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Establishing the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation
Instrument

Proposal for a regulation

(COM(2018)0460 – C8-0275/2018 – 2018/0243(COD))

Amendment 16
Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 1

Text proposed by the Commission

(1) The general objective of the Programme “Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument” (the ‘Instrument’) should be to uphold and promote the **Union’s values and interests** worldwide in order to pursue the objectives and principles of the Union’s external action, as laid down in Article 3(5), Articles 8 and 21 of the Treaty on European Union.

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Or. en

Amendment 17
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
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Amendment 18
Theodoros Zagorakis

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Text proposed by the Commission

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(2) In accordance with Article 21 of the Treaty on European Union, the Union shall pursue consistency between the different areas of its external action, ***including its cultural dimension***, and between these and ***the growing role in diplomacy of*** other policies, ***such as education, science and sport, and*** it shall work for a high degree of cooperation in all fields of international relations. The wide array of actions enabled by this Regulation should contribute to the objectives set out in that Article of the Treaty.

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Or. fr

Amendment 20

Silvia Costa

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Amendment 21

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

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Or. en

Amendment 22

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Proposal for a regulation

Recital 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(3a) In line with the Joint Communication “Towards an EU strategy for international cultural relations”, endorsed by the European Parliament’s resolution of 5 July 2017, European funding instruments, and in particular this programme, should recognize the relevance of culture in international relations and its role in promoting European values by dedicated and targeted actions designed to have a clear Union impact on the global scene.

Or. en

Amendment 23

Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(3a) In accordance with Article 167 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, The Union and the Member States shall foster cooperation with third countries and the competent international organisations in the sphere of culture. This Regulation should contribute to the objectives set out in that Article of the Treaty.

Or. en

Amendment 24
Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 3 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(3b) In line with Directive (UE) 2016/801 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 May 2016 on the conditions of entry and residence of third-country nationals for the purposes of research, studies, training, voluntary service, pupil exchange schemes or educational projects and au pairing (recast);

Or. en

Amendment 25
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Recital 4

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(4) The primary objective of Union's development cooperation policy, as laid down in Article 208 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union is the reduction and, in the long term, the eradication of poverty. The Union's development cooperation policy also contributes to the objectives of the Union's external action, in particular to foster the sustainable economic, social and environmental development of developing countries, with the primary aim of eradicating poverty, as set out in Article 21(2)(d) of the Treaty on European Union.

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Amendment 27

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Proposal for a regulation

Recital 7

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Amendment 30

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 7 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(7a) Culture plays a specific role both as a self-standing pillar of sustainable development and a key enabler of existing Sustainable Development Goals. Culture is a driver for innovation and behavioural change through the creation of new lifestyles and sustainable development paradigms, and enables community-based or locally rooted approaches which are necessary for a local understanding of sustainable development. Cultural participation encourages environmentally responsible behaviours, improves physical and mental health and wellbeing and facilitates and promotes intercultural dialogue, respect for others and social integration of minorities, improves school attendance and performance rates of young people, therefore contributing to and facilitating the achievement of many existing Sustainable Development Goals. This regulation should make use of the transformative power of culture and education in order to reach the Sustainable Development Goals.

Or. en

Amendment 31

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 8

Text proposed by the Commission

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⁵⁹ “Shared Vision, Common Action: A Stronger Europe. A global Strategy for the European Union’s Foreign and Security Policy”, June 2016.

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Or. el

Amendment 36
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Recital 9

Text proposed by the Commission

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⁶⁰ "The New European Consensus on Development 'Our World, our Dignity, Our Future'", Joint statement by the Council and the Representatives of the governments of the Member States meeting within the Council, the European Parliament and the European Commission, 8 June 2017.

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Recital 9 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

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(9a) Culture, including intercultural dialogue, plays a key role in external relations and development policies, in

particular for conflict prevention and conflict resolution, peace-making and empowerment of local populations. An ambitious and sound cultural strategy, including cultural diplomacy, is therefore needed to achieve a new European Consensus on Development.

Or. en

Amendment 38

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Recital 13

Text proposed by the Commission

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Or. en

Amendment 41
Theodoros Zagorakis

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Or. el

Amendment 42
Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 17

Text proposed by the Commission

(17) This Regulation should reflect the need to focus on strategic priorities, both geographically – the European Neighbourhood and Africa, as well as countries that are fragile and most in need, but also thematically – security, migration, climate change and human rights.

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Or. en

Amendment 43
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Amendment 45
Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 19

(19) The European Neighbourhood Policy, as reviewed in 2015⁶², aims at the stabilisation of neighbouring countries and strengthening resilience, particularly by boosting economic development, as the Union's main political priorities. In order to attain its objective, the reviewed European Neighbourhood Policy has been focusing on four priority areas: good governance, democracy, the rule of law and human rights, with a particular focus in engaging further with civil society; economic development; security; migration and mobility, including tackling the root causes of **irregular migration** and forced displacement. Differentiation and enhanced mutual ownership are the hallmark of the European Neighbourhood Policy, recognising different levels of engagement, and reflecting the interests of each country concerning the nature and focus of its partnership with the Union.

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⁶² Joint communication to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions, "Review of the European Neighbourhood policy", 18 November 2015.

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Or. en

Amendment 46

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⁶² Joint communication to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions, "Review of the European Neighbourhood policy", 18 November 2015.

Or. el

Amendment 48

Julie Ward, Krystyna Lybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation Recital 20

Text proposed by the Commission

(20) This Regulation should support the implementation of a modernised association agreement with countries of the Africa, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) Group of States and allow the EU and its ACP partners to develop further strong alliances on key global challenges. In particular, this Regulation should support the continuation of the established

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cooperation between the Union and the African Union in line with the Joint Africa-EU Strategy and build on the future EU-ACP agreement after 2020, including through a continental approach towards Africa.

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Or. en

Amendment 49
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 22

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(22) Funding from this Regulation should be used to finance actions under the international dimension of Erasmus, the implementation of which should be done according to the Erasmus Regulation⁶⁸.

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⁶⁸ COM (2018) 367 final Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing 'Erasmus': the Union programme for education, training, youth and sport and repealing Regulation (EU) 1288/2013

Or. fr

Amendment 50
Julie Ward, Petra Kammerevert

Proposal for a regulation
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(22) Funding from this Regulation should be used to finance actions under the international dimension of Erasmus ***related to learning mobility to, from or between third countries, cooperation among organisations and institutions and policy dialogue as well as policy development with third countries***, the implementation of which should be done according to the Erasmus Regulation⁶⁸.

⁶⁸ COM (2018) 367 final Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing ‘Erasmus’: the Union programme for education, training, youth and sport and repealing Regulation (EU) 1288/2013

Or. en

Amendment 51

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

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Amendment

(22) Funding from this Regulation should be used to finance actions under the international dimension of Erasmus ***and Creative Europe***, the implementation of which should be done according to the Erasmus Regulation ***and the Creative Europe Regulation***⁶⁸.

⁶⁸ COM (2018) 367 final Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing ‘Erasmus’: the Union programme for education, training, youth and sport and repealing Regulation (EU) 1288/2013; ***COM (2018) final Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Creative Europe***

Amendment 52

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski, Julie Ward, Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 22 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(22a) Funding from this Regulation should also be used to finance actions under the international dimension of Creative Europe Programme, the implementation of which should be done according to the Creative Europe Regulation.

Amendment 53

Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 25

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(25) Whilst democracy and human rights, including gender equality and women's empowerment should be reflected throughout the implementation of this Regulation, Union assistance under the thematic programmes for human rights and democracy and civil society organisations should have a specific complementary and additional role by virtue of its global nature and its independence of action from the consent of the governments and public authorities of the third countries concerned.

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Justification

The Member States are sovereign. It would be highly disrespectful to act without their consent. The EU should not be paternalistic.

Amendment 54

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation**Recital 25***Text proposed by the Commission*

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Or. en

Amendment 55

Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation**Recital 26***Text proposed by the Commission*

(26) Civil society organisations should embrace a wide range of actors with different roles and mandates which includes all non-State, not-for-profit structures, non-partisan and **non-violent**, through which people organise to pursue

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Or. fr

Justification

The adjective ‘non-violent’ refers to a specific way of acting and thinking about political action, not just the fact of acting without violence. It would therefore be more appropriate to use the expression ‘acting without violence’.

Amendment 56

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 28 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(28a) Considering the relevance of addressing education and culture in line with the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the EU strategy for international cultural relations, this Regulation should contribute to ensure inclusive and equitable quality education, promote life-long learning opportunities for all and foster international cultural relations in view of the EU’s role as a global actor.

Or. en

Amendment 57

Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 29

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

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cooperation on migration with partner countries, reaping the benefits of well-managed and regular migration and effectively addressing irregular migration. Such cooperation should contribute to ***ensuring access to international protection***, addressing the root causes of irregular migration, enhancing border management and pursuing efforts in the fight against irregular migration, trafficking in human beings and migrant smuggling, and working on returns, readmission and reintegration where relevant, on the basis of mutual accountability and full respect of humanitarian and human rights obligations. Therefore, third countries' effective cooperation with the Union in this area should be an integral element in the general principles of this Regulation. An increased coherence between migration and development cooperation policies is important to ensure that development assistance supports partner countries to manage migration more effectively. This Regulation should contribute to a coordinated, holistic and structured approach to migration, maximising the synergies and applying the necessary leverage.

cooperation on migration with partner countries, reaping the benefits of well-managed and regular migration and effectively addressing irregular migration, ***and to address the flight of human and intellectual capital from these partner countries***. Such cooperation should contribute to ***encouraging people to believe that they can achieve great things at home and to fight against the belief that Europe necessarily has something better to offer***, addressing the root causes of irregular migration, enhancing border management and pursuing efforts in the fight against irregular migration, trafficking in human beings and migrant smuggling, and working on returns, readmission and reintegration where relevant, on the basis of mutual accountability and full respect of humanitarian and human rights obligations. Therefore, third countries' effective cooperation with the Union in this area should be an integral element in the general principles of this Regulation. An increased coherence between migration and development cooperation policies is important to ensure that development assistance supports partner countries to manage migration more effectively. This Regulation should contribute to a coordinated, holistic and structured approach to migration, maximising the synergies and applying the necessary leverage.

Or. fr

Amendment 58

Julie Ward, Krystyna Lybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

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Or. en

Amendment 59

Julie Ward, Krystyna Lybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation Recital 29 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(29a) It is also essential, in line with European fundamental values, that the EFSD+ is used to improve access to

education for all children in humanitarian emergency areas as well as to support the establishment of education corridors in order to ensure that the right to education for children in situation of forced displacement and migration is upheld.

Or. en

Amendment 60
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 30

Text proposed by the Commission

(30) This Regulation should enable the Union to respond to challenges, ***needs and opportunities*** related to migration, in complementarity with Union migration policy. To contribute to that end, and without prejudice to unforeseen circumstances, 10% of its financial envelope is expected to be dedicated to addressing the root causes of irregular migration and forced displacement and to supporting migration management and governance including ***the protection of refugees and migrants' rights within the objectives of this Regulation.***

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Or. fr

Justification

If the European Union needs to act in the areas of culture and education, it is first and foremost in countering the misconception that Europe is a paradise and necessarily has something to offer to all non-Europeans.

Amendment 61
Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 34

Text proposed by the Commission

(34) The EFSD+ should aim at supporting investments as a means of contributing to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals by fostering sustainable and inclusive economic and social development and promoting the socio-economic resilience in partner countries with a particular focus on the eradication of poverty, sustainable and inclusive growth, the creation of decent jobs, economic opportunities, skills and entrepreneurship, socioeconomic sectors, micro, small and medium-sized enterprises as well as addressing specific socioeconomic root causes of ***irregular migration***, in accordance with the relevant indicative programming documents. Special attention should be given to countries identified as experiencing fragility or conflict, Least Developed Countries and heavily indebted poor countries.

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Or. en

Amendment 62
Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 34

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Or. it

Amendment 63 **Theodoros Zagorakis**

Proposal for a regulation **Recital 34**

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Or. el

Amendment 64

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski, Julie Ward, Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation Recital 34

Text proposed by the Commission

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Or. en

Amendment 65

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans

**Proposal for a regulation
Recital 34 a (new)**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(34a) The international dimension of the Erasmus Plus Programme should be boosted aiming at increasing opportunities for mobility and cooperation for individuals and organisations from less developed countries of the world - supporting capacity-building in third countries, skills' development, people-to-people exchanges, while offering a greater number of opportunities for cooperation and mobility with developed and emerging countries.

Or. en

**Amendment 66
Angel Dzhambazki**

**Proposal for a regulation
Recital 41 a (new)**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(41a) Pursuant to the decisions of the Sofia Declaration of 17 May 2018, this regulation should contribute to the improvement of reconciliation and good neighbourly relations in the Western Balkans by promoting deep links among civil societies in the Western Balkans and by facilitating continued cultural dialog thereof

Or. en

**Amendment 67
Angel Dzhambazki**

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 41 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(41b) This regulation should reflect the need to focus on the Western Balkans as a priority region within Europe as all countries in the region are either candidate countries or are expected to receive this status. This regulation should support the accession process of the candidate countries and promote reforms in prospective candidate countries as EU accession is the only way to ensure lasting security and stability in the region.

Or. en

Amendment 68
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1. The general objective of this Regulation is to uphold and promote the Union's ***values and*** interests worldwide in order to pursue the objectives and principles of the Union's external action, as laid down in Article 3(5), Articles 8 and 21 of the Treaty on European Union.

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Or. fr

Amendment 69
Angel Dzhambazki

Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) to support and foster dialogue and

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cooperation with third countries and regions in the Neighbourhood, in Sub-Saharan Africa, in Asia and the Pacific, and in the Americas and the Caribbean;

cooperation with *the candidate countries, prospective candidate countries*, third countries and regions in the Neighbourhood, in Sub-Saharan Africa, in Asia and the Pacific, and in the Americas and the Caribbean;

Or. en

Amendment 70
Theodoros Zagorakis

Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) at global level, to consolidate and support democracy, rule of law and human rights, support civil society organisations, further stability and peace and address other global challenges including migration and mobility;

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(b) at global level, to consolidate and support democracy, rule of law and human rights, *seek to improve the quality of education and make it accessible to all*, support civil society organisations, further stability and peace and address other global challenges including migration and mobility;

Or. el

Amendment 71
María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Isabella Adinolfi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point c a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ca) to foster quality and inclusive education and international cultural relations as key enablers for development and international cooperation goals, by reducing inequalities and poverty, empowering people to live more healthy and sustainable lives and fostering tolerance and knowledge in order to build more peaceful societies;

Amendment 72
Angel Dzhambazki

Proposal for a regulation
Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(aa) The Western Balkans

Or. en

Amendment 73
Julie Ward, Krystyna Lybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation
Article 4 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b) contribute to strengthening resilience of states, societies, communities and individuals and to linking humanitarian aid and development action;

(b) contribute to strengthening resilience of states, societies, communities, ***civil society*** and individuals and to linking humanitarian aid and development action;

Or. en

Amendment 74
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

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ensured.

ensured, *without encroaching on the Member States' development policies.*

Or. fr

Justification

Some Member States have strong cultural ties with countries in need of development assistance and have been providing development aid for many years. By encroaching on these policies, the European Union risks depriving countries of important development experience and harming these cultural ties.

Amendment 75
Angel Dzhambazki

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point a – indent 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- ***Western Balkans at least
EUR 7 000 million***

Or. en

Amendment 76
Angel Dzhambazki

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 – paragraph 2 – point a – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

– Sub-Saharan Africa at least
EUR **32 000** million,

– Sub-Saharan Africa at least
EUR **25 000** million,

Or. en

Amendment 77
Santiago Fisas Aixelà, Sabine Verheyen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 – paragraph 4 a (new)

4a. In order to promote the international dimension of education and culture, an indicative amount corresponding to at least 15% of the financial envelope referred to in paragraph 1 shall be allocated to actions in respect of cooperation and policy dialogue on culture, education, youth and sport with third countries.

Or. en

Amendment 78

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Article 6 – paragraph 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

4a. In order to promote the international dimension of education and culture, an indicative amount corresponding to at least 15% of the financial envelope referred to in paragraph 1, shall be allocated to actions in respect of cooperation and policy dialogue on culture and education with third countries;

Or. en

Amendment 79

Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2. A rights-based approach encompassing all human rights, whether civil and political or economic, social and

2. An approach based on human rights, as listed in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights adopted by

cultural shall be applied in order to integrate human rights principles, to support the right holders in claiming their rights with a focus on poorer and more vulnerable groups and to assist partner countries in implementing their international human rights obligations. ***This Regulation shall promote gender equality and women's empowerment.***

the United Nations General Assembly on 10 December 1948, shall be applied in order to integrate human rights principles, to support the right holders in claiming their rights with a focus on poorer and more vulnerable groups and to assist partner countries in implementing their international human rights obligations.

Or. fr

Amendment 80
Santiago Fisas Ayxelà, Sabine Verheyen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 8 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. A rights-based approach encompassing all human rights, whether civil and political or economic, social and cultural shall be applied in order to integrate human rights principles, to support the right holders in claiming their rights with a focus on poorer and more vulnerable groups and to assist partner countries in implementing their international human rights obligations. This Regulation shall promote gender equality and **women's** empowerment.

Amendment

2. A rights-based approach encompassing all human rights, whether civil and political or economic, social and cultural shall be applied in order to integrate human rights principles, to support the right holders in claiming their rights with a focus on poorer and more vulnerable groups and to assist partner countries in implementing their international human rights obligations. ***In particular, the Union shall support education and sport as a tool to foster development, contribute to the eradication of poverty, as well as to promote peace-building, social inclusion and active citizenship, and ensure access to culture.*** This regulation shall promote gender equality and empowerment ***of women and children.***

Or. en

Amendment 81
María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Isabella Adinolfi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 8 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. A rights-based approach encompassing all human rights, whether civil and political or economic, social and cultural shall be applied in order to integrate human rights principles, to support the right holders in claiming their rights with a focus on poorer and more vulnerable groups and to assist partner countries in implementing their international human rights obligations. This Regulation shall promote gender equality and **women's** empowerment.

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Or. en

Amendment 82

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation
Article 8 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment

2. A rights-based approach encompassing all human rights, whether civil and political or economic, social and cultural shall be applied in order to integrate human rights principles, to support the right holders in claiming their rights with a focus on poorer, ***most*** vulnerable ***and marginalised*** groups, ***including minorities, indigenous people, women and youth,*** and to assist partner countries in implementing their international human rights obligations. This Regulation shall promote gender

equality and empowerment *of women, youth and children.*

Or. en

Amendment 83

Julie Ward, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Krystyna Lybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2a. In order to maximise the impact of the Regulation on populations, particularly the most vulnerable groups, the Union should support not only institutional cooperation but grassroots initiatives, people-to-people contacts and civil society organisations.

Or. en

Amendment 84

Julie Ward, Krystyna Lybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 3 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The Union shall support, as appropriate, the implementation of bilateral, regional and multilateral cooperation and dialogue, partnership agreements and triangular cooperation.

The Union shall support, as appropriate, the implementation of bilateral, regional and multilateral cooperation and dialogue, partnership agreements and triangular cooperation, ***including through a structured dialogue between institutions and civil society, and peer learning exercises between civil society from different countries and regions.***

Or. en

Amendment 85

Julie Ward, Krystyna Lybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Cooperation between the Union and the Member States, on the one hand, and partner countries, on the other hand, shall be based on and shall promote the development effectiveness principles, where applicable, namely: ownership of development priorities by partner countries, a focus on results, inclusive development partnerships, transparency and mutual accountability. The Union shall promote effective and efficient resource mobilisation and use.

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Or. en

Amendment 86

Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 6

Text proposed by the Commission

6. Programmes and actions under this Regulation shall mainstream climate change, environmental protection **and gender equality** and shall address interlinkages between Sustainable Development Goals, to promote integrated actions that can create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way. These programmes and actions shall be based on an analysis of risks and vulnerabilities, integrate a resilience approach and be conflict sensitive. They shall be guided by the principle of leaving

Amendment

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no one behind.

Or. fr

Justification

Gender relationships vary considerably from one culture to another. It is therefore inappropriate to impose a Western view of gender relationships on these populations, even if we consider gender relationships in the West to be fairer.

Amendment 87

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 6

Text proposed by the Commission

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Or. en

Amendment 88

Theodoros Zagorakis

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 6

Text proposed by the Commission

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6. Programmes and actions under this Regulation shall mainstream climate change, environmental protection, ***education and culture***, and gender equality and shall address interlinkages between Sustainable Development Goals, to promote integrated actions that can create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way. These programmes and actions shall be based on an analysis of risks and vulnerabilities, integrate a resilience approach and be conflict sensitive. They shall be guided by the principle of leaving no one behind.

Or. el

Amendment 89

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Isabella Adinolfi

Proposal for a regulation

Article 8 – paragraph 6

Text proposed by the Commission

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Or. en

Amendment 90
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Article 8 – paragraph 7

Text proposed by the Commission

7. A more coordinated, holistic and structured approach to **migration** shall be pursued with partners and its effectiveness be regularly assessed.

Amendment

7. A more coordinated, holistic and structured approach to **emigration from partner countries** shall be pursued with partners and its effectiveness be regularly assessed.

Or. fr

Amendment 91
Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation
Article 8 – paragraph 7

Text proposed by the Commission

7. A more coordinated, holistic and structured approach to migration shall be pursued with partners and its effectiveness be regularly assessed.

Amendment

7. A more coordinated, holistic and structured approach to migration shall be pursued, **without prejudices to the other objectives of the EU external action**, with partners and its effectiveness be regularly assessed.

Or. en

Amendment 92
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

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ammunition, or operations having military or defence implications, ***nor to finance associations calling for revolution or the removal of the government, whether or not by violent means.***

Or. fr

Amendment 93
Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. In order to contribute to sustainable development, which requires the achievement of stable, peaceful and inclusive societies, Union assistance under this Regulation may be used in the context of a wider security sector reform or to build the capacity of military actors in partner countries, under the exceptional circumstances set out in paragraph 4, to deliver development activities and security for development activities.

Amendment

2. In order to contribute to sustainable development, which requires the achievement of stable, ***culturally aware***, peaceful and inclusive societies, Union assistance under this Regulation may be used in the context of a wider security sector reform or to build the capacity of military actors in partner countries, under the exceptional circumstances set out in paragraph 4, to deliver development activities and security for development activities.

Or. en

Amendment 94
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Article 10 – paragraph 2 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) the Human Rights and Democracy and Civil Society thematic programmes referred to in Article 4(3)(a) and (b) shall provide assistance independently of the consent of governments and other public authorities of the third countries

Amendment

deleted

concerned. These thematic programmes shall mainly support civil society organisations.

Or. fr

Amendment 95
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 7

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

7. This Regulation shall contribute to actions established under Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Erasmus). A single programming document shall be drawn up from this Regulation for seven years, including funds from Regulation (EU) No. .../... (IPA III). Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Erasmus) shall apply to the use of these funds.

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Or. fr

Amendment 96
Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 7

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

7. This Regulation shall contribute to actions established under Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Erasmus). A single programming document shall be drawn up from *this Regulation* for seven years, including funds from Regulation (EU) No. .../... (IPA III). Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Erasmus) shall apply to the use of these funds.

7. This Regulation shall contribute to actions established under Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Erasmus) *and Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Creative Europe)*. A single programming document shall be drawn up from *these Regulations* for seven years, including funds from Regulation (EU) No. .../... (IPA III). Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Erasmus) *and Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Creative Europe)* shall apply to the use of these funds.

Amendment 97**María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans****Proposal for a regulation****Article 11 – paragraph 7***Text proposed by the Commission*

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Amendment

7. This Regulation shall **financially** contribute to actions established under Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Erasmus). A single programming document shall be drawn up from this Regulation for seven years, including funds from Regulation (EU) No. .../... (IPA III). Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Erasmus) shall apply to the use of these funds, **while ensuring conformity with this Regulation and Regulation (EU) No. .../... (IPA III).**

Or. en

Amendment 98**María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans****Proposal for a regulation****Article 11 – paragraph 7 a (new)***Text proposed by the Commission**Amendment*

7a. This Regulation shall financially contribute to actions established under Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Creative Europe). A single programming document shall be drawn up from this Regulation for seven years, including funds from Regulation (EU) No. .../... (IPA III). Regulation (EU) No. .../... (Creative Europe) shall apply to the use of these funds, while ensuring conformity with this Regulation and Regulation (EU) No. .../... (IPA III).

Amendment 99

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Article 16 – paragraph 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) needs, *using indicators such as* population *and level of* development;

Amendment

(a) needs, *established on the basis of specific criteria and in-depth analysis, taking into account the population, poverty, inequality, human development, economic and environmental vulnerability, human rights, democracy and civic space, gender equality and state and societal resilience;*

Or. en

Amendment 100

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Article 22 – paragraph 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

6a. The role of public-private partnerships under this Regulation should be further explored in particular regarding world-scale cultural cooperation and public diplomacy.

Or. en

Amendment 101

Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Article 23 – paragraph 3 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) grants to the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights as well as to Global Campus, the European Inter-University Centre for Human Rights and Democratisation, providing a European Master's Degree in Human Rights and Democratisation, and its associated network of universities delivering human rights postgraduate diplomas, including ***scholarships to*** students and human rights defenders from third countries.

Amendment

(c) grants to the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights as well as to Global Campus, the European Inter-University Centre for Human Rights and Democratisation, providing a European Master's Degree in Human Rights and Democratisation, and its associated network of universities delivering human rights postgraduate diplomas, including ***mobility and scholarship opportunities for*** students, ***researchers, teachers,*** and human rights defenders from third countries.

Or. en

Amendment 102
Angel Dzhambazki

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1a. Candidate countries

Or. en

Amendment 103
Angel Dzhambazki

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 1 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1b. Prospective candidate countries

Or. en

Amendment 104
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. All supplies and materials financed under this Regulation **may** originate from **any** country.

Amendment

3. All supplies and materials financed under this Regulation **must, as far as possible**, originate from **a partner** country **or a Member State**.

Or. fr

Amendment 105

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation
Article 26 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The purpose of the EFSD+ as an integrated financial package supplying financial capacity drawing on the methods of implementation set up in Article 23(1)(a), (e), (f) and (g), shall be to support investments and increase access to financing, in order to foster sustainable and inclusive economic and social development and promote the socio-economic resilience in partner countries with a particular focus on the, eradication of poverty, sustainable and inclusive growth, the creation of decent jobs, economic opportunities, skills and entrepreneurship, socioeconomic sectors, micro, small and medium-sized enterprises as well as addressing specific socioeconomic root causes of **irregular migration**, in accordance with the relevant indicative programming documents. Special attention shall be given to countries identified as experiencing fragility or conflict, Least Developed Countries and heavily indebted poor countries.

Amendment

The purpose of the EFSD+ as an integrated financial package supplying financial capacity drawing on the methods of implementation set up in Article 23(1)(a), (e), (f) and (g), shall be to support investments and increase access to financing, in order to foster sustainable and inclusive economic **cultural**, and social development and promote the socio-economic resilience in partner countries with a particular focus on the, eradication of poverty, sustainable and inclusive growth, the creation of decent jobs, economic opportunities, **transferable** skills and entrepreneurship, socioeconomic sectors, micro, small and medium-sized enterprises, **including social enterprises**, as well as addressing specific socioeconomic root causes of **population displacements**, in accordance with the relevant indicative programming documents. Special attention shall be given to countries identified as experiencing fragility or conflict, Least Developed Countries and heavily indebted poor countries.

Amendment 106

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Article 31 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Progress with respect to expected results should be monitored on the basis of clear, transparent and, where appropriate, measurable indicators. Indicators shall be kept at a limited number to facilitate timely reporting.

Amendment

Progress with respect to expected results should be monitored on the basis of clear, transparent and, where appropriate, measurable indicators. ***In line with the Sustainable Development Goals, indicators shall be disaggregated by gender and age as a minimum.*** Indicators shall be kept at a limited number to facilitate timely reporting.

Or. en

Amendment 107

Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) Strengthening the protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms;

Amendment

(b) Strengthening the protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms, ***and the role of education in spreading the values of freedom, tolerance and non-discrimination;***

Or. en

Amendment 108

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski, Julie Ward

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) Strengthening the protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms;

Amendment

(b) Strengthening the protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms ***and the role of education to learn about tolerance and non-discrimination;***

Or. en

Amendment 109

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Isabella Adinolfi, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ba) Promoting the role of culture to enhance mutual understanding within societies, foster peace-building and fight radicalisation.

Or. en

Amendment 110

Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(c) Promoting the fight against discrimination in all its forms, ***and*** the principle of ***equality, in particular gender*** equality and the rights of persons belonging to minorities;

(c) Promoting the fight against discrimination in all its forms, the principle of equality and the rights of persons belonging to minorities;

Or. fr

Amendment 111

Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) Promoting the fight against discrimination in all its forms, and the principle of equality, in particular gender equality **and** the rights of persons belonging to minorities;

Amendment

(c) Promoting the fight against discrimination in all its forms, and the principle of equality, in particular gender equality, ***in accordance with the UN Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and its Optional Protocols***, the rights of persons belonging to minorities ***as contained in the UN Declaration on the Rights of Persons belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities, the rights of indigenous peoples as contained in the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, and the rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans and intersex (LGBTI) persons, including measures to decriminalise homosexuality, combat homophobic and transphobic violence and persecution, and promote freedom of assembly, association and expression for LGBTI persons;***

Or. en

Amendment 112
Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 1 – point d a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(da) Promoting culture, cultural heritage and creative and artistic expressions as sustainable drivers of personal, social and economic development;

Or. en

Amendment 113

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point d b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(db) Promoting cooperation and partnerships among cultural and creative institutions and sectors;

Or. en

Amendment 114

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point d c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(dc) Enhancing the economic, social and external dimension of European-level cooperation to develop and promote European cultural diversity and Europe's cultural heritage and strengthening competitiveness of the European cultural and creative sectors and reinforcing international cultural relations;

Or. en

Amendment 115

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point d d (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(dd) Promoting and supporting recognition by educational and training institutions of Member States of diplomas

and learning periods abroad of citizens of third countries.

Or. en

Amendment 116

Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) Improving the pluralism, independence and professionalism of a free and independent media;

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 117

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ea) Promoting and supporting mobility of cultural and creative professionals, artists, researchers, teachers, volunteers, students, as well as staff of cultural, educational and sport institutions.

Or. en

Amendment 118

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 1 – point e b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(eb) Supporting engagement and active participation of young people and partnerships among youth organisations;

Or. en

Amendment 119

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) Eradicating poverty in all its dimensions, tackling discrimination and inequalities and leaving ***no-one*** behind;

Amendment

(a) Eradicating poverty in all its dimensions, ***including educational poverty***, tackling discrimination and inequalities and leaving ***no one*** behind;

Or. it

Amendment 120

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Isabella Adinolfi, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 2 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) Enhancing efforts for the adoption of policies and appropriate investment to promote women and young people's rights, to facilitate their engagement in social, civic and economic life, and to ensure their full contribution to inclusive growth and sustainable development;

Amendment

(b) Enhancing efforts for the adoption of policies and appropriate investment to promote ***children***, women and young people's rights, ***including their right to access to culture and education***, to facilitate their engagement in social, civic and economic life, and to ensure their full contribution to inclusive growth and sustainable development;

Or. en

Amendment 121

Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 2 – point m

Text proposed by the Commission

(m) **Promoting** inclusive and equitable quality formal, informal and non-formal education for all, at all levels and including technical and vocational training, including in emergency and crisis situations, and including through the use of digital technologies to improve education teaching and learning;

Amendment

(m) **Ensuring** inclusive and equitable quality formal, informal and non-formal education **and lifelong learning opportunities** for all, at all levels and including technical and vocational training, including in emergency and crisis situations, and including through the use of digital technologies to improve education teaching and learning, **including the use of language technologies to ensure equality for the speakers of all languages**;

Or. en

Amendment 122

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Isabella Adinolfi, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 2 – point m

Text proposed by the Commission

(m) **Promoting** inclusive and equitable quality formal, informal and non-formal education for all, at all levels and including technical and vocational training, including in emergency and crisis situations, and including through the use of digital technologies to improve education teaching and learning;

Amendment

(m) **Ensuring** inclusive and equitable quality formal, informal and non-formal education **and promote life-long learning opportunities** for all, at all levels and including technical and vocational training, including in emergency and crisis situations, and including through the use of digital technologies to improve education teaching and learning;

Or. en

Amendment 123

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 2 – point m

Text proposed by the Commission

(m) Promoting inclusive and equitable quality formal, informal and non-formal education for all, at all levels and including technical and vocational training, including in emergency and crisis situations, **and including through the** use of digital technologies to improve education teaching and learning;

Amendment

(m) Promoting inclusive and equitable quality formal, informal and non-formal education for all, **for all ages, and** at all levels and including technical and vocational training, including in emergency and crisis situations. **Making** use of digital technologies **and other means** to improve education teaching and learning, **including massive open online courses (MOOCs) and blended forms**;

Or. it

Amendment 124
Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 2 – point m a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ma) Supporting education corridors to ensure that students from countries at war can come to Union universities;

Or. it

Amendment 125
María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 2 – point n

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(n) Supporting actions of **capacity building**, learning mobility to, from or between **partner** countries, as well as of cooperation and policy dialogue with institutions, organisations, local implementing bodies and authorities, from

(n) Supporting actions of learning mobility, **capacity building and cultural cooperation** to, from or between **the Union and third** countries, as well as of cooperation and policy dialogue with institutions, organisations, local

those countries;

implementing bodies and authorities, from those countries;

Or. en

Amendment 126

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 2 – point o a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(oa) Supporting actions, and promoting cooperation, in the area of sport to contribute to the empowerment of women and of young people, individuals and communities as well as to health, education and social inclusion objectives of the 2030 Agenda.

Or. en

Amendment 127

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 2 – point q

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(q) Promoting intercultural dialogue and cultural diversity in all its forms, and preserve and promote cultural heritage, and unlocking the potential of creative ***industries*** for sustainable, social and economic development;

(q) Promoting intercultural dialogue and cultural diversity in all its forms, and preserve and promote cultural heritage, and unlocking the potential of ***cultural and*** creative ***sectors*** for sustainable, social and economic development;

Or. en

Amendment 128

Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 3 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ba) Discouraging people in partner countries from emigrating, thereby reducing the negative impact of emigration, in particular the brain drain, on development;

Or. fr

Amendment 129
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 3 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) Tackling irregular migration, trafficking in human beings, smuggling of migrants, stepping up cooperation on integrated border management;

(d) Tackling irregular migration, **aid for immigration by non-state bodies under the guise of humanitarian action**, trafficking in human beings, smuggling of migrants; stepping up cooperation on integrated border management;

Or. fr

Amendment 130
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 3 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(f) Supporting effective **and human rights** based **migration policies including protection programmes**;

(f) Supporting effective **anti-migration policies** based **on the right to live in one's country of origin**;

Or. fr

Amendment 131
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 3 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

(g) Promoting conditions for *facilitating* legal migration and well-managed mobility, people-to-people contacts, *maximising the development impact of migration*;

Amendment

(g) Promoting conditions for *controlling* legal migration and well-managed mobility, people-to-people contacts;

Or. fr

Amendment 132
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 3 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

(h) Ensuring *protection* of migrants and forcibly displaced persons;

Amendment

(h) Ensuring *control* of migrants and forcibly displaced persons;

Or. fr

Amendment 133
Dominique Bilde

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – part A – point 3 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

(j) Supporting diaspora engagement in countries of origin;

Amendment

(j) Supporting diaspora engagement in *prevention as regards the populations of* countries of origin *and the difficulties and disillusion caused by emigration*;

Or. fr

Amendment 134

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Isabella Adinolfi

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 4 – point f a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(fa) Promoting Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) to empower people to transform society and build a sustainable future.

Or. en

Amendment 135

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski, Julie Ward, Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 5 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(g) Promoting internal economic, social and territorial cohesion, forging stronger links between urban and rural areas and facilitating the development of **the** tourism sector as a leverage for sustainable development;

(g) Promoting internal economic, social and territorial cohesion, forging stronger links between urban and rural areas and facilitating the development of **both creative industries and the cultural** tourism sector as a leverage for sustainable development;

Or. en

Amendment 136

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 5 – point o

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(o) Promoting cooperation in the areas of science, technology and research, and open data and innovation;

(o) Promoting cooperation in the areas of science, technology and research, and open data and innovation, **including the development of science diplomacy.**

Amendment 137

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 5 – point p

Text proposed by the Commission

(p) Promoting intercultural dialogue and cultural diversity in all its forms, **and** preserve and promote cultural heritage;

Amendment

(p) Promoting intercultural dialogue and cultural diversity in all its forms, preserve and promote cultural heritage, **as well as contemporary arts and cultural expressions.**

Or. en

Amendment 138

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 6 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ba) Supporting the prevention of conflicts through education for peace, fostering of international cooperation in culture, science and research.

Or. en

Amendment 139

Santiago Fisas Aixelà, Sabine Verheyen

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 7 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

(e) Engaging **with local authorities and support their role as policy and decision-makers to boost local**

Amendment

(e) Engaging **more effectively with citizens in third countries, including by making full use of economic, cultural,**

development and improved governance;

sport and public diplomacy;

Or. en

Amendment 140

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 7 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

(f) Engaging more effectively with citizens in third countries, including by making full use of economic, ***cultural*** and public diplomacy;

Amendment

(f) Engaging more effectively with citizens in third countries, including by making full use of economic and public diplomacy ***and cultural relations;***

Or. en

Amendment 141

Julie Ward, Krystyna Lybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part A – point 7 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

(f) Engaging more effectively with citizens in third countries, including by making full use of economic, cultural and public diplomacy;

Amendment

(f) Engaging more effectively with citizens in third countries, including by making full use of economic, cultural, ***sport*** and public diplomacy;

Or. en

Amendment 142

Santiago Fisas Aixelà, Sabine Verheyen

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – part B – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(c) Promoting a strengthened partnership with societies between the Union and the partner countries, including through people-to-people **contacts**;

(c) Promoting a strengthened partnership with societies between the Union and the partner countries, including through people-to-people **contact, in particular in relation to cultural, educational, professional and sporting activities.**

Or. en

Amendment 143

Julie Ward, Krystyna Łybacka, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Sylvie Guillaume

Proposal for a regulation Annex II – part B – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) Promoting a strengthened partnership with societies between the Union and the partner countries, including through people-to-people contacts;

Amendment

(c) Promoting a strengthened partnership with societies between the Union and the partner countries, including through people-to-people contacts, **in particular in relation to cultural, educational, professional and sporting activities;**

Or. en

Amendment 144

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) Promoting joint global efforts **for** inclusive and equitable quality education and training at all levels, including in emergency and crisis situations;

Amendment

(a) Promoting joint global efforts **to combat educational poverty and foster** inclusive and equitable quality education and training at all levels **and for all ages, especially for girls and boys**, including in emergency and crisis situations, **scaling up as provided for in the programme for access to education and education**

services;

Or. it

Amendment 145

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Isabella Adinolfi, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 2 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) Promoting joint global efforts for inclusive and equitable quality education and training at all levels, including in emergency and crisis situations;

Amendment

(a) Promoting joint global efforts for inclusive and equitable quality education and training at all levels ***and promote life-long learning opportunities for all,*** including in emergency and crisis situations;

Or. en

Amendment 146

Santiago Fisas Ayxelà, Sabine Verheyen

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 2 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(aa) Supporting actions, and promoting cooperation, in the area of sport to contribute to the empowerment of women and of young people, individuals and communities as well as to health, education and social inclusion objectives of the 2030 Agenda.

Or. en

Amendment 147

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans, Bogdan Andrzej Zdrojewski

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 2 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) Strengthening knowledge, skills and values through partnerships and alliances, for active citizenship and ***productive***, inclusive and resilient societies;

Amendment

(b) Strengthening knowledge, ***research and innovation***, skills and values through partnerships and alliances, for active citizenship and ***educated, democratic***, inclusive and resilient societies;

Or. en

Amendment 148

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 5 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

5a. Sport

a) Supporting cooperation and partnerships among sport organisations.

Or. en

Amendment 149

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 6 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) Promoting initiatives for cultural diversity ***and*** intercultural dialogue for peaceful inter-community relations;

(a) Promoting initiatives for cultural diversity, intercultural ***and interreligious*** dialogue for peaceful inter-community relations;

Or. en

Amendment 150

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 6 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) Supporting culture as an engine for sustainable social and economic development and reinforcing cooperation on cultural heritage.

Amendment

(b) Supporting culture ***and creative and artistic expression for their intrinsic value and*** as an engine for sustainable social, ***personal*** and economic development, and reinforcing cooperation on cultural heritage;

Or. en

Amendment 151

María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Julie Ward, Jill Evans

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 6 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) Supporting culture as an engine for sustainable social and economic development and reinforcing cooperation on cultural heritage.

Amendment

(b) Supporting culture as an engine for sustainable social and economic development and reinforcing cooperation on cultural heritage ***and contemporary arts and other cultural expressions.***

Or. en

Amendment 152

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 6 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ba) Supporting cultural cooperation with the EU, including through exchanges, partnerships and other initiatives involving local partners and civil society, jointly with European

cultural actors, sectors and institutions.

Or. en

Amendment 153

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 6 – point b b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(bb) Supporting the recognition of the professionalism of authors, artists and cultural and creative operators to develop inter-cultural dialogue, cultural and artistic innovation, social inclusion and to operate at an international level;

Or. en

Amendment 154

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 6 – point b c (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(bc) Reinforcing cooperation on safeguarding, conservation and enhancement of cultural heritage;

Or. en

Amendment 155

Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation

Annex III – point 4 – part A – point 6 – point b d (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(bd) Enhancing the transnational and international circulation, online and offline distribution, and theatrical distribution of European audiovisual works in the new digital environment;

Or. en

Amendment 156
Silvia Costa

Proposal for a regulation
Annex IV – point 3 – paragraph 2 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) promotion of widespread understanding and visibility of the Union and of its role on the world scene, by means of strategic communication, public diplomacy, people-to-people contacts, ***cultural diplomacy***, cooperation in educational and academic matters, and outreach activities to promote the Union's values and interests.

Amendment

(d) promotion of widespread understanding and visibility of the Union and of its role on the world scene, by means of strategic communication, public diplomacy, people-to-people contacts, ***culture in international relations***, cooperation in educational and academic matters, ***promotion of the European cultural heritage*** and outreach activities to promote the Union's values and interests.

Or. en