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AMENDMENTS

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Draft opinion
Hélène Flautre
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Amendment 1
Salvatore Iacolino

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

Draft opinion

1. Considers it essential that the EU *fulfil*, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the *aspirations of those who fought for democracy and human rights, including the right to mobility*;

Amendment

1. Considers it essential that the EU *facilitate*, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the *democratic transition process in its neighbouring countries, by supporting political, social and economic reforms aimed at establishing and consolidating social progress and equality in order to meet the needs and expectations of the inhabitants of those countries*;

Or. it

Amendment 2
Timothy Kirkhope
on behalf of the ECR Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

Draft opinion

1. Considers it essential that the EU *fulfil*, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy and human rights, *including the right to mobility*;

Amendment

1. Considers it essential that the EU *contributes*, through its revised neighbourhood policy, *to the realisation of the aspirations of those who fought and those who are still fighting* for democracy and human rights *in both the Southern and the Eastern Neighbourhoods*;

Or. en

Amendment 3
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

Draft opinion

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of *those who fought for democracy* and *human rights*, including *the* right to mobility;

Amendment

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the *democratic, political, economic, cultural and social* aspirations of *citizens* and *nationals of the states covered by the European Neighbourhood Policy (ENP)*, including *their* right to mobility *and free movement*;

Or. fr

Amendment 4
Antigoni Papadopoulou

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

Draft opinion

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the *aspirations* of those *who fought* for democracy and human rights, including the right to mobility;

Amendment

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the *hopes* of those *fighting* for democracy, *the rule of law, social justice* and human rights, including the right to mobility;

Or. el

Amendment 5
Mariya Nedelcheva

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

Draft opinion

1. Considers it essential that the EU *fulfil*, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy and human rights, *including the right to* mobility;

Amendment

1. Considers it essential that the EU *fully support*, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy and human rights; *points out, in this connection, that migration and*

mobility *are a key component of the new neighbourhood strategy*;

Or. fr

Amendment 6
Renate Weber, Cecilia Wikström

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

Draft opinion

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy and human rights, *including the right to mobility*;

Amendment

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy and human rights, *by providing not only humanitarian support but also assistance for political and economic reforms*;

Or. en

Amendment 7
Andreas Mölzer

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

Draft opinion

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy *and* human rights, *including the right to mobility*;

Amendment

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy, human rights *and economic renewal in the area*;

Or. de

Amendment 8
Kinga Göncz

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1

Draft opinion

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy and human rights, including the right to mobility;

Amendment

1. Considers it essential that the EU fulfil, through its revised neighbourhood policy, the aspirations of those who fought for democracy and human rights, including the right to mobility; ***and provides further support in the democratisation process, in particular promoting fundamental rights, the rule of law, independence of judiciary, free and fair elections and the freedom of expression;***

Or. en

Amendment 9
Salvatore Iacolino

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1a. Reiterates that the EU's neighbourhood policy is based on the values of democracy, the rule of law, respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, and on women's rights, the market economy and sustainable development;

Or. it

Amendment 10
Sylvie Guillaume

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1a. Takes the view that the new

neighbourhood policy should help to remove the obstacles to physical access to the EU which are too often faced by those in need of protection, making them even more vulnerable and potentially delivering them into the hands of networks of smugglers;

Or. fr

Amendment 11
Sylvie Guillaume

Draft opinion
Paragraph 1 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1b. Recalls, in this connection, that the Member States must uphold the principle of ‘non-refoulement’ and make every effort to facilitate the development of an accessible, fair and protective EU asylum system;

Or. fr

Amendment 12
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2

Draft opinion

Amendment

2. Believes that the review of the ENP creates an opportunity for the EU to effectively carry out its obligations as laid down in Articles 2, 3, 6, 8 and 21 of the TEU;

2. Believes that the review of the ENP creates an opportunity for the EU to effectively carry out its obligations as laid down in Articles 2, 3, 6, 8 and 21 of the TEU *and to modify all aspects of its relations with the ENP countries – including the economic and social dimensions – accordingly, with a view to facilitating democratisation and the success of the ENP in those countries and*

the implementation of more humane migration policies consistent with the international standards the EU has agreed upon with those countries;

Or. fr

Amendment 13

Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion

Paragraph 2 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

2a. Expresses disappointment at the continued adoption in the EU countries of an approach consisting in outsourcing the management of immigration to the EU to third countries, in particular those on the southern shore of the Mediterranean;

Or. fr

Amendment 14

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Simon Busuttil

Draft opinion

Paragraph 2 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

2a. Believes that, to support the recent developments towards democratic reforms and civil liberties in North Africa and the Mediterranean region, the EU should further open its market, starting with Egypt, Tunisia and the Transitional National Council of Libya;

Or. en

Amendment 15
Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Simon Busuttil

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

2b. Takes the view that, in order to concretely support the aspirations for freedom in North Africa and the Mediterranean region, the EU should at the same time consider engaging a dialogue to encourage these countries to strengthen their regional relations, with the goal of removing obstacles to freedom of movement for people, goods and services among themselves;

Or. en

Amendment 16
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

2b. Deplores the fact that the new neighbourhood strategy proposed by the Commission continues to be based on the principle of making access to closer cooperation in other areas conditional on effective action to combat illegal immigration, inter alia through re-entry agreements that also apply to third country nationals;

Or. fr

Amendment 17
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2 c (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

2c. Expresses disappointment, therefore, at the discrepancy between, on the one hand, the EU's statements of intent concerning the promotion of democracy and human rights in neighbouring countries and, on the other, the way in which these aspects are addressed in the context of migration policy; calls, therefore, for the EU to act on its statements about human rights and democracy by making the promotion of, and respect for, migrants' rights a key focus of the strategy it intends to develop with its neighbourhood partners, in particular those in the south;

Or. fr

Amendment 18
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 2 d (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

2d. Agrees with the Commission's observations concerning the situation with regard to migration for family reasons, and calls on it to present a Green Paper on the subject by the end of the year;

Or. fr

Amendment 19
Andreas Mølzer

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3

Draft opinion

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility **and progress towards visa liberalisation beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups**; and to *evaluate* the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Amendment

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility, **particularly with a view to strengthening the borders of the European Union and its neighbouring states against illegal immigration**; and to *examine* the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, **a strict immigration policy**, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Or. de

Amendment 20
Mariya Nedelcheva

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3

Draft opinion

3. ***Calls*** on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and ***progress*** towards visa liberalisation ***beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups***; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Amendment

3. ***Notes that the brain drain is a genuine threat to partner countries***; ***calls*** on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility, ***to ease visa formalities for certain ENP partner countries*** and ***to move*** towards visa liberalisation for ***the most advanced partners***; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Or. fr

Amendment 21
Renate Weber, Cecilia Wikström

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3

Draft opinion

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and progress towards visa liberalisation **beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups**; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Amendment

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and progress towards visa liberalisation; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Or. en

Amendment 22
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3

Draft opinion

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and progress towards visa liberalisation beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Amendment

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and progress towards visa liberalisation beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the **adverse effects of the** interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Or. fr

Amendment 23
Antigoni Papadopoulou

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3

Draft opinion

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and progress towards visa liberalisation beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Amendment

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and progress towards visa liberalisation beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, ***security***, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Or. el

Amendment 24
Carmen Romero López

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3

Draft opinion

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and progress towards visa liberalisation beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration;

Amendment

3. Calls on the Council and the Commission to set up a structured dialogue with third country authorities in order to develop a win-win approach to mobility and progress towards visa liberalisation beyond a visa facilitation only for targeted groups; and to evaluate the existing mobility partnerships, particularly the interdependence between development aid, regular migration and irregular migration as defined in the Global Approach to Migration; ***emphasises in this connection the need for the Seasonal Workers Directive to effectively safeguard***

immigrants' rights and their working on an equal footing, so as to encourage the movement of workers from neighbouring countries and act as a disincentive to unofficial immigration;

Or. es

Amendment 25
Hélène Flautre
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3a. Calls on the Council and the Commission to give thorough consideration to the serious doubts raised by the Commission in its communication entitled 'Evaluation of EU Readmission Agreements' as regards respect for fundamental rights in the implementation of such agreements, by adopting a moratorium on the relevant negotiations;

Or. fr

Amendment 26
Dimitrios Droutsas

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3a. Calls on the Commission and the Council to conclude mobility agreements with third countries in a spirit of reciprocity, specifically when concluding agreements dealing with the return or re-integration of irregular migrants;

Or. en

Amendment 27
Ioan Enciu

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3a. Expresses support for the Commission initiative (COM(2011) 292 final) to establish mobility partnerships with the countries of the southern Mediterranean and considers that these should focus on the conclusion of agreements on readmission and voluntary returns, improving cooperation with Frontex and combating organised crime, including the trafficking of human beings; calls similarly on the Commission to assess the possibility of extending such partnerships to also include the other third countries neighbouring the EU;

Or. ro

Amendment 28
Mariya Nedelcheva, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3a. Takes the view that the prevention of illegal immigration and trafficking in human beings and the fight against organised crime and illegal trafficking of migrants call for specific measures in the context of mobility partnerships; maintains, therefore, that coordinated border management, the adoption of international protection measures in the region – such as asylum – and effective cooperation between police forces are

inherently interlinked;

Or. fr

Amendment 29
Antigoni Papadopoulou

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3a Stresses that the establishment of partnership arrangements for mobility under the revised neighbourhood policy is a means of encouraging the controlled ingress of people from countries which were traditionally a source of illegal immigration;

Or. el

Amendment 30
Mariya Nedelcheva, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3b. Calls on the Member States to make greater use of the opportunities offered by the EU Visa Code, inter alia with a view to facilitating mobility among students and researchers;

Or. fr

Amendment 31
Dimitrios Droutsas

Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3b. Believes that mobility agreements should focus particularly on enhancing mobility for students, university teachers and researchers, paying special attention in avoiding the repercussions of the phenomenon of brain drain for third countries;

Or. en

**Amendment 32
Antigoni Papadopoulou**

**Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 b (new)**

Draft opinion

Amendment

3b Stresses the need to improve the ability of the EU to attract and maintain a highly qualified workforce, while at the same time limiting the 'brain drain' and simultaneously resolving the problem of the progressively ageing EU population with all this implies with regard to employment;

Or. el

**Amendment 33
Antigoni Papadopoulou**

**Draft opinion
Paragraph 3 c (new)**

Draft opinion

Amendment

3c Welcomes the implementation of reforms and cooperation with third-country authorities in the fields of justice and security, particularly with a view to combating trafficking in humans,

organised crime, smuggling and money laundering;

Or. el

Amendment 34
Renate Weber

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4

Draft opinion

Amendment

4. Calls on the Member States and the EU to ratify the UN Migrant Workers Convention; **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 35
Timothy Kirkhope
on behalf of the ECR Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4

Draft opinion

Amendment

4. Calls on the Member States and the EU to ratify the UN Migrant Workers Convention; **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 36
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4

Draft opinion

Amendment

4. Calls on the Member States and the EU

4. Calls on the Member States and the EU

to ratify the UN *Migrant Workers* Convention;

to ratify the UN Convention *on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, which has been ratified by the south Mediterranean countries;*

Or. fr

Amendment 37
Cecilia Wikström

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4

Draft opinion

4. Calls on the Member States and the EU to ratify the UN Migrant Workers Convention;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Member States and the EU to ratify the UN Migrant Workers Convention *and the Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime;*

Or. en

Amendment 38
Rolandas Paksas

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4

Draft opinion

4. Calls on the Member States and the EU to ratify the UN Migrant Workers Convention;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Member States and the EU to ratify the UN Migrant Workers Convention; *emphasises that mobility and interpersonal contact are essential in order to promote mutual understanding, economic growth, exchanges of ideas and the establishment of sound relationships between businesses, universities and civil society organisations;*

Amendment 39
Sylvie Guillaume

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4a. Takes the view that it is essential, as part of a coherent long-term strategy, to analyse the deep-rooted causes of migration flows in order to arrive at more appropriate responses in relation to the right to mobility;

Or. fr

Amendment 40
Timothy Kirkhope
on behalf of the ECR Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 41
Andreas Mølzer

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the

channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at *protecting migrants' rights*;

channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at *encouraging the return of migrants to their countries of origin*;

Or. de

Amendment 42
Renate Weber, Cecilia Wikström

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to *favour* the *channelling* of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to *facilitate* the *accessibility* of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights; *supports the EC Thematic Programme "Cooperation with Third Countries in the areas of Migration and Asylum" - 2011-2013 Multi-Annual Strategy Paper*;

Or. en

Amendment 43
Kinga Göncz

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to *favour the channelling of EU funds to* projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to *provide adequate funds for* projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights, *ensuring fair reception conditions and educating on human rights issues*;

Or. en

Amendment 44
Hélène Flautre
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. *Calls* on the Commission to *favour the* channelling *of* EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. *Asks the Commission to provide Parliament with a detailed report on the use of EU funds earmarked for neighbouring countries; calls* on the Commission to *give priority to* channelling EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Or. fr

Amendment 45
Dimitrios Droutsas

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to *favour* the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to *continue and strengthen* the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Or. en

Amendment 46
Mariya Nedelcheva

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at *protecting migrants'* rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at *informing migrants of their* rights;

Or. fr

Amendment 47
Salvatore Iacolino

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at **protecting** migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at **providing accurate information on** migrants' rights **and responsibilities**;

Or. it

Amendment 48
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights, **and more generally – in conjunction with other EU bodies, in particular the European funding and investment organisations (such as the EIB and the EBRD) – to projects seeking to promote democratisation, economic growth and cultural and social development in the ENP countries**;

Or. fr

Amendment 49
Antigoni Papadopoulou

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights, ***particularly the rights of women at the workplace, focusing on the prevention of all forms of discrimination;***

Or. el

Amendment 50
Rolandas Paksas

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights; ***calls on partner countries to mobilise more of their domestic resources and to involve civil society and business representatives in project implementation, thereby giving them a greater sense of responsibility with a view to obtaining positive results;***

Or. lt

Amendment 51
Cecilia Wikström

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5

Draft opinion

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission to favour the channelling of EU funds to projects aimed at protecting migrants' rights, ***especially the rights of unaccompanied minors;***

Amendment 52
Sylvie Guillaume

Draft opinion
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

5a. Calls on the Commission, in the wake of the migration flows observed during the Arab Spring, to clarify the precise circumstances in which Member States subject to a 'disproportionate influx of displaced persons' could avail themselves of the provisions of Directive 2001/55/EC on minimum standards for giving temporary protection in the event of a mass influx of displaced persons;

Or. fr

Amendment 53
Renate Weber, Cecilia Wikström

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6

Draft opinion

Amendment

6. Strongly supports the partnership with societies approach and thus calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative to ***develop mechanisms to ensure its full application, in particular by setting up a monitoring mechanism involving civil society in the definition of objectives and benchmarks and in the implementation and monitoring of all agreements with partners***; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all

6. Strongly supports the partnership with societies approach and thus calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative to ***apply it to the full*** by involving ***and consulting*** civil society; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all mechanisms and dialogues on migration;

mechanisms and dialogues on migration;

Or. en

Amendment 54

Timothy Kirkhope

on behalf of the ECR Group

Draft opinion

Paragraph 6

Draft opinion

6. Strongly supports the partnership with societies approach and thus calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative to develop mechanisms to ensure its full application, in particular by ***setting up a monitoring mechanism*** involving civil society ***in the definition of objectives and benchmarks and in the implementation and monitoring of all agreements with partners***; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all mechanisms and dialogues on migration;

Amendment

6. Strongly supports the partnership with societies approach and thus calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative to develop mechanisms to ensure its full application, in particular by involving civil society, by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments, and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all mechanisms and dialogues on migration;

Or. en

Amendment 55

Rolandas Paksas

Draft opinion

Paragraph 6

Draft opinion

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involving civil society in the definition of objectives and benchmarks and in the implementation and monitoring of all agreements with partners; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all mechanisms and dialogues on migration;

involving civil society in the definition of objectives and benchmarks and in the implementation and monitoring of all agreements with partners; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all mechanisms and dialogues on migration ***and effective management of migration flows***;

Or. It

Amendment 56

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Simon Busuttil

Draft opinion

Paragraph 6

Draft opinion

6. Strongly supports the partnership with societies approach and thus calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative to develop mechanisms to ensure its full application, in particular by setting up a ***monitoring*** mechanism involving civil society in the definition of objectives and benchmarks and in the implementation and monitoring of all agreements with partners; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all mechanisms and dialogues on migration;

Amendment

6. Strongly supports the partnership with societies approach and thus calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative to develop mechanisms to ensure its full application, in particular by setting up a ***consultation*** mechanism involving civil society in the definition of objectives and benchmarks and in the implementation and monitoring of all agreements with partners, ***where appropriate***; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all mechanisms and dialogues on migration;

Or. en

Amendment 57

Hélène Flautre

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6

Draft opinion

6. Strongly supports the partnership with societies approach and thus calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative to develop mechanisms to ensure its full application, in particular by setting up a monitoring mechanism involving civil society in the definition of objectives and **benchmarks** and in the implementation and monitoring of all agreements with partners; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all **mechanisms** and **dialogues** on migration;

Amendment

6. Strongly supports the partnership with societies approach and thus calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative to develop mechanisms to ensure its full application, in particular by setting up a monitoring mechanism involving civil society in the definition of objectives and **criteria** and in the implementation and monitoring of all agreements with partners; by maintaining a transparent dialogue on JHA matters with democratically elected authorities and national parliaments; and by increasing the democratic scrutiny of the EP in all **dialogues** and **agreements** on migration;

Or. fr

Amendment 58
Hélène Flautre
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6a. Recalls that, according to the mandate of the Frontex agency, Parliament must be fully informed as soon as possible of agreements concluded between that agency and the authorities of third countries;

Or. fr

Amendment 59
Antigoni Papadopoulou

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6a. Calls on the Commission for a prompt and more flexible response with less bureaucracy and avoiding obstructionism when it comes to mobilising funds for the administration of urgent humanitarian aid to third countries;

Or. el

Amendment 60
Salvatore Iacolino

Draft opinion
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

6a. Considers that the review of the neighbourhood policy must facilitate the conclusion of agreements with third countries aimed at regulating migratory flows and stemming illegal migration and the readmission of third country nationals who did not satisfy the requirements for entry to, or presence or residence in, the territory of the Member States;

Or. it

Amendment 61
Timothy Kirkhope
on behalf of the ECR Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee

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crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Or. en

Amendment 62
Renate Weber

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to *urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking* without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to **unblock** without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Or. en

Amendment 63
Salvatore Iacolino

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by ***conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya***, providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Or. it

Amendment 64
Mariya Nedelcheva

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, ***providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya***, providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Or. fr

Amendment 65
Andreas Mölzer

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by **conducting an enquiry into** the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, **condemning** the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, **and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme.**

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by **taking systematic measures to halt illegal immigration, which would prevent** shipwrecks of boat people, **as well as putting an end to people trafficking, with its cynical and dangerous disregard for human life, by depriving it of its commercial lifeblood,** providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, **treating** the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya **as a possible point of departure for other European initiatives along these lines,** providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon **for the development of effective border controls,** in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor.

Or. de

Amendment 66
Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Marie-Christine Vergiat, Cornelia Ernst

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, **providing** the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, **condemning** the

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, **related cases of failure to lend assistance at sea, the problems encountered by NATO ships in**

agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, **providing** support to Egypt, Tunisia, **Turkey and Lebanon**, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and **unblocking** without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

disembarking shipwrecked migrants and the virtually systematic ‘refoulement’ of migrants to Tunisia, to work in cooperation with the Commissioner for Human Rights of the Council of Europe’s Parliamentary Assembly, to provide the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, **to condemn** the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, **to ask the Italian Government for the text of the agreement concluded with the Tunisian Government, to provide** support to **the countries concerned, including** Egypt **and** Tunisia, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and **to unblock** without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Or. fr

Amendment 67
Cecilia Wikström

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, **providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by** exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Or. en

Amendment 68
Antigoni Papadopoulou

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, providing support to Egypt, Tunisia, **Turkey** and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council, **in cooperation with the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Refugees**, to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, providing support to Egypt, Tunisia and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Or. el

Amendment 69
Hélène Flautre
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7

Draft opinion

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, providing support to

Amendment

7. Calls on the Commission and the Council to urgently address the refugee crisis by conducting an enquiry into the shipwrecks of boat people, providing the EP with a detailed report on the Frontex Hermes operation, condemning the agreement concluded between the Italian authorities and the Transitional National Council of Libya, providing support to

Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Libya, Egypt, Tunisia, Turkey and Lebanon, in particular by exploring the possibility of setting up a humanitarian corridor, and unblocking without delay the negotiations on the Joint EU Resettlement Programme;

Or. fr

Amendment 70

Hélène Flautre

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Draft opinion

Paragraph 7 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

7a. Calls on the Member States, in partnership with the UNHCR, to resettle refugees having fled Libya who are still stuck in camps on the Tunisian and Egyptian borders, and whose lives would be endangered by a return to Libya on account of the atrocities being committed against sub-Saharan peoples, who are assumed to be pro-Gaddafi mercenaries;

Or. fr

Amendment 71

Timothy Kirkhope

on behalf of the ECR Group

Draft opinion

Paragraph 7 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

7a. Calls on the Commission and the Council, in order to prevent and to deal with the suffering of refugees and irregular migrants, to provide assistance to neighbouring countries, but also to swiftly proceed with the work on or the

implementation of legislative files such as the revision of the FRONTEX mandate, a Schengen Evaluation Mechanism, readmission agreements, EURODAC and minimum standards for the reception of asylum seekers;

Or. en

Amendment 72
Carmen Romero López

Draft opinion
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

7a. Calls on the Commission and Council to launch, in tandem with Parliament, an in-depth debate on management of the external borders that reflects, in particular, the new situation in the countries of the southern Mediterranean and provides a fitting response to the humanitarian needs and democratic expectations of those countries; considers that this will require a rethink of the role of the European agencies competent for such matters, and especially that of Frontex;

Or. es