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Amendment 1
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Citation 7

Motion for a resolution

- having regard to the Presidency conclusions adopted by the European Council at Santa Maria de Feira on 20 June 2000 and at Göteborg on 16 June 2001, to the EU Programme for the Prevention of Violent Conflicts also adopted at Göteborg on 16 June 2001, to the Civilian Headline Goal 2008, approved by the European Council on 17 December 2004, and to the Civilian Headline Goal 2010, approved by the Council on 19 November 2007,

Amendment

- having regard to the Presidency conclusions adopted by the European Council at Santa Maria de Feira on 20 June 2000 and at Göteborg on 16 June 2001, to the EU Programme for the Prevention of Violent Conflicts also adopted at Göteborg on 16 June 2001, to the Civilian Headline Goal 2008, approved by the European Council on 17 December 2004, and to the Civilian Headline Goal 2010, approved by the Council on 19 November 2007, ***the operational paper Implementation of UNSCR 1325 as reinforced by UNSCR 1820 in the context of ESDP approved by the Council on 3 December 2008; the Council guidelines on 'Mainstreaming Human Rights into ESDP' adopted on 14 September 2006,***

Or.en

Amendment 2
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Citation 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

- having regard to the Council conclusions of 30 November 2009 on strengthening chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear (CBRN) security in the European Union and approving an EU CBRN Action Plan,

Amendment 3
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Citation 8 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to its resolution of 10 February 2010 on the recent earthquake in Haiti, which calls for the establishment of an EU Civil Protection Force,

Or.en

Amendment 4
Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

Motion for a resolution
Citation 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the 2006 Barnier report on the creation of a European Civil Protection Force,

Or.es

Amendment 5
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1. Recalls that the EU has committed itself to defining and pursuing common policies and actions to preserve peace, prevent conflicts and strengthen international security, to consolidate and support democracy, the rule of law, human rights

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and the principles of international law, and to assist populations facing natural or man-made disasters;

democracy, the rule of law, human rights and the principles of international law, and to assist populations facing natural or man-made disasters;

Or.en

Amendment 6

Kyriakos Mavronikolas, Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Recalls that the EU has committed itself to defining and pursuing common policies and actions to preserve peace, prevent conflicts and strengthen international security, to consolidate and support democracy, the rule of law, human rights and the principles of international law, and to assist populations facing natural or man-made disasters;

Amendment

1. Recalls that the EU has committed itself to defining and pursuing common policies and actions to preserve peace, prevent conflicts and strengthen international security ***in accordance with the principles of the UN Charter, as well as*** to consolidate and support democracy, the rule of law, human rights and the principles of international law, and to assist populations facing natural or man-made disasters;

Or.en

Amendment 7

Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Points out that internal and external security are increasingly intertwined and that, by developing its crisis-management and peace-building ***capabilities*** in line with the above objectives, the EU helps to safeguard the security of its own citizens;

Amendment

2. Points out that internal and external security are increasingly intertwined and that, by developing its ***effective*** crisis-management and peace-building ***initiatives*** in line with the above objectives, the EU helps to safeguard the security of its own citizens;

Or.en

Amendment 8
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Points out that internal and external security are increasingly intertwined and that, by developing its crisis-management and peace-building capabilities in line with the above objectives, the EU helps to safeguard the security of its own citizens;

Amendment

2. Points out that internal and external security are increasingly intertwined and that, by developing its crisis-management, ***conflict prevention*** and peace-building ***policies and*** capabilities in line with the above objectives, the EU helps to safeguard the security of its own citizens ***and to promote peace and security worldwide in line with the Charter of the United Nations;***

Or.en

Amendment 9
Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

2a. Notes that the year 2010 is a benchmark date for both the military and the civilian headline goal of the EU and that a discussion is already underway on their follow-on and on how to bridge the two capability development processes;

Or.en

Amendment 10
Kyriakos Mavronikolas, Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2b. Underlines that the EU, mainly through its civilian crisis management, offers a distinct contribution to global security, reflecting its core values and principles;

Or.en

Amendment 11
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3. Stresses that present-day crises and security threats can rarely be considered from a purely military or civilian viewpoint, and that effective responses to these situations and threats need to be able to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value;

deleted

Or.en

Amendment 12
Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

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these situations and threats *need to be able to draw on both* civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value;

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Or.en

Amendment 13
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

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Amendment

3. Stresses that present-day crises and security threats can rarely be considered from a purely military or civilian *perspectives*, and that effective responses to these situations and threats need to be able to draw on both *with effective* civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value;

Or.en

Amendment 14
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

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to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; *recalls* that the *development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value*;

to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; *stresses* that the EU *should focus on developing its civilian capacities rather than developing a military capacity which already exists under NATO*;

Or.en

Amendment 15
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

3. Stresses that present-day crises and security threats can rarely be considered from a purely military or civilian viewpoint, and that effective responses to these situations and threats need to be able to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its *combined military and* civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value;

Or.en

Amendment 16
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
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to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value;

to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value; ***reminds that CSDP is just one of many tools available and that CSDP missions should be used as part of a broader EU strategy; recalls that while 16 out of 24 CSDP missions are of civilian nature, 7 have been military and only one of civil-military nature, current Council and future EEAS organs for CSDP are imbalanced in terms of staffing because they are dominated by personnel with military expertise; recalls that conflict prevention in the sense of the 2001 Goteborg Program is the most cost-effective policy strategy towards inter and intra-state conflicts and that not even half a dozen personnel is explicitly working in this field within Council and Commission and in the future EEAS;***

Or.en

Amendment 17

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen; Charles Goerens

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

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3. Stresses that present-day crises and security threats ***can rarely*** be considered from a ***purely*** military or ***civilian*** viewpoint, and that effective responses to these situations and threats need to be able to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value;

Amendment

3. Stresses that present-day crises and security threats ***are complex, and should*** be considered from a ***civilian, military or a combined civil-military*** viewpoint, and that effective responses to these situations and threats need to be able to draw on both civilian and military capabilities ***as dictated by the situation***; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and

represent its core added value;

Or.en

Amendment 18

Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Stresses that present-day crises and security threats can rarely be considered from a purely military or civilian viewpoint, and that effective responses to *these situations* and threats need to be able to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value;

Amendment

3. Stresses that present-day crises and security threats can rarely be considered from a purely military or civilian viewpoint, and that effective responses to *natural or intentionally provoked disasters* and threats need to be able to draw on both civilian and military capabilities; recalls that the development of the EU's comprehensive approach and of its civilian crisis-management capabilities have been distinctive features of the CSDP and represent its core added value;

Or.en

Amendment 19

Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3a. Points out that, to increase the effectiveness of EU missions, it is necessary to improve coordination and cooperation between all involved and that efforts to achieve civilian and military interaction can play a key part in peacekeeping, humanitarian assistance, public safety or reconstruction operations following armed conflicts or natural disasters;

Amendment 20
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3b. Civil-military cooperation involves the incalculable risk of civilians being used to achieve military objectives with far-reaching consequences: in the eyes of the local populace they forfeit their neutral and purely humanitarian status; for this reason, civil and military operations should remain strictly separate in every area;

Or.de

Amendment 21
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4. Points out that the concept of civilian-military cooperation can be interpreted in a number of ways and understood to cover a wide range of topics, including cooperation between the military and non-governmental organisations, but that, for the sake of clarity, the scope of this resolution is limited to the institutional coordination of EU civilian and military assets and to the building of EU civilian and military capabilities for effective crisis management;

deleted

Or.en

Amendment 22
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

4. Points out that the concept of civilian-military cooperation can be interpreted in a number of ways and understood to cover a wide range of topics, including cooperation between the military and non-governmental organisations, but that, for the sake of clarity, the scope of this resolution is limited to the **strengthening of** institutional coordination of EU civilian and military assets and to the building of EU civilian and military capabilities for effective crisis management;

Or.en

Amendment 23
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

4. Points out that the concept of civilian-military cooperation can be interpreted in a number of ways and understood to cover a wide range of topics, including cooperation between the military and non-governmental organisations, but that, for the sake of clarity, the scope of this resolution is limited to the institutional coordination of EU civilian assets and to the building of EU civilian capabilities for effective crisis management;

Or.en

Amendment 24
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Points out that the concept of civilian-military cooperation can be interpreted in a number of ways and understood to cover a wide range of topics, including cooperation between the military and non-governmental organisations, but that, for the sake of clarity, the scope of this resolution is limited to the institutional coordination of EU civilian and military assets and to the building of EU civilian and military capabilities for effective crisis management;

Amendment

4. Points out that the concept of civilian-military cooperation can be interpreted in a number of ways and understood to cover a wide range of topics, including cooperation between the military and non-governmental organisations, but that, for the sake of clarity, the scope of this resolution is limited to the institutional coordination of EU civilian and military assets and to the building of EU civilian and military capabilities for effective crisis management; ***in that line recalls the successful development of the Peacebuilding Partnership between DG RELEX and non-governmental organisations; and that good cooperation between non-governmental, civil society organisations and the future EEAS is of crucial importance;***

Or.en

Amendment 25
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Points out that the concept of civilian-military cooperation can be interpreted in a number of ways and understood to cover a wide range of topics, including cooperation between the military and non-governmental organisations, but that, for the sake of clarity, the scope of this resolution ***is limited to*** the institutional coordination of EU civilian and military

Amendment

4. Points out that the concept of civilian-military cooperation can be interpreted in a number of ways and understood to cover a wide range of topics, including cooperation between the military and non-governmental organisations, but that, for the sake of clarity, the scope of this resolution ***focuses on*** the institutional coordination of EU civilian and military

assets and to the building of EU civilian and military capabilities for effective crisis management;

assets and to the building of EU civilian and military capabilities for effective crisis management;

Or.en

Amendment 26
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Recalls the need for an EU White Paper on security and defence which would define the Union's security and defence objectives and interests more clearly in relation to the means and resources available; emphasises that the White Paper should also define areas in which, and conditions under which, greater civilian-military cooperation is desirable to help achieve those objectives;

Amendment

5. Recalls the need for an EU White Paper on security and defence which would define the Union's security and defence objectives and interests more clearly in relation to the means and resources available ***as well as explicit criteria for the deployment of civilian, military and combined civilian-military CSDP missions***; emphasises that the White Paper should also define areas in which, and conditions under which, greater civilian-military cooperation is desirable to help achieve those objectives;

Or.en

Amendment 27
Andrew Duff

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Recalls the need for an EU White Paper on security and defence which would define the Union's security and defence objectives and interests more clearly in relation to the means and resources available; emphasises that the White Paper should also define areas in which, and conditions under which, greater civilian-

Amendment

5. Recalls the need for an EU White Paper on security and defence, ***based on systematic and rigorous security and defence reviews conducted by the States according to common criteria and timetable***, which would define the Union's security and defence objectives and interests more clearly in relation to the

military cooperation is desirable to help achieve those objectives;

means and resources available; emphasises that the White Paper should also define areas in which, and conditions under which, greater civilian-military cooperation is desirable to help achieve those objectives; ***the EU White Paper should identify explicitly opportunities for the pooling of the resources at EU level, as well as national specialization and capability harmonization, in order to achieve large economies of scale;***

Or.en

Amendment 28
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Recalls the need for an EU White Paper on security and defence which would define the Union's security and defence objectives and ***interests*** more clearly in relation to the means and resources available; emphasises that the White Paper should also define areas in which, and conditions under which, greater civilian-military cooperation is desirable to help achieve those objectives;

Amendment

5. Recalls the need for an EU White Paper on security and defence which would define the Union's security and defence objectives and ***needs*** more clearly in relation to the means and resources available; emphasises that the White Paper should also define areas in which, and conditions under which, greater civilian-military cooperation is desirable to help achieve those objectives;

Or.en

Amendment 29
Georgios Koumoutsakos

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. ***Recalls*** the need for an EU White Paper on security and defence which would define the Union's security and defence

Amendment

5. ***Stresses*** the need for an EU White Paper on security and defence which would define the Union's security and defence

objectives and interests more clearly in relation to the means and resources available; emphasises that the White Paper should also define areas in which, and conditions under which, greater civilian-military cooperation is desirable to help achieve those objectives;

objectives and interests more clearly in relation to the means and resources available; ***having regard to the provisions of the Lisbon Treaty on solidarity (Article 222) and mutual assistance (Article 42(7))***, emphasises that the White Paper should also define areas in which, and conditions under which, greater civilian-military cooperation is desirable to help achieve those objectives;

Or.el

Amendment 30
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Is of the opinion that the EU needs to step up its effort to contribute to effective crisis management worldwide in general and especially after the effectuation of the Lisbon Treaty.

Or.en

Amendment 31
Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5b. Notes that genuine civil-military cooperation depends on facilities for exchanging information, making use of logistic tools and resources, use of escorts or armed guards by civilian personnel and participation in training or drills;

Or.es

Amendment 32
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. Emphasises that the establishment of the European External Action Service (EEAS) should contribute further to the development of a truly comprehensive European approach to international crisis management, providing the EU with adequate structures to meet its global responsibilities;

deleted

Or.en

Amendment 33
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. Emphasises that the establishment of the European External Action Service (EEAS) should contribute further to the development of a truly comprehensive European approach to **international** crisis management, providing the EU with adequate structures to meet its global responsibilities;

6. Emphasises that the establishment of the European External Action Service (EEAS) should contribute further to the development of a truly comprehensive European approach to **civilian and military** crisis management, **conflict prevention and peacebuilding** providing the EU with adequate structures, **staffing levels and financial resources** to meet its global responsibilities **in line with the UN Charter**;

Or.en

Amendment 34
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

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Motion for a resolution

6. Emphasises that the establishment of the European External Action Service (EEAS) should contribute further to the development of a truly comprehensive European approach to international crisis management, providing the EU with adequate structures to meet its global responsibilities;

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6. Emphasises that the establishment of the European External Action Service (EEAS) should contribute further to the development of a truly comprehensive European approach to international crisis management, providing the EU with adequate structures to meet its global responsibilities; ***and reiterates its call for the establishment of a EU Civil Protection Force based on the existing EU Civil Protection Mechanism, which will enable the Union to bring together the resources necessary for providing emergency assistance, including humanitarian aid, within 24 hours of a disaster inside or outside EU territory;***

Or.en

Amendment 35
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

6a. Stresses that the European External Action Service (EEAS) is under no circumstances the institution suited to the formulation of ideas or methods for planning and implementing conflict or disaster relief scenarios, since it is neither transparent nor democratic, is guided by vested interests and, in particular, incorporates military structures;

Or.de

Amendment 36
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Fully supports the transfer of the CSDP structures, including the Crisis Management Planning Directorate, the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, the EU Military Staff and the Situation Centre, to the EEAS, under the direct authority and responsibility of the Vice-President of the Commission/High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy; recalls the pledge made by the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that they work in close cooperation and synergy with the relevant Commission units transferred to the EEAS which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building;

Amendment

7. Fully supports the transfer of the CSDP structures, including the Crisis Management Planning Directorate, the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, the EU Military Staff and the Situation Centre, to the EEAS, under the direct authority and responsibility of the Vice-President of the Commission/High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy; recalls the pledge made by the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that they work in close cooperation and synergy with the relevant Commission units **and Member States' diplomats** transferred to the EEAS which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building;

Or.en

Amendment 37
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Fully supports the transfer of the CSDP structures, including the Crisis Management Planning Directorate, the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, the EU Military Staff and the Situation Centre, to the EEAS, under the direct authority and responsibility of the Vice-President of the Commission/High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy; recalls the

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7. Fully supports the transfer of the CSDP structures, including the Crisis Management Planning Directorate, the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, the EU Military Staff and the Situation Centre, to the EEAS, under the direct authority and responsibility of the Vice-President of the Commission/High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy; **stresses the**

pledge made by the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that they work in close cooperation and synergy with the relevant Commission units transferred to the EEAS which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building;

need for direct links between the EEAS and CSDP Agencies, namely EDA, ISS, ESDC, SATCEN; also recalls the pledge made by the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that they work in close cooperation and synergy with the relevant Commission units transferred to the EEAS which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building; in the same line, also promotes close coordination between EEAS and all relevant units remaining within the Commission (DG DEV, DG ECHO, DG SANCO ...) which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building.

Or.en

Amendment 38

Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Fully supports the transfer of the CSDP structures, including the Crisis Management Planning Directorate, the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, the EU Military Staff and the Situation Centre, to the EEAS, under the direct authority and responsibility of the Vice-President of the Commission/High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy; recalls the pledge made by the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that they work in close cooperation and synergy with the relevant Commission units transferred to the EEAS which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building;

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(Does not affect English version.)

Or.es

Amendment 39
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

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7. Fully supports the transfer of the CSDP structures, including the Crisis Management Planning Directorate, the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, the EU Military Staff and the Situation Centre, to the EEAS, under the direct authority and responsibility of the Vice-President of the Commission/High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy; recalls the pledge made by the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that they work ***on equal footing***, in close cooperation and synergy with the relevant Commission units ***from DG RELEX Directorate A*** transferred to the EEAS which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building ***under article 3 and 4 of EC regulation 1717/2006; urges the Vice-President/High Representative to comply with her statement made in front of the European Parliament on 7 July 2010 that she "will ensure that the relevant units from the Commission which deal with planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace building, and the CSDP structures, (will) work in close cooperation and synergy, both under (her) direct responsibility and authority within the appropriate structure"; urges the Vice-President/High Representative to define the "appropriate structure" of the EEAS for peacebuilding in such a way that all staff members currently in charge of programming and planning of crisis response, peacebuilding and conflict prevention in DG RELEX***

Directorate A are transformed en block, including the head of unit and its secretariat, to the new EEAS structure; recalls that under no circumstances formal or informal control by CSDP structures of Art. 3 and 4 IfS measures is acceptable and in line with the Treaty;

Or.en

Amendment 40

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen, Charles Goerens

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Fully supports the transfer of the CSDP structures, including the Crisis Management Planning Directorate, the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, the EU Military Staff and the Situation Centre, to the EEAS, under the direct authority and responsibility of the Vice-President of the Commission/High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy; recalls the pledge made by the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that they work in close cooperation and synergy with the relevant Commission units transferred to the EEAS which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building;

Amendment

7. Fully supports the transfer of the CSDP structures, including the Crisis Management Planning Directorate, the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, the EU Military Staff and the Situation Centre, to the EEAS, under the direct authority and responsibility of the Vice-President of the Commission/High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy; recalls the pledge made by the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that they work in close cooperation and synergy with the relevant Commission units transferred to the EEAS which deal with the planning and programming of crisis response, conflict prevention and peace-building; ***assumes that Vice-President/High Representative's full authority can be used to direct these structures in their coordinated development and concrete crisis management situations, this being done either through appointing one common director for all these structures or through appointing to Vice-President/High Representative's cabinet deputy head of cabinet with full competence to represent and assist Vice-President/High Representative in all crisis***

management functions;

Or.en

Amendment 41
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close links between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, based on the lessons learned in Haiti;

deleted

Or.en

Amendment 42
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close links between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, based on the lessons learned in Haiti;

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close links between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, based on the lessons learned in Haiti, ***for the purpose of faster deployment;***

Or.en

Amendment 43
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close **links** between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, based on the lessons learned in Haiti;

Amendment

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and **crisis management initiatives and** highlights the need for close **cooperation** between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief **and crisis management** based on the lessons learned in Haiti;

Or.en

Amendment 44
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close links between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, based on the lessons learned in Haiti;

Amendment

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close links between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, **in particular air transport capabilities**, based on the lessons learned in Haiti **and while respecting the primarily civilian nature of disaster relief operations**;

Or.en

Amendment 45
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen, Charles Goerens;

Carl Haglund

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8**

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close links between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, based on the lessons learned in Haiti; ***assumes that Vice-President/High Representative in her capacity of the vice president of Commission takes care that there is an appropriate coordination structure and function between external (EEAS) and internal (Commission) crisis management in planning and in concrete crisis management situations;***

Or.en

**Amendment 46
Ana Gomes**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8**

Motion for a resolution

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close links between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, based on the lessons learned in Haiti;

Amendment

8. Draws attention to the role of the Commission's Monitoring and Information Centre in facilitating disaster-relief coordination and highlights the need for close links between the centre and the EEAS; calls for improved coordination of military assets in the context of disaster relief, based on the lessons learned in Haiti; ***underlines the need for the development of an EU Civil Protection Force, under which coordination and linking bridges between European instances could be more effectively***

managed;

Or.en

Amendment 47
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8a. Calls on the Council to promptly adopt the necessary decisions to set in force the mutual assistance clause as outlined in article 42 (7) TEU as well as the solidarity clause as outlined in article 222 of the TFEU, which should reflect EU's comprehensive approach and build on civil-military resources ;

Or.en

Amendment 48
Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8b. Advocates also improved coordination between the Member State humanitarian agencies and ECHO for relief operations following disasters or natural catastrophes;

Or.es

Amendment 49
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8c. Even if, in certain serious cases, civil protection resources and infrastructures have not yet proved sufficient to provide a suitable and comprehensive disaster response, this is due to a lack of political will and is not simply in the nature of things; accordingly stresses that disasters must not lead to the deployment or transfer of military forces inside or outside the EU; instead, the necessary resources should be made available to enable civil protection forces to carry out the task in a suitable manner and alone;

Or.de

Amendment 50
Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9. On the political-strategic level, welcomes the integration of civilian and military elements within the Crisis Management Planning Directorate (CMPD) as a step in the right direction; emphasises, however, the need to strike a proper balance between civilian and military strategic planning capabilities, ***in order to exploit to the full the synergies available, while duly respecting the differences between civilian and military roles;***

9. On the political-strategic level, welcomes the integration of civilian and military elements within the Crisis Management Planning Directorate (CMPD) as a step in the right direction; emphasises, however, the need to strike a proper balance between civilian and military strategic planning capabilities ***and their development processes, preserving their distinctive objectives and securing a case-by-case appropriate mixture that has to be reflected also in the human resources allocated to each operation;***

Or.en

Amendment 51
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

9. On the political-strategic level, ***emphasises the need, in routine phases, to get a common situation awareness shared by all EU stakeholders (EEAS, but also all relevant units from the Commission: DG DEV, DG ECHO, DG SANCO, with the support of each of their crisis assessment capabilities), which should be reflected in all EU regional or country strategic papers. The re-shaped EU delegations have a key role to play in this process ; also*** welcomes the integration of civilian and military elements within the Crisis Management Planning Directorate (CMPD) as a step in the right direction; emphasises, however, the need to strike a proper balance between civilian and military strategic planning capabilities, in order to exploit to the full the synergies available, while duly respecting the differences between civilian and military roles;

Or.en

Amendment 52
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
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proper balance between civilian and military strategic planning capabilities, in order to exploit to the full the synergies available, while duly respecting the differences between civilian and military roles;

from former Council Secretariat DG E 8 over civilian experts from former Council Secretariat DG E 9 despite an overwhelming number of CSDP missions being of civilian nature; emphasises, the need to strike a proper balance between civilian and military strategic planning capabilities *by increasing the number of civilian experts not only in terms of numbers, but also with regard to hierarchy e.g. a dominance of civilian experts with regard to high level posts as heads of unit and relevant AD level grades* in order to exploit to the full the synergies available, while duly respecting the differences between civilian and military roles;

Or.en

Amendment 53
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. On the political-strategic level, welcomes the integration of civilian and military elements within the Crisis Management Planning Directorate (CMPD) as a step in the right direction; emphasises, *however, the need to strike a proper balance* between civilian and military strategic planning capabilities, *in order* to exploit to the full the synergies available, while duly respecting the differences between civilian and military roles;

Amendment

9. On the political-strategic level, welcomes the integration of civilian and military elements within the Crisis Management Planning Directorate (CMPD) as a step in the right direction; emphasises *that articulation* between civilian and military strategic planning capabilities, *is crucial* to exploit to the full the synergies available, while duly respecting the differences between civilian and military roles;

Or.en

Amendment 54
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9a. Stresses the need for the EU, in time of crisis, to be able to deploy multidisciplinary projectable teams within the first hours of the crisis, which would be composed of all civilian, military and civ-mil experts from the EEAS and the Commission;

Or.en

Amendment 55
Ágnes Hankiss, Christian Ehler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. In particular, urges the Vice-President/High Representative to address the shortage of staff as regards experts on civilian capability development and to make sure that the CMPD includes a sufficient number of experts from all the priority civilian capability areas, namely police, justice, civilian administration, civil protection and monitoring;

10. In particular, urges the Vice-President/High Representative to address the shortage of staff as regards experts on civilian **mission planning and** capability development and to make sure that the CMPD includes a sufficient number of experts from all the priority civilian capability areas, namely police, justice, civilian administration, civil protection and monitoring;

Or.en

Amendment 56
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. In particular, urges the Vice-President/High Representative to address the shortage of staff as regards experts on civilian capability development and to make sure that the CMPD includes a sufficient number of experts from all the priority *civilian* capability areas, namely police, justice, civilian administration, civil protection and monitoring;

Amendment

10. In particular, urges the Vice-President/High Representative to address the shortage of staff as regards experts on civilian capability development and to make sure that the CMPD includes a sufficient number of experts from all the priority capability areas, namely *political-military planning*, police, justice, civilian administration, civil protection and monitoring;

Or.en

Amendment 57

Kyriakos Mavronikolas, Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. In particular, urges the Vice-President/High Representative to address the shortage of staff as regards experts on civilian capability development and to make sure that the CMPD includes a sufficient number of experts from all the priority civilian capability areas, namely police, justice, civilian administration, civil protection and monitoring;

Amendment

10. In particular, urges the Vice-President/High Representative to address the shortage of staff as regards experts on civilian capability development and to make sure that the CMPD includes a sufficient number of experts from all the priority civilian capability areas, namely *human rights*, police, justice, civilian administration, civil protection and monitoring;

Or.en

Amendment 58

Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution

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President/High Representative to address the shortage of staff as regards experts on civilian capability development and to make sure that the CMPD **is, in the short and mid term, dominated by civilian** experts from all the priority civilian capability areas, namely police, justice, civilian administration, civil protection and monitoring;

Or.en

Amendment 59
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10a. Urges the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure gender balance in the CMPD, particularly at senior levels.

Or.en

Amendment 60
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11. On the operational planning level, calls for a significant strengthening of civilian planning capabilities to match the ambitions of civilian CSDP missions, by consolidating the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC) as regards staffing levels as well as by means of a better division of tasks between the strategic and operational levels; stresses that this division of tasks needs to be based on a balanced and comprehensive personnel strategy; takes the view that, in

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the light of the responsibilities of the Civilian Operations Commander, this function needs to be placed at an appropriate level within the EEAS hierarchy;

the light of the responsibilities of the Civilian Operations Commander, this function needs to be placed at an appropriate *meaning higher* level within the EEAS hierarchy;

Or.en

Amendment 61
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12. Reiterates its call for the establishment of a permanent EU operational headquarters, responsible for operational planning and conduct of EU military operations, to replace the current system of using one of the seven available headquarters on an ad hoc basis; stresses that such a move would guarantee a coherent chain of command and greatly increase the EU's capacity for rapid and consistent responses to crises (notably by enhancing the EU's institutional memory) and also reduce costs;

12. deleted

Or.en

Amendment 62
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

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Or.en

Amendment 63
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

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12. Reiterates its call for the establishment of a permanent EU operational headquarters, responsible for *effective* operational planning and conduct of EU military operations, to replace the current system of using one of the seven available headquarters on an ad hoc basis; stresses that such a move would guarantee a coherent chain of command and greatly increase the EU's capacity for rapid and consistent responses to crises (notably by enhancing the EU's institutional memory) and also reduce costs;

Or.en

Amendment 64
Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

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headquarters should be placed alongside the CPCC in order to maximise the benefits of civilian-military coordination, **including the pooling of certain functions**, and to better promote best practices among EU planners; suggests even that the operational headquarters and the CPCC might be integrated into a joint EU 'Crisis Management Headquarters' that would be responsible for the operational planning and conduct of all EU civilian missions, military operations and Security Sector Reform missions;

headquarters should be placed alongside the CPCC in order to maximise the benefits of civilian-military coordination and to better promote best practices among EU planners; suggests even that the operational headquarters and the CPCC might be integrated into a joint EU 'Crisis Management Headquarters' that would be responsible for the operational planning and conduct of all EU civilian missions, military operations and Security Sector Reform missions;

Or.en

Amendment 65
Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Emphasises, however, that due account needs to be taken of the differences between civilian and military planning **and that** separate chains of command need to be maintained, with a Civilian Operations Commander and a Military Operations Commander **placed at** the same hierarchical level within the EEAS;

Amendment

14. Emphasises, however, that ***in no case should the reorganisation of the present structures lead to the absorption of the civilian dimension into the military dimension and underlines that*** due account needs to be taken of the differences between civilian and military planning: ***the*** separate chains of command need to be maintained, with a Civilian Operations Commander and a Military Operations Commander ***retaining their own competences and enjoying*** the same hierarchical level within the EEAS;

Or.en

Amendment 66
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Points to the number of commitments Member States have given regarding the development of both military and civilian crisis-management capabilities, from the Helsinki and Santa Maria de Feira European Councils to the December 2008 declaration on strengthening capabilities; urges the Member States and the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that these commitments are properly implemented so as to close the glaring gap between existing operational capabilities and the stated political goals;

Amendment

15. Points to the number of commitments Member States have given regarding the development of both military and civilian crisis-management capabilities, from the Helsinki and Santa Maria de Feira European Councils to the December 2008 declaration on strengthening capabilities; urges the Member States and the Vice-President/High Representative to ensure that these commitments are properly implemented so as to close the glaring gap between existing operational capabilities and the stated political goals; ***urges the Vice-President/High Representative and EU Member States to consult on significant cuts made to national defence budgets in order to find a way to ensure that the Union as a whole is able to provide civilian and military crisis management;***

Or.en

Amendment 67

Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15a. Calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and Member States to make substantial efforts to explore synergies in using strategic airlift capacities for civil and military purposes; welcomes the cooperation between the MIC and the European Union Movement Planning Cell (EUMPC) of the EUMS in the EU disaster response effort in Pakistan in this regard; calls on Member States to substantially increase air transport capabilities pooled in the European Air Transport Command

(EATC) while ensuring dual civil and military use of these capabilities, welcomes in this regard the proposal by the Belgian Presidency to establish a multinational helicopter corps in the framework of the EATC to be used for both civilian and military tasks;

Or.en

Amendment 68

Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. In the context of the follow-up to the Headline Goals 2010, calls on the Member States to concentrate on the concrete delivery of capabilities and to focus on the areas of civilian-military synergies, especially those already identified, in order to achieve genuine progress as soon as possible;

Amendment

16. In the context of the follow-up to the Headline Goals 2010, calls on the Member States to concentrate on the concrete delivery of capabilities and to focus on the areas of civilian-military synergies, especially those already identified, in order to achieve genuine progress as soon as possible; *stresses the need for Member States to identify and focus on particular tasks to be achieved rather than general capabilities;*

Or.en

Amendment 69

Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

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to achieve genuine progress as soon as possible;

to achieve genuine progress as soon as possible; *welcomes the Comprehensive Capability Development Process (CCDP) for military capabilities within the European Defence Agency (EDA); calls on the Vice President/High Representative to define the civilian capability requirements for CSDP missions and to enlarge the scope of the CCDP to include also civilian capability development aspects with the full participation of all relevant governmental and non-governmental civilian actors;*

Or.en

Amendment 70

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen; Charles Goerens

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

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16. In the context of the follow-up to the Headline Goals 2010, calls on the Member States to concentrate on the concrete delivery of capabilities and to focus on the areas *of* civilian-military synergies, especially those already identified, in order to achieve genuine progress as soon as possible;

Amendment

16. In the context of the follow-up to the Headline Goals 2010, calls on the Member States to concentrate on the concrete delivery of capabilities and to focus on the areas *that necessitate* civilian-military synergies, especially those already identified, in order to achieve genuine progress as soon as possible;

Or.en

Amendment 71

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16a. Welcomes the efforts of the past and the current rotating Council Presidencies for starting a process aiming at the

clarification of the nature and scope of the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PSC) as outlined in Art. 42 (6); calls on the Council to deliver timely a clear understanding of the PSC taking in consideration the civil-military nature of the EU's comprehensive approach and present concrete steps on how to start PSC in view of the current financial crisis and decreasing national defence budgets among the EU member states;

Or.en

Amendment 72
Ágnes Hankiss, Christian Ehler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. In the light of the political commitments given, calls on the Member States urgently to address the chronic shortfall in civilian personnel in CSDP missions, especially EULEX Kosovo and EUPOL Afghanistan, in particular by stepping up work to establish national strategies to facilitate the deployment of mission personnel; urges that, as part of these strategies, the competent national authorities, such as ministries of the interior and justice, should develop a more structured approach to the task of laying down appropriate conditions for the participation of civilian personnel in CSDP missions, especially as regards career prospects and remuneration;

Amendment

17. In the light of the political commitments given, calls on the Member States urgently to address the chronic shortfall in civilian personnel in CSDP missions, especially EULEX Kosovo and EUPOL Afghanistan, in particular by stepping up work to establish national strategies to facilitate the deployment of **civilian** mission personnel; urges that, as part of these strategies, the competent national authorities, such as ministries of the interior and justice should develop a more structured approach to the task of laying down appropriate conditions for the participation of civilian personnel in CSDP missions, especially as regards career prospects and remuneration;

Or.en

Amendment 73

Ágnes Hankiss, Christian Ehler

Motion for a resolution

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Or.en

Amendment 74

Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17

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17. In the light of the political commitments given, calls on the Member States urgently to address the chronic shortfall in civilian personnel in CSDP missions, especially EULEX Kosovo and EUPOL Afghanistan, in particular by stepping up work to establish national strategies to facilitate the deployment of mission personnel; urges that, as part of

Amendment

17. In the light of the political commitments given, calls on the Member States urgently to address the chronic shortfall ***and gender imbalance*** in civilian personnel in CSDP missions, especially EULEX Kosovo and EUPOL Afghanistan, in particular by stepping up work to establish national strategies to facilitate the deployment of mission personnel; urges

these strategies, the competent national authorities, such as ministries of the interior and justice, should develop a more structured approach to the task of laying down appropriate conditions for the participation of civilian personnel in CSDP missions, especially as regards career prospects and remuneration;

that, as part of these strategies, the competent national authorities, such as ministries of the interior and justice, should develop a more structured approach to the task of laying down appropriate conditions for the participation of civilian personnel in CSDP missions, especially as regards career prospects and remuneration;

Or.en

Amendment 75
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17a. Reiterates the need for compliance with the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1325, that requires a gender-balanced staffing and training approach to all missions and a gender focus on all actions undertaken; stresses that an adequate number of women in civilian or military missions is a crucial condition for the success of those missions, be it in peacekeeping or disaster relief operations, as well as in diplomatic mediation as a way to ensure that women's needs, rights and interests are properly addresses and to ensure women's involvement in the actions and objectives of the mission; reminds that the EU Member States need to develop national Action Plans to ensure compliance with Resolution 1325;

Or.en

Amendment 76
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. In that context, calls on the Member States to ensure, in particular, that participation in CSDP missions is regarded as an important advantage for career development in their police and justice systems and that the services that second civilians to these missions are appropriately compensated for the temporary loss of staff; takes the view that the Council should ensure that per diem rates for CSDP mission personnel are tailored to the circumstances of the mission in question;

deleted

Or.en

Amendment 77

Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18a. Draws attention also to the importance of respecting geographical and gender balance criteria in recruiting civilian personnel for these missions;

Or.es

Amendment 78

Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19. Stresses the need for appropriate pre-deployment training to be provided, which should include participation by civilian personnel in military exercises; **strongly**

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recommends that Member States maintain rosters of deployable civilians, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside military forces; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF) and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

mandatory for Member States *to* maintain rosters of deployable civilians, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside military forces; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF) and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

Or.en

Amendment 79
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Stresses the need for appropriate pre-deployment training to be provided, which should include participation by civilian personnel in military exercises; strongly recommends that Member States maintain rosters of deployable civilians, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside military forces; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF) and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

Amendment

19. Stresses the need for appropriate pre-deployment training to be provided, which should include participation by civilian personnel in military exercises *including contingency rehearsals*; strongly recommends that Member States maintain rosters of deployable civilians *with relevant competences*, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside military forces; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF) and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

Or.en

Amendment 80
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Stresses the need for appropriate pre-deployment training to be provided, which should include participation by civilian personnel in military exercises; strongly recommends that Member States maintain rosters of deployable civilians, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside military forces; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF) and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

Amendment

19. Stresses the need for appropriate pre-deployment training to be provided, ***including on human rights, women's rights and gender equality***, which should include participation by civilian personnel in military exercises ***and the other way around***; strongly recommends that Member States maintain rosters of deployable civilians, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside military forces; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF) and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

Or.en

Amendment 81
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen; Carl Haglund, Charles Goerens

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Stresses the need for appropriate pre-deployment training to be provided, which ***should*** include participation by civilian personnel in military exercises; strongly recommends that Member States maintain rosters of deployable civilians, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside military forces; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member

Amendment

19. Stresses the need for appropriate pre-deployment training to be provided, which ***could*** include participation by civilian personnel in military exercises ***and military personnel in civilian training and/or exercises***; strongly recommends that Member States maintain rosters of deployable civilians, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside

States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF) and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

military forces; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF), *Finnish Crisis Management Centre (CMC Finland)*, *Swedish Folke Bernadotte Academy (FBA)* and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

Or.en

Amendment 82
Kyriakos Mavronikolas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

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Or.en

Amendment 83
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

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19. Stresses the need for appropriate pre-deployment training to be provided, which should include participation by civilian personnel in military exercises ***in due compliance with a gender balanced approach***; strongly recommends that Member States maintain rosters of ***gender balanced*** deployable civilians, in particular those trained for missions carried out alongside military forces, ***and make sure that the required training has a gender focus***; welcomes the practice employed by certain Member States of having a dedicated centralised agency responsible for the recruitment and training of all deployable civilian personnel, such as the German Centre for International Peace Operations (ZIF) and the UK Stabilisation Unit;

Or.en

Amendment 84
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

20a. Points out grave discrepancies between old and new Member States in what concerns quotas for civilian personnel in EU missions; calls on the Council and Commission to actively promote more recruitment from new Member States and to support these countries with the development of their national rosters and recruitment procedures; notes that these discrepancies have more to do with systemic differences in the education systems than with any ill-will, but that they still need to be addressed;

Amendment

Amendment 85
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the emphasis placed by the Commission on ensuring that the forthcoming civilian training project financed under the Instrument for Stability will target experts already identified for future deployment on missions;

Amendment

21. Welcomes the emphasis placed by the Commission ***DG RELEX*** on ensuring that the forthcoming civilian training project financed under the Instrument for Stability will target experts already identified for future deployment on missions; ***recalls the European Group on Training (EGT) which has been financed by both the European Commission and Member States; recalls that one lesson learned of EGT is that investments in training make only sense if linked to de facto deployments;***

Amendment 86
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

21a. Calls for a preparatory action with regard to the establishment of the EEAS and the need to implement the EU Concept on Strengthening EU Mediation and Dialogue Capacities (15779/09) and the Mediation Support Group (MSG) which has been adopted by the Council in late 2009 and drafted jointly by Council and Commission experts;

Amendment 87
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Emphasises, in line with the 2008 Council recommendations, the enhanced role the European Security and Defence College (ESDC) should play in the field of training for crisis management in the light of the setting-up of the EEAS; urges the Council to improve the training facilities and staffing of the ESDC, including by providing it with a permanent seat, in order to guarantee sustainable training at the strategic level for civilian and military personnel of the Member States and EU institutions;

Amendment

22. Emphasises, in line with the 2008 Council recommendations, the enhanced role the European Security and Defence College (ESDC) should play in the field of training for crisis management in the light of the setting-up of the EEAS; urges the Council to improve the training facilities and staffing of the ESDC, including by providing it with a permanent seat, **as well as the creation of scholarships for young graduates willing to specialize in needed fields, in** order to guarantee sustainable training at the strategic level for civilian and military personnel of the Member States and EU institutions;

Or.en

Amendment 88
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

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Amendment

22. Emphasises, in line with the 2008 Council recommendations, the enhanced role the European Security and Defence College (ESDC) should play in the field of **capacity building and** training for **effective** crisis management in the light of the setting-up of the EEAS; urges the Council to improve the training facilities and staffing of the ESDC, including by providing it with a permanent seat, in order to guarantee sustainable **and effective** training at the strategic level for civilian and military personnel of the Member

Amendment 89
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

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Amendment

22. **Before taking up their duties, and as appropriate thereafter, all EEAS staff members at AD level shall receive common training. For this purpose, a European Diplomatic Academy shall be created. The Academy shall cooperate closely with appropriate bodies in the Member States and the European Security and Defence College, integrating the latter after a transitional period. Its training shall be based on fully harmonised curricula and shall include, as appropriate, training in consular and legation procedures, diplomacy, conflict mediation and international relations, together with knowledge of the history and functioning of the European Union. The Academy shall also train staff of CSDP missions and shall be open, as appropriate, to other staff working for the European Union or Member States;**

Amendment 90
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen; Carl Haglund, Charles Goerens

Motion for a resolution
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Or.en

Amendment 91
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

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Or.en

Amendment 92
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Encourages further efforts to speed up the provision of financing for civilian missions and to simplify decision-making procedures and implementation arrangements; stresses the need for the relevant Commission departments to work closely with the crisis management structures within the EEAS so as to allow for rapid start-up financing of civilian missions;

Amendment

23. Encourages further efforts to speed up the provision of financing for civilian missions and to simplify decision-making procedures and implementation arrangements; stresses the need for the relevant Commission departments to work closely ***and on equal footing*** with the crisis management structures within the EEAS so as to allow for rapid start-up financing of civilian missions; ***calls for the sake of transparency and accountability to set up one budget line for each CSDP mission;***

Or.en

Amendment 93
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

23. Encourages further efforts to speed up the provision of financing for ***purely*** civilian missions and to simplify decision-making procedures and implementation arrangements; ***calls on the EU to step up civil protection capacities; accordingly urges the Member States and the Commission to treat civil protection as a purely civilian matter and to implement it accordingly; strongly urges the Commission in particular to continue identifying the resources which must be provided to improve civil protection capacities with a view to common procurement projects;***

Amendment 94
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23a. Calls on the Council to quickly take the appropriate decisions to establish the start-up fund as outlined in article 41 TEU, after consulting the European Parliament; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative to inform the Parliament regularly on the state of play once the fund will have been set up;

Or.en

Amendment 95
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24. Welcomes the development of the concept of Integrated Police Units (IPUs), i.e. robust, rapidly deployable, flexible and interoperable forces able to perform executive law-enforcement tasks, which, in certain circumstances, can also be deployed as part of a military operation and under military command; notes the successful application of this concept in Bosnia and Herzegovina as part of EUFOR Althea and in Kosovo within EULEX; highlights the need for such units, which are especially well-suited to intervening in non-stabilised situations and in particular during the transition from military to civilian **command**; recommends that Member States invest in the development

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Or.en

Amendment 96

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

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Or.en

Amendment 97

Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24a. Considers that, in view of Russian participation and cooperation in the EUFOR Chad operation, with Russia providing capabilities and personnel, it would be appropriate to give further

consideration to ways of deepening EU-Russian and NATO-EU-Russian cooperation for the purposes of both crisis management and the development of defence capabilities;

Or. el

Amendment 98
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. In that context, fully supports the use of the European Gendarmerie Force (EGF), which can be placed under military or civilian command and provides a capability for the rapid deployment of expeditionary police missions, as a highly suitable tool for a range of crisis-management operations, including post-disaster stabilisation missions; calls on all Member States which have police forces with military status to join the initiative;

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Or. en

Amendment 99
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. In that context, fully supports the use of the European Gendarmerie Force (EGF), which can be placed under military or civilian command and provides a capability for the rapid deployment of expeditionary police missions, as a highly suitable tool

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for a range of crisis-management operations, including post-disaster stabilisation missions; calls on all Member States which have police forces with military status to join the initiative; ***calls on the Commission to clarify how the EGF could be placed under the command of the existing Civil Protection Mechanism until such a time when an EU Civil Protection Force is in place;***

Or.en

Amendment 100
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Welcomes the progress achieved in developing the pool of experts for the Civilian Response Teams (CRTs) to provide a rapid assessment capability; highlights the importance of early-assessment and fact-finding capabilities in ensuring that the EU responds to crises using the most appropriate means available;

Amendment

26. Welcomes the progress achieved in developing the pool of experts for the Civilian Response Teams (CRTs) to provide a rapid assessment capability ***but stresses that further extension of these lists needs to be achieved;*** highlights the importance of early-assessment and fact-finding capabilities in ensuring that the EU responds to crises using the most appropriate means available;

Or.en

Amendment 101
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. ***Encourages*** the Council and the Commission to speed up the establishment of a pool of Security Sector Reform experts to enhance the EU's capability in this field;

Amendment

27. ***Calls on*** the Council and the Commission to ***present a common understanding of the new CSDP missions as outlined in article 43 TEU and how***

they will be handled in the context of the established civilian-military cooperation ; encourages in this context the Council and the Commission to speed up the establishment of a pool of Security Sector Reform experts to enhance the EU's capability in this field;

Or.en

Amendment 102
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Encourages the Council and the Commission to speed up the establishment of a pool of Security Sector Reform experts to enhance the EU's capability in this field;

Amendment

27. Encourages the ***Vice-President/High Representative, the*** Council and the Commission to speed up the establishment of a pool of Security Sector Reform experts to enhance the EU's capability in this field;

Or.en

Amendment 103
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. Calls on the Member States to make use of the existing tools and to improve them before formulating new, ambitious goals;

Amendment

28. Calls on the Member States to make use of the existing tools and to improve them before formulating new, ambitious goals, ***as well as to be prepared to use old capabilities to cope with new challenges;***

Or.en

Amendment 104
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. Calls on the Member States to make use of the existing tools and ***to improve them*** before formulating new, ambitious goals;

Amendment

28. Calls on the Member States to make ***optimal*** use of the existing tools and ***put in place impact evaluation mechanisms*** before formulating new, ambitious goals;

Or.en

Amendment 105
Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28a. Calls on the Commission to further develop the framework for cooperation with NGOs and to promote the use of non-state actors in the Union's conflict prevention and conflict management activities also by including them in the EU training activities;

Or.en

Amendment 106
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29. Is convinced that the EU battlegroups represent a suitable tool for crisis-management operations; reiterates its call to the Council to increase their usability and flexibility; calls also for the

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improvement of their usability for civilian-military humanitarian relief operations, in full compliance with the revised Oslo guidelines for the use of military and civil defence assets in disaster relief;

Or.en

Amendment 107
Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

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29. Is convinced that the EU battlegroups represent a suitable tool for crisis-management operations; reiterates its call to the Council to increase their usability and flexibility; calls also for the improvement of their usability for civilian-military humanitarian relief operations, in full compliance with the revised Oslo guidelines for the use of military and civil defence assets in disaster relief; ***points out that the BG need to be used or completely revamped as a concept, given the fact that so far they have acted as little else than multinational training programs;***

Or.en

Amendment 108
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

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Or.en

Amendment 109
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Is convinced that the EU battlegroups represent a suitable tool for crisis-management operations; **reiterates its call to the Council to increase their usability and flexibility; calls also for the improvement of their usability for civilian-military humanitarian relief operations, in full compliance with the revised Oslo guidelines for the use of military and civil defence assets in disaster relief;**

Amendment

29. Is convinced that the EU battlegroups represent a suitable tool for crisis-management operations **only in situations of high intensity conflicts or the imminent risk of massacres or genocides; rejects any attempt to use battle groups which are by definition combat troops for any civilian purpose;**

Or.en

Amendment 110
Ágnes Hankiss, Christian Ehler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Urges the Member States to reach agreement on expanding the concept of common costs associated with the use of the battlegroups (costs to be financed through the Athena mechanism), or on common funding of the totality of the costs

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of crisis-management operations carried out by them; takes the view that such an agreement is necessary to make their use politically acceptable and ensure that the Member States on stand-by do not bear a disproportionate burden in a difficult budgetary situation;

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Or.en

Amendment 111
Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Urges the Member States to reach agreement on expanding the concept of common costs associated with the use of the battlegroups (costs to be financed through the Athena mechanism), or on common funding of the totality of the costs of crisis-management operations carried out by them; takes the view that such an agreement is necessary to make their use politically acceptable and ensure that the Member States on stand-by do not bear a disproportionate burden in a difficult budgetary situation;

Amendment

30. Urges the Member States to reach agreement on expanding the concept of common costs associated with the use of the battlegroups (costs to be financed through the Athena mechanism), or on common funding of the totality of the costs of crisis-management operations carried out by them; takes the view that such an agreement is necessary to make their use politically acceptable and ensure that the Member States on stand-by do not bear a disproportionate burden in a difficult budgetary situation; *reminds in this regard that in November 2009 the Council invited the Council General Secretariat (CGS) to elaborate ideas on financing of military operations for discussion at high level in 2010, but no progress was registered so far;*

Or.en

Amendment 112
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

31. Calls on the Member States to conceive of the battlegroups as long-term partnerships and not to dissolve them after their stand-by period has ended, so that the resources invested in their creation are not wasted; calls for them to be trained to operate alongside civilian deployments; suggests even that they might include civilian units or experts within their set-up, in particular IPUs;

deleted

Or.en

Amendment 113
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
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deleted

Or.en

Amendment 114
Kyriakos Mavronikolas, Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

31a. Calls for an improved role of the EU Special Representatives - when present in the area of crisis - in the civilian-military coordination efforts, also with the view of securing closer political oversight of military actions;

Or.en

Amendment 115
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32. Calls on the Member States to look further into developing dual-use capabilities for CSDP civilian missions and military operations, making better use of existing capabilities and interlinking the civilian and military capability-development processes where appropriate;

32. Calls on the Member States to look further into developing **and enhance** dual-use capabilities for CSDP civilian missions and military operations, making better use of existing **approaches and** capabilities and interlinking the civilian and military capability-development processes where appropriate;

Or.en

Amendment 116
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32. Calls on **the** Member States to look further into developing **dual-use**

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capabilities for CSDP civilian missions and military operations, making better use of existing capabilities and interlinking the civilian and military capability-development processes where appropriate;

members, to look further into developing civilian missions that might complement NATO military operations, making better use of existing capabilities;

Or.en

Amendment 117

Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Calls on the Member States to look further into developing *dual-use* capabilities for CSDP civilian missions and military operations, making better use of existing capabilities and interlinking the civilian and military capability-development processes where appropriate;

Amendment

32. Calls on the Member States to look further into developing *common* capabilities for CSDP civilian missions and military operations, making better use of existing capabilities and interlinking the civilian and military capability-development processes where appropriate;

Or.en

Amendment 118

Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Calls on the Member States to look further into developing dual-use capabilities for CSDP civilian missions and military operations, making better use of existing capabilities and interlinking the civilian and military capability-development processes where appropriate;

Amendment

32. Calls on the Member States to look further into developing dual-use capabilities for CSDP civilian missions and military operations, *in particular transport capabilities*, making better use of existing capabilities and interlinking the civilian and military capability-development processes where appropriate;

Or.en

Amendment 119

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen; Carl Haglund, Charles Goerens

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32

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Amendment

32. Calls on the Member States to look further into developing ***interoperability of training and practice, along with*** dual-use capabilities for CSDP civilian missions and military operations, making better use of existing capabilities and interlinking the civilian and military capability-development processes where appropriate;

Or.en

Amendment 120

Kyriakos Mavronikolas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32a. Calls for the establishment of early warning systems in areas where conflict is ongoing, or in areas more vulnerable to natural disasters, so that crisis management is more immediate and thus more effective.

Or.en

Amendment 121

Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 33

Motion for a resolution

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personnel will increasingly be operating side by side and that they are to a large extent exposed to the same threats, such as improvised explosive devices, and in need of comparable capabilities in areas such as strategic and tactical transportation, logistical support, communication and **information** systems, medical support, security and force protection, use of space capabilities, and unmanned vehicles;

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Or.en

Amendment 122
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33

Motion for a resolution

33. Stresses that EU military and civilian personnel will increasingly be operating side by side and that they are to a large extent exposed to the same threats, such as improvised explosive devices, and in need of comparable capabilities in areas such as strategic and tactical transportation, logistical support, communication and information systems, medical support, security and force protection, **use of space capabilities**, and unmanned vehicles;

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Or.en

Amendment 123
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33

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recommends that the European Defence Agency will also be included in the process of identifying the needs in the capabilities field and, also, in pointing out the ways in which those capabilities should be shared, pooled or attained among the Union's members;

Or.en

Amendment 124
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33a. Welcomes the open debate of the EU ministers of defence during their informal meeting in Ghent on 23 and 24 September 2010 regarding European defence research and their assessment of the role of the EDA as outlined in article 42 (3) TEU; Calls on the Council and the Commission to work on the definition of a true industrial defence policy, in line with the Lisbon treaty ;

Or.en

Amendment 125
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Emphasises, therefore, the need to coordinate, and push for, investment in technologies and capabilities in ***the areas*** of defence and civilian security where overlaps have been identified, so as to quickly close capability gaps whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication, creating synergies and supporting standardisation;

Amendment

34. Emphasises, therefore, the need to coordinate, and push for, investment in technologies and capabilities in ***relation to strengthening developing*** of defence and civilian security where ***gaps and*** overlaps have been identified, so as to quickly close capability gaps whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication, creating synergies and supporting standardisation;

Or.en

Amendment 126

Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Emphasises, therefore, the need to coordinate, and push for, investment in technologies and capabilities in the areas of defence and civilian security ***where overlaps have been identified***, so as to quickly close capability gaps whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication, creating synergies and supporting standardisation;

Amendment

34. Emphasises, therefore, the need to coordinate, and push for, investment in technologies and capabilities in the areas of defence and civilian security ***and calls on the Commission to acknowledge the reality of the civil-military nature of CSDP actions and the need to finance security and defence research with community funds*** so as to quickly close capability gaps whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication, creating synergies and supporting standardisation ***in order to deliver deployable means for the successful and secure conduct and implementation of CSDP operations***;

Or.en

Amendment 127

Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Emphasises, therefore, the need to coordinate, and push for, investment in technologies and capabilities in the areas of defence and civilian security where overlaps have been identified, so as to quickly close capability gaps whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication, creating synergies and supporting standardisation;

Amendment

34. Emphasises, therefore, the need to coordinate, and push for, **joint** investment in technologies and capabilities in the areas of defence and civilian security where overlaps have been identified, so as to quickly close capability gaps whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication, creating synergies and supporting standardisation;

Or.en

Amendment 128
Andrew Duff

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Emphasises, therefore, the need to coordinate, and **push for**, investment in **technologies and capabilities in the areas of defence and civilian security where overlaps have been identified**, so as to quickly close capability gaps whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication, creating synergies and supporting standardisation;

Amendment

34. Emphasises, therefore, the need to coordinate and **stimulate** investment in **dual-use technologies** and capabilities, so as to quickly close capability gaps whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication, creating synergies and supporting standardisation; **recalls the essential role in this respect is to be played by the European Defence Agency**;

Or.en

Amendment 129
Ágnes Hankiss, Christian Ehler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. In that context, supports the establishment of the European Framework Cooperation for Security and Defence Research to ensure complementarity and

Amendment

35. In that context, supports the establishment of the European Framework Cooperation for Security and Defence Research to ensure complementarity and

synergy between defence R&T investment and research investment for civilian security by the Commission under the Seventh Framework Programme, for example in areas such as situational awareness, unmanned aerial vehicles, maritime surveillance, CBRNE protection, communication and transfer of data, and cybersecurity;

synergy between defence R&T investment and research investment for civilian security by the Commission under the Seventh Framework Programme, for example in areas such as situational awareness, unmanned aerial vehicles, maritime surveillance, **countering improvised explosive devices**, CBRNE protection, communication and transfer of data, and cybersecurity;

Or.en

Amendment 130
Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. In that context, supports the establishment of the European Framework Cooperation for Security and Defence Research to ensure complementarity and synergy between defence R&T investment and research investment for civilian security by the Commission under the Seventh Framework Programme, for example in areas such as situational awareness, unmanned aerial vehicles, maritime surveillance, CBRNE protection, communication and transfer of data, and cybersecurity;

Amendment

35. In that context, supports the establishment of the European Framework Cooperation for Security and Defence Research to ensure complementarity and synergy between defence R&T investment and research investment for **improving and enhancing** civilian security by the Commission under the Seventh Framework Programme, for example in areas such as situational awareness, unmanned aerial vehicles, maritime surveillance, CBRNE protection, communication and **gathering effective intelligence and proper evaluation and** transfer of data, and cybersecurity;

Or.en

Amendment 131
Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. In that context, supports the establishment of the European Framework Cooperation for Security and Defence Research to ensure complementarity and synergy between defence R&T investment and research investment for civilian security by the Commission ***under the Seventh Framework Programme***, for example in areas such as situational awareness, unmanned aerial vehicles, maritime surveillance, CBRNE protection, communication and transfer of data, and cybersecurity;

Amendment

35. In that context, supports the establishment of the European Framework Cooperation for Security and Defence Research to ensure complementarity and synergy between defence R&T investment and research investment for civilian security by the Commission, for example in areas such as situational awareness, unmanned aerial vehicles, maritime surveillance, CBRNE protection, communication and transfer of data, and cybersecurity;

Or.en

Amendment 132
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. In that context, supports the establishment of the European Framework Cooperation for Security and Defence Research to ensure complementarity and synergy between defence R&T investment and research investment for civilian security by the Commission under the Seventh Framework Programme, for example in areas such as situational awareness, unmanned aerial vehicles, maritime surveillance, CBRNE protection, communication and transfer of data, and cybersecurity;

Amendment

35. In that context, supports the establishment of the European Framework Cooperation for Security and Defence Research to ensure complementarity and synergy between defence R&T investment and research investment for civilian security by the Commission under the Seventh Framework Programme, for example in areas such as situational awareness, unmanned aerial vehicles, maritime surveillance, CBRNE ***detection and*** protection, communication and transfer of data, and cybersecurity;

Or.en

Amendment 133

Arnaud Danjean, Catherine Soullie, Georgios Koumoutsakos, Andrey Kovatchev, Krzysztof Lisek

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 35 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35a. Encourages the Council and the Commission to make use of the possibility to make defence research as outlined in Art. 45 TEU a Union research under the Treaties by virtue of Art. 179 (3) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) in order to strengthen research on items serving both civilian and military purposes; in this regard calls on the Council and the Commission to establish Preparatory Action for Defence Research and to include Defence research as an own thematic area under the next Framework Programme 8.

Or.en

Amendment 134

Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

36. Notes, however, that this cooperation should not exceed what is necessary in the light of civilian-military cooperation in the areas of peace-keeping, conflict prevention, strengthening international security **and** crisis management;

36. Notes, however, that this cooperation should not exceed what is necessary in the light of civilian-military cooperation in the areas of peace-keeping, conflict prevention, strengthening international security, crisis management **and humanitarian aid**;

Or.en

Amendment 135

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Riikka Manner, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen; Carl Haglund, Charles Goerens

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 36 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

36a. Emphasises the critical importance of having assessment mechanisms to determine the impact of missions, and further underlines the need to integrate such mechanisms in all field missions;

Or.en

Amendment 136

Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 39

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

39. Encourages further progress in the area of the pooling and sharing of assets as a cost-effective way of increasing capabilities, which is all the more relevant in a time of budgetary austerity; welcomes, in particular, activities to address gaps in strategic airlift capabilities, namely the creation, by a number of Member States, of the European Air Transport Command, as well as the European Air Transport Fleet initiative; encourages the Vice-President/High Representative and the Member States to speed up work to identify other areas in which to apply the pooling and sharing principles, including in the field of training or mission support;

39. Encourages further progress in the area of the pooling and sharing of assets as a cost-effective way of increasing capabilities, which is all the more relevant in a time of budgetary austerity; welcomes, in particular, activities to address gaps in strategic airlift capabilities, namely the creation, by a number of Member States, of the European Air Transport Command, as well as the European Air Transport Fleet initiative; encourages the Vice-President/High Representative and the Member States to ***follow the European Defence Agency's recommendations and to*** speed up work to identify other areas in which to apply the pooling and sharing principles, including in the field of training or mission support;

Or.en

Amendment 137
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 40

Motion for a resolution

40. Recalls that the UN Security Council has primary responsibility for maintaining international peace and security; stresses, therefore, the need for close cooperation between the EU and the UN in the area of civilian and military crisis management, and in particular in humanitarian relief operations; calls for such cooperation to be strengthened particularly in theatres where one organisation is to take over from the other, especially in light of the mixed experience in Kosovo;

Amendment

40. Recalls that the UN Security Council has primary responsibility for maintaining international peace and security; stresses, therefore, the need for close cooperation between the EU and the UN in the area of civilian and military crisis management, and in particular in humanitarian relief operations ***where the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) is in the lead role***; calls for such cooperation to be strengthened particularly in theatres where one organisation is to take over from the other, especially in light of the mixed experience in Kosovo;

Or.en

Amendment 138
Takis Hadjigeorgiou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 40 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

40a. Recalls that the European Union is at all times and concerning all the initiatives which it undertakes as a global actor bound by the rules and principles of the UN Charter and general international law;

Amendment

Or.en

Amendment 139

Ágnes Hankiss, Christian Ehler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 41

Motion for a resolution

41. Urges the Member States to ensure that they make adequate contributions to UN missions and that they contribute in a coordinated fashion; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and the Council to further explore ways in which the EU as a whole can better contribute to UN-led efforts, such as by launching EU rapid response 'bridging' operations or providing an EU component of a larger UN mission;

Amendment

41. Urges the Member States to ensure that they make adequate contributions to UN missions and that they contribute in a coordinated fashion; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and the Council to further explore ways in which the EU as a whole can better contribute to UN-led efforts, such as by launching EU rapid response 'bridging' **or 'over the horizon'** operations or providing an EU component of a larger UN mission;

Or.en

Amendment 140

Norica Nicolai

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 41

Motion for a resolution

41. Urges the Member States to ensure that they make adequate contributions to UN missions and that they contribute in a coordinated fashion; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and the Council to further explore ways in which the EU as a whole can better contribute to UN-led efforts, such as by launching EU rapid response 'bridging' operations or providing an EU component of a larger UN mission;

Amendment

41. Urges the Member States to ensure that they make adequate contributions to UN missions and that they contribute in a coordinated fashion; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and the Council to further explore ways in which the EU as a whole can better contribute to UN-led efforts, such as by launching EU rapid response 'bridging' operations or providing an EU component of a larger UN mission; ***calls on the responsible recruitment bodies of the Commission, EEAS and the Member States to update their rosters of qualified experts with those EU nationals working as civilian agents in UN missions and duty stations,***

as well as to value highly all experience acquired in these positions, integrating the UN know-how in the EU practice;

Or.en

Amendment 141
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 41

Motion for a resolution

41. Urges the Member States to ensure that *they make adequate contributions to UN missions and that they contribute in a coordinated fashion*; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and the Council to further explore ways in which the EU *as a whole* can better contribute to UN-led efforts, *such as by launching EU rapid response 'bridging' operations or providing an EU component of a larger UN mission*;

Amendment

41. Urges the Member States to ensure that *CSDP missions do not duplicate the work of the UN or NATO*; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and the Council to further explore ways in which the EU can *develop its civilian capabilities in order to* better contribute to UN-led efforts;

Or.en

Amendment 142
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 41

Motion for a resolution

41. Urges the Member States to ensure that they make adequate contributions to UN missions and that they contribute in a coordinated fashion; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and the Council to further explore ways in which the EU as a whole can better contribute to UN-led efforts, such as by launching EU rapid response 'bridging' operations or providing an EU component of a larger UN

Amendment

41. Urges the Member States to ensure that they make adequate contributions to UN missions and that they contribute in a coordinated fashion; calls on the Vice-President/High Representative and the Council to further explore ways in which the EU as a whole can better contribute to UN-led efforts, such as by launching EU rapid response 'bridging' operations or providing an EU component of a larger UN

mission;

mission; *calls for improved monitoring of EU funds in line with the European Court of Auditors Special Report No 15/2009;*

Or.en

Amendment 143

Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 41 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

41a. Considers that, particularly with regard to humanitarian aid operations and in the light of the lessons learned from operations in Haiti and Pakistan, the EU must act under the protective umbrella of the United Nations focusing on those areas in which it can provide the enhanced added value, such as good governance or transition between rehabilitation, reconstruction and development;

Or.es

Amendment 144

Maria Eleni Koppa

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 41 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

41b. EU-OSCE-African Union underlines the need for closer EU-OSCE and EU-AU cooperation in their particular operational areas, improving early warning and ensuring exchange of best practises and expertise in crisis management;

Or.en

Amendment 145
Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42

Motion for a resolution

42. Points out that, since 21 out of 28 NATO members are EU Member States, close cooperation between the EU and NATO in the area of military capabilities is of vital importance to avoid duplication of effort; reiterates the urgent need to resolve the underlying political problems hampering EU-NATO cooperation and calls for the improvement of the 'Berlin Plus' arrangements in order to enable the two organisations to intervene effectively in current and future crises;

Amendment

42. Points out that, since 21 out of 28 NATO members are EU Member States, close cooperation between the EU and NATO in the area of military capabilities is of vital importance to avoid duplication of effort ***when the two organisations operate in the same theatre, this without prejudice for the independent development of EU capabilities and with due respect for the neutrality status of some EU member States***; reiterates the urgent need to resolve the underlying political problems hampering EU-NATO cooperation and calls for the improvement of the 'Berlin Plus' arrangements in order to enable the two organisations to intervene effectively in current and future crises;

Or.en

Amendment 146
Georgios Koumoutsakos, Arnaud Danjean, José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra, Marietta Giannakou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42

Motion for a resolution

42. Points out that, since 21 out of 28 NATO members are EU Member States, close cooperation between the EU and NATO in the area of military capabilities is of vital importance to avoid duplication of effort; reiterates the urgent need to resolve ***the underlying political problems hampering*** EU-NATO cooperation and

Amendment

42. Points out that, since 21 out of 28 NATO members are EU Member States, close cooperation ***on the basis of the principle of decision making autonomy*** between the EU and NATO in the area of military capabilities is of vital importance to avoid duplication of effort; reiterates the urgent need to resolve ***any outstanding***

calls for the *improvement* of the 'Berlin Plus' arrangements in order to enable the two organisations to intervene effectively in current and future crises;

issue having a negative influence in EU-NATO cooperation and calls for the *complete and more effective implementation* of the 'Berlin Plus' arrangements in order to enable the two organisations to intervene effectively in current and future crises;

Or. en

Amendment 147
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

42a. Calls for a clear division of labour between the EU and NATO; the EU should focus on civilian tasks leaving NATO to take the lead on military tasks;

Or.en

Amendment 148
Ioannis Kasoulides, Georgios Koumoutsakos

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

42b. Highlights the need for according the same degree of transparency and involvement to non-EU NATO members and non-NATO EU members when joint activities are conducted, as stressed out on the third chapter of the NATO 2020 report ('Albright Report')

Or.en

Amendment 149
Takis Hadjigeorgiou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

42c. Points out that no military action is to be undertaken unless authorized by the UN Security Council under Chapter VII of the UN Charter, in compliance with the relevant principles of international law;

Or.en

Amendment 150
Takis Hadjigeorgiou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

42d. Recalls that pre-emptive strikes are unlawful under international law and the UN Charter; hence, the EU must abstain from and oppose to any such actions;

Or.en

Amendment 151
Takis Hadjigeorgiou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 43

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

43. Takes the view that, when adopting its new Strategic Concept, NATO should not embark on developing its own civilian capabilities, but that it should be able to rely on those of the EU, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort;

deleted

Amendment 152

Arnaud Danjean, Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 43

Motion for a resolution

43. Takes the view that, when adopting its new Strategic Concept, NATO should not embark on developing its own civilian capabilities, but that it should be able to rely on those of *the* EU, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort;

Amendment

43. Takes the view that, when adopting its new Strategic Concept, NATO should not embark on developing its own civilian capabilities, but that it should be able to rely on those of *other international organisations (i.e. EU or UN)*, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort;

Or.en

Amendment 153

Luis Yáñez-Barnuevo García

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 43

Motion for a resolution

43. Takes the view that, when adopting its new Strategic Concept, NATO should not embark on developing its own civilian capabilities, but that it should be able to rely on those of the EU, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort;

Amendment

43. Takes the view that, when adopting its new Strategic Concept, NATO should not embark on developing its own civilian capabilities, but that it should be able to rely on those of the EU, *which has already secured the necessary manpower and resources, has proven experience regarding civilian missions and is, in accordance with its founding principles, committed to democracy, good governance, human rights and the rule of law*, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort;

Or.es

Amendment 154
Kyriakos Mavronikolas, Maria Eleni Koppa

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 43

Motion for a resolution

43. Takes the *view* that, *when adopting its new Strategic Concept*, NATO *should not embark on developing* its own civilian capabilities, *but that it should be able to rely on those of the EU, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort*;

Amendment

43. Takes *note of the idea* that NATO *develops* its own civilian capabilities *and suggests* to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort *establishing an EU-NATO partnership for civilian-military cooperation in the framework of which the EU and its member states could offer civilian capabilities*;

Or.en

Amendment 155
Franziska Katharina Brantner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 43

Motion for a resolution

43. Takes the view that, when adopting its new Strategic Concept, NATO should not embark on developing its own civilian capabilities, but that it should be able to rely on those of the EU, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort;

Amendment

43. Takes the view that, when adopting its new Strategic Concept, NATO should not embark on developing its own civilian capabilities, but that it should be able to rely on those of the EU, in order to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort; *recalls the EU Member States' general problem of generating sufficient forces for civilian missions*;

Or.en

Amendment 156
Takis Hadjigeorgiou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 44

Motion for a resolution

44. Reiterates **its** support for closer EU-NATO cooperation in capability development and for compliance with NATO standards as far as possible; **encourages further progress in the joint efforts to address the shortage of transport helicopters; welcomes initiatives to coordinate EU and NATO activities in the area of countering improvised explosive devices and providing medical support as matters of relevance to both civilian and military missions;**

Amendment

44. Reiterates **that** support for closer EU-NATO cooperation in capability development and for compliance with NATO standards as far as possible **will lead unavoidably to the negative development of widening its scope of actions and responsibility;**

Or.en

Amendment 157
Ana Gomes

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 44

Motion for a resolution

44. Reiterates its support for closer EU-NATO cooperation in capability development and for compliance with NATO standards as far as possible; encourages further progress in the joint efforts to address the shortage of transport helicopters; welcomes initiatives to coordinate EU and NATO activities in the area of countering improvised explosive devices and providing medical support as matters of relevance to both civilian and military missions;

Amendment

44. Reiterates its support for closer EU-NATO cooperation in capability development and for compliance with NATO standards as far as possible; encourages further progress in the joint efforts to address the shortage of transport helicopters; welcomes initiatives to coordinate EU and NATO activities in the area of countering **CBRN disasters**, improvised explosive devices, and providing medical support as matters of relevance to both civilian and military missions;

Or.en