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Recommendation to the Council, the Commission and the EEAS on the Eastern Partnership, in the run-up to the November 2017 Summit
(2017/2130(INI))

Amendment 1

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the Eastern Partnership is based on a shared commitment between Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine and the European Union to international law and fundamental values, including democracy, the rule of law, respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and gender equality, as well as to the market economy, sustainable development and good governance;

Amendment

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Or. fr

Amendment 2

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the Eastern Partnership is based on a shared commitment between Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine and the European Union to international law and fundamental values, including democracy, the rule of law, respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and gender equality, **as well as to the market economy, sustainable development and good governance;**

Amendment

A. whereas the Eastern Partnership is based on a shared commitment between Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine and the European Union to international law and fundamental values, including democracy, the rule of law, respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and gender equality, **sustainable development, good governance and a market economy geared to full employment and social progress;**

Or. de

Amendment 3

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the Eastern Partnership is based on a shared commitment between Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine and the European Union to international law and fundamental values, including democracy, the rule of law, respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and gender equality, as well as to *the* market economy, sustainable development and good governance;

Amendment

A. whereas the Eastern Partnership is based on a shared commitment between Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine and the European Union to international law and fundamental values, including democracy, the rule of law, respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and gender equality, as well as to *social* market economy, sustainable development and good governance;

Or. en

Amendment 4

Petras Auštrevičius, Patricia Lalonde, Javier Nart

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the Eastern Partnership is based on a shared commitment between Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine and the European Union to international law and fundamental values, including democracy, the rule of law, respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and gender equality, as well as to the market economy, sustainable development and good governance;

Amendment

A. whereas the Eastern Partnership is based on a shared commitment between Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine and the European Union to *develop their relations with an aim to adhere to* international law and fundamental values, including democracy, the rule of law, respect for human rights, fundamental freedoms and gender equality, as well as to the market economy, sustainable development and good governance;

Or. en

Amendment 5
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas in the altered international situation the Eastern Partnership is currently geared more to the aim of stabilisation of the neighbourhood than to promoting political and economic reforms, which is also reflected in a stronger emphasis on common interests;

Or. de

Amendment 6
Miroslav Poche

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. Expresses concern about allegations of bribery originating in Azerbaijan to influence policies of the European Union;

Or. en

Amendment 7
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Recital A b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ab. whereas the main sources of influence by Europe over security and prosperity in its neighbourhood are the

attractiveness of its socioeconomic model, unity and solidarity among EU Member States, sustainable and environmentally sound growth, arrangements for democratic participation in developments within society and decision-making, and respect for human rights and democratic freedoms;

Or. de

Amendment 8

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas the *Eastern Partnership pursues the common goals of promoting stability, confidence-building and cooperation, supporting democratic reforms, good neighbourly relations and regional cooperation, enhancing people-to-people contacts and boosting trade, in order to increase political dialogue and association as well as economic cooperation and integration;*

Amendment

B. whereas the *effects of the Eastern Partnership have been to destabilise all the States that were bridges between Russia and Europe (Serbia, Georgia, Ukraine and Moldova) and to bring about a deterioration of the security situation throughout Europe;*

Or. fr

Amendment 9

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas the Eastern Partnership pursues the common goals of promoting stability, confidence-building and

Amendment

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cooperation, supporting democratic reforms, good neighbourly relations and regional cooperation, enhancing people-to-people contacts and boosting trade, in order to increase political dialogue and association as well as economic cooperation and integration;

cooperation, supporting democratic reforms, good neighbourly relations, ***peaceful conflict resolution*** and regional cooperation, enhancing people-to-people contacts and boosting trade, in order to increase political dialogue and association as well as economic cooperation and integration;

Or. en

Amendment 10

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

C. whereas, through its Global Strategy and the revised ENP, the EU seeks to bring its partners closer via accelerated political association and economic integration with the EU, while at the same time aiming to promote political stabilisation, societal resilience and economic prosperity in its neighbourhood, and offering opportunities for privileged political and economic relations in line with the degree of ambition of each partner country;

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Or. fr

Amendment 11

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. whereas, given that the EU considers cooperation to be a value in

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itself and strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned, there is a commitment on the side of the EU to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries regardless of their strategic choices;

Or. fr

Amendment 12
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. *whereas, given that the EU considers cooperation to be a value in itself and strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned, there is a commitment on the side of the EU to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries regardless of their strategic choices;*

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Or. en

Amendment 13
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. *whereas, given that the EU considers cooperation to be a value in itself and strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned, there is a commitment on the side of the EU to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries regardless of their strategic choices;*

D. *whereas the EU should be at the service of States and should not jeopardise the diplomatic balances that exist in the Eastern Partnership States with their spiritual, economic and political traditions;*

Amendment 14
Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas, **given that** the EU considers cooperation to be a value in itself **and** strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned, **there is a commitment on the side of the EU** to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries **regardless of their strategic choices**;

Amendment

D. whereas the EU considers cooperation to be a value in itself, strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned **and considers it necessary** to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries;

Amendment 15
Georgios Epitideios

Motion for a resolution
Recital Δ

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas, given that the EU considers cooperation to be a value in itself and strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned, there is a commitment on the side of the EU to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries regardless of their strategic choices;

Amendment

D. whereas, given that the EU considers cooperation to be a value in itself and strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned, there is a commitment on the side of the EU to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries regardless of their strategic choices, **provided that they do not run counter to the interests of the EU as a whole or the individual Member States**;

Amendment 16

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas, given that the EU considers cooperation to be a value in itself and strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned, there is a commitment on the side of the EU to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries regardless of their strategic choices;

Amendment

D. whereas, given that the EU considers cooperation to be a value in itself and strongly believes that it leads to win-win situations for all parties concerned, there is a commitment on the side of the EU to continue to work with all Eastern Partnership countries regardless of their strategic choices ***as long as the European core values are not questioned or undermined;***

Or. en

Amendment 17
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Da. whereas the EU and associated partners need to match resources and instruments to the commitments taken under Association Agreements and bring more focus on the implementation of these agreements, taking into account the fact that the Eastern Partnership Association Agreements are different from other current Association Agreements in that they contain the gradual establishment of DCFTAs;

Or. en

Amendment 18

Petras Auštrevičius, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas the EU and Associated Partners need to match resources and instruments to the commitments taken under Association Agreements and bring more focus on the implementation of these agreements, taking into account the fact that the EaP Association Agreements are different in that they contain gradual establishment of DCFTAs;

Or. en

Amendment 19

Charles Tannock

Motion for a resolution

Recital d a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

da. whereas the EU and Associated Partners need to match resources and instruments to the commitments taken under Association Agreements and bring more focus on the implementation of these agreements, taking into account the fact that the EaP Association Agreements are different from other current Association Agreements in that they contain gradual establishment of the DCFTA;

Or. en

Amendment 20

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E. *whereas the participants in the 2015 Riga Summit called for progress to be made by the time of the next Summit in the areas of (1) strengthening institutions and good governance, (2) mobility and people-to-people contacts, (3) economic development and market opportunities, and (4) connectivity, energy efficiency, the environment and climate change;*

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Or. fr

Amendment 21
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F. *whereas significant progress has been made since the last Summit, notably with the conclusion and entry into force of three Association Agreements including a Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area (DCFTA) with Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, as well as visa-free regimes with Georgia and Ukraine since 2017 (and with Moldova since 2014), the conclusion of negotiations on a Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement with Armenia, the launching of negotiations on a new comprehensive agreement with Azerbaijan, and the adoption of major reforms in a number of these countries with the political, technical and financial support of the European Union;*

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Or. fr

Amendment 22
David McAllister

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas significant progress has been made since the last Summit, notably with the conclusion and entry into force of three Association Agreements including a Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area (DCFTA) with Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, as well as visa-free regimes with Georgia and Ukraine since 2017 (and with Moldova since 2014), the conclusion of negotiations on a Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement with Armenia, the launching of negotiations on a new comprehensive agreement with Azerbaijan, and the adoption of major reforms in a number of these countries with the political, technical and financial support of the European Union;

Amendment

F. whereas significant progress has been made since the last Summit, notably with the conclusion and entry into force of three Association Agreements including a Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area (DCFTA) with Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, as well as visa-free regimes with Georgia and Ukraine since 2017 (and with Moldova since 2014), the conclusion of negotiations on a Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement with Armenia, ***which can serve as an example of how membership of the Eurasian Economic Union and participation in the EU's neighbourhood strategies can coexist***, the launching of negotiations on a new comprehensive agreement with Azerbaijan, and the adoption of major reforms in a number of these countries with the political, technical and financial support of the European Union;

Or. de

Amendment 23
Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

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Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area (DCFTA) with Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, as well as visa-free regimes with Georgia and Ukraine since 2017 (and with Moldova since 2014), the conclusion of negotiations on a Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement with Armenia, the launching of negotiations on a new comprehensive agreement with Azerbaijan, and the adoption of major reforms in a number of these countries with the political, technical and financial support of the European Union, *as well as the continuation of the 'critical engagement' policy and the launching of negotiations on Partnership Priorities with Belarus;*

Or. en

Amendment 24

László Tóké, Andrea Bocskor

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas significant progress has been made since the last Summit, notably with the conclusion and entry into force of three Association Agreements including a Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area (DCFTA) with Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, as well as visa-free regimes with Georgia and Ukraine since 2017 (and with Moldova since 2014), the conclusion of negotiations on a Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement with Armenia, the launching of negotiations on a new comprehensive agreement with Azerbaijan, and the adoption of major reforms in a number of these countries with the political, technical and financial support of the European Union;

Amendment

F. whereas significant progress has been made since the last Summit, notably with the conclusion and entry into force of three Association Agreements including a Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area (DCFTA) with Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, as well as visa-free regimes with Georgia and Ukraine since 2017 (and with Moldova since 2014), the conclusion of negotiations on a Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement with Armenia, the launching of negotiations on a new comprehensive agreement with Azerbaijan, *the establishment of dialogue with Belarus* and the adoption of major reforms in a number of these countries with the political, technical and financial support of the European Union;

Amendment 25**Petras Auštrevičius, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet****Motion for a resolution****Recital F***Motion for a resolution*

F. whereas significant progress has been made since the last Summit, notably with the conclusion and entry into force of three Association Agreements including a Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area (DCFTA) with Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, as well as visa-free regimes with Georgia and Ukraine since 2017 (and with Moldova since 2014), the conclusion of negotiations on a Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement with Armenia, the launching of negotiations on a new comprehensive agreement with Azerbaijan, and the adoption of major reforms in a number of these countries with the political, technical and financial support of the European Union;

Amendment

F. whereas significant progress has been made since the last Summit, notably with the conclusion and entry into force of three Association Agreements including a Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Area (DCFTA) with Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, as well as visa-free regimes with Georgia and Ukraine since 2017 (and with Moldova since 2014), the conclusion of negotiations on a Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement with Armenia, the launching of negotiations on a new comprehensive agreement with Azerbaijan, and the adoption of major reforms in a number of these countries with the political, technical and financial support of the European Union; ***whereas the EU remains open for those European countries that respect and are fully committed to the European values, as stated in the Rome Declaration of 25 March 2017;***

Amendment 26**Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics**
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group**Motion for a resolution****Recital F a (new)***Motion for a resolution**Amendment*

Fa. whereas since the launch of the Eastern Partnership in Prague some founding members experienced an overall deterioration of the human rights situation and a reversal of democratisation trends; whereas one of the main challenges should be to facilitate the ongoing transition towards inclusive, accountable, stable and viable democracies;

Or. en

Amendment 27

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution

Recital G

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G. whereas increased mobility between the partner countries and the EU remains an indispensable instrument for the promotion of European values;

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Or. fr

Amendment 28

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital G

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G. whereas increased mobility between the partner countries and the EU **remains** an indispensable instrument for the promotion of European values;

G. whereas increased mobility **and the enhancement of people-to-people contacts** between the partner countries and the EU **remain** an indispensable instrument for the promotion of European values;

Or. en

Amendment 29
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Recital G a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ga. *whereas the EU remains open for those European countries that respect and are fully committed to promote the EU values, as stated in the Rome declaration 2017;*

Or. en

Amendment 30
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I. *whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some that are sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;*

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Or. it

Amendment 31
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I. whereas *the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from* unresolved regional conflicts, *including some that are sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;*

I. whereas *there remain certain* unresolved regional conflicts *within the Eastern Partnership;*

Or. it

Amendment 32
Georgios Epitideios

Motion for a resolution
Recital Ⓣ

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, *including some that are sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;*

Amendment

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts;

Or. el

Amendment 33
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some *that are sustained* by the *Russian Federation in contradiction with*

Amendment

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some *which are being stoked* by the *USA and its European vassals;*

its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;

Or. fr

Amendment 34

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, ***including some that are*** sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;

Amendment

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order ***and territories of four out of the six EaP countries are under Russian-backed occupation;***

Or. en

Amendment 35

Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some that are sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;

Amendment

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some that are sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order; ***having regard to Russia's destabilising activity in Ukraine;***

Amendment 36
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some that *are* sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;

Amendment

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some that *were initiated and are still actively* sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;

Or. en

Amendment 37
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some that are sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order;

Amendment

I. whereas the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the EU's eastern partners remains under threat from unresolved regional conflicts, including some that are sustained by the Russian Federation in contradiction with its international commitments to uphold the international legal order; *whereas the Russian aggression against Ukraine, especially the illegal annexation of the Crimea and the city of Sevastopol and their subsequent heavy militarisation as well as the occupation of some parts of the Donetsk and Lugansk regions of Ukraine and the continued occupation of*

two Georgian regions in violation of the EU-brokered cease-fire agreement, remain a fundamental threat also for European security as a whole; whereas the EU and its Eastern partners continue to be exposed to hybrid threats and propaganda stemming from the Russian Federation aimed at destroying the unity of the EU, sowing discord and mistrust within the EU and the Eastern Neighbourhood;

Or. en

Amendment 38
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ia. whereas since 2008 Russia continues its aggressive policies against the countries of EU's Eastern Neighbourhood, in particular Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine; whereas the illegal annexation of the Crimea, aggression against and occupation of the east of Ukraine, occupation of Georgian regions of Abkhazia and South Ossetia in violation of the EU - brokered cease - fire agreement remain a fundamental threat for the European security;

Or. en

Amendment 39
Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ia. whereas the EU should play a more active role in the peaceful resolution of the existing conflicts, notably those of frozen or protracted nature, which represent currently an insurmountable obstacle to the full development of the EaP hindering good-neighbourly relations and regional cooperation;

Or. en

Amendment 40
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ia. whereas the occupation of territories belonging to a third country is a violation of international law and is contrary to the founding principles of the European Neighbourhood Policy, thereby endangering the whole Eastern Partnership project;

Or. en

Amendment 41
Patricia Lalonde

Motion for a resolution
Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ia. whereas that the resolution 884 (1993) of October 14th, 1993 of the United Nations Security Council reaffirms " the sovereignty and territorial integrity of the Azerbaijani Republic and of all other

States in the region "

Or. en

Amendment 42
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Recital I b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ib. whereas the EU and its eastern partners are becoming vulnerable to hybrid threats and propaganda stemming from Russia, and aimed at destroying the unity of the EU, sowing discord and mistrust within the EU and Eastern Neighbourhood;

Or. en

Amendment 43
Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital I b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ib. whereas the EU and its eastern partners are vulnerable to hybrid threats stemming from the Russian Federation aimed at dividing the EU and sowing discord and mistrust within the EU and the Eastern Neighbourhood;

Or. en

Amendment 44
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Recital I b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ib. whereas the EU should play a more active role in the peaceful resolution of conflicts, including frozen conflicts, which currently constitute an insurmountable obstacle to the full development of good-neighbourly relations;

Or. en

Amendment 45
Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

J. whereas the Eastern Partnership policy is based on the sovereign right of each partner to choose the level of ambition and the goals to which it aspires in its relations with the EU;

J. whereas the Eastern Partnership policy is based on the sovereign right of each partner to choose the level of ambition and the goals to which it aspires in its relations with the EU; ***whereas, at the same time, on the part of the EU the effective use of the "more for more" principle is of fundamental importance in shaping and differentiating the relations with partner countries;***

Or. en

Amendment 46
Charles Tannock, Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the Eastern Partnership policy is based on the sovereign right of each partner to choose the level of ambition and the goals to which it aspires in its relations with the EU;

Amendment

J. whereas the Eastern Partnership policy is based on the sovereign right of each partner to choose the level of ambition and the goals to which it aspires in its relations with the EU; ***whereas those countries that pursue closer relations with the EU should be able to count on more support and assistance in achieving mutually set goals;***

Or. en

Amendment 47
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the Eastern Partnership policy is based on the sovereign right of each partner to choose the level of ambition and the goals to which it aspires in its relations with the EU;

Amendment

J. whereas the Eastern Partnership policy is based on the sovereign right of each partner to choose the level of ambition and the goals to which it aspires in its relations with the EU, ***but real progress can be made only by real commitment shown by the partners;***

Or. en

Amendment 48
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Recital J a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ja. whereas Russia launched in September 2017 jointly with Belarus, on the Belarusian territory and at the EU border, the Zapad 2017 military exercise,

Amendment

with a number of troops that could reach 100.000 thus being the largest Russian military exercise since the Cold War;

Or. en

Amendment 49
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Recital J a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ja. whereas two out of the six EaP countries are simultaneously engaged in relations with other competing organizations, such as Eurasian Economic Community or Collective Security Treaty Organization, which often in many areas do not pursue same goals as the EU;

Or. en

Amendment 50
Patricia Lalonde

Motion for a resolution
Recital J a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ja. whereas Azerbaijan is placed 163rd in the world in the 2017 ranking of 'Freedom of the Media' according to the NGO Reporters Sans Frontières;

Or. en

Amendment 51
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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Or. fr

Amendment 52
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga, Charles Tannock

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point –a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(-a) to re-acknowledge the European aspirations of Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as stated in the Association Agreements and previous EaP Summit Declarations;

Or. en

Amendment 53
Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point a

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(a) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will, as a first priority, provide the basis for upholding the core values of the European Union, in particular respect for democracy, fundamental freedoms, human rights, the rule of law and non-discrimination, on which the Eastern Partnership is based, underlining that these values are at the heart of the Association Agreements and recognising the commitment of the partners

(a) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will, as a first priority, provide the basis for upholding the core values of the European Union, in particular respect for democracy, fundamental freedoms, human rights, the rule of law and non-discrimination, on which the Eastern Partnership is based, underlining that these values are at the heart of the Association Agreements and recognising the commitment of the partners

concerned to implement and promote these values;

concerned to implement and promote these values; ***to stress that membership of the EU remains open to those that wish to have it, that work towards it and that meet the corresponding criteria;***

Or. et

Amendment 54

James Carver

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point a

Motion for a resolution

(a) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will, as a first priority, provide the basis for upholding ***the core values of the European Union***, in particular respect for democracy, fundamental freedoms, human rights, the rule of law and non-discrimination, ***on which the Eastern Partnership is based, underlining that these values are at the heart of the Association Agreements*** and recognising the commitment of the partners concerned to implement and promote these values;

Amendment

(a) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will, as a first priority, provide the basis for upholding ***international*** values, in particular respect for democracy, fundamental freedoms, human rights, the rule of law and non-discrimination and recognising the commitment of the partners concerned to implement and promote these values;

Or. en

Amendment 55

Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point a

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

(a) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will, as a first priority, provide the basis for upholding the core values of the European Union, in

particular respect for democracy, fundamental freedoms, human rights, the rule of law **and non-discrimination**, on which the Eastern Partnership is based, underlining that these values are at the heart of the Association Agreements and recognising the commitment of the partners concerned to implement and promote these values;

particular respect for democracy, fundamental freedoms, human rights, the rule of law, **non-discrimination and gender equality**, on which the Eastern Partnership is based, underlining that these values are at the heart of the Association Agreements and recognising the commitment of the partners concerned to implement and promote these values;

Or. en

Amendment 56

Petras Auštrevičius, Patricia Lalonde, Javier Nart, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point a a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(aa) to acknowledge the European aspirations and European choice of the Partner countries, as stated in the Association Agreements, previous EaP Summit declarations, as well as the Joint Statement of the parliaments of Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine of 3 July 2017;

Or. en

Amendment 57

Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point a a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(aa) to guarantee respect for human rights and civil rights in all Eastern Partnership countries;

Or. et

Amendment 58
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Motion for a resolution

(b) to live up to the high expectations of citizens in *all* the partner countries as regards eradicating corruption and bolstering the rule of law and good governance; to therefore seek a renewed commitment by the partners to adopt and fully implement reforms related to the judiciary, public administration and the fight against corruption;

Amendment

(b) to live up to the high expectations of citizens in the partner countries *in the Eastern Neighbourhood, and also in the EU Member States*, as regards eradicating corruption and bolstering the rule of law and good governance; to therefore seek a renewed commitment by the partners to adopt and fully implement reforms related to the judiciary, public administration and the fight against corruption; *to urge the partner countries to draw up roadmaps for this field, with clearly defined aims and time limits*;

Or. de

Amendment 59
Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Motion for a resolution

(b) to live up to the high expectations of citizens in all the partner countries as regards eradicating corruption and bolstering the rule of law and good governance; to therefore seek a renewed commitment by the partners to adopt and fully implement reforms related to the judiciary, public administration and the fight against corruption;

Amendment

(b) to live up to the high expectations of citizens in all the partner countries as regards eradicating corruption, *fighting organised crime* and bolstering the rule of law and good governance; to therefore seek a renewed commitment by the partners to adopt and fully implement reforms related to the judiciary, public administration and the fight against corruption *and organised crime*;

Amendment 60
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Motion for a resolution

(c) to strengthen civil society in the partner countries and its role within the Eastern Partnership by uncompromisingly opposing all legislation that *seeks to* curtail *its* legitimate activities and by encouraging its deeper involvement in scrutinising and monitoring the implementation of reforms related to the Partnership as well as by promoting the transparency and accountability of public institutions;

Amendment

(c) to strengthen civil society in the partner countries and its role within the Eastern Partnership by uncompromisingly opposing all *measures and* legislation that *can be used to prevent or* curtail *the* legitimate activities *of civil society actors such as human rights and environmental activists and independent trade unions* and by encouraging its deeper involvement in *planning*, scrutinising and monitoring the implementation of reforms related to the Partnership as well as by promoting the transparency and accountability of public institutions;

Amendment 61
László Tóké, Andrea Bocskor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Motion for a resolution

(c) to strengthen civil society in the partner countries and its role within the Eastern Partnership by uncompromisingly opposing all legislation that seeks to curtail its legitimate activities and by encouraging its deeper involvement in scrutinising and monitoring the implementation of reforms related to the Partnership as well as by promoting the transparency and

Amendment

(c) to strengthen civil society in the partner countries and its *vital* role within the Eastern Partnership *both as an indispensable actor in the process of democracy consolidation and as a platform for regional cooperation* by uncompromisingly opposing all legislation that seeks to curtail its legitimate activities and by encouraging its deeper involvement in scrutinising and monitoring the

accountability of public institutions;

implementation of reforms related to the Partnership as well as by promoting the transparency and accountability of public institutions;

Or. en

Amendment 62

Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Motion for a resolution

(d) to encourage electoral reforms *that* are in line with international standards, that implement recommendations by OSCE-led international observation missions and Venice Commission opinions and that are the subject of broad consultation and, as far as possible, consensus with opposition and civil society, in order to improve electoral frameworks without any bias towards ruling parties;

Amendment

(d) to encourage electoral reforms *in order to ensure that these* are in line with international standards, that implement recommendations by OSCE-led international observation missions and Venice Commission opinions and that are the subject of broad consultation and, as far as possible, consensus with opposition and civil society, in order to improve electoral frameworks without any bias towards ruling parties;

Or. en

Amendment 63

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Motion for a resolution

(d) to encourage electoral reforms that are in line with international standards, that implement recommendations by OSCE-led international observation missions and Venice Commission opinions and that are the subject of broad consultation and, as far

Amendment

(d) to encourage electoral reforms that are in line with international standards, that implement recommendations by OSCE-led international observation missions and Venice Commission opinions and that are the subject of *a transparent process*, broad

as possible, consensus with opposition and civil society, in order to improve electoral frameworks without any bias towards ruling parties;

consultation and, as far as possible, consensus with opposition and civil society, in order to improve electoral frameworks without any bias towards ruling parties;

Or. en

Amendment 64
Cristian Dan Preda

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Motion for a resolution

(d) to encourage electoral reforms that are in line with international standards, that implement recommendations by OSCE-led international observation missions and Venice Commission opinions and that are the subject of broad consultation and, as far as possible, consensus with opposition and civil society, in order to improve electoral frameworks without any bias towards ruling parties;

Amendment

(d) to encourage electoral reforms that are in line with international standards, that implement recommendations by OSCE-led international observation missions and Venice Commission opinions and that are the subject of broad consultation and, as far as possible, consensus with opposition and civil society, in order to improve electoral frameworks without any bias towards ruling parties; *to strictly apply existing conditionalities and make full use of available means to condemn cases of adoption of electoral reforms which are disrespectful to the principles mentioned, such as Moldova in July 2017;*

Or. en

Amendment 65
Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(da) to stress once again that the

Eastern Partnership is not aimed at cutting traditional and historic relations of partner countries with other neighbours;

Or. en

Amendment 66
David McAllister

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point e

Motion for a resolution

(e) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit **will** provide for the delivery of tangible results for citizens, notably in terms of employment, transport and connectivity, energy independence, mobility and education, noting that a new European External Investment Plan (EEIP) is an important instrument in this regard;

Amendment

(e) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit ***impart fresh impetus to the Eastern Partnership with a view to its further development and*** provide for the delivery of tangible results for citizens, notably in terms of employment, transport and connectivity, energy independence, mobility and education, noting that a new European External Investment Plan (EEIP) is an important instrument in this regard;

Or. de

Amendment 67
Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikiėnė

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point e

Motion for a resolution

(e) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will provide for the delivery of tangible results for citizens, notably in terms of employment, transport and connectivity, energy independence, mobility and education, noting that a new European External Investment Plan (EEIP)

Amendment

(e) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will ***take stock of what has been already achieved and of the need to continue to deliver on all commitments already taken in the Eastern Partnership; the outcomes of November 2017 Summit should*** provide for the

is an important instrument in this regard;

delivery of tangible results for citizens, notably in terms of employment, transport and connectivity, energy independence, mobility and education, noting that a new European External Investment Plan (EEIP) is an important instrument in this regard;

Or. en

Amendment 68
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point e

Motion for a resolution

(e) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will provide for the delivery of tangible results for citizens, notably in terms of employment, transport and connectivity, energy independence, mobility and education, noting that a new European External Investment Plan (EEIP) is an important instrument in this regard;

Amendment

(e) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will provide for the delivery of tangible results for citizens, notably in terms of ***combating the serious socioeconomic disparities in the Eastern Partnership countries and promoting social rights***, employment, ***measures to combat youth unemployment***, transport and connectivity, energy independence, mobility and education, noting that a new European External Investment Plan (EEIP), ***which will create effective local stimuli for growth in the Eastern Partnership countries and which must be geared to autonomous, sustainable and viable growth in value added***, is an important instrument in this regard;

Or. de

Amendment 69
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point e

Motion for a resolution

(e) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will provide for the delivery of tangible results for citizens, notably in terms of employment, transport and connectivity, energy independence, mobility and education, ***noting that a new European External Investment Plan (EEIP) is an important instrument in this regard;***

Amendment

(e) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will provide for the delivery of tangible results for citizens, notably in terms of employment, transport and connectivity, energy independence, mobility and education;

Or. en

Amendment 70
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity,

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deleted

and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

Or. it

Amendment 71

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikiienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

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Or. en

Amendment 72
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

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Or. en

Amendment 73
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for ***Ukraine and other Eastern Partnership*** countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, ***by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;***

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for ***those*** countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union;

Or. it

Amendment 74

Javier Nart

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political

Amendment

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political

integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground; ***to ensure that the use of all European funds are strictly scrutinized in order to avoid any deviation to corruption;***

Or. en

Amendment 75

Petras Auštrevičius, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of *a* new European Investment ***Plan*** for Ukraine ***and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most*** progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment

Amendment

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of new European Investment ***Plans respectively*** for Ukraine, ***Georgia and Moldova to assist in achieving bigger*** progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment

mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine, ***Georgia and Moldova*** based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

Or. en

Amendment 76
Clare Moody

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting

Amendment

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine, ***for Georgia*** and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting

investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

Or. en

Amendment 77
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

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(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Ukraine, **Georgia** and other Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

Or. en

Amendment 78

Cristian Dan Preda

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f

Motion for a resolution

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for ***Ukraine and other*** Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

Amendment

(f) to ask the Commission together with the European Investment Bank to propose arrangements for the implementation of a new European Investment Plan for Eastern Partnership countries that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union, by increasing the lending capacity of the European Investment Bank from the current EaP levels of EUR 1.6 billion per year and by taking into account EEIP provisions in carrying out its investment mandate; to request as a first step in this regard the establishment of a separate investment window in the form of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the ground;

Or. en

Amendment 79

Miroslav Poche

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point f a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(fa) consider the organization of a donors conference for Ukraine to be held

either in Ukraine or in Brussels in the near future, focusing on aiding the country, especially in the eastern parts of the country, amid the conflict in the east and the annexation of Crimea that has derailed the Ukrainian economy;

Or. en

Amendment 80

Ilhan Kyuchyuk, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point g

Motion for a resolution

(g) to pursue efforts aimed at tackling unemployment, especially youth unemployment, including through a package of support measures for young people such as the EU4Youth programme, and developing skills *needed in* the labour market, including through vocational training, fostering entrepreneurship, supporting sustainable agriculture and developing the digital economy;

Amendment

(g) to pursue efforts aimed at tackling unemployment, especially youth unemployment, including through a package of support measures for young people such as the EU4Youth programme, and developing skills *adapted to the evolving needs of* the labour market, including through vocational *education and* training, fostering entrepreneurship *and local industries*, supporting sustainable agriculture and developing the digital economy;

Or. en

Amendment 81

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point g

Motion for a resolution

(g) to pursue efforts aimed at tackling unemployment, especially youth unemployment, including through a package of support measures for young

Amendment

(g) to pursue efforts aimed at tackling unemployment, especially youth unemployment, including through a package of support measures for young

people such as the EU4Youth programme, and developing skills needed in the labour market, including through vocational training, fostering entrepreneurship, supporting sustainable agriculture *and* developing the digital economy;

people such as the EU4Youth programme, and developing skills needed in the labour market, including through vocational training, fostering entrepreneurship, supporting sustainable agriculture, developing the digital economy, *expanding infrastructure and the public and private services sector, inter alia in the field of health and care, and tourism;*

Or. de

Amendment 82

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point h a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ha) to promote and actively support the implementation of anti-discrimination policies in all the sectors of society;

Or. en

Amendment 83

Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point i

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and partner countries; to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future, notably through close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security

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threats, criminality and overstays; to open visa dialogues with Armenia, to encourage progress by Azerbaijan in the implementation of Visa Facilitation and Readmission Agreements (VFA/RA) with a view to opening a visa dialogue in the future, and to finalise negotiations on VFA/RA with Belarus for the benefit of its citizens, should these countries make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation roadmaps;

Or. it

Amendment 84
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point i

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and partner countries; to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future, notably through close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; to open visa dialogues with Armenia, to encourage progress by Azerbaijan in the implementation of Visa Facilitation and Readmission Agreements (VFA/RA) with a view to opening a visa dialogue in the future, and to finalise negotiations on VFA/RA with Belarus for the benefit of its citizens, should these countries make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation roadmaps;

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Amendment 85
Georgios Epitideios

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point 0

Motion for a resolution

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and partner countries; to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future, notably through close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; to ***open visa dialogues with Armenia, to encourage progress by Azerbaijan in the implementation of Visa Facilitation and Readmission Agreements (VFA/RA)*** with a view to ***opening a visa dialogue in the future, and to finalise negotiations on VFA/RA with Belarus for the benefit of its citizens, should these countries*** make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation roadmaps;

Amendment

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and partner countries; to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future, notably through close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; to ***support Armenia and Belarus also***, with a view to ***ensuring that they*** make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation roadmaps;

Or. el

Amendment 86
Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikiienė

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point i

Motion for a resolution

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and

Amendment

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and

partner countries; to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future, notably though close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; to open visa dialogues with Armenia, to encourage progress by Azerbaijan in the implementation of Visa Facilitation and Readmission Agreements (VFA/RA) with a view to opening a visa dialogue in the future, and to finalise negotiations on VFA/RA with Belarus for the benefit of its citizens, should these countries make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation *roadmaps*;

partner countries; to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future, notably though close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; to open visa dialogues with Armenia, to encourage progress by Azerbaijan in the implementation of Visa Facilitation and Readmission Agreements (VFA/RA) with a view to opening a visa dialogue in the future, and to finalise negotiations on VFA/RA with Belarus for the benefit of its citizens, should these countries make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation *action plans*;

Or. en

Amendment 87
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point i

Motion for a resolution

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and partner countries; ***to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future***, notably though close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; ***to open visa dialogues with Armenia, to encourage progress by Azerbaijan in the implementation of Visa Facilitation and Readmission Agreements (VFA/RA) with a view to opening a visa dialogue in the***

Amendment

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and partner countries, notably though close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; ***to check that partner countries make significant progress in respect of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions set out in visa liberalisation roadmaps before any visa negotiations are opened or, if already open, then concluded***;

future, and to finalise negotiations on VFA/RA with Belarus for the benefit of its citizens, should these countries make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation roadmaps;

Or. it

Amendment 88
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point i

Motion for a resolution

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and partner countries; to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future, notably ***though*** close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; to open visa dialogues with Armenia, to encourage progress by Azerbaijan in the implementation of Visa Facilitation and Readmission Agreements (VFA/RA) with a view to opening a visa dialogue in the future, and to finalise negotiations on VFA/RA with Belarus for the benefit of its citizens, should these countries make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation roadmaps;

Amendment

(i) to commit to working jointly on increased mobility between the EU and partner countries; to support Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine in implementing the visa liberalisation agreement and to ensure that suspension mechanisms are not triggered in the future, notably ***through*** close cooperation in the areas of police and customs to safeguard against security threats, criminality and overstays; to open visa dialogues with Armenia, to encourage progress by Azerbaijan in the implementation of Visa Facilitation and Readmission Agreements (VFA/RA) with a view to opening a visa dialogue in the future, and to finalise negotiations on VFA/RA with Belarus for the benefit of its citizens, should these countries make significant progress in the area of fundamental values and meet the precise conditions defined in visa liberalisation roadmaps; ***to make, in the case of Armenia and Azerbaijan, these objectives conditional on the solution of the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict;***

Or. en

Amendment 89
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point j

Motion for a resolution

(j) to further increase opportunities for closer cooperation in the fields of education, research and innovation, notably through programmes such as Erasmus+ and EU4Innovation as well as the provision of loan guarantees by the European Investment Bank Group as part of its InnovFin programme;

Amendment

(j) to further increase opportunities for closer cooperation in the fields of education, research and innovation, notably through ***facilitating the participation to*** programmes such as Erasmus+ and EU4Innovation as well as the provision of loan guarantees by the European Investment Bank Group as part of its InnovFin programme;

Or. en

Amendment 90
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point k

Motion for a resolution

(k) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will also provide a renewed impetus to boost sustainable economic growth, trade and investment opportunities, including intra-regional opportunities and with a particular emphasis on Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs);

Amendment

(k) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will also provide a renewed impetus to boost sustainable economic growth, ***modernisation and diversification of existing sectors***, trade and investment opportunities, including intra-regional opportunities and with a particular emphasis on ***entrepreneurship and*** Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs);

Or. en

Amendment 91

László Tóké, Andrea Bocskor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point k

Motion for a resolution

(k) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will also provide a renewed impetus to boost sustainable economic growth, trade and investment opportunities, including intra-regional opportunities and with a particular emphasis on Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs);

Amendment

(k) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will also provide a renewed impetus to boost sustainable economic growth, trade and investment opportunities, including intra-regional opportunities and ***cross-border cooperation, and*** with a particular emphasis on Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs);

Or. en

Amendment 92

Clare Moody

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point k

Motion for a resolution

(k) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will also provide a renewed impetus to boost sustainable economic growth, trade and investment opportunities, including intra-regional opportunities and with a particular emphasis on Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs);

Amendment

(k) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit will also provide a renewed impetus to boost sustainable economic growth, trade and investment opportunities, including intra-regional opportunities and with a particular emphasis on Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs); ***in this regard to devise targeted assistance for SMEs to assist them to fully absorb the potential of the DCFTA, to adapt to its requirements and to support business operators and individual entrepreneurs from the EaP partner countries; to establish contacts with business organisations in the EU; to use EU assistance tools, such as the EU4Business brand and the new EU External Investment Plan to support the modernisation of associated countries'***

economies;

Or. en

Amendment 93
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(1) *to call for recalibrated EU support to the Association agendas and to the related structural reforms, notably those allowing for improved competitiveness, a more favourable business environment and adequate access to sources of financing, including through the EU4Business initiative;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 94
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(1) to call for recalibrated EU support to the Association agendas and to the related **structural reforms**, notably those allowing for improved competitiveness, a more favourable business environment and adequate access to sources of financing, including through the EU4Business initiative;

(1) to call for recalibrated EU support to the Association agendas and to the related **reform processes**, notably those allowing for improved competitiveness, a more favourable business environment and adequate access to sources of financing, including through the EU4Business initiative; **to develop on behalf of the EU, jointly with the Eastern Neighbourhood partners, practical strategies for avoiding the high social costs of these reform processes, as these undermine not only stability in the partner countries but also,**

directly, public acceptance of the partnership; in this context, to build on the good experience within the EU with democratic participation by citizens at local and regional level and participation by local authorities;

Or. de

Amendment 95

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point l a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(la) to promote and support a genuine reform of the economic system aimed at phasing out monopolies and oligopolies circumscribing the role of oligarchs through the introduction of adequate laws on the conflict of interests as well as a deep reform of the banking and financial sector aimed at combatting money laundering and tax evasion;

Or. en

Amendment 96

Petras Auštrevičius, Urmas Paet, Patricia Lalonde

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point m

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(m) to support the development of the necessary transport and connectivity infrastructure, including through an ambitious investment plan for the TEN-T core network, and to also promote intra-regional trade;

(m) to support the development of the necessary transport and connectivity infrastructure, ***on a regional scale and with the EU***, including through an ambitious investment plan for the TEN-T core network, and to also promote intra-

regional trade; *to engage through appropriate investment facilities and increased grant component in infrastructure projects that will provide new opportunities for trade and enable more communication and exchanges between the EU and the partner countries, as well as among the partners;*

Or. en

Amendment 97

Clare Moody

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point m

Motion for a resolution

(m) to support the development of the necessary transport and connectivity infrastructure, including through an ambitious investment plan for the TEN-T core network, and to also promote intra-regional trade;

Amendment

(m) to support the development of the necessary transport and connectivity infrastructure, including through an ambitious investment plan for the TEN-T core network, and to also promote intra-regional trade; *to engage through appropriate investment facilities and increased grant components in infrastructure projects, providing new opportunities for trade and communication between the EU and the partner countries, as well as between the partners;*

Or. en

Amendment 98

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy

independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, *whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline*;

independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure;

Or. en

Amendment 99

Jerzy Buzek, Victor Boștinaru, Petras Auštrevičius, Rebecca Harms

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, *whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline*;

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure; *to ensure that all possible new offshore and onshore parts of pipeline infrastructure within the region, including the Nord Stream 2 gas pipeline, can only become a reality if they in no way undermine regional energy security and the Energy Union strategy as well as respect environmental rules and key principles enshrined in relevant EU legislation*;

Or. en

Amendment 100

Charles Tannock

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, *whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of* the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure; *to ensure that all possible new offshore and onshore parts of pipeline infrastructure within the region, including the Nord Stream 2 gas pipeline, can only become a reality if they in no way undermine regional energy security and the Energy Union strategy, as well as respect environmental rules and key principles enshrined in relevant EU legislation;*

Or. en

Amendment 101

Julia Pitera

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline, *assess its compatibility with EU*

law and if necessary freeze it;

Or. en

Amendment 102
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments ***in the development and use of renewable energy***, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences, ***and also the possible use***, of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline ***from the point of view of the EU's future***;

Or. de

Amendment 103
Ilhan Kyuchyuk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and

infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

infrastructure *as well as recognizing the importance of diversity of energy sources, security of supply and transportation routes*, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Or. en

Amendment 104

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency, *to reduce the dependence on fossil fuels and to promote the use of renewables* through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Or. en

Amendment 105

Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through

specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst *scrutinising closely the consequences* of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union, *and in the renewable energies sector*, and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst *thoroughly assessing the advisability* of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Or. it

Amendment 106
Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency, *and diversify the EU's energy sources*, through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Or. et

Amendment 107
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

(n) to improve both energy independence and efficiency through specific investments ***and diversification of energy sources***, strengthened cooperation in all priority areas covered by the EU Energy Union and by closer integration of the partners' energy markets with the European energy market with a particular focus on interconnectivity and infrastructure, whilst scrutinising closely the consequences of the Nord Stream 2 pipeline;

Or. en

Amendment 108
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(na) to take account of the possibility that energy prices might be massively increased in certain partner countries in the Eastern Neighbourhood; together with the Eastern Neighbourhood partners, to draw up practical strategies to support sections of the population suffering from energy poverty and, in so doing, to focus on promoting the affordability of energy and enabling all citizens to enjoy the right to an energy supply;

Or. de

Amendment 109
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(na) to avoid energy projects, which run counter to the EU energy security strategy, jeopardise the energy security of the EU and its Eastern Partners, as well as increase their dependence from Russia and decrease the gas transit through the territory of the Eastern partners;

Or. en

Amendment 110

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point n a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(na) to block any energy projects that go against the European solidarity and are not compatible with III Energy Package or which increase EU Member States or the Eastern Partners dependency, such as Nord Stream II;

Or. en

Amendment 111

Petras Auštrevičius, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point o

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of nuclear safety standards and environmental protection and the fulfilment of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness;

(o) to ensure full respect of international nuclear safety and environmental protection agreements and obligations and also to increase the fulfilment of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness

*in particular of new projects such as
Belarus nuclear power plant in Ostrovets;*

Or. en

Amendment 112

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point o

Motion for a resolution

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of **nuclear** safety standards and environmental protection **and the fulfilment** of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness;

Amendment

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of safety standards and environmental protection **in all energy-producing fields of national economies, including at existing nuclear power plants and with regard to the final disposal of nuclear waste; to increase attainment** of climate change **targets in accordance with the commitments given under the Paris Agreement**, including through raising public awareness;

Or. de

Amendment 113

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point o

Motion for a resolution

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of nuclear safety standards and environmental protection and the fulfilment of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness;

Amendment

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of nuclear safety standards **in the existing power plants and of the phase-out of the obsolete ones** and environmental protection and the fulfilment of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness;

Amendment 114
Patricia Lalonde

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point o

Motion for a resolution

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of nuclear safety standards and environmental protection and the fulfilment of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness;

Amendment

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of nuclear safety standards and environmental protection and the fulfilment of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness, ***notably about a number of obsolete and dangerous nuclear power plants such as the Metsamor plant in Armenia;***

Or. fr

Amendment 115
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point o

Motion for a resolution

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of nuclear safety standards and environmental protection and the fulfilment of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness;

Amendment

(o) to also increase prioritisation of the highest levels of nuclear safety standards and environmental protection and the fulfilment of climate change commitments, including through raising public awareness, ***particularly with regard to existing hazardous projects such as the Armenian Nuclear Power Plant in Metsamor and new widely criticized Belarusian nuclear power plant in Ostrovets, currently under construction;***

Or. en

Amendment 116
Miroslav Poche

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point o a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(oa) to consider the replacement of the Metsamor Nuclear power plant in Armenia as a primary source of power;

Or. en

Amendment 117
Petras Auštrevičius, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, *where possible*, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. en

Amendment 118
Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(p) to ensure that *the outcomes of* the November 2017 Summit *also address*, *where possible*, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic

(p) to ensure that, *at* the November 2017 Summit, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the

development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

region as a whole *are also addressed*;

Or. et

Amendment 119
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, *where possible*, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic *stability and* development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. de

Amendment 120
Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, *where possible*, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address *the conflicts, frozen conflicts and* the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. en

Amendment 121

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the *sovereignty, unity*, territorial integrity *and* political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the *independence, sovereignty and* territorial integrity *as well as the* political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. en

Amendment 122

Arne Lietz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security *and other* threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity, *fundamental human rights, equal rights and the right of peoples to self-determination*, and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. en

Amendment 123

Anders Primdahl Vistisen, Eleni Theocharous, Marek Jurek

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity, ***fundamental human rights, equal rights and the right of peoples to self-determination***, and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. en

Amendment 124
Jaromír Štětina

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity, ***fundamental human rights, equal rights and the right of peoples to self-determination*** and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. en

Amendment 125
Sofia Sakorafa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address,

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address,

where possible, the *security* threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

where possible, the threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity *fundamental human rights, equal rights and the right of peoples to self-determination* and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. en

Amendment 126
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, *where possible*, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address the security threats, *including and above all from Islamic terrorism*, that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Or. it

Amendment 127
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole, *as well as to improve*

security cooperation;

Or. en

Amendment 128

James Carver

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p

Motion for a resolution

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole;

Amendment

(p) to ensure that the outcomes of the November 2017 Summit also address, where possible, the security threats that affect the sovereignty, unity, territorial integrity and political, social and economic development of the partners and of the region as a whole; ***fully respects the sovereignty and independence of the partnership countries and as such calls for any suggestion of future EU membership to be withdrawn;***

Or. en

Amendment 129

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(pa) in promoting stability and prosperity in the EU Neighbourhood, to analyse potential political, economic and social threats in their complexity, to tackle them at the root by means of practical measures, not to disregard socioeconomic causes in this context, and generally to take account of the fact that there is no alternative to a complex and cooperative approach to overcoming the challenges to

stability in the Neighbourhood;

Or. de

Amendment 130
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(pa) to support the sovereignty, territorial integrity and political independence of the partner countries; takes the view that ENP should contribute to and be supportive of these principles in practice; recalls its position that the occupation of territory of a partner country violates the fundamental principles and objectives of ENP; emphasises the need for the earliest peaceful settlement of the frozen conflicts on basis of the norms and principles of international law;

Or. en

Amendment 131
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(pa) to ensure a more active and effective role of the EU in resolution of the conflict in the East of Ukraine and subsequent peace-building, in particular if possible leading support in the deployment of an armed OSCE police mission in the conflict area aimed at effective and sustainable implementation

of the Minsk arrangements, as well as by increased assistance to Ukraine in developing its defence and security capabilities and security sector reform;

Or. en

Amendment 132

Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point p a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(pa) to underline that such examples, when a large-scale military exercise of an offensive nature is targeted against certain EU Member States and conducted on a territory, and with military participation of one of an Eastern partners, raise EU's legitimate concern, are unacceptable and inappropriate for a status of the Eastern partner, as it is the case with "Zapad 2017" in Belarus;

Or. en

Amendment 133

Georgios Epitideios

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point ιζ

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full

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sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. el

Amendment 134
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

deleted

Or. it

Amendment 135
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(q) to commit to *sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;*

(q) to commit to *non-interference in third countries' relations with Russia, so as not to jeopardise Europe's security;*

Or. fr

Amendment 136
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to *commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;*

Amendment

(q) to *agree on a policy to be further jointly developed by the EU Member States for the practical pursuit of relations with the Russian Federation, including, if it becomes necessary, greater use of targeted restrictive measures against all forces that undermine a solution to the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements;*

Or. de

Amendment 137
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in ***maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;***

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in ***reaching diplomatic solutions that enable a gradual restoration of dialogue and relations with Russia, without putting Eastern Partnership countries in the impossible position of having to choose 'between them and us', but rather by using their historical links with Moscow to facilitate a rapprochement between the EU and Russia;***

Or. it

Amendment 138
Javier Nart

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) ***to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of***

Amendment

(q) ***continues to see full implementation of the Minsk agreements as the basis for a sustainable political solution to the conflict in Eastern Ukraine; reaffirms its support for the independence and integrity of Moldova, Ukraine and Georgia; calls for an immediate end of military hostilities within Armenia and Azerbaijan, as well as the opposite forces in East Ukraine; encourages the Georgian authorities to settle the situation in South Ossetia and***

state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Abkhazia , *taking into consideration the sensibilities of the inhabitants of the areas; to demand a decisive political and judicial action against corruption, stressing the frontal contradiction between the scourge of corruption and the EU values;*

Or. en

Amendment 139

Petras Auštrevičius, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, *to* solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, *to solving the Russia-Georgia conflict through ensuring full implementation of the 12 August 2008 ceasefire agreement and of Geneva International Discussions, to* re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in *its occupied regions of* South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. en

Amendment 140

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikiienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in *South Ossetia and Abkhazia* and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in *Eastern* Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to *solving the Russia-Georgia conflict through tangible results in the Geneva International Discussions and full implementation by Russia of the 2008 Ceasefire Agreement*, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in *its occupied territories of Abkhazia and the Tskhinvali region/ South Ossetia* and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. en

Amendment 141

Charles Tannock, Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in *South Ossetia and Abkhazia* and of

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to *solving the Russia-Georgia conflict through ensuring the tangible results in the Geneva International Discussions and*

Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

implementation of all provisions of the 12 August 2008 Ceasefire Agreement by the Russian Federation, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in its occupied regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. en

Amendment 142
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in *South Ossetia and* Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, *to solving the Russia-Georgia conflict through ensuring the tangible results in the Geneva International Discussions and implementation of all provisions of the 12 August 2008 Ceasefire Agreement by the Russian Federation, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in its occupied regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region / South Ossetia, and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;*

Or. en

Amendment 143
Julia Pitera

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, ***and should that not be the case, to insist that the EU should stand ready to consider adopting further sanctions, including targeted personal sanctions,*** to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. en

Amendment 144
David McAllister

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine

implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, **and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting** an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

implementation of the Minsk agreements, **and** to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea; **to continue to support the Eastern Partnership States in increasing resilience in their States in order to put** an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. de

Amendment 145
Cristian Dan Preda

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, **whose military presence in the Eastern Partnership countries and the Black Sea region has worryingly grown over the last years**, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. en

Amendment 146
Patricia Lalonde

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to **re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria**, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to **seeking dialogue about the territories of Crimea, South Ossetia, Abkhazia and Transnistria** and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. fr

Amendment 147

Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q

Motion for a resolution

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, and to putting an end to the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Amendment

(q) to commit to sustaining the unity of action among EU Member States in maintaining collective pressure on Russia, in particular through strengthened targeted restrictive measures, to solving the conflict in Ukraine through genuine implementation of the Minsk agreements, to re-establishing Ukraine's full sovereignty in Crimea, and that of Georgia in South Ossetia and Abkhazia and of Moldova in Transnistria, **to avoiding that hostile military exercises such as the Russian-led Zapad 2017 in Belarus do not happen again in partner countries or with their participation**, and to putting an end to

the additional threats of state-sponsored assassinations, cyber warfare, disinformation and other types of destabilisation;

Or. en

Amendment 148
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(qa) in the interests of a peaceful solution to the conflict in Ukraine, to urge that all sides comply fully and immediately with the Minsk agreements concluded in the Normandy format, and that they cease all attempts to undermine the integrity of the Minsk agreements by means of activities or rhetoric; to advocate retention of the OSCE observer mission in Ukraine, which is having a stabilising effect, and at the same time to commit themselves to an approach in the Member States whereby they will pursue constructively, irrespective of geopolitical considerations, initiatives aimed at attaining stable peace in Ukraine on the basis of experience of the implementation of the Minsk agreements; in acting on such initiatives, primarily to employ the tried and tested framework of the United Nations;

Or. de

Amendment 149
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(qa) to ensure more active and effective role of the international community, including the UN and EU, in resolution of the conflict in the east of Ukraine and helping to reinstate full control of its border, in particular by deployment - with consent of Ukrainian authorities - of an armed peace-building and peace-keeping missions covering the whole territory, which would exclude participation of the aggressor;

Or. en

Amendment 150

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point q b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(qb) to draw attention to the continuing importance of economic cooperation and political dialogue between the EU and the Russian Federation, an extremely important neighbour of our neighbours, and aim to ensure that the potential of continuing cooperation at subnational level and between civil society and economic stakeholders and of appropriate forms of dialogue is used to develop good-neighbourly relations with the Russian Federation and overcome the existing conflicts and disputes between the EU, the Eastern Neighbourhood partners and Russia;

Or. de

Amendment 151

Ivo Vajgl

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict **and to** their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Amendment

(r) to call for an immediate **withdrawal of foreign troops from all occupied territories of Azerbaijan and an** end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development, **and to enable hundreds of thousands of IDPs to return to their homelands**; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries **within their internationally recognized borders** as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict **in line with the UN Charter, OSCE Final Act and** their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Or. en

Amendment 152

Jaromír Štětina

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call ***for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan*** which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the ***independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries*** as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict ***through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles***;

(r) to call ***on the Azerbaijani and Armenian sides to immediately stop military hostilities*** which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the ***principles and commitments of the 1975 Helsinki Final Act*** as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict, ***supporting Minsk Group Co-chairs' proposals based on the principles of territorial integrity, equal rights and self-determination of peoples and non-use of force or threat of force and implementing ceasefire investigative mechanism***; to call on the governments of Armenia and Azerbaijani to commit to ***genuine confidence -building and to dialogue between Armenian and Azerbaijani civil societies***;

Or. en

Amendment 153 **Sofia Sakorafa**

Motion for a resolution **Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r**

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the ***independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of***

Amendment

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the ***principles and commitments of the 1975 Helsinki Final***

both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through ***maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles***;

Act as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict, through ***supporting the Minsk Group Co-chairs' proposals based on the principles of territorial integrity, equal rights, the right of peoples to self-determination, the prohibition of the threat or use of force and by implementing cease fire investigative mechanism***;

Or. en

Amendment 154

Anders Primdahl Vistisen, Eleni Theocharous, Marek Jurek

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call ***for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan*** which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the ***independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries*** as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group ***co-Chairs' efforts*** to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to

Amendment

(r) to call ***on the Azerbaijani and Armenian sides to immediately end military hostilities*** which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the ***principles and commitments of the 1975 Helsinki Final Act*** as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group ***co-Chairs' efforts*** to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to

solving the conflict *through maintaining* the ceasefire *and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles*;

solving the conflict *and supporting* the ceasefire *investigative mechanism and Minsk Group Co-chairs' proposals based on the principles of territorial integrity, equal rights and self-determination of peoples and the non-use of force or threat of force*;

Or. en

Amendment 155

Arne Lietz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities *between Armenia and Azerbaijan* which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the *independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries* as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict *through maintaining* the ceasefire *and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles*;

Amendment

(r) to call *on Azerbaijan and Armenia* for an immediate end to military hostilities which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the *principles and commitments enshrined in the 1975 Helsinki Final Act* as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict *supporting* the ceasefire *investigative mechanism and Minsk Group Co-chairs' Proposals based on the principles of territorial integrity, equal rights, self-determination of peoples and the non-use of force or threat of force*;

Or. en

Amendment 156
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries *as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve* the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and *to* their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Amendment

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries; *the resolution of* the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict *should comply with UN Security Council resolutions 822, 853, 884, as well as with the OSCE Minsk Group* and their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Or. en

Amendment 157
Lars Adaktusson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to

Amendment

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to

reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to ***call on the governments of Azerbaijan and Armenia to commit to genuine confidence-building and to dialogue between Armenian and Azerbaijani civil societies***; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Or. en

Amendment 158
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements

Amendment

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to ***call on the governments of Azerbaijan and***

between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Armenia to commit to genuine confidence-building and to dialogue between Armenian and Azerbaijani civil societies; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Or. en

Amendment 159
Javier Nart

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) ***to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development;*** to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of ***both countries*** as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to ***make*** the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Amendment

(r) To reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of ***Armenia and Azerbaijan*** as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to ***call on the governments of Azerbaijan and Armenia to commit to genuine confidence-building and to dialogue between civil societies; to ensure*** the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties ***is conditional and based*** on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Or. en

Amendment 160
Ramona Nicole Mănescu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful *commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles*;

Amendment

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful *progress in negotiations, in particular ending the status quo on the ground, and solving the conflict based on all above-mentioned principles*;

Or. en

Amendment 161
Ilhan Kyuchyuk, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence,

Amendment

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence,

sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles; *to reiterate its serious concern that hundreds of thousands of IDPs and refugees who fled their native lands in connection with the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict remain displaced and to reaffirm the right of all IDPs and refugees to return to their places of origin in safety and dignity;*

Or. en

Amendment 162

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in

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(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between Armenia and Azerbaijan which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in

good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments **and substantial progress as** to solving the conflict through maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles **and the respect for international law**;

Or. en

Amendment 163

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r

Motion for a resolution

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between **Armenia and Azerbaijan** which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support **to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of both countries as well as** to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict **through** maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Amendment

(r) to call for an immediate end to military hostilities between **Armenian and Azerbaijani forces** which unnecessarily claim the lives of civilians and soldiers whilst hampering socioeconomic development; to reaffirm support to the OSCE Minsk Group co-Chairs' efforts to solve the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict and to their 2009 Basic Principles; to call on Armenia and Azerbaijan to re-launch negotiations in good faith with a view to implementing these principles to solve the conflict **which does not have a military solution**; to make the ratification of new agreements between the EU and each of the parties conditional on meaningful commitments to solving the conflict **such as** maintaining the ceasefire and supporting the implementation of the 2009 Basic Principles;

Or. en

Amendment 164
Patricia Lalonde

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ra) Underline the progress realized by Azerbaijan regarding the fight against radicalization; remind that, in spite of a negative assessment regarding the respect for human rights and for freedom of the media, realized notorious progress in what concerned the respect for the rights of the women and for minorities, in particular ethnic and religious minorities, as well as at the level of the right of asylum and that it is attentive in the conditions of welcome of the refugees;

Or. en

Amendment 165
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ra) to pay adequate attention to the dangerous ecological situation in the East of Ukraine, caused by the on-going conflict and occupation of parts of Donetsk and Luhansk regions of Ukraine and to establish a special monitoring mechanism in this regard;

Or. en

Amendment 166
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga, Charles Tannock

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ra) to pay adequate attention to the dangerous ecological situation in the east of Ukraine, caused by the Russian aggression and subsequent destruction of industrial and mining infrastructure;

Or. en

Amendment 167

Miroslav Poche

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point r a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ra) to encourage the meetings of high ranking representatives of Armenia and Azerbaijan as a means to find a peaceful accord to the conflict;

Or. en

Amendment 168

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, *deleted*

including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

Or. fr

Amendment 169
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s

Motion for a resolution

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the *EU and OSCE missions* in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; *to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;*

Amendment

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the *OSCE mission* in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; *recognizes the OSCE as the organization best suited to continuing this work and views any EU CSDP activity as duplicative and unnecessary;*

Or. en

Amendment 170
Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s

Motion for a resolution

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit

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(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit

of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, ***including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;***

of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced ***diplomatic*** role for the EU in solving these conflicts;

Or. it

Amendment 171
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s

Motion for a resolution

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

Amendment

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to ***ensure the implementation of EUMM's mandate throughout Georgia and to urge the Russian Federation to grant unimpeded access of the Mission to Georgia's occupied regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region / South Ossetia;*** to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

Or. en

Amendment 172
Charles Tannock, Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s

Motion for a resolution

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

Amendment

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to ***ensure the implementation of EUMM's mandate throughout Georgia and to urge the Russian Federation to grant the unimpeded access of the Mission to Georgia's occupied regions of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia***; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

Or. en

Amendment 173

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s

Motion for a resolution

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy

Amendment

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and ***Eastern*** Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to ***ensure an effective implementation of these mission's mandate and urge Russia to guarantee their unimpeded access***; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the

(CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

Or. en

Amendment 174

Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s

Motion for a resolution

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

Amendment

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground, ***in particular, to insist on full implementation of mandates of these missions***; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;

Or. en

Amendment 175

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s

Motion for a resolution

(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE

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(s) to call for continued support to the work carried out by the EU and OSCE

missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, *including by launching ambitious fully-fledged Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) missions tasked with enhancing security and stability;*

missions in Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine as essential operations to ensure peace and security first and foremost for the benefit of the citizens on the ground; to reflect, jointly with the partner countries, on the prospect of an enhanced role for the EU in solving these conflicts, *and in so doing, with reference to the positive experiences of the OSCE, to place the emphasis on active confidence-building and on close linkage of solutions in the fields of political/military, economic, ecological and also human security;*

Or. de

Amendment 176

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(sa) to step up confidence-building programmes in conflict areas with a view to restoring dialogue and facilitating people-to-people exchanges; to involve citizens and the engage public actors in conflict areas in horizontal partnerships and twinning with counterparts from the Union, and to engage with society and the younger generation as a factor for change;

Or. en

Amendment 177

Željana Zovko

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(sa) to consider the best practices, from the recent post conflict areas in South-eastern Europe, to foster dialogue between prominent cultural and religious leaders on peace and reconciliation in order to ease the tensions in the area of conflicts;

Or. en

Amendment 178

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(sa) to express concern over Belarussian engagement in a sequence of military exercises that are aimed at both the EU and some of EaP countries;

Or. en

Amendment 179

Željana Zovko

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point s b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(sb) to promote diversity of cultures and cultural heritage as an additional tool of public diplomacy for strengthening dialogue, and compromise between involved parties;

Or. en

Amendment 180
Mario Borghesio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator, that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, increased involvement in the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

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Or. it

Amendment 181
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator, that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, increased involvement in the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and

(t) in order to ensure further positive development of the Eastern Partnership and to enhance effective implementation of its goals to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ (or EU+3) model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator, that would include joining the Customs Union and Schengen Area, the Digital Union and the Energy Union, further EU internal market access, including trade with digital goods and

the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other *EaP* countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

services, integration into the EU transport networks and establishment of the industrial partnerships, participation in other EU programmes, increased involvement in the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other *Eastern Partnership* countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Or. en

Amendment 182

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t

Motion for a resolution

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, ***based on the highest possible common denominator, that would include*** joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, increased ***involvement*** in the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Amendment

(t) to consider, ***within the EaP policy***, an attractive ***longer-term*** ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries ***that have made very good progress in implementing AA/DCFTA-related reforms, that could eventually lead to*** joining the customs union, ***energy union, digital union*** and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, ***integration into EU transport networks, industrial partnerships***, participation in other EU programmes, increased ***cooperation*** in the ***field of*** CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments ***and have also made very good progress in implementing mutually-agreed reforms***;

Amendment 183**Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t***Motion for a resolution*

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator, that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, increased involvement *in* the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Amendment

(t) ***in order to enhance a more effective implementation of the EaP goals,*** to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator, that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, ***the Digital Union and the Energy Union,*** further EU internal market access, ***integration into the EU transport networks and industrial partnerships,*** ***increased*** participation in other EU programmes ***and agencies,*** increased involvement ***and cooperation within*** the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Or. en

Amendment 184**Clare Moody****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t***Motion for a resolution*

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator,

Amendment

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator,

that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, increased *involvement* in the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, *access to the emerging digital market*, *increased* participation in other EU programmes *and agencies*, increased *cooperation* in the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Or. en

Amendment 185

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga, Charles Tannock

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t

Motion for a resolution

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator, that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, increased involvement in the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Amendment

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, based on the highest possible common denominator, that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, increased involvement in the CSDP, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband *and deeper cooperation in the area of defence*; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Or. en

Amendment 186
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t

Motion for a resolution

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries, ***based on the highest possible common denominator***, that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, ***increased involvement in the CSDP***, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Amendment

(t) to consider an attractive ‘EaP+’ model for associated countries that would include joining the customs union and Schengen area, further EU internal market access, participation in other EU programmes, as well as more immediate measures such as additional unilateral tariff preferences, the abolition of roaming tariffs between the partners and the EU and the development of high-capacity broadband; ***in this context, to urge democratic parliamentary control over the associated practical impact on the everyday lives of citizens in the associated partner countries and also of the EU Member States***; to open the ‘EaP+’ model to other EaP countries once they are ready for such enhanced commitments;

Or. de

Amendment 187
Clare Moody

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t a (new)

Motion for a resolution

(ta) ***to provide support to reform education, to address the research and innovation gap, and to support effective participation in EU programmes, through instruments of the Spreading Excellence and Widening Participations Programme under Horizon 2020;***

Amendment

Amendment 188
Miroslav Poche

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point t a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ta) urge the EU member states and the partner countries to come up with a concrete time frame by or at the summit in Brussels in November for the removal of roaming tariffs between the European Union and the Eastern Partnership countries;

Or. en

Amendment 189
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point u

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(u) to consider, for non-associated countries, new means of supporting civil society, the academic and independent media communities and young people, including through additional funding and mobility partnerships;

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Or. it

Amendment 190
Paulo Rangel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point u

Motion for a resolution

(u) to consider, for non-associated countries, new means of supporting civil society, the academic and independent media communities and young people, including through additional funding and mobility partnerships;

Amendment

(u) to consider, for non-associated countries, new means of supporting civil society, **business**, the academic and independent media communities and young people, including through additional funding and mobility partnerships;

Or. pt

Amendment 191

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point v a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(va) to reconfirm the acknowledgement by the EU of the European aspirations of Ukraine, Georgia and Moldova as stated in the Association Agreements and previous Eastern Partnership declarations;

Or. en

Amendment 192

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Motion for a resolution

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Or. fr

Amendment 193

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point w

Motion for a resolution

(w) to reiterate the principle of differentiation and that the scope and depth of cooperation with the European Union is determined by the EU's ambitions and those of the partners, as well as by the pace and quality of reforms;

Amendment

(w) to reiterate the principle of differentiation and that the scope and depth of cooperation with the European Union is determined by the EU's ambitions and those of the partners, as well as by the pace and quality of reforms ***to be evaluated based on their full and effective implementation;***

Or. en

Amendment 194

Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point w

Motion for a resolution

(w) to reiterate the principle of differentiation and that the scope and depth of cooperation with the European Union is determined by the EU's ambitions and those of the partners, as well as by the pace and quality of reforms;

Amendment

(w) to reiterate the principle of differentiation and that the scope and depth of cooperation with the European Union is determined by the EU's ambitions and those of the partners, as well as by the pace and quality of reforms, ***respect for human rights and the rule of law;***

Or. it

Amendment 195

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point w a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(wa) jointly with the Eastern Neighbourhood partners, to devise

strategies for cooperation which will avoid a situation in which they might have to choose between closer cooperation with the EU or with other partners; in this context, to draw attention to new approaches in the negotiations between the EU and Armenia and also use these experiences in the development of relations with Belarus and Azerbaijan;

Or. de

Amendment 196
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point x

Motion for a resolution

(x) to underline that the Eastern Partnership aims to create the necessary conditions for close political association and economic integration, *including participation in EU programmes; points out that, pursuant to Article 49 of the TEU, any European state may apply to become a member of the European Union, provided it adheres to the Copenhagen criteria and the principles of democracy, that it respects fundamental freedoms and human and minority rights and that it upholds the rule of law;*

Amendment

(x) to underline that the Eastern Partnership aims to create the necessary conditions for close political association and economic integration; *rejects any future expansion* of the European Union;

Or. en

Amendment 197
Cristian Dan Preda

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point x

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(x) to underline that the Eastern Partnership aims to create the necessary conditions for close political association and economic integration, including participation in EU programmes; points out that, pursuant to Article 49 of the TEU, any European state may apply to become a member of the European Union, provided it adheres to the Copenhagen criteria and the principles of democracy, that it respects fundamental freedoms and human and minority rights and that it upholds the rule of law;

(x) to underline that the Eastern Partnership aims to create the necessary conditions for close political association and economic integration, including participation in EU programmes; ***reiterates that Association Agreements with Moldova, Georgia and Ukraine do not constitute the final goal in their relations with the EU***; points out that, pursuant to Article 49 of the TEU, any European state may apply to become a member of the European Union, provided it adheres to the Copenhagen criteria and the principles of democracy, that it respects fundamental freedoms and human and minority rights and that it upholds the rule of law;

Or. en

Amendment 198

László Tókécs, Andrea Bocskor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point x

Motion for a resolution

(x) to underline that the Eastern Partnership aims to create the necessary conditions for close political association and economic integration, including participation in EU programmes; points out that, pursuant to Article 49 of the TEU, any European state may apply to become a member of the European Union, provided it adheres to the Copenhagen criteria and the principles of democracy, that it respects fundamental freedoms and human ***and minority*** rights and that it upholds the rule of law;

Amendment

(x) to underline that the Eastern Partnership aims to create the necessary conditions for close political association and economic integration, including participation in EU programmes; points out that, pursuant to Article 49 of the TEU, any European state may apply to become a member of the European Union, provided it adheres to the Copenhagen criteria and the principles of democracy, that it respects fundamental freedoms and human ***rights including the rights of persons belonging to minorities*** and that it upholds the rule of law, ***which are values at the core of the EU***;

Or. en

Amendment 199
Miroslav Poche

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point x a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(xa) urge the EU member states and the partner countries not to water down the language on the European aspiration of the partner countries in the final declaration for the Brussels summit in November and make sure that the language is as ambitious on this point or even more ambitious than the text agreed in the Riga declaration of 2015;

Or. en

Amendment 200
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point y

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(y) to invite Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine to focus on the implementation of the Association agendas in order to unlock all the opportunities available through the Association Agreements, engaging also in the joint discussions on the progress, opportunities and challenges relating to the AA/DCFTA-related reforms; reiterates the importance of genuine implementation of the abovementioned reforms for the future stability and development of the countries and the wellbeing of their societies; to reaffirm that the prospect of EU membership requires significant progress in terms of the implementation of these reforms, notably as regards the rule of law, respect for human rights and good

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governance;

Or. en

Amendment 201
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point y

Motion for a resolution

(y) to invite Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine to focus on the implementation of the Association agendas in order to unlock all the opportunities available through the Association Agreements, engaging also in the joint discussions on the progress, opportunities and challenges relating to the AA/DCFTA-related reforms; reiterates the importance of genuine implementation of the abovementioned reforms for the future stability and development of the countries and the wellbeing of their societies; to reaffirm that the prospect of EU membership requires significant progress in terms of the implementation of these reforms, notably as regards the rule of law, respect for human rights and good governance;

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(y) to invite Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine to focus on the implementation of the Association agendas in *the context of a broad, transparent, social debate in* order to unlock all the opportunities available through the Association Agreements, engaging also in the joint discussions on the progress, opportunities and challenges relating to the AA/DCFTA-related reforms; reiterates the importance of genuine implementation of the abovementioned reforms for the future stability and development of the countries and the wellbeing of their societies; to reaffirm that the prospect of EU membership requires significant progress in terms of the implementation of these reforms, notably as regards the rule of law, respect for human rights and good governance;

Or. de

Amendment 202
Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikiėnė

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point y

Motion for a resolution

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Ukraine to focus on the implementation of the Association agendas in order to unlock all the opportunities available through the Association Agreements, engaging also in the joint discussions on the progress, opportunities and challenges relating to the AA/DCFTA-related reforms; reiterates the importance of genuine implementation of the abovementioned reforms for the future stability and development of the countries and the wellbeing of their societies; to reaffirm that the *deepening of relations within the EaP+ model as well as any* prospect of EU membership requires *very good* progress in terms of the implementation of these reforms, notably as regards the rule of law, respect for human rights and good governance;

Or. en

Amendment 203

László Tóké, Andrea Bocskor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point y

Motion for a resolution

(y) to invite Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine to focus on the implementation of the Association agendas in order to unlock all the opportunities available through the Association Agreements, engaging also in the joint discussions on the progress, opportunities and challenges relating to the AA/DCFTA-related reforms; reiterates the importance of genuine implementation of the abovementioned reforms for the future stability and development of the countries and the wellbeing of their societies; to reaffirm that the prospect of EU membership requires significant progress in terms of the implementation of these reforms, notably as regards the rule of law, respect for human rights and good

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governance;

minority rights, and good governance;

Or. en

Amendment 204

Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point y

Motion for a resolution

(y) to invite Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine to focus on the implementation of the Association agendas in order to unlock all the opportunities available through the Association Agreements, engaging also in the joint discussions on the progress, opportunities and challenges relating to the AA/DCFTA-related reforms; reiterates the importance of genuine implementation of the abovementioned reforms for the future stability and development of the countries and the wellbeing of their societies; to reaffirm that the prospect of EU membership requires significant progress in terms of the implementation of these reforms, notably as regards the rule of law, respect for human rights and good governance;

Amendment

(y) to invite Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine to focus on the ***comprehensive and full*** implementation of the Association agendas in order to unlock all the opportunities available through the Association Agreements, engaging also in the joint discussions on the progress, opportunities and challenges relating to the AA/DCFTA-related reforms; reiterates the importance of genuine implementation of the abovementioned reforms for the future stability and development of the countries and the wellbeing of their societies; to reaffirm that the prospect of EU membership requires significant progress in terms of the implementation of these reforms, notably as regards the rule of law, respect for human rights and good governance;

Or. en

Amendment 205

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point y a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ya) ***to monitor closely the***

implementation of DCFTAs in order to avoid social and environmental dumping calling for more transparency and engagement of all relevant stakeholders in the process of reforms and policy formulation, notably in the areas of trade, investment, energy and migration; to make systematic impact assessments of trade and investment and migration agreements as well as of EU assistance within the framework of the EaP, notably in relation to human rights, public services, decent work and social development;

Or. en

Amendment 206

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point z

Motion for a resolution

(z) to ensure that strict conditionality is always attached to current and further levels of cooperation and support for the partners, and that it is also observed; to underline that EU financial support to its partners will be conditional on concrete reform steps and that the EU's incentive-based approach will continue to benefit those partners most engaged in ambitious reforms; to emphasise in particular that no comprehensive agreement will be ratified with a country that grossly violates EU values, notably through the non-implementation of ECHR decisions; to also highlight that clear benchmarks need to be met before any new dialogue on visa-free regimes is launched and concluded; to reiterate that backsliding on prior achievements will systematically lead to the suspension of agreements, including in

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the area of visa-free regimes and EU funding;

encouraged; to also highlight that clear benchmarks need to be met before any new dialogue on visa-free regimes is launched and concluded; to reiterate that backsliding on prior achievements will systematically lead to the suspension of agreements, including in the area of visa-free regimes and EU funding;

Or. en

Amendment 207

Fabio Massimo Castaldo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point z

Motion for a resolution

(z) to ensure that strict conditionality is always attached to current and further levels of cooperation and support for the partners, and that it is also observed; to underline that EU financial support to its partners will be conditional on concrete **reform steps and that** the EU's incentive-based approach will continue to benefit those partners most engaged in **ambitious reforms**; to emphasise in particular that no comprehensive agreement will be ratified with a country that grossly violates EU values, notably through the non-implementation of ECHR decisions; to also highlight that clear benchmarks need to be met before any new dialogue on visa-free regimes is launched and concluded; to reiterate that backsliding on prior achievements will systematically lead to the suspension of agreements, including in the area of visa-free regimes and EU funding;

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(z) to ensure that strict conditionality is always attached to current and further levels of cooperation and support for the partners, and that it is also observed; to underline that EU financial support to its partners will be conditional on **the concrete reforms they implement, respect for human rights and the rule of law, and** the EU's incentive-based approach will continue to benefit those partners most engaged in **this field**; to emphasise in particular that no comprehensive agreement will be ratified with a country that grossly violates EU values, notably through the non-implementation of ECHR decisions; to also highlight that clear benchmarks need to be met before any new dialogue on visa-free regimes is launched and concluded; to reiterate that backsliding on prior achievements will systematically lead to the suspension of agreements, including in the area of visa-free regimes and EU funding;

Or. it

Amendment 208
Georgios Epitideios

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point κστ

Motion for a resolution

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Or. el

Amendment 209
David McAllister

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point z

Motion for a resolution

(z) to ensure that strict conditionality is always attached to current and further levels of cooperation and support for the partners, and that it is also observed; to underline that EU financial support to its

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partners will be conditional on concrete reform steps and that the EU's incentive-based approach will continue to benefit those partners most engaged in ambitious reforms; to ***disburse financial aid in the form of relatively small part-payments to enable the EU to respond more rapidly and flexibly to unexpected crises and inadequate reforms***; to emphasise in particular that no comprehensive agreement will be ratified with a country that grossly violates EU values, notably through the non-implementation of ECHR decisions; to also highlight that clear benchmarks need to be met before any new dialogue on visa-free regimes is launched and concluded; to reiterate that backsliding on prior achievements will systematically lead to the suspension of agreements, including in the area of visa-free regimes and EU funding;

Or. de

Amendment 210
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point aa

Motion for a resolution

(aa) to support the multilateral dimension of the Eastern Partnership as a means of increasing multilateral confidence-building, creating opportunities for regional cooperation and providing additional added-value, including in the sectoral policies;

Amendment

(aa) to support the multilateral dimension of the Eastern Partnership as a means of increasing multilateral confidence-building, creating opportunities for regional cooperation and providing additional added-value, including in the sectoral policies; ***to arrive at specific agreements with the Eastern Neighbourhood partners to develop cooperation at local and regional level involving local and regional authorities and their associations, including the Conference of Regional and Local Authorities for the Eastern Partnership***

(CORLEAP);

Or. de

Amendment 211

László Tóké, Andrea Bocskor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point aa

Motion for a resolution

(aa) to support the multilateral dimension of the Eastern Partnership as a means of increasing multilateral confidence-building, creating opportunities for regional cooperation and providing additional added-value, including in the sectoral policies;

Amendment

(aa) to support the multilateral dimension of the Eastern Partnership as a means of increasing multilateral confidence-building, creating opportunities for regional cooperation, ***including through transnational civil society platforms to help exchange, mutual learning and understanding, crucial for the sustainable development of the region,*** and providing additional added-value, including in the sectoral policies;

Or. en

Amendment 212

Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point aa a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(aaa) to complement the multilateral dimension by increasing the number of activities and initiatives in this context paying particular attention to strengthening cross-border projects, stepping up people-to-people programmes, developing incentives for regional cooperation and further enhancing an active dialogue with civil society;

Amendment 213

Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Patricia Lalonde, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point aa a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(aaa) to call on the EaP countries' full and effective cooperation with the EU in tackling such challenges as illegal migration, terrorism, cyber-crimes, human trafficking and smuggling;

Amendment 214

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ab

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ab) to highlight the importance of communicating policies related to the Eastern Partnership coherently and effectively, internally as well as externally, and of providing communication activities tailored to specific regions; to address the challenge of better information about the concrete benefits and goals of the Eastern Partnership, as well as to target disinformation through fact-based and accessible quality information in all languages of the partner countries and ensuring full respect for the freedom of expression;

(ab) to highlight the importance of communicating policies related to the Eastern Partnership coherently and effectively, internally as well as externally, and of providing communication activities tailored to specific regions, ***which should be intended to overcome the existing deficit of knowledge about the EU and about the existing agreements between the Eastern Neighbourhood countries and the EU***; to address the challenge of better information about the concrete benefits and goals of the Eastern Partnership, as well as to target disinformation through fact-based and accessible quality information in all languages of the partner countries and ensuring full respect for the freedom of expression;

Amendment 215

Petras Auštrevičius, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ab

Motion for a resolution

(ab) to highlight the importance of communicating policies related to the Eastern Partnership coherently and effectively, internally as well as externally, and of providing communication activities tailored to specific regions; to address the challenge of better information about the concrete benefits and goals of the Eastern Partnership, as well as to target disinformation through fact-based and accessible quality information in all languages of the partner countries and ensuring full respect for the freedom of expression;

Amendment

(ab) to highlight the importance of communicating policies related to the Eastern Partnership coherently and effectively, internally as well as externally, and of providing communication activities tailored to specific regions; to ***acknowledge the excellent work done so far by the East Stratcom Task Force and to support it with additional funding for its activities and personnel;*** to address the challenge of better information about the concrete benefits and goals of the Eastern Partnership, as well as to target disinformation through fact-based and accessible quality information in all languages of the partner countries and ensuring full respect for the freedom of expression;

Amendment 216

Victor Boştinaru

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ab

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challenge of better information about the concrete benefits and goals of the Eastern Partnership, as well as to target disinformation, *in cooperation with the East StratCom Task Force*, through fact-based and accessible quality information in all languages of the partner countries and ensuring full respect for the freedom of expression;

Or. en

Amendment 217
Clare Moody

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ac

Motion for a resolution

(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures;

Amendment

(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures; *as well as to develop a new instrument for the associated countries which will take into account best IPA experience and will be more focused on the direct beneficiaries and citizens;*

Or. en

Amendment 218
Petras Auštrevičius, Urmas Paet, Patricia Lalonde

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ac

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(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures;

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(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures, ***including through setting up a separate support mechanism directed towards a more effective implementation of the three Association Agreements;***

Or. en

Amendment 219

Charles Tannock, Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ac

Motion for a resolution

(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures;

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(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures, ***including through setting up a separate support mechanism directed towards implementation of the three Association Agreements;***

Amendment 220
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ac

Motion for a resolution

(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures;

Amendment

(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures, ***including through setting up a separate support mechanism directed towards implementation of the three Association Agreements;***

Amendment 221
Cristian Dan Preda

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ac

Motion for a resolution

(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable

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(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable

Development to political ambitions, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures;

Development to political ambitions *and to provide sufficient funding to Eastern Partnership countries - in particular those committed to implementing the Association Agreements*, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures;

Or. en

Amendment 222
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ac

Motion for a resolution

(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political *ambitions*, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures;

Amendment

(ac) to maintain that EU support should be tailor-made to match the level of shared ambition regarding cooperation with each partner following the principles of both ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’; to call in particular for the EU to align budgetary instruments such as the European Neighbourhood Instrument and the European Fund for Sustainable Development to political *tasks and implementation strategies*, notably within its annual and multiannual budgetary procedures;

Or. de

Amendment 223
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ad

Motion for a resolution

(ad) *to welcome the Commission proposals to provide the partners with*

Amendment

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macro-financial assistance while insisting on strict and effective conditionality attached to the proposals, notably in terms of upholding the rule of law (including an independent judiciary), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights; to call on the Commission to make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance; to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

Or. en

Amendment 224
Mario Borghezio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ad

Motion for a resolution

(ad) to **welcome the Commission proposals to provide the partners with** macro-financial assistance **while insisting** on strict and effective conditionality attached to the proposals, notably in terms of upholding the rule of law (including an independent judiciary), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights; to call on the Commission to make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance; to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

Amendment

(ad) to **insist, when it comes to** macro-financial assistance, on strict and effective conditionality attached to the proposals, notably in terms of upholding the rule of law (including an independent judiciary), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights; to call on the Commission to make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance; to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed **and transparent** written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

Or. it

Amendment 225
Cristian Dan Preda

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ad

Motion for a resolution

(ad) to welcome the Commission proposals to provide the partners with macro-financial assistance while insisting on strict and effective conditionality attached to the proposals, notably in terms of upholding the rule of law (including an independent judiciary), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights; to call on the Commission to make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance; to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

Amendment

(ad) to welcome the Commission proposals to provide the partners with macro-financial assistance while insisting on strict and effective conditionality attached to the proposals, notably in terms of upholding the rule of law (including an independent judiciary), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights; to call on the Commission to make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance ***and to ensure it is strictly applied, including in the case of Moldova;*** to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

Or. en

Amendment 226
Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Urmas Paet, Patricia Lalonde

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ad

Motion for a resolution

(ad) to welcome the Commission proposals to provide the partners with macro-financial assistance while insisting on strict and effective conditionality attached to the proposals, notably in terms of upholding the rule of law (including an

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independent judiciary), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights; to call on the Commission to make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance; to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

independent judiciary **and multi-party parliamentary system**), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights **and freedom of media**; to call on the Commission to make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance; to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

Or. en

Amendment 227

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikiienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ad

Motion for a resolution

(ad) to welcome the Commission proposals to provide the partners with macro-financial assistance while insisting on strict and effective conditionality attached to the proposals, notably in terms of upholding the rule of law (including an independent judiciary), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights; to call on the Commission to make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance; to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

Amendment

(ad) to welcome the Commission proposals to provide the partners with macro-financial assistance while insisting on strict and effective conditionality attached to the proposals, notably in terms of upholding the rule of law (including an independent judiciary), ensuring good governance (including combating corruption effectively) and defending human rights; to call on the Commission to **draw up new MFA programs for partner countries and to** make systematic provision for this conditionality in future proposals for such assistance; to provide Parliament and the Council with a detailed written report every six months on the progress made in these three areas for partners already benefiting from such assistance;

Or. en

Amendment 228
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ad a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ada) envisage possibility of launching the next macro-financial assistance for those partners, who successfully completed previous programmes, but require further assistance;

Or. en

Amendment 229
Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ad a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ada) to envisage possibility of further macro-financial assistance for those partners who successfully completed previous programmes and are still in need of assistance;

Or. en

Amendment 230
Rebecca Harms, Tamás Meszerics
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ae

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ae) to reiterate its strong support for

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parliamentary input to and scrutiny of the Eastern Partnership policy; in this respect, to enhance the role of the Euronest Parliamentary Assembly within the new multilateral architecture of the Eastern Partnership, as well as of the Parliamentary Association or Cooperation Committees (PAC/PCC) within the Association or Cooperation Councils; to welcome the Comprehensive Democracy Support Approach (CDSA) programmes that are being implemented; to invite parliamentarians from the partner countries to work together to scrutinise implementation and exchange best practices;

parliamentary input to and scrutiny of the Eastern Partnership policy; in this respect, to enhance the role of the Euronest Parliamentary Assembly within the new multilateral architecture of the Eastern Partnership, as well as of the Parliamentary Association or Cooperation Committees (PAC/PCC) within the Association or Cooperation Councils; to welcome the Comprehensive Democracy Support Approach (CDSA) programmes that are being implemented; to invite parliamentarians from the partner countries to work together to scrutinise implementation and exchange best practices; *to step up the involvement in this process of the Eastern Partnership Civil Society forum;*

Or. en

Amendment 231

Knut Fleckenstein, Laima Liucija Andrikienė

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 – point ae a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(ae) to ask the Commission to work for the successful implementation of the European Investment Plan in Eastern Partnership countries, especially for those that have made the most progress on reforms towards gradual economic and political integration with the European Union; to request the establishment of a trust fund for Ukraine based on the best practices of multi-donor instruments, stressing that this trust fund should focus on private and public investments, in particular on social and economic infrastructure and those aimed at boosting investment absorption capacity, and on the coordination of IFIs and international donor support on the

ground;

Or. en

Amendment 232

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser, Marie-Christine Arnautu

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2. *Instructs its President to forward this recommendation to the Council, the European Commission, the European External Action Service and, for information, the EU Special Representative for the South Caucasus and the crisis in Georgia, the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly, the Council of Europe Parliamentary Assembly and the governments and parliaments of the Eastern Partner countries.* *deleted*

Or. fr