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COMPROMISE AMENDMENTS

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Draft opinion

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the situation in the Mediterranean and the need for a holistic EU approach to migration
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Amendment 1

Malin Björk, Julie Ward, Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody

Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 16, 31

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Recital Aa (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

Aa. whereas child asylum seekers travel more often with women than men, and also face unique challenges which make them especially vulnerable in conflict, on their journey to Europe, and as they are received by Member States;

Or. en

Amendment 2

Angelika Mlinar, Daniela Aiuto

Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 21, 24

Draft opinion

Recital Ba (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

Ba. whereas assistance arrangements must also include special care services for pregnant women and women with severe health problems; whereas in some countries even when available, migrant women do not always have access to prenatal care;

Or. en

Amendment 3

Malin Björk, Angelika Mlinar, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Barbara Matera, Elissavet Vozemberg, Mariya Gabriel, Milan Zver, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Alessandra Mussolini, Constance Le Grip, Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward

Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 17, 27, 28, 29

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Recital C

Draft opinion

C. whereas ***there exist disparities*** across ***the*** Member States in the treatment of women seeking asylum and a holistic EU approach to asylum and immigration must ensure that consistent and gender-sensitive procedures are in place;

Amendment

C. whereas ***there is a great degree of gender inequality*** across Member States in the treatment of women ***and girls*** seeking asylum and a holistic EU approach to asylum and immigration must ensure that consistent and gender-sensitive procedures, ***guidelines and support services in the asylum process*** are in place;

Or. en

Amendment 4

Daniela Aiuto, Angelika Mlinar, Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward
Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 11, 23, 32

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Recital Ca (new)

Draft opinion

Ca. whereas organised criminal groups are taking advantage of the current volatile situation in the Mediterranean and the MENA region and the vulnerability of women and girls as they seek safety to exploit them through smuggling, sexual violence and trafficking for labour, prostitution and sexual exploitation;

Or. en

Amendment 5

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Barbara Matera, Elissavet Vozemberg, Mariya Gabriel, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Alessandra Mussolini, Constance Le Grip, Viorica Dăncilă, Daniela Aiuto, Anna Hedh, Mary Honeyball
Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 37, 40, 41 and 42

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Paragraph 1

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1. Emphasises ***that***, regardless of legal status, decisions to detain should take

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1. Emphasises ***and acknowledges***, regardless of legal status, ***the importance***

account *of past histories of* trauma including experiences of sexual violence, and that the needs of pregnant women are more appropriately accommodated in tailored facilities;

of developing a holistic approach to migration from a gender equality standpoint and considers that decisions to detain should take *into* account *if women have undergone* trauma *or forms of gender based violence including FGM*, and that the needs of pregnant women are more appropriately accommodated in tailored facilities *where privacy for individuals is ensured and with qualified staff trained to deal with such situations; stresses that girls and boys should never be detained because of their status of migrants;*

Or. en

Amendment 6

Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Malin Björk

Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 46, 52

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Paragraph 1a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1a. Calls on the EU Member States to ensure that asylum procedures (including at borders) comply with UNHCR's guidelines on gender-related persecution within the context of the 1951 Refugee Convention calling for a gender-sensitive interpretation of the Convention and determination of grounds for refugee or asylum claims;

Or. en

Amendment 7

Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Barbara Matera, Elissavet Vozemberg, Mariya Gabriel, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Alessandra Mussolini, Milan Zver, Constance Le Grip, Jordi Sebastià

Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 55, 80, 117

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Paragraph 1b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1b. Expresses deep concern at the level of people smuggling which is exacerbating the current crisis and forcing vulnerable people, including women, girls and children, into inhumane and life-threatening travelling conditions; notes that, in practice, the distinction between smuggling and trafficking can become blurred when people become victims of violence and exploitation; calls therefore on Member States to increase their police and judicial cooperation against the criminal organisations behind trafficking and smuggling;

Or. en

Amendment 8
Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Malin Björk
Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 57 and 60

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Paragraph 1c (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

1c. Stresses the importance of creating safe and legal routes into the EU; believes this will help ensure women migrants, refugees and asylum seekers do not have to resort to smuggling networks and have full access to their basic fundamental rights;

Or. en

Amendment 9
Malin Björk, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Mary Honeyball, Daniela Aiuto
Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 54, 58, 74 and 82

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Paragraph 3a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3a. Calls for extra consideration to be given to the needs of migrant and refugee mothers traveling with children, both their own and orphaned children, by ensuring the provision of safe access to food, water, shelter, changing facilities, appropriate medicine, sanitation and other needs at all stages of traveling and after arrival; calls on the member States to recognise independent legal status for female asylum seekers and migrants who have entered the European Union in the context of family reunification, in order to avoid exploitation, decrease vulnerability, and achieve greater equality;

Or. en

Amendment 10
Daniela Aiuto, Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward
Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 67, 71

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Paragraph 3b (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

3b. Believes that victims and those at risk of child, early and forced marriage also in countries of arrival should be given vulnerable person status;

Or. en

Amendment 11
Barbara Matera, Daniela Aiuto, Mary Honeyball
Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 90, 91

Draft opinion
Paragraph 4a (new)

Draft opinion

Amendment

4a. Calls on the EU to take greater responsibility for resolving the humanitarian emergency affecting also migrant women and girls, through an holistic approach including a binding mechanism of relocation of refugees among Member States, with a particular attention to the needs of pregnant women, women with disabilities, victims of violence, including FGM, single mothers, older women and girls;

Or. en

Amendment 12

Malin Björk, Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Anna Hedh

Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 105, 106, 109

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Paragraph 5

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5. **Encourages** the UNHCR **to** ensure that the highest possible standards are in place for recruitment and that training **which promotes a gender-based approach is provided** for all staff.

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5. **Recommends that all legitimate and relevant organisations such as the UNHCR, FRONTEX, the EASO, the IOM, NGO and the Member States** ensure the highest possible standards for recruitment **of female staff at all facilities** and that **gender-based** training is **mandatory** for all staff **in order to gender mainstream all operations and programmes that focus on movements of refugees and on asylum processes.**

Or. en

Amendment 13

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Barbara Matera, Elissavet Vozemberg, Mariya Gabriel, Milan Zver, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Alessandra Mussolini, Constance Le Grip, Angelika Mlinar, Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward

Compromise amendment replacing Amendments 78, 110, 111

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Paragraph 5a (new)

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Amendment

5a. Urges all the Member States to sign and ratify the Council of Europe Convention on Preventing and Combating Violence against Women and Domestic Violence (the Istanbul Convention) to ensure protection of migrant women and girls from violence and to apply Article 59 thereof, which clearly states that the Parties should take the necessary measures to suspend expulsion proceedings and/or to grant an autonomous residence permit in the event of a dissolution of marriage to those women migrants whose residence status depends on their spouse.

Or. en