outlined actions, including to identify and report on threats to civil society space and steps taken to counter such threats and to oppose unjustified restrictions to freedom of peaceful assembly;*

Or. en

**Amendment 231**

**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**10.** *Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for*

*deleted*

*the implementation of the Action Plan;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 232**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**10. Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for the implementation of the Action Plan;** **deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 233**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**10. Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for the implementation of the Action Plan;**

**10. Welcomes** a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for the implementation of the Action Plan;

Or. en

**Amendment 234**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**10. Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for**

**10. Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles, *actions* and**

the implementation of the Action Plan;

responsibilities, for the implementation of the Action Plan;

Or. el

**Amendment 235**  
**Cristian Dan Preda**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

10. Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for the implementation of the Action Plan;

*Amendment*

10. Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for the implementation of the Action Plan;  
*recalls its determination to be closely associated with and consulted on the implementation of the Action Plan;*

Or. en

**Amendment 236**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

10. Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for the implementation of the Action Plan;

*Amendment*

10. Encourages the EU to develop a work plan, with a clear timetable, measurable benchmarks, and a clear division of roles and responsibilities, for the implementation of the Action Plan;  
*calls on the EU to report to civil society on the implementation of this Action Plan;*

Or. en

**Amendment 237**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 11**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**11.** *Stresses that, in order to fulfil the ambitious objectives set out in the second Action Plan, the EU must set aside sufficient resources and expertise, both in terms of dedicated human resources in delegations and at the Commission and the EEAS, and in terms of funds available for projects;*

*deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 238**

**Laima Liucija Andrikiienė**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 11 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**11a.** *Urges the Commission to take necessary actions during the mid-term implementation review of the Action Plan in 2017 in order to guarantee the coherence between EU approaches towards protection of humans rights and democracy support;*

Or. en

**Amendment 239**

**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 12**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**12.** *Encourages all parties involved in EU external action to identify and address existing gaps in the protection of human rights, and to step up cooperation with civil society and with regional and international organisations on the ground;*

**12.** *Encourages all the Member States in the activities they are undertaking and proposes to support initiatives by Member States that have the requisite intervention capability;*

Or. fr

## Amendment 240

Arne Lietz

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 12

##### *Motion for a resolution*

12. Encourages all parties involved in EU external action to identify and address existing gaps in the protection of human rights, and to step up cooperation with civil society and with regional and international organisations on the ground;

##### *Amendment*

12. Encourages all parties involved in EU external action to identify and address existing gaps in the protection of human rights ***and democratic freedoms***, and to step up cooperation with civil society, ***parliaments, political parties and local authorities*** and with regional and international organisations on the ground;

Or. en

## Amendment 241

Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Fabio Massimo Castaldo

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 12

##### *Motion for a resolution*

12. Encourages all parties involved in EU external action to identify and address existing gaps in the protection of human rights, and to step up cooperation with civil society and with regional and international organisations on the ground;

##### *Amendment*

12. Encourages all parties involved in EU external action to identify and address existing gaps in the protection of human rights, and to step up cooperation with civil society and with regional and international organisations on the ground ***by pro-actively consulting civil society, by reacting to requests from civil society for action to be taken and by keeping civil society informed of actions taken to protect human rights***;

Or. en

## Amendment 242

Barbara Lochbihler

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Josef Weidenholzer

on behalf of the S&D Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 13**

*Motion for a resolution*

13. ***Reiterates its belief that*** the Annual Report on Human Rights and Democracy should be strengthened by a more critical approach whereby, in addition to achievements and best practices, the report would highlight very specific challenges and constraints faced in third countries;

*Amendment*

13. ***Welcomes the attempts made to improve and make the thematic part of*** the Annual Report on Human Rights and Democracy ***more concise and systematic, and to make it more widely available to the general public; reiterates its belief that the Annual Report*** should be strengthened by a more critical ***and analytical*** approach whereby, in addition to achievements and best practices, the report would highlight very specific challenges and constraints faced in third countries, ***as well as make recommendations for corrective action; stresses that Member States should take greater ownership of the Action Plan and report back on their implementation of the latter; reiterates its view that country reports which form part of the Annual Report should be as little descriptive as possible and should reflect the implementation of Human Rights Country Strategies and give an overview of the impact of the EU's actions on the ground;***

Or. en

**Amendment 243**  
**Angel Dzhambazki**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 13**

*Motion for a resolution*

13. Reiterates its belief that the Annual Report on Human Rights and Democracy should be strengthened by a more critical approach whereby, in addition to achievements and best practices, the report would highlight very specific challenges and constraints faced in third countries;

*Amendment*

13. Reiterates its belief that the Annual Report on Human Rights and Democracy should be ***made more tangible and*** strengthened by a more critical approach whereby, in addition to achievements and best practices, the report would highlight very specific challenges and constraints faced in third countries ***and the measures***

*taken by the EEAS to overcome these;*

Or. bg

**Amendment 244**

**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 13**

*Motion for a resolution*

13. Reiterates its belief that the Annual Report on Human Rights and Democracy should be strengthened by a more ***critical*** approach whereby, in addition to achievements and best practices, the report would highlight very specific challenges and constraints faced in third countries;

*Amendment*

13. Reiterates its belief that the Annual Report on Human Rights and Democracy should be strengthened by a more ***analytical*** approach whereby, in addition to achievements and best practices, the report would highlight very specific challenges and constraints faced in third countries;

Or. en

**Amendment 245**

**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 14**

*Motion for a resolution*

***14. Reiterates its call for systematic and comprehensive reporting on steps taken in response to resolutions adopted by Parliament on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;***

*Amendment*

***deleted***

Or. fr

**Amendment 246**

**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 14**

*Motion for a resolution*

14. Reiterates its call for systematic and comprehensive reporting on steps taken in response to resolutions adopted by Parliament on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

*Amendment*

14. Reiterates its call for systematic and comprehensive reporting on ***the diplomatic steps that were taken, the results that were achieved and the political conclusions that were drawn to the action*** in response to resolutions adopted by Parliament on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law; ***insists on the need to ensure a rapid and appropriate response to human infringements, even in the early stages of human rights violations;***

Or. en

**Amendment 247**

**Pier Antonio Panzeri**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 14**

*Motion for a resolution*

14. Reiterates its call for systematic and comprehensive reporting on steps taken in response to resolutions adopted by Parliament on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;

*Amendment*

14. Reiterates its call for systematic and comprehensive reporting on steps taken in response to resolutions adopted by Parliament on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law; ***in this regard welcomes the follow-up made by the EEAS within the Subcommittee on Human Rights on resolutions concerning debates on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law;***

Or. en

**Amendment 248**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 14 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***14a. Calls on the EEAS and the Commission to ensure coherence between***



*the various documents and reports on human rights and democracy in third countries, notably within the revised European Neighbourhood Policy;*

Or. en

**Amendment 249**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 14 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*14b. Reiterates its invitation to the VP/HR to participate in a debate with the Members of the European Parliament in two plenary sessions per year, one at the time the EU Annual Report is presented, and the other in response to Parliament's report; stresses that comprehensive written answers from the Commission and the EEAS to Parliament's resolution on the Annual Report on Human Rights and Democracy play an important role in a systematic and in-depth follow-up to all the points raised by Parliament, and in parliamentary scrutiny;*

Or. en

**Amendment 250**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one;*

*deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 251**  
**Laima Liucija Andrikienė**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one;

*Amendment*

15. Recalls the importance of the ***stronger and more flexible*** mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one; ***urges the EUSR to further deepen the democracy support component within this mandate;***

Or. en

**Amendment 252**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one;

*Amendment*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one ***with sufficient resources and expertise;***

Or. en

**Amendment 253**  
**Cristian Dan Preda**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human

*Amendment*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human

rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one;

rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one; ***considers, moreover, that the EUSR should have own-initiative powers, higher public visibility and adequate resources to work at its full potential;***

Or. en

**Amendment 254**  
**Ana Gomes**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one;

*Amendment*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one ***and to ensure greater visibility for the role of the EUSR for Human Rights, who, while supported by the different services within the EU institutions in the interests of good coordination, needs to have own-initiative powers and the right to speak publicly;***

Or. en

**Amendment 255**  
**Pier Antonio Panzeri**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one;

*Amendment*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one; ***commends the EUSR for his work, which has enhanced***

*the consistency, effectiveness, and visibility of the EU's promotion and protection of human rights around the world;*

Or. en

**Amendment 256**

**Dennis de Jong, Peter van Dalen, Hannu Takkula, Lars Adaktusson, Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one

*Amendment*

15. Recalls the importance of the mandate of the EUSR in enhancing the EU's effectiveness in advancing human rights and democratic principles around the world; reiterates its call for this mandate to become a permanent one; *whilst acknowledging the important role of the EUSR for Human Rights, regrets that Freedom of Religion or Belief is not listed as one of the key EU priorities raised<sup>1a</sup>;*

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*1a*

*<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-10255-2016-INIT/en/pdf>*

Or. en

**Amendment 257**

**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

**16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of his visits to third countries;**

*Amendment*

*deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 258**  
**Barbara Lochbihler**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. ***Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically*** with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of his visits to ***third*** countries;

*Amendment*

16. ***Stresses the importance of systematic support for, and consultation with civil society; welcomes in this respect the EUSR's strong engagement*** with civil society, including local civil society organisations ***and human rights defenders*** ahead of, ***during and in follow-up to*** his visits to ***partner*** countries, ***and stresses the importance of continued and ever-stronger engagement on these lines; fully supports the EUSR's focus on the promotion and protection of an open space for civil society and human rights defenders as a key priority during his mandate; calls on the EUSR to report back to CSOs and to Parliament after his visits; regrets that the work and the impact of the EUSR can only be partially accessed through a review of the Annual Report on Human Rights, his Twitter account, and available speeches; also regrets that there is neither official information on his activities, plans, nor progress reports and reviews;***

Or. en

**Amendment 259**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. ***Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically*** with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of

*Amendment*

16. ***Welcomes that the EUSR consults systematically*** with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of

his visits to third countries;

his visits to third countries;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 260**

**Pier Antonio Panzeri**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 16**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of his visits to third countries;

###### *Amendment*

16. Calls on the EUSR to ***continue to*** consult systematically with civil society, including ***with*** local civil society organisations, ahead of, ***during and after -*** his visits to third countries; ***fully supports the EUSR's focus on the promotion and protection of open space for civil society and human rights defenders as a key priority during his mandate;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 261**

**Laurențiu Rebega**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 16**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, ***including*** local civil society organisations, ***ahead of his visits to third countries;***

###### *Amendment*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically, ***prior to his visits to third countries,*** with civil society ***and with*** local civil society organisations, ***including those adopting divergent stances, since in many countries authoritarian regimes indirectly control segments of civil society;***

Or. ro

#### **Amendment 262**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Nathalie Griesbeck, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Filiz Hyusmenova, Julie Ward, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Marlene Mizzi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of his visits to third countries;

*Amendment*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, including local civil society organisations **and youth and children, and relevant international organisations** ahead of his visits to third countries;

Or. en

**Amendment 263**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. Calls on the EUSR to **consult systematically** with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of his visits to third countries;

*Amendment*

16. Calls on the EUSR to **hold systematic and in-depth consultations** with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of his visits to third countries;

Or. el

**Amendment 264**  
**Laima Liucija Andrikienė**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of **his** visits to third countries;

*Amendment*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of visits to third countries; **stresses that the work of the EUSR must have clear and transparent follow-up lines;**

Or. en

**Amendment 265**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of **his** visits to third countries;

*Amendment*

16. Calls on the EUSR to consult systematically with civil society, including local civil society organisations, ahead of **their** visits to third countries;

Or. en

**Amendment 266**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**16a. Encourages the EUSR to continue to systematically advocate for the EU's human rights priorities, and to enhance the EU's engagement with all relevant regional and international human rights organisations and mechanisms; and calls on the Council to adopt as a general principle the practice of systematically including cooperation with the EUSR for Human Rights in the mandate of future geographic EUSRs;**

Or. en

**Amendment 267**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**16b. Regrets that the work and the impact of the EUSR can only be partially accessed through a review of the Annual Report on Human Rights, his Twitter account, and available speeches; also regrets that there is neither official information on his activities, plans, nor**



*progress reports and reviews;*

Or. en

**Amendment 268**

**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 16 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***16c. Regrets that the work and the impact of the EUSR can only be partially accessed through a review of the Annual Report on Human Right, his Twitter account, and available speeches; also regrets that there is neither official information on his activities, plans, nor progress reports or reviews;***

Or. en

**Amendment 269**

**Marietje Schaake, Javier Nart, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Jozo Radoš, Hilde Vautmans, María Teresa Giménez Barbat**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 16 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***16d. Regrets that the work and the impact of the EUSR can only be partially assessed through the a review of the Annual Report on Human Rights, his Twitter account and available speeches; calls for a more systematic exchange of information on his activities, visits and plans;***

Or. en

**Amendment 270**

**Arne Lietz**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

Human rights country strategies (**HRCSSs**)  
and the role of EU delegations

*Amendment*

Human rights **and democracy** country  
strategies (**HRDCSSs**) and the role of EU  
delegations

Or. en

**Amendment 271**

**Arne Lietz**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph -17 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**-17a. Welcomes the addition of  
democracy to the human rights country  
strategies as a necessary element of any  
comprehensive analysis of the state of  
human rights and democracy in partner  
countries;**

Or. en

**Amendment 272**

**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph -17 (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**-17. Reiterates that the HRCSSs should  
correspond to EU actions to be  
implemented in each country depending  
on specific situations, and should contain  
measurable progress indicators and the  
possibility to adjust them if necessary;  
points to the need to continuously assess  
HRCSSs; calls for further improvements in  
cooperation, communication and  
exchange of information between EU  
Delegations, Member States' embassies  
and EU institutions, including  
Parliament, in drawing up and  
implementing the HRCSSs;**

**Amendment 273**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 17**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**17. Reiterates its demand that the Members of the European Parliament be given access to the HRCSS, and that these are presented in a format that enables the Members to fulfil their duty of scrutiny properly;**

***deleted***

Or. fr

**Amendment 274**  
**Dennis de Jong, Lars Adaktusson, Hannu Takkula, Peter van Dalen, Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 17**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**17. Reiterates its demand that the Members of the European Parliament be given access to the HRCSS, and that these are presented in a format that enables the Members to fulfil their duty of scrutiny properly;**

**17. Reiterates its demand that the Members of the European Parliament be given access to the HRCSS *and obtain information on how the EU implements these strategies*, and that these are presented in a format that enables the Members to fulfil their duty of scrutiny properly;**

Or. en

**Amendment 275**  
**Pier Antonio Panzeri**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18a. Welcomes the nomination of human rights and/or gender focal points**

*in all EU Delegations and recalls its recommendation to the VP/HR and the EEAS to develop clear operational guidelines as to the role of human rights focal points; insists that the work of human rights focal points should be equally supported by Member States' diplomatic staff; requests that the work of the human rights focal points be independent and free of political interference and harassment from national authorities of third countries, especially in their contacts with human rights activists and civil society; insists on the importance of training all EU Delegations staff on the content of the EU Guidelines on Human rights;*

Or. en

**Amendment 276**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18b. Welcomes the nomination of human rights and/or gender focal points in all EU Delegations and recalls its recommendation to the VP/HR and the EEAS to develop clear operational guidelines as to the role of human rights focal points; insists that the work of the human rights focal points should be equally supported by Member States' diplomatic staff; requests that the work of the human rights focal points be independent and free of political interference and harassment from national authorities of third countries, especially in their contacts with human rights activists and civil society; insists on the importance of training all EU Delegations staff on the contents of the EU Guidelines on Human Rights;*

Or. en

**Amendment 277**  
**Marie-Christine Vergiat**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. **Welcomes** the increased budget and streamlined procedures of the European Instrument for Democracy and Human Rights (EIDHR) 2014-2020, and calls for the foreseen allocation to the EIDHR mid-term review to be maintained for the remainder of the current Multiannual Financial Framework period;

*Amendment*

19. **Notes** the increased budget and streamlined procedures of the European Instrument for Democracy and Human Rights (EIDHR) 2014-2020, and calls for the foreseen allocation to the EIDHR mid-term review to be maintained for the remainder of the current Multiannual Financial Framework period;

Or. fr

**Amendment 278**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Welcomes the increased budget and streamlined procedures of the European Instrument for Democracy and Human Rights (EIDHR) 2014-2020, and calls for the foreseen allocation to the EIDHR mid-term review to be maintained for the remainder of the current Multiannual Financial Framework period ;

*Amendment*

19. Welcomes the increased budget and streamlined procedures of the European Instrument for Democracy and Human Rights (EIDHR) 2014-2020, and calls for the foreseen allocation to the EIDHR mid-term review to be maintained for the remainder of the current Multiannual Financial Framework period; ***reiterates the need for coherence and complementarity between the different EU funding instruments and that such reinforcement is applicable to all instruments that serve human rights***;

Or. en

**Amendment 279**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as a tool of the EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they can be an efficient tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation, provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send meaningful political messages, rather than merely exchanging information on best practices and challenges;**

**deleted**

Or. fr

**Amendment 280**  
**Cristian Dan Preda**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as a tool of the EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they can be an efficient tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation, provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send meaningful political messages, **rather than merely** exchanging information on best practices and challenges;

21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as a tool of the EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they can be an efficient tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation, provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send meaningful political messages **that should go beyond** exchanging information on best practices and challenges;

Or. en

**Amendment 281**  
**Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as **a tool** of the

21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as **one of the**

EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they *can be an efficient* tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation, provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send *meaningful* political messages, *rather than merely* exchanging information on best practices and challenges;

*most effective tools* of the EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they *are a useful* tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation, provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send political messages, *as well as* exchanging information on best practices and challenges;

Or. en

## **Amendment 282**

**Laima Liucija Andrikienė**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 21**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as a tool of the EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they can be an efficient tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation, provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send meaningful political messages, rather than merely exchanging information on best practices and challenges;

##### *Amendment*

21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as a tool of the EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they can be an efficient tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation, provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send meaningful political messages, *are result-oriented and with consistent follow up* rather than merely exchanging information on best practices and challenges;

Or. en

## **Amendment 283**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Nathalie Griesbeck, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Filiz Hyusmenova, Julie Ward, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 21**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as a tool of the EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they can be an efficient tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation,

##### *Amendment*

21. Reiterates its support for dedicated Human Rights Dialogues as a tool of the EU's human rights policy; acknowledges that they can be an efficient tool for bilateral engagement and cooperation,

provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send meaningful political messages, rather than merely exchanging information on best practices and challenges;

provided they allow counterparts to engage on issues of substance and send meaningful political messages, rather than merely exchanging information on best practices and challenges; *invites the EU to systematically include discussions on the situation of the rights of women and children's rights in all Human Rights Dialogues;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 284**

**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

**22. Recognises the importance of engaging in human rights-specific dialogues also with countries with serious human rights problems; underlines, however, the need for the EU to draw clear political conclusions when these Human Rights Dialogues do not lead to positive outcomes; warns against side-lining human rights discussions in high-level political dialogues;**

*Amendment*

*deleted*

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 285**

**Notis Marias**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

**22. Recognises the importance of engaging in human rights-specific dialogues also with countries with serious human rights problems; underlines, however, the need for the EU to draw clear political conclusions when these Human Rights Dialogues do not lead to positive**

*Amendment*

**22. Recognises the importance of engaging in human rights-specific dialogues also with countries with serious human rights problems; underlines, however, the need for the EU to draw clear political conclusions when these Human Rights Dialogues do not lead to positive**



outcomes; *warns against side-lining human rights discussions in high-level political dialogues;*

outcomes;

Or. el

**Amendment 286**  
**Angel Dzhambazki**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

22. Recognises the importance of engaging in human rights-specific dialogues also with countries with serious human rights problems; underlines, however, the need for the EU to draw clear political conclusions when these Human Rights Dialogues do not lead to positive outcomes; warns against side-lining human rights discussions in high-level political dialogues;

*Amendment*

22. Recognises the importance of engaging in human rights-specific dialogues also with countries with serious human rights problems; underlines, however, the need for the EU to draw clear political conclusions when these Human Rights Dialogues do not lead to positive outcomes; warns against side-lining human rights discussions in high-level political dialogues, *especially in cases of gross violations of human rights;*

Or. bg

**Amendment 287**  
**Louis Michel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

22. Recognises the importance of engaging in human rights-specific dialogues also with countries with serious human rights problems; underlines, however, the need for the EU to draw clear political conclusions when these Human Rights Dialogues do not lead to positive outcomes; warns against side-lining human rights discussions in high-level political dialogues;

*Amendment*

22. Recognises the importance of engaging in human rights-specific dialogues also with countries with serious human rights problems; underlines, however, the need for the EU to draw clear political conclusions when these Human Rights Dialogues do not lead to positive outcomes; warns against side-lining human rights discussions in high-level political dialogues; *insists that discussions about human rights should never be subordinated to other interests in high-level political discussions; reiterates its call for an EU policy and diplomacy that*

*should aim to wipe out all discriminations with regard to LGBTI, sex, racial or ethnic origin, caste, age, disability, religion or belief and to use every opportunity to express its grave concern over these discriminations;*

Or. en

**Amendment 288**  
**Josef Weidenholzer**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 22 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*22a. Reiterates its call for the EEAS to develop a mechanism for reviewing Human Rights Dialogues, with a view to improving them; believes that, if such dialogues persistently fail, alternative tools to support the advancement of human rights in the country concerned should be used;*

Or. en

**Amendment 289**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*23. Urges the EEAS systematically to include a preparatory dialogue with civil society, which should feed directly into the Human Rights Dialogues; further urges the VP/HR and the EEAS to raise individual cases of human rights defenders in a transparent and consistent manner during dialogues; calls on the EEAS systematically to follow up on the commitments made during human rights dialogues;*

*deleted*

Or. fr

## Amendment 290

Godelieve Quisthoudt-Rowohl, Andrzej Grzyb

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 23

##### *Motion for a resolution*

23. **Urges** the EEAS systematically to include a preparatory dialogue with civil society, which should feed directly into the Human Rights Dialogues; further urges the VP/HR and the EEAS to raise individual cases of human rights defenders in a transparent and consistent manner during dialogues; calls on the EEAS systematically to follow up on the commitments made during human rights dialogues;

##### *Amendment*

23. **Welcomes the efforts of** the EEAS systematically to include a preparatory dialogue with civil society, which should feed directly into the Human Rights Dialogues; further urges the VP/HR and the EEAS to raise individual cases of human rights defenders in a transparent and consistent manner during dialogues; calls on the EEAS systematically to follow up on the commitments made during human rights dialogues;

Or. en

## Amendment 291

Josef Weidenholzer

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 23

##### *Motion for a resolution*

23. Urges the EEAS systematically **to** include **a** preparatory **dialogue** with civil society, **which should feed** directly into the Human Rights Dialogues; **further urges** the VP/HR and the EEAS **to** raise individual cases of human rights defenders **in a transparent and consistent manner during** dialogues; calls on the EEAS systematically **to** follow up on the commitments made during human rights dialogues;

##### *Amendment*

23. Urges the EEAS **to** systematically **further** include preparatory **dialogues** with civil society, **with the purpose of feeding** directly into the Human Rights Dialogues; **stresses the importance that** the VP/HR and the EEAS raise individual cases of human rights defenders **during Human Rights** Dialogues; calls on the EEAS **to** systematically follow up on the commitments made during Human Rights Dialogues;

Or. en

## Amendment 292

Ignazio Corrao

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

23. Urges the EEAS systematically to include a preparatory dialogue with civil society, which should feed directly into the Human Rights Dialogues; further urges the VP/HR and the EEAS to raise individual cases of human rights defenders in a transparent and consistent manner during dialogues; calls on the EEAS systematically to follow up on the commitments made during human rights dialogues;

*Amendment*

23. Urges the EEAS systematically to include a preparatory dialogue with civil society, ***including with local civil society***, which should feed directly into the Human Rights Dialogues; further urges the VP/HR and the EEAS to ***systematically*** raise individual cases of human rights defenders ***at risk*** in a transparent and consistent manner during dialogues, ***particularly those concerning persons that are imprisoned; encourages the EU Delegations and the Member States' diplomatic staff to continue to actively support human rights defenders, by systematically monitoring trials, visiting detained HRDs and issuing statements on individual cases, where appropriate***; calls on the EEAS systematically to follow up on the commitments made during human rights dialogues ***and to systematise debriefing meetings with civil society organisations***;

Or. en

**Amendment 293**  
**Ignazio Corrao**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 23 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***23a. Stresses the need to implement a coherent and visible EU policy on civil society and stresses the need for a more articulated understanding of the use of public diplomacy; encourages the publication of human rights country strategies and roadmaps, and the establishment of an effective feedback, follow up on cases and the sharing of information;***

**Amendment 294**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

24. *Welcomes the EU Guidelines on human rights as a valuable EU human rights foreign policy tool providing practical guidance for EU delegations and for the Member States' diplomatic representations;*

*Amendment*

24. *Points out that developing countries are inevitably mistrustful of the neo-colonial tendencies in the EU with regard to human rights; reminds the EU that international legitimacy is something invested in states and that ill-considered steps by the Union can imperil the interests of both states and their nationals;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 295**  
**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Nathalie Griesbeck, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Filiz Hyusmenova, Julie Ward, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Marlene Mizzi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

24. Welcomes the EU Guidelines on human rights as a valuable EU human rights foreign policy tool providing practical guidance for EU delegations and for the Member States' diplomatic representations;

*Amendment*

24. Welcomes the EU Guidelines on human rights as a valuable EU human rights foreign policy tool providing practical guidance for EU delegations and for the Member States' diplomatic representations; *reiterates its call for the adoption of new EU Guidelines for the Promotion and Protection of the Rights of the Child without further delay;*

Or. en

**Amendment 296**  
**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

**25. Underlines firmly the importance of a continuous assessment of the implementation of the Guidelines by using clear benchmarks; considers that, in order to ensure a proper implementation of the Guidelines, systematic and effective training is needed among EEAS and EU delegation staff;**

*Amendment*

*deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 297**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Underlines firmly the importance of a continuous assessment of the implementation of the Guidelines by using clear benchmarks; considers that, in order to ensure a proper implementation of the Guidelines, systematic and effective training is needed among EEAS and EU delegation staff;

*Amendment*

25. Underlines firmly the importance of a continuous assessment of the implementation of the Guidelines by using clear benchmarks; ***urges the Commission to conduct and publish a thorough evaluation of the implementation of the Guidelines by EU Delegations and Member States' diplomatic representations in all third countries to detect possible differences and gaps in implementation and remedy them;*** considers that, in order to ensure a proper implementation of the Guidelines, systematic and effective training is needed among EEAS and EU delegation staff;

Or. en

**Amendment 298**

**Jean-Luc Schaffhauser**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**26. Recalls the EU's commitment to mainstream human rights and gender aspects in common security and defence policy missions, in line with the landmark UN Security Council Resolutions 1325 and 1820 on women, peace and security, and the recently adopted UN Security Council resolution 2242 making women a central component in all efforts to address global challenges; reiterates, in this context, its call on the EU and its Member States to support, in the process of building sustainable reconciliation, the systematic participation of women as a vital component of peace processes; calls, in this regard, on the EU to support, at international level, the recognition of the added value of women's participation in the prevention and resolution of conflicts, as well as in peacekeeping operations, humanitarian assistance and post-conflict reconstruction;**

**deleted**

Or. fr

**Amendment 299**  
**Geoffrey Van Orden**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

26. Recalls the EU's commitment to mainstream human rights and gender aspects in common security and defence policy missions, in line with the landmark UN Security Council Resolutions 1325 and 1820 on women, peace and security, and the recently adopted UN Security Council resolution 2242 making women a central component in all efforts to address global challenges; reiterates, in this context, its call on the EU and its Member States to support, in the process of building sustainable reconciliation, the systematic participation of women as a vital

26. Recalls the EU's commitment to mainstream human rights and gender aspects in common security and defence policy missions, in line with the landmark UN Security Council Resolutions 1325 and 1820 on women, peace and security, and the recently adopted UN Security Council resolution 2242 making women a central component in all efforts to address global challenges; reiterates, in this context, its call on the EU and its Member States to support, in the process of building sustainable reconciliation, the systematic participation of women as a vital

component of peace processes; ***calls, in this regard, on the EU to support, at international level, the recognition of*** the added value of women's participation in the prevention and resolution of conflicts, as well as in peacekeeping operations, humanitarian assistance and post-conflict reconstruction;

component of peace processes; ***recognizes*** the added value of women's participation in the prevention and resolution of conflicts, as well as in peacekeeping operations, humanitarian assistance and post-conflict reconstruction; ***notes the success of the all-female Indian FPU as part of UNMIL and commends the Indian government for their nine years of commitment to the unit;***

Or. en

### **Amendment 300**

**Marietje Schaake, Javier Nart, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Jozo Radoš, María Teresa Giménez Barbat**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 26**

#### *Motion for a resolution*

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#### *Amendment*

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