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Amendment 1
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Citation 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the EU Strategic Framework on Human Rights and Democracy¹, and to EU Council Conclusions, "The roots of democracy and sustainable development: Europe's engagement with Civil Society in external relations"²,

Or. en

Amendment 2
Andrew Duff, Franziska Katharina Brantner, Arnaud Danjean, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Citation 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to Article 42 TEU which gives the HR/VP powers to make proposals in the field of common security and defence policy, including the initiation of missions, using both national and Union resources,

Or. en

Amendment 3
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

¹ Luxembourg, 25 June 2012

² Luxembourg, 15 October 2012

Motion for a resolution

Citation 6

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to Article 13 (3) of the Council Decision of 26 July 2010¹ establishing the European External Action Service (hereinafter EEAS Decision), which lays down that the High Representative shall carry out, by mid-2013, a review of the organisation and functioning of the EEAS, accompanied, if relevant, by legislative proposal amending the Decision,

Amendment

– having regard to Article 13 (3) of the Council Decision of 26 July 2010¹ establishing the European External Action Service (hereinafter EEAS Decision), which lays down that the High Representative shall carry out, by mid-2013, a review of the organisation and functioning of the EEAS ***which will cover inter alia the implementation of Articles 6(6) and 6(8) on geographical balance***, accompanied, if relevant, by legislative proposal amending the Decision,

Or. en

Amendment 4

Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Motion for a resolution

Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to Article 3(4) and Article 4 of the Regulation of 24 November 2010¹ amending the Staff Regulations, which require that the principle of geographical representativity be respected within the EEAS and that by mid-2013 the High Representative shall submit a report to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on the implementation of the Regulation, with a particular emphasis on gender and geographical balance within the EEAS,

Or. en

¹ OJL 311 of 26.11.2010, p. 1.

Amendment 5
María Muñoz De Urquiza

Motion for a resolution
Citation 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report of 24 July 2012 presented in accordance with Article 6(9) of EEAS Decision, and Article 7 of the High Representative's Decision establishing the EEAS Consultative Committee on Appointments,

Or. en

Amendment 6
María Muñoz De Urquiza

Motion for a resolution
Citation 8 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to its previous resolutions, including on equality between women and men in the European Union of 13 March 2012 reiterating its call for legislation, including quotas, to be proposed by 2012 to increase female representation in management bodies to 30% by 2015 and to 40% by 2020,

Or. en

Amendment 7
María Muñoz De Urquiza

Motion for a resolution
Citation 8 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women,

Or. en

**Amendment 8
Kristian Vigenin**

**Motion for a resolution
Recital A**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A. whereas ***one of the main novelties introduced by*** the Lisbon Treaty ***is*** the objective of ensuring the unity, consistency and effectiveness of the European Union's external action;

A. whereas the Lisbon Treaty ***introduced*** the objective of ensuring the unity, consistency and effectiveness of the European Union's external action;

Or. en

**Amendment 9
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing**

**Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A a. whereas the EEAS was established as a sui generis institution which is not subject to any parliamentary control;

Or. en

**Amendment 10
Marietje Schaake**

Motion for a resolution

Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A a. whereas the Union's action on the international scene shall be guided by the principles which have inspired its own creation, development and enlargement, and which it seeks to advance in the wider world;

Or. en

Amendment 11

Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

B. whereas the EEAS is a new body of hybrid nature, drawing upon community and intergovernmental *sources*, which has no precedent in the EU and which therefore cannot be expected to be fully functional within two years of its establishment; whereas, therefore, a review of its organisation and functioning should be based on fair and constructive criticism;

B. whereas the EEAS is a new body of hybrid nature *within the EU institutional framework*, drawing upon community and intergovernmental *resources*, which has no precedent in the EU and which therefore cannot be expected to be fully functional within two years of its establishment; whereas, therefore, a review of its organisation and functioning should be based on fair and constructive criticism;

Or. en

Amendment 12

Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

B. whereas the EEAS is a new body of

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hybrid nature, drawing upon community and intergovernmental sources, which has no precedent in the EU *and which therefore cannot be expected to be fully functional within two years of its establishment*; whereas, therefore, a review of its organisation and functioning should be based on fair and constructive criticism;

hybrid nature, drawing upon community and intergovernmental sources, which has no precedent in the EU; whereas, therefore, a review of its organisation and functioning should be based on fair and constructive criticism;

Or. en

Amendment 13
Daniël van der Stoep

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas the EEAS is a new body of hybrid nature, drawing upon community and intergovernmental sources, which has no precedent in the EU and which therefore cannot be expected to be fully functional within two years of its establishment; *whereas, therefore, a review of its organisation and functioning should be based on fair and constructive criticism*;

Amendment

B. whereas the EEAS is a new body of hybrid nature, drawing upon community and intergovernmental sources, which has no precedent in the EU and which therefore cannot be expected to be fully functional within two years of its establishment;

Or. en

Amendment 14
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

B a. whereas the parliamentary involvement and consultation in the respective Committees on the establishment of the EEAS was organised

in only short time, non-democratic and limited manner;

Or. en

Amendment 15
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas the success of the EEAS should be measured against its ability to pursue a comprehensive approach by the EU to today's external challenges and its capacity to achieve a more efficient use of scarce resources through greater cooperation *and economies of scale at European Union and national levels;*

Amendment

C. whereas the success of the EEAS should be measured against its ability to pursue a comprehensive approach by the EU to today's external challenges and its capacity to achieve a more efficient use of scarce resources through greater cooperation *within the European Union level, while reaffirming the primacy of diplomatic services in individual Member States in forming foreign policy;*

Or. en

Amendment 16
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas the success of the EEAS should be measured against its ability to pursue a comprehensive approach by the EU to today's external challenges and its capacity to achieve a more efficient use of scarce resources through greater cooperation and economies of scale at European Union and national levels;

Amendment

C. whereas the success of the EEAS should be measured against its ability to pursue a comprehensive approach by the EU to today's external challenges and *responsibilities* and its capacity to achieve a more efficient use of scarce resources through greater cooperation and economies of scale at European Union and national levels;

Amendment 17
Andrew Duff, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas the *double-hatted* role of the HR/VP is the most tangible manifestation of this search for greater coherence in the EU's external action;

Amendment

D. whereas the *triple-hatted* role of the HR/VP is the most tangible manifestation of this search for greater coherence in the EU's external action;

Or. en

Amendment 18
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas the double-hatted role of the HR/VP is the most tangible manifestation of this *search* for greater coherence in the EU's external action;

Amendment

D. whereas the double-hatted role of the HR/VP is the most tangible manifestation of this *responsibility* for greater coherence in the EU's external action;

Or. en

Amendment 19
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for

Amendment

deleted

the creation of (a) political deputy/ies in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 20
Andrew Duff

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for the creation of *(a)* political *deputy/ies* in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks;

Amendment

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for the creation of political *deputies* in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 21
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for the creation of *(a)* political *deputy/ies* in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks;

Amendment

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for the creation of political *deputies* in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 22
Ana Gomes, Libor Rouček

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for the creation of **(a)** political deputy/**ies** in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks;

Amendment

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for the creation of **a** political deputy in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 23

Daniël van der Stoep

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for the creation of (a) political deputy/**ies** in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks;

Amendment

F. whereas the multiple roles entrusted by the Lisbon Treaty to the HR/VP calls for the creation of (a) political deputy/**ies** in order to ensure that (s)he is assisted in the accomplishment of her/his tasks; ***whereas that funding for such deputy/ies should be found within the current budget of the EEAS;***

Or. en

Amendment 24

Ana Gomes, Libor Rouček

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F a. whereas the pursuit of a truly comprehensive EU external action warrants a greater role of the EEAS in existing Community policies, in particular

neighbourhood policy, but whereas attempts to dilute their Community character would undermine their efficiency and coherence;

Or. en

Amendment 25
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G. whereas operational decision-making and implementation in the area of the Common Foreign and Security Policy / Common Security and Defence Policy (CFSP/CSDP) are too slow because of structural and procedural reasons; whereas this has become apparent once more with the crisis in Mali, in response of which decision-making procedures and funding decisions have not been swiftly adopted and implemented;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 26
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G. whereas operational decision-making and implementation in the area of the Common Foreign and Security Policy / Common Security and Defence Policy (CFSP/CSDP) are too slow because of structural and procedural reasons; ***whereas this has become apparent once more with***

G. whereas ***experience showed that*** operational decision-making and implementation in the area of the Common Foreign and Security Policy / Common Security and Defence Policy (CFSP/CSDP) are too slow because of structural and procedural reasons;

the crisis in Mali, in response of which decision-making procedures and funding decisions have not been swiftly adopted and implemented;

Or. en

Amendment 27
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas operational decision-making and implementation in the area of the Common Foreign and Security Policy / Common Security and Defence Policy (CFSP/CSDP) are too slow because of structural and procedural reasons; whereas *this has become apparent once more with the crisis in Mali, in response of which decision-making procedures and funding decisions have not been swiftly adopted and implemented;*

Amendment

G. whereas operational decision-making and implementation in the area of the Common Foreign and Security Policy / Common Security and Defence Policy (CFSP/CSDP) are too slow because of structural and procedural reasons; whereas *the recent crises in Mali and Libya have proved that traditional "coalitions of the willing" are preferential in situations where rapid military responses are required;*

Or. en

Amendment 28
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas the EEAS should be a streamlined, *results-orientated, efficient* structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and

Amendment

H. whereas the EEAS should be a streamlined, *results-oriented and resource-efficient* structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of

in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is ***too top-heavy and*** marked by too many decision-making layers;

providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is marked by too many ***and duplicating*** decision-making layers, ***providing for an unclear hierarchy in terms of chain of command and relations between different departments;***

Or. en

Amendment 29
György Schöpflin

Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas the EEAS should be a streamlined, results-orientated, efficient structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is too top-heavy and marked by too many decision-making layers;

Amendment

H. whereas the EEAS should be a streamlined, results-orientated, efficient ***and flexible*** structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is too top-heavy and marked by too many decision-making layers, ***resulting on occasions in slow response times;***

Or. en

Amendment 30
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas the EEAS should be a **streamlined**, results-orientated, efficient structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is too top-heavy and marked by too many decision-making layers;

Amendment

H. whereas the EEAS should be a **slimmed down**, results-orientated, efficient structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is too top-heavy and marked by too many decision-making layers;

Or. en

Amendment 31

Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
Andrew Duff

Motion for a resolution

Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas the EEAS should be a streamlined, results-orientated, efficient structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is too top-heavy and marked by too many decision-making layers;

Amendment

H. whereas the EEAS should be a streamlined, results-orientated, efficient structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in **external relations, particularly in** the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is too top-heavy and marked by too many decision-making layers;

Or. en

Amendment 32
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas the EEAS should be a streamlined, results-orientated, efficient structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is too top-heavy and marked by too many decision-making layers;

Amendment

H. whereas the EEAS should be a streamlined, results-orientated, efficient structure, capable of providing support for political leadership in the area of CFSP and facilitating **democratic and consensual** decision-making in the Council; whereas, for this reason, the EEAS should be capable of providing, at short notice and in a coordinated fashion, expertise from different departments, including from the Commission; whereas the current structure of the EEAS is too top-heavy and marked by too many decision-making layers;

Or. en

Amendment 33
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the opportunities for quick deployment offered by the EU battlegroups are not used;

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 34
Andrew Duff

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I. whereas the opportunities for quick deployment offered by the EU battlegroups are not used;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 35

Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution

Recital I

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I. whereas the opportunities for quick deployment offered by the EU battlegroups are not used;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 36

Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution

Recital I

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I. whereas the opportunities for quick deployment offered by the EU battlegroups are not used;

I. whereas the EU battlegroup concept has been proved to be ineffective, and a costly diversion of Member States' military resources from other multilateral engagement, for example through NATO or the UN;

Or. en

Amendment 37

Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas the opportunities for quick deployment offered by the EU battlegroups are not used;

Amendment

I. whereas the opportunities for quick deployment offered by the EU battlegroups are not **yet** used;

Or. en

Amendment 38
Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the experience of the past has clearly shown the need for establishing permanent operational Headquarters in Brussels for the conduct of CSDP missions;

deleted

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 39
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the experience of the past has clearly shown the need for establishing permanent operational Headquarters in Brussels for the conduct of CSDP missions;

deleted

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 40
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the experience of the past has clearly shown the need for establishing permanent operational Headquarters in Brussels for the conduct of CSDP missions;

Amendment

J. whereas a permanent EU operational Headquarters (OHQ) would be a financially and militarily wasteful initiative at a time of diminishing defence budgets, and would duplicate the role of NATO's SHAPE headquarters in which all EU Member States have, at some stage, been involved;

Or. en

Amendment 41
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the experience of the past has clearly shown the need for establishing permanent operational Headquarters in Brussels for the conduct of CSDP missions;

Amendment

J. whereas there is no need for establishing permanent operational Headquarters in Brussels for the conduct of CSDP missions;

Or. en

Amendment 42
Andrew Duff, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the experience of the past has **clearly shown** the need for establishing permanent operational Headquarters in Brussels for the conduct of CSDP missions;

Amendment

J. whereas the experience of the past has **suggested** the need for establishing permanent operational Headquarters in Brussels for the conduct of CSDP missions;

Or. en

Amendment 43

Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

**Motion for a resolution
Recital K**

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas, in the case of the Arab revolutions, it has become apparent that the EU is unable to ensure, in the short term, a reallocation of resources, including staff, to match new political priorities; **whereas the size and staff profiles of EU delegations must reflect the Union's strategic interests;**

Amendment

K. whereas, in the case of the Arab revolutions, it has become apparent **what dramatic effects a geostrategic, based on power politics - EU foreign policy has and** that the EU is unable to ensure, in the short term, a reallocation of resources, including staff, to match new political priorities;

Or. en

Amendment 44

Geoffrey Van Orden

**Motion for a resolution
Recital K**

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas, in the case of the Arab revolutions, it has become apparent that the EU is unable to ensure, in the short term, a reallocation of resources, including staff, to match **new political** priorities; whereas the size and staff profiles of EU delegations

Amendment

K. whereas, in the case of the Arab revolutions, it has become apparent that the EU is unable to ensure, in the short term, a reallocation of resources, including staff, to match **development and humanitarian assistance** priorities; whereas the size and

must reflect *the* Union's strategic interests;

staff profiles of EU delegations must reflect *this* Union's strategic interests;

Or. en

Amendment 45
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas, in the case of the Arab *revolutions*, it has become apparent that the EU is unable to ensure, in the short term, a reallocation of resources, including staff, to match new political priorities; whereas the size and staff profiles of EU delegations must reflect the Union's strategic interests;

Amendment

K. whereas, in the case of the Arab *uprisings and transitions*, it has become apparent that the EU is unable to ensure, in the short term, a reallocation of resources, including staff, to match new political priorities; whereas the size and staff profiles of EU delegations must reflect the Union's strategic interests;

Or. en

Amendment 46
Inese Vaidere

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas, in the case of the Arab revolutions, it has become apparent that the EU is unable to ensure, in the short term, a reallocation of resources, including staff, to match new political priorities; whereas the size and staff profiles of EU delegations must reflect the Union's strategic interests;

Amendment

K. whereas, in the case of the Arab revolutions, it has become apparent that the EU is unable to ensure, in the short term, a reallocation of resources, including staff, to match new political priorities; whereas the size and staff profiles of EU delegations must reflect the Union's strategic interests *and local linguistic context*;

Or. en

Amendment 47
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the **role of the EEAS in** defining the strategic orientation, **and in contributing to** the implementation of the EU financial assistance instruments, **should be strengthened in line with the key lines of EU foreign policy;**

Amendment

L. whereas the **EEAS was made responsible for** defining the strategic orientation, **but not of** the implementation of the EU financial assistance instruments **since the Commission is the only one responsible and accountable,**

Or. en

Amendment 48
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the role of the EEAS in defining the strategic orientation, and in contributing to the implementation of the EU **financial assistance** instruments, should be strengthened in line with the key lines of EU foreign policy;

Amendment

L. whereas the role of the EEAS in defining the strategic orientation, and in contributing to the implementation of the EU **external financing** instruments, should be strengthened in line with the key lines of EU foreign policy;

Or. en

Amendment 49
Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the role of the EEAS in defining the strategic orientation, and in

Amendment

L. whereas the role of the EEAS in defining the strategic orientation, and in

contributing to the implementation of the EU financial assistance instruments, should be strengthened in line with the key lines of EU foreign policy;

contributing to the implementation of the EU financial assistance instruments, should be strengthened in line with the key lines of EU foreign policy ***determined by the European Council***;

Or. en

Amendment 50
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Recital M

Motion for a resolution

M. whereas, particularly at times of budgetary restrictions, the EEAS should act as a catalyst for greater synergies, ***not only*** within the EU institutional framework ***but also between the EU and its Member States***;

Amendment

M. whereas, particularly at times of budgetary restrictions, the EEAS should act as a catalyst for greater synergies ***and cost efficiency*** within the EU institutional framework;

Or. en

Amendment 51
Graham Watson

Motion for a resolution
Recital M

Motion for a resolution

M. whereas, particularly at times of budgetary restrictions, the EEAS should act as a catalyst for greater synergies, not only within the EU institutional framework but also between the EU and its Member States;

Amendment

M. whereas, particularly at times of budgetary restrictions, the EEAS should act as a catalyst for greater synergies ***and cost-efficiency***, not only within the EU institutional framework but also between the EU and its Member States;

Or. en

Amendment 52
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Recital N

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

N. whereas, at a time when Member States' governments are seriously reducing their diplomatic and consular presence, the EEAS should be seen as an opportunity to foster greater cooperation and synergies;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 53
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Recital N

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

N. whereas, at a time when Member States' governments are *seriously* reducing their diplomatic and consular presence, the EEAS *should be seen as an opportunity to foster greater cooperation and synergies*;

N. whereas *consular protection is the responsibility of individual Member States*, at a time when *some* Member States' governments are reducing their diplomatic and consular presence, and whereas the EEAS *could carry out a supportive role on a case by case basis in facilitating the sharing of resources as long as no additional cost is created to the EU by doing so*;

Or. en

Amendment 54
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Recital N

Motion for a resolution

N. whereas, at a time when Member States' governments are *seriously* reducing their diplomatic and consular presence, the EEAS should be seen as an opportunity to foster greater cooperation and synergies;

Amendment

N. whereas, at a time when Member States' governments are reducing their diplomatic and consular presence, the EEAS should be seen *and further used* as an opportunity to foster greater cooperation and synergies;

Or. en

Amendment 55

Inese Vaidere

Motion for a resolution

Recital N

Motion for a resolution

N. whereas, at a time when Member States' governments are seriously reducing their diplomatic and consular presence, the EEAS should be seen as an opportunity to foster greater cooperation and synergies;

Amendment

N. whereas, at a time when Member States' governments are seriously reducing their diplomatic and consular presence, the EEAS should be seen as an opportunity to foster greater cooperation and synergies *with Member States' embassies*;

Or. en

Amendment 56

Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Motion for a resolution

Recital P

Motion for a resolution

P. whereas the target of one third of staff originating from Member States has been reached, and whereas the staff originating from the three components (the Commission, the Council Secretariat and the national diplomatic services) should be appropriately distributed at all levels and between delegations and Headquarters;

Amendment

P. whereas the target of one third of staff originating from Member States has been reached, and whereas the staff originating from the three components (the Commission, the Council Secretariat and the national diplomatic services) should be appropriately distributed at all levels and between delegations and Headquarters, *in*

full respect of adequate geographical representativity as understood by Council Regulation of 23 February 2004¹;

Or. en

Amendment 57
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Recital P

Motion for a resolution

P. whereas the target of one third of staff originating from Member States has been reached, and whereas the staff originating from the three components (the Commission, the Council Secretariat and the national diplomatic services) should be appropriately distributed at all levels and between delegations and Headquarters;

Amendment

P. whereas the target of ***at least*** one third of staff originating from Member States has ***almost*** been reached, and whereas the staff originating from the three components (the Commission, the Council Secretariat and the national diplomatic services) should be appropriately distributed at all levels and between delegations and Headquarters;

Or. en

Amendment 58
María Muñoz De Urquiza

Motion for a resolution
Recital P a (new)

Motion for a resolution

P a. whereas female representation is below 25% of the Head of Delegations, below 30% of the Deputy Head of Delegations, below 30% in the grade bracket from AD9-AD12, below 20% from AD13-16, 0% in AD16 and below 20% within the Seconded National Experts, while it is around 70% among AST

¹ OJ L 67 of 5.3.2004, p. 1.

officials and Temporary Agents and over 60% among Contract Agents; whereas these proportions are unfortunately not uncommon in other EU institutions, the absence of overall significant improvements may require temporary special measures to increase gender balance within the EEAS structures;

Or. en

Amendment 59
Emilio Menéndez del Valle, Petra Kammerevert

Motion for a resolution
Recital P a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

P a. whereas the High Level Traineeship Programme in the Delegations of the European Union was established on 12 June 2012; whereas the EEAS adopted a list of EU Delegations for the 54 EEAS trainees financed by the EEAS in 2013, which was regrettably reduced to 27 afterwards;

Or. en

Amendment 60
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Motion for a resolution
Recital P a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

P a. whereas in the written statement on geographical balance in the EEAS accompanying the European Parliament's Resolution of 20 October 2010 on the regulation amending the Staff

Regulations¹, the High Representative committed to dedicate a section on geographical balance in the yearly reports on the occupation of posts in the EEAS; whereas no such report has been delivered to the European Parliament so far;

Or. en

Amendment 61
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital R

Motion for a resolution

R. whereas there is a clear need to develop the EEAS' capacity to identify and learn lessons from previous operational experiences, particularly in the area of conflict prevention, conflict mediation *and* crisis management;

Amendment

R. whereas there is a clear need to develop the EEAS' capacity to identify and learn lessons from previous operational experiences, particularly in the area of conflict prevention, conflict mediation, crisis management, *reconciliation and peace-building*;

Or. en

Amendment 62
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Recital R

Motion for a resolution

R. whereas there is a clear need to develop the EEAS' capacity to identify and learn lessons from previous operational experiences, particularly in the area of conflict prevention, conflict mediation and

Amendment

R. whereas there is a clear need to *further* develop the EEAS' capacity to identify and learn lessons from previous operational experiences, particularly in the area of conflict prevention, conflict mediation and

¹ P7_TA(2010)0369.

crisis management;

crisis management;

Or. en

Amendment 63

Annemie Neyts-Uyttebroeck, Andrew Duff

Motion for a resolution

Recital S a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

S a. whereas this assessment should also address ways to improve the appearances before the Parliament and its bodies of the HR/VP and EEAS officials, including the HOD and EUSRs and how the EEAS follows up the Parliament's resolutions;

Or. en

Amendment 64

Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution

Recital S a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

S a. whereas this assessment should also address ways to improve the appearances before the Parliament and its bodies of the HR/VP and EEAS officials, including the HOD and EUSRs and how the EEAS follows up the Parliament's resolutions;

Or. en

Amendment 65

Eduard Kukan

Motion for a resolution
Recital S a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

S a. whereas European Parliament oversight over the EEAS is essential if European external action is to be better understood and supported by EU citizens; whereas the parliamentary scrutiny enhances the legitimacy of the external action;

Or. en

Amendment 66
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Recital T a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

T a. whereas both a professional EEAS and political leadership by the HR/VP is essential for a streamlined and effective CFSP/CSDP;

Or. en

Amendment 67
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1. Bearing in mind that there has been **good** progress in the setting up of the EEAS but that more can be achieved in terms of synergy, coordination between institutions and political leadership, created by the combination of the roles of High

1. Bearing in mind that there has been progress in the setting up of the EEAS but that more can be achieved in terms of synergy, **cost effectiveness and** coordination between institutions and political leadership, created by the

Representative, Vice-President of the Commission and Chair of the Foreign Affairs Council, by strengthening the instrumental character of the Service, addresses the following recommendation to the High Representative/Vice President, the Council and the Commission:

combination of the roles of High Representative, Vice-President of the Commission and Chair of the Foreign Affairs Council, by strengthening the instrumental character of the Service, addresses the following recommendation to the High Representative/Vice President, the Council and the Commission:

Or. en

Amendment 68
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of (a) political deputy/ies; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 69
Ana Gomes, Libor Rouček

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of *(a)*

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of *a*

political deputy/*ies*; to ensure that *these deputies*, given *their* political role, *appear* before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to *their* taking up duties; to consider, *possibly*, a more *regular involvement of the* Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

political deputy; to ensure that *the deputy*, given *his/her* political role, *appears* before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to taking up duties; to *anchor further the Commission and the EEAS together, with the current cooperation between the HR/VP and the Commissioner in the field of European Neighbourhood Policy as an example for other areas*; to consider *in this context the RELEX Commissioners for taking up* a more *formal deputisation role*; to *consider involving* Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union *as a way of reinforcing common EU positions*;

Or. en

Amendment 70
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of *(a) political deputy/ies*; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

Amendment

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties *as entrusted by the TEU, and to increase accountability*, by foreseeing the appointment of *political deputies empowered to answer before Parliament and to act on behalf of the HR/VP in the international arena*; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

Or. en

Amendment 71
Andrew Duff

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of **(a) political deputy/ies**; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

Amendment

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of **political deputies empowered to answer before Parliament and to act on behalf of the HR/VP in the international arena**; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

Or. en

Amendment 72
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of (a) political deputy/ies; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; **to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;**

Amendment

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of (a) political deputy/ies; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties;

Or. en

Amendment 73
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of **(a)** political **deputy/ies**; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

Amendment

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of political **deputies**; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

Or. en

Amendment 74
Daniël van der Stoep

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of (a) political deputy/ies; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union;

Amendment

2. to provide support to the HR/VP in the accomplishment of his/her multiple duties by foreseeing the appointment of (a) political deputy/ies; to ensure that these deputies, given their political role, appear before the responsible committee of Parliament prior to their taking up duties; to consider, possibly, a more regular involvement of the Member States' foreign ministers for specific tasks and missions on behalf of the Union; **to ensure that funding for such deputy/ies should be found within the current budget of the**

EEAS;

Or. en

Amendment 75

Ana Gomes, Libor Rouček

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. to simplify the command structure of the EEAS *and enhance the role of its Executive Secretary General by establishing a clear chain of command to support effective decision-making as well as timely policy response; in this context, to rationalise the posts of Chief Operating Officer and Managing Director in charge of Administration, and reduce and simplify the hierarchical structure of the Managing Directorates; in the same spirit, to clearly define the relevant competences within the management structure of the EEAS in order to optimise efficient and effective decision-making;*

Amendment

3. to simplify the command structure of the EEAS, *marked by a complex system of multi-level hierarchies and by elements previously unknown to EU administration, such as the position of a Managing Director or the existence of a Corporate Board; to remove any obstacles which currently hamper the vertical flow of information and unnecessarily delay decisions in a service that should be prepared to react quickly to emergencies; in this sense to introduce all adequate changes to the present structure with a view to achieving efficiency, clarity and coherence;*

Or. en

Amendment 76

Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. to simplify the command structure of the EEAS and enhance the role of its Executive Secretary General by establishing a clear chain of command to

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support effective decision-making as well as timely policy response; in this context, to rationalise the posts of Chief Operating Officer and Managing Director in charge of Administration, and reduce and simplify the hierarchical structure of the Managing Directorates; in the same spirit, to clearly define the relevant competences within the management structure of the EEAS in order to optimise efficient and effective decision-making;

support effective decision-making as well as timely policy response, *especially in terms of crisis management and crisis response*; in this context, to rationalise the posts of Chief Operating Officer and Managing Director in charge of Administration, and reduce and simplify the hierarchical structure of the Managing Directorates; in the same spirit, *to abolish the Corporate Board and* to clearly define the relevant competences within the management structure of the EEAS in order to optimise efficient and effective decision-making;

Or. en

Amendment 77
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. to simplify the *command* structure of the EEAS and enhance the role of its Executive Secretary General by establishing a clear chain of command to support effective decision-making as well as timely policy response; in this context, to rationalise the posts of Chief Operating Officer and Managing Director in charge of Administration, and reduce and simplify the hierarchical structure of the Managing Directorates; in the same spirit, to clearly define the relevant competences within the management structure of the EEAS in order to optimise efficient and effective decision-making;

Amendment

3. to *reduce and* simplify the structure of the EEAS and enhance the role of its Executive Secretary General by establishing a clear chain of command to support effective decision-making as well as timely policy response; in this context, to rationalise the posts of Chief Operating Officer and Managing Director in charge of Administration, and reduce and simplify the hierarchical structure of the Managing Directorates; in the same spirit, to clearly define the relevant competences within the management structure of the EEAS in order to optimise efficient and effective decision-making;

Or. en

Amendment 78

Andrew Duff, Arnaud Danjean, Franziska Katharina Brantner, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. to improve and strengthen the coordinating *role* of the HR/VP, by ensuring that, in the next Commission, (s)he realises his/her full potential as Vice-President of the Commission and is entrusted with the chairing of the group of RELEX Commissioners, *enlarged to* other Commissioners *when needed; in that regard*, to develop further the practice of joint proposals and joint decisions;

Amendment

4. to improve and strengthen the coordinating *and initiating roles* of the HR/VP, by ensuring that, in the next Commission, (s)he realises his/her full potential as Vice-President of the Commission and is entrusted *by the Commission President* with the chairing of the group of RELEX Commissioners *together with* other Commissioners *whose portfolios have an external dimension in order* to develop further the practice of joint proposals and joint decisions;

Or. en

Amendment 79

Annemie Neyts-Uyttebroeck, Andrew Duff

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. to improve and strengthen the coordinating role of the HR/VP, by ensuring that, in the next Commission, (s)he realises his/her full potential as Vice-President of the Commission and is entrusted with the chairing of the group of RELEX Commissioners, enlarged to other Commissioners when needed; in that regard, to develop further the practice of joint proposals and joint decisions;

Amendment

4. to improve and strengthen the coordinating role of the HR/VP, by ensuring that, in the next Commission, (s)he realises his/her full potential as Vice-President of the Commission and is entrusted with the chairing of the group of RELEX Commissioners, enlarged to other Commissioners when needed; in that regard, to develop further the practice of joint proposals and joint decisions; *with a view to strengthen the political leadership of the HR/VP in his/her capacity of Chair of the Foreign Affairs Council;*

Or. en

Amendment 80
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. to improve and strengthen the coordinating role of the HR/VP, by ensuring that, in the next Commission, (s)he realises his/her full potential as Vice-President of the Commission and is entrusted with the chairing of the group of RELEX Commissioners, enlarged to other Commissioners when needed; in that regard, to develop further the practice of joint proposals and joint decisions;

Amendment

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Or. en

Amendment 81
Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. to improve and strengthen the coordinating role of the HR/VP, by ensuring that, in the next Commission, (s)he realises his/her full potential as Vice-President of the Commission and is entrusted with the chairing of the group of RELEX Commissioners, enlarged to other Commissioners when needed; in that regard, to develop further the practice of joint proposals and joint decisions;

Amendment

4. to improve and strengthen the coordinating role of the HR/VP, by ensuring that, in the next Commission, (s)he realises his/her full potential as Vice-President of the Commission and is entrusted with the chairing of the group of RELEX Commissioners, enlarged to other Commissioners when needed; in that regard, to develop further the practice of joint proposals and joint decisions ***and ensure that the whole European Neighbourhood Policy programme is***

supervised and implemented by the EEAS;

Or. en

Amendment 82
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4 a. to use, in this context, the possibility of qualified majority voting on CFSP matters, as laid down in Article 31(2) TEU and to formally explore the broadening of qualified majority voting on CFSP matters by means of the respective passerelle clause;

Or. en

Amendment 83
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5. to ensure that, in compliance with Article 9(3) of the EEAS Decision, the EEAS plays a leading role in the definition of the strategies of the relevant external ***financial assistance*** instruments and that, for this purpose, the EEAS has the expertise to lead in these areas, particularly in the neighbourhood;

5. to ensure that, in compliance with Article 9(3) of the EEAS Decision, the EEAS plays a leading role in the definition of the strategies of the relevant external ***financing*** instruments and that, for this purpose, the EEAS has the expertise to lead in these areas, particularly in the neighbourhood;

Or. en

Amendment 84
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. to ensure that, in compliance with Article 9(3) of the EEAS Decision, the EEAS plays a leading role in the definition of the strategies of the relevant external financial assistance instruments and that, for this purpose, the EEAS has the expertise to lead in these areas, *particularly in the neighbourhood;*

Amendment

5. to ensure that, in compliance with Article 9(3) of the EEAS Decision, the EEAS plays a leading role in the definition of the strategies of the relevant external financial assistance instruments and that, for this purpose, the EEAS has the expertise to lead in these areas;

Or. en

Amendment 85
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5 a. the planning, programming, management and implementation of operational expenditure of all financing instruments of EU external action, namely

- the Development Cooperation Instrument,***
- the European Development Fund,***
- the European Instrument for Democracy and Human Rights,***
- the European Neighbourhood and Partnership Instrument,***
- the Instrument for Cooperation with Industrialised Countries,***
- the Instrument for Nuclear Safety Cooperation.***

- the Instrument for humanitarian aid shall not be transferred to the EEAS as the European Parliament must have the full budgetary and parliamentary control over them;

Or. en

Amendment 86
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. to *safeguard, at the same time, the 'community' character of the neighbourhood policy, bearing in mind that Parliament rejects any intergovernmentalisation of Community policies*, given that the Commission is mainly responsible for negotiating international agreements for and on behalf of the Union;

Amendment

6. to *improve the* character of the neighbourhood policy given that the Commission is mainly responsible for negotiating international agreements for and on behalf of the Union;

Or. en

Amendment 87
Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. to safeguard, at the same time, the 'community' character of the neighbourhood policy, *bearing in mind that Parliament rejects any intergovernmentalisation of Community policies*, given that the Commission is mainly responsible for negotiating international agreements for and on behalf

Amendment

6. to safeguard, at the same time, the 'community' character of the neighbourhood policy, given that the Commission is mainly responsible for negotiating international agreements for and on behalf of the Union;

of the Union;

Or. en

Amendment 88
Andrew Duff, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. to safeguard, at the same time, the 'community' character of the neighbourhood policy, bearing in mind that Parliament rejects any intergovernmentalisation of **Community** policies, given that the Commission is mainly responsible for negotiating international agreements for and on behalf of the Union;

Amendment

6. to safeguard, at the same time, the 'community' character of the neighbourhood policy, bearing in mind that Parliament rejects any intergovernmentalisation of **Union** policies, given that the Commission is mainly responsible for negotiating international agreements for and on behalf of the Union;

Or. en

Amendment 89
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. to integrate, as a matter of priority, the Directorate for Foreign Policy Instruments in the EEAS;

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 90
Ingeborg Gräßle

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. to **integrate, as a matter of priority**, the Directorate for Foreign Policy Instruments **in** the EEAS;

Amendment

7. to **further improve the interface between** the Directorate for Foreign Policy Instruments **and** the EEAS.

Or. en

Amendment 91
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

7 a. to ensure mainstreaming of human rights into all EU policies and mechanisms, including trade, environment, development, energy, migration and trade;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 92
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. to ensure that the European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) are closely integrated into the work of the EEAS by anchoring them and their staff in the EEAS structure, **and to consider, whenever possible, double-hatting them with EU Heads of Delegation;**

Amendment

8. to ensure that the European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) are closely integrated into the work of the EEAS by anchoring them and their staff in the EEAS structure; **to reject the system of double-hatting throughout the whole EEAS-structures since parliamentary control of the EEAS has been fully undermined; to ensure that the European**

Parliament's right of scrutiny is guaranteed to its full extent, and assured for the national parliaments as well, especially in terms of the CSFP and CSDP;

Or. en

Amendment 93
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. to ensure that the European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) are closely integrated into the work of the EEAS by anchoring them *and their* staff in the EEAS structure, and to consider, whenever possible, double-hatting them with EU Heads of Delegation;

Amendment

8. to ensure that the European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) are closely integrated into the work of the EEAS by anchoring them, *with adequate* staff *and resources*, in the EEAS structure, and to consider, whenever possible, double-hatting them with EU Heads of Delegation;

Or. en

Amendment 94
Annemie Neyts-Uyttebroeck

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. to ensure that the European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) are closely integrated into the work of the EEAS by anchoring them and their staff in the EEAS structure, and to consider, whenever *possible*, double-hatting them with EU Heads of Delegation;

Amendment

8. to ensure that the European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) are closely integrated into the work of the EEAS by anchoring them and their staff in the EEAS structure, and to consider, whenever *useful*, double-hatting them with EU Heads of Delegation;

Or. en

Amendment 95
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. to ensure that the European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) are closely integrated into the work of the EEAS by anchoring them and their staff in the EEAS structure, and to consider, whenever *possible*, double-hatting them with EU Heads of Delegation;

Amendment

8. to ensure that the European Union Special Representatives (EUSRs) are closely integrated into the work of the EEAS by anchoring them and their staff in the EEAS structure, and to consider, whenever *useful*, double-hatting them with EU Heads of Delegation;

Or. en

Amendment 96
José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. to *carry out a systematic and in-depth audit of* the external policy-related structures put in place by the Commission and the Council Secretariat, with a view to overcoming current duplications; to make this report available to Parliament;

Amendment

9. to *unify and put in common* the external policy-related structures put in place by the Commission and the Council Secretariat, with a view to overcoming current duplications; to make this report available to Parliament;

Or. en

Amendment 97
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. to carry out a systematic and in-depth audit of the external policy-related structures put in place by the Commission and the Council Secretariat, with a view to overcoming current duplications; to make this report available to Parliament;

Amendment

9. to carry out a systematic and in-depth audit of the external policy-related structures put in place by the Commission and the Council Secretariat, with a view to overcoming current duplications **and promoting cost efficiency**; to make this report available to Parliament;

Or. en

Amendment 98
Graham Watson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. to carry out a systematic and in-depth audit of the external policy-related structures put in place by the Commission and the Council Secretariat, with a view to overcoming current duplications; to make this report available to Parliament;

Amendment

9. to carry out a systematic and in-depth audit of the external policy-related structures put in place by the Commission and the Council Secretariat, with a view to overcoming current duplications **and promoting cost-efficiency**; to make this report available to Parliament;

Or. en

Amendment 99
José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. in the same vein, to further develop the practice of joint technical and logistical services between institutions, with a view to achieving economies of scale and improved efficiency;

Amendment

10. in the same vein, to further develop the practice of joint technical and logistical services between institutions, with a view to achieving economies of scale and improved efficiency; **as a first step, to put**

under a "single joint structure" the various conflict prevention, risks assessments and security tasks currently dispersed in different Commission, EEAS and Council Services in order to avoid the existing overlapping and waste of resources and to ensure greater consistency and effectiveness;

Or. en

Amendment 100
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. in coordination with the Member States, to set out options over the medium to long-term for achieving economies of scale between Member States diplomatic services and the EEAS in third countries, including in relation to the provision of consular services;

Amendment

11. to carry out a supportive role on a case by case basis in facilitating the sharing of resources between some Member States diplomatic and consular services, as long as no additional cost is created to the EU by doing so, and any such action is only carried out in response to requests from the Member States concerned;

Or. en

Amendment 101
Annemie Neyts-Uyttebroeck

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. to adopt a coherent approach as regards the chairing of working groups of the Council and to end the rotating presidency of those groups;

Amendment

deleted

Amendment 102

Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. to adopt a coherent approach as regards the chairing of working groups of the Council *and to end the rotating presidency of those groups*;

Amendment

12. to adopt a coherent approach as regards the chairing of working groups of the Council;

Or. en

Amendment 103

Eduard Kukan

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. to adopt a coherent approach as regards the chairing of working groups of the Council and *to* end the rotating presidency of those groups;

Amendment

12. to adopt a coherent approach as regards the chairing of working groups of the Council and *where appropriate* end the rotating presidency of those groups;

Or. en

Amendment 104

Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. in line with Article 24 TEU, to ensure that Member States support the Union's

Amendment

deleted

external and security policy actively and unreservedly, in a spirit of loyalty and mutual solidarity, and that they comply with the Union's actions and support the EEAS in carrying out its mandate;

Or. en

Amendment 105

Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. in line with Article 24 TEU, to ensure that Member States support the Union's external and security policy actively and unreservedly, in a spirit of loyalty and mutual solidarity, ***and that they comply with the Union's actions and support the EEAS in carrying out its mandate;***

Amendment

13. in line with Article 24 TEU, to ensure that Member States ***actively*** support the Union's external and security policy actively and unreservedly, in a spirit of loyalty and mutual solidarity;

Or. en

Amendment 106

Daniël van der Stoep

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. in line with Article 24 TEU, to ensure that Member States support the Union's external and security policy actively and ***unreservedly, in a spirit of loyalty and mutual solidarity, and that they comply with the Union's actions and*** support the EEAS in carrying out its mandate;

Amendment

13. in line with Article 24 TEU, to ensure that Member States support the Union's external and security policy actively and support the EEAS in carrying out its mandate;

Or. en

Amendment 107
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. to ***this end, to promote deeper cooperation with*** Member States ***and to develop*** joint political reporting between delegations and embassies;

Amendment

14. to ***facilitate where requested by individual*** Member States joint political reporting between delegations and embassies;

Or. en

Amendment 108
György Schöpflin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14 a. to benefit from European foreign policy think tanks since the EEAS should be a focal point of European level policy making in external relations;

Or. en

Amendment 109
Eduard Kukan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14 a. to ensure better visibility of the Service in the Member States and outside the EU, while actively promoting priorities of the CFSP and coherence of

external action within all policy domains;

Or. en

Amendment 110
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15. to implement the full potential of the Lisbon Treaty by pursuing a Comprehensive Approach that integrates diplomatic, economic, development, and – in the last resort and in full compliance with the UN Charter – military means behind common Union strategic policy guidelines in order to promote the security and prosperity of EU citizens and their neighbours; in this respect, to ensure that the EEAS has the capacity to forward proposals for implementing important innovations offered by the Lisbon Treaty, including on Permanent Structured Cooperation; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 111
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15. to implement the full potential of the Lisbon Treaty by pursuing a Comprehensive Approach that integrates diplomatic, economic, development, and – in the last resort and in full compliance with the UN Charter – military means *deleted*

behind common Union strategic policy guidelines in order to promote the security and prosperity of EU citizens and their neighbours; in this respect, to ensure that the EEAS has the capacity to forward proposals for implementing important innovations offered by the Lisbon Treaty, including on Permanent Structured Cooperation;

Or. en

Amendment 112
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. to implement the full potential of the Lisbon Treaty by pursuing a Comprehensive Approach that integrates diplomatic, economic, development, and – in the last resort and in full compliance with the UN Charter – military means behind common Union strategic policy guidelines in order to promote the security and prosperity of EU citizens *and* their neighbours; in this respect, to ensure that the EEAS has the capacity to forward proposals for implementing important innovations offered by the Lisbon Treaty, including on Permanent Structured Cooperation;

Amendment

15. to implement the full potential of the Lisbon Treaty by pursuing a Comprehensive Approach that integrates diplomatic, economic, development, and – in the last resort and in full compliance with the UN Charter – military means behind common Union strategic policy guidelines in order to *protect and* promote the security and prosperity of *primarily* EU citizens, *particularly* their neighbours *and preferably globally, along with allies and through international organizations*; in this respect, to ensure that the EEAS has the capacity to forward proposals for implementing important innovations offered by the Lisbon Treaty, including on Permanent Structured Cooperation;

Or. en

Amendment 113
György Schöpflin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. to implement the full potential of the Lisbon Treaty by pursuing a Comprehensive Approach that integrates diplomatic, economic, development, and – in the last resort and in full compliance with the UN Charter – military means behind common Union strategic policy guidelines in order to promote the security and prosperity of EU citizens and their neighbours; in this respect, to ensure that the EEAS has the capacity to forward proposals for implementing important innovations offered by the Lisbon Treaty, including on Permanent Structured Cooperation;

Amendment

15. to implement the full potential of the Lisbon Treaty by pursuing a Comprehensive Approach that integrates diplomatic, economic, development, and – in the last resort and in full compliance with the UN Charter – military means behind common Union strategic policy guidelines in order to promote the security and prosperity of EU citizens and their neighbours; in this respect, to ensure that the EEAS has the capacity **for strategic thinking and** to forward proposals for implementing important innovations offered by the Lisbon Treaty, including on Permanent Structured Cooperation;

Or. en

Amendment 114
Andrew Duff, Arnaud Danjean, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. to implement the full potential of the Lisbon Treaty by pursuing a Comprehensive Approach that integrates diplomatic, economic, development, and – in the last resort and in full compliance with the UN Charter – military means behind common Union strategic policy guidelines in order to promote the security and prosperity of EU citizens and their neighbours; in this respect, to ensure that the EEAS has the capacity to forward proposals for implementing important innovations offered by the Lisbon Treaty, including **on** Permanent Structured Cooperation;

Amendment

15. to implement the full potential of the Lisbon Treaty by pursuing a Comprehensive Approach that integrates diplomatic, economic, development, and – in the last resort and in full compliance with the UN Charter – military means behind common Union strategic policy guidelines in order to promote the security and prosperity of EU citizens and their neighbours; in this respect, to ensure that the EEAS has the capacity to forward proposals for implementing important innovations offered by the Lisbon Treaty, including **entrusting the implementation of certain tasks to groups of capable**

Amendment 115
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 a. to ensure that the military structures of the EU, located in the General Secretariat of the Council, as well as the civilian-military structures such as the European Union Military Staff, the European Defence Agency (EDA), the Crisis Management Planning Directorate (CMPD), EU Situation Centre (SitCen) and the European Union Satellite Centre (EUSC), are neither part of the EEAS nor institutionally connected to it; furthermore to ensure that the Council stops the further militarisation of EU foreign policy and abolishes all military and civil-military structures under its competence, as well as stops the financing of military and civil-military activities;

Amendment 116
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 a. to develop mechanisms to ensure

coherence between short-term crisis management measures and longer-term activities under the development and neighbourhood instruments;

Or. en

Amendment 117
José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 a. to that end, to establish under the authority of the HR/VP a Political Council, of whom shall be members the Executive Secretary General, the political deputies, the EUSRs and other relevant political counsellors, in order to assist the HR/VP to assess and evaluate the political impact of any foreseeable action to be undertaken by the EEAS;

Or. en

Amendment 118
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16. to that end, to develop further an 'appropriate structure' that integrates crisis response, peace building and CSDP structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept;

deleted

Amendment 119

Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. to that end, to develop further an ‘appropriate structure’ that integrates crisis response, peace building and CSDP structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept;

Amendment

16. to that end, to develop further an **internal** ‘appropriate structure’ that integrates crisis response, peace building and CSDP structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept;

Amendment 120

Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. to that end, to develop further an ‘appropriate structure’ that integrates crisis response, **peace building and CSDP** structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept;

Amendment

16. to that end, to develop further an ‘appropriate structure’ that integrates crisis response structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept;

Amendment 121

Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. to that end, to develop further an ‘appropriate structure’ that integrates crisis response, peace building and CSDP structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept;

Amendment

16. to that end, to develop further an ‘appropriate structure’ that integrates crisis response, peace building and CSDP structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept; ***to clarify the roles and responsibilities of the various institutions responsible for fragility and conflict at a policy and operational level; in line with attempts to enhance institutional coordination through the establishment of an inter-institutional CPG, to ensure, through its Conflict Security and Policy Division which chairs the CPG, that the group is operational and delivers effectively against its mandate, which includes gathering and reviewing early warning information, identifying early response options, developing conflict risk analysis methodologies and broadly mainstreaming conflict-prevention into EU external action at regional level and across all areas of cooperation;***

Or. en

Amendment 122
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. to that end, to develop further an ‘appropriate structure’ that integrates crisis

Amendment

16. to that end, to develop further an ‘appropriate structure’ that integrates

response, peace building and CSDP structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept;

conflict prevention, crisis response, peace building, *the Foreign Policy Instruments Service* and CSDP structures, and assures coordination with the geographical desks, delegations and other policy departments concerned in crisis management, building on the crisis platform concept; *to merge the Managing Directorate for Crisis Response and Operational Coordination into this structure and ensure the structure is not duplicated elsewhere in the EEAS*;

Or. en

Amendment 123

José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16 a. to set up a "Strategic Planning Center" under the management of the Executive Secretary General that provides for integrated strategic policy planning and programming drawing on both CSDP, IfS and geographic expertise, and in accordance with the mandate and instructions received from the HR/VP and the Political Council;

Or. en

Amendment 124

Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17. to ensure effective and integrated

deleted

planning, and faster decision-making, for CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC); in addition, to create a permanent conduct structure by establishing a permanent military Operational Headquarter, co-located with a Civilian Conduct Capability, in order to allow the effective implementation of military and civilian operations whilst safeguarding their respective chains of command;

Or. en

Amendment 125

Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. to ensure effective and integrated planning, and faster decision-making, for CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC); ***in addition, to create a permanent conduct structure by establishing a permanent military Operational Headquarter, co-located with a Civilian Conduct Capability, in order to allow the effective implementation of military and civilian operations whilst safeguarding their respective chains of command;***

Amendment

17. to ensure effective and integrated planning, and faster decision-making, for CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC);

Or. en

Amendment 126
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. to ensure effective and integrated planning, and faster decision-making, for CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC); ***in addition, to create a permanent conduct structure by establishing a permanent military Operational Headquarter, co-located with a Civilian Conduct Capability, in order to allow the effective implementation of military and civilian operations*** whilst safeguarding their respective chains of command;

Amendment

17. to ensure effective and integrated planning, and faster decision-making, for ***civilian*** CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC), whilst safeguarding their respective chains of command;

Or. en

Amendment 127
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. to ensure effective and integrated planning, and faster decision-making, for CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC); ***in addition, to create a permanent conduct structure by establishing a permanent military Operational Headquarter, co-located with a Civilian Conduct Capability, in order to allow the effective implementation of***

Amendment

17. to ensure effective and integrated planning, and faster decision-making, for CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC) in order to allow the effective implementation of military and civilian operations whilst safeguarding their respective chains of command;

military and civilian operations whilst safeguarding their respective chains of command;

Or. en

Amendment 128
Andrew Duff, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. to ensure effective and integrated planning, and faster decision-making, for CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC); in addition, to ***create a permanent conduct structure by*** establishing a permanent military Operational Headquarter, co-located with a Civilian Conduct Capability, in order to allow the effective implementation of military and civilian operations whilst safeguarding their respective chains of command;

Amendment

17. to ensure effective and integrated planning, and faster decision-making, for CSDP operations, by combining the relevant planning capacities from the Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) and the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability (CPCC); in addition, to ***develop the case for*** establishing a permanent military Operational Headquarter, co-located with a Civilian Conduct Capability, in order to allow the effective implementation of military and civilian operations whilst safeguarding their respective chains of command;

Or. en

Amendment 129
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

17 a. to finalise the Action Plan on security, fragility and development requested by the Council in 2007, which should be based on a whole-of-EU

Amendment

approach aiming to ensure that the EU's objectives in the field of development cooperation, humanitarian assistance, peacebuilding, conflict prevention and international security are mutually reinforcing; to convene a high-level coordination group on fragility, comprising the Commissioners of relevant DGs and headed by the HR/VP, to ensure that the views of the European Parliament are regularly taken into consideration, tasked with agreeing policies and monitoring progress for specific countries of EU focus;

Or. en

Amendment 130
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. to resolve current rigidities in the financial circuit so as to authorise Commission staff in delegations, when conditions on the ground so require, to take over some budgetary tasks in order to allow Heads of Delegation to focus on their political tasks;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 131
Ingeborg Gräble

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. to *resolve current rigidities in the*

18. to *make full use of all existing*

financial *circuit so as to authorise Commission staff* in delegations, *when conditions on the ground so require, to take over some budgetary tasks in order to allow Heads of Delegation to focus on their political tasks;*

flexibilities under the Financial Regulation relating to the management of budget in Delegations; *to consider possible detailed arrangements as foreseen by the Financial Regulation in order to ensure continuity in the implementation of administrative appropriations in small Delegations where circumstances so require; to use the possibility for Heads of Delegations to subdelegate further, where appropriate, the management of operational expenditure to Commission Heads of Section in charge of aid management;*

Or. en

Amendment 132
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18 a. to reject the incorporation of the Union delegations by the EEAS, in particular because of the lack of transparency and parliamentary control of the EEAS; to further reject in this regard the shift of significant competences towards the EEAS and therefore rejects any further shifts of competences such as payment authorisation or budgetary matters towards the EEAS;

Or. en

Amendment 133
Ingeborg Gräßle

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. to ***speed up*** procedures ***in the Foreign Policy Instruments Service*** for administering CFSP finances ***against the objective of guaranteeing*** flexible and timely response to crisis situations and, in particular, ***to ensure*** that civilian CSDP operations are launched rapidly and with efficiency; ***in this regard, to examine whether changes to the Financial Regulation can be introduced without reducing oversight;***

Amendment

19. to ***continue improving*** procedures for administering CFSP finances ***given the need of a*** flexible and timely response to crisis situations and, in particular, ***of ensuring*** that civilian CSDP operations are launched rapidly and with efficiency

Or. en

Amendment 134

Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group
Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

19 a. to increase the flexibility and reactivity of EU external assistance by reviewing the rules for decisions on programming and spending for external financial instruments;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 135

José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

21 a. to make the necessary so that

Amendment

appointments at the head of EU Delegations are done on the basis of merits and sound knowledge of the Union's interest, values and policies, in order to ensure motivation and the highest degree of quality and efficiency among those selected for such sensitive functions;

Or. en

Amendment 136
José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22. to provide that, particularly in delegations where the number of EEAS staff is small, the Head of delegation can, in compliance with Article 5(2) of the EEAS Decision, also task Commission staff to carry out political analysis and political reporting;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 137
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22. to provide that, particularly in delegations where the number of EEAS staff is small, the Head of delegation can, in compliance with Article 5(2) of the EEAS Decision, also task Commission staff to carry out political analysis and political reporting;

deleted

Amendment 138
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23. in this context, to strengthen the authority of the Heads of Delegation over the whole staff including Commission staff, and to ensure that the Head of Delegation is the addressee of all instructions issued by Headquarters;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 139
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24. to seriously develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, and by enabling them to provide consular protection to EU citizens from Member States who are not represented in a given country; to ensure any additional tasks ***do not take resources away from existing policies and priorities, unless there is a reorientation and redeployment of staff is to take up these new challenges;***

24. to seriously develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, and by enabling them to provide consular protection to EU citizens from Member States who are not represented in a given country; to ensure any additional tasks ***assigned to the European level are accompanied by a commensurate transfer of resources freed up at national level rather than taking resources away from existing policies and priorities at EU level;***

Or. en

Amendment 140

José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. to seriously develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, and by enabling them to provide consular protection to EU citizens from Member States who are not represented in a given country; to ensure ***any additional tasks do not take resources away from existing policies and priorities, unless there is a reorientation and redeployment of staff is to take up these new challenges;***

Amendment

24. to seriously develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, and by enabling them to provide consular protection to EU citizens from Member States who are not represented in a given country; to ensure ***in this regard that the necessary resources are allocated by the Commission relevant services and, if necessary, redeployed within EU Delegations;***

Or. en

Amendment 141

Daniël van der Stoep

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. to seriously develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, ***and by enabling them to provide consular protection to EU citizens from Member States who are not represented in a given country;*** to ensure any additional tasks do not take resources away from existing policies and priorities, unless there is a reorientation and redeployment of staff is to take up these

Amendment

24. to seriously develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations; to ensure any additional tasks do not take resources away from existing policies and priorities, unless there is a reorientation and redeployment of staff is to take up these new challenges;

new challenges;

Or. en

Amendment 142
Eduard Kukan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. to seriously develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, and by enabling them to provide consular protection to EU citizens **from Member States who are not represented in a given country**; to ensure any additional tasks do not take resources away from existing policies and priorities, unless there is a reorientation and redeployment of staff is to take up these new challenges;

Amendment

24. to seriously develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, and by enabling them to provide consular protection to EU citizens to ensure any additional tasks do not take resources away from existing policies and priorities, unless there is a reorientation and redeployment of staff is to take up these new challenges;

Or. en

Amendment 143
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. to **seriously** develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, and by enabling them to **provide** consular protection to EU citizens from Member States who are not represented in a given country; to ensure

Amendment

24. to develop the opportunities opened up by the EEAS Decision and by the TEU, notably by enhancing the coordinating role of delegations, especially in crisis situations, and by enabling them to **support Member States in their role of providing** consular protection to EU citizens from Member States who are not represented in

any additional tasks do not take resources away from existing policies and priorities, unless there is a reorientation and redeployment of staff is to take up these new challenges;

a given country *in accordance with the third paragraph of Article 35 TEU*; to ensure any additional tasks do not take resources away from existing policies and priorities, unless there is a reorientation and redeployment of staff is to take up these new challenges;

Or. en

Amendment 144
Ana Gomes, Libor Rouček

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. *to ensure that, whenever applicable, every EU delegation has a human rights focal point;*

Amendment

25. *given that the vast majority of more than 140 EU Delegations and Offices around the world now have human rights focal points, to further develop the partnership with civil society, including on the local level, and to consolidate consultation on policy initiatives and dialogues on human rights; to ensure that the human rights perspective informs all aspects of EEAS work;*

Or. en

Amendment 145
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. to ensure that, *whenever applicable, every EU delegation has a human rights focal point;*

Amendment

25. to ensure that *human rights issues are mainstreamed within every delegation, including through due prioritisation and attention by the Heads of Delegation;*

Amendment 146
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. to ensure that, whenever applicable, every EU delegation has ***a human rights focal point***;

Amendment

25. to ensure that, whenever applicable, every EU delegation has ***the capability to properly control and evaluate local EU assistance programmes***;

Amendment 147
José Ignacio Salafranca Sánchez-Neyra

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. to ensure that, whenever applicable, every EU delegation has a human rights focal point;

Amendment

25. to ensure that, whenever applicable, every EU delegation has a human rights focal point; ***and, in the case of the most important posts, a parliamentary liaison officer***;

Amendment 148
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25. to ensure that, whenever applicable, every EU delegation has a human rights focal point;

25. to ensure that, whenever applicable, every EU delegation has a human rights **and women's rights** focal point;

Or. en

Amendment 149

Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26. to ensure that, wherever applicable, every delegation has a CSDP attaché, in particular in delegations in situations of political instability or fragility or where a recent CSDP operation or mission has been terminated, in order to ensure continuity and monitoring of the environment;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 150

Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26. to ensure that, wherever applicable, every delegation has a CSDP attaché, in particular in delegations in situations of political instability or fragility or where a recent CSDP operation or mission has been terminated, in order to ensure continuity and monitoring of the environment;

deleted

Amendment 151
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. to ensure that, wherever applicable, every delegation has a **CSDP attaché**, in particular in delegations in situations of political instability or fragility **or where a recent CSDP operation or mission has been terminated**, in order to ensure continuity and monitoring of the environment;

Amendment

26. to ensure that, wherever applicable, every delegation has a **civil-attaché specialised in mediation and peaceful conflict resolution**, in particular in delegations in situations of political instability or fragility in order to ensure continuity and monitoring of the environment;

Amendment 152
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. to ensure that, wherever applicable, every delegation has a **CSDP attaché**, in particular in delegations in situations of political instability or fragility or where a recent CSDP operation or mission has been terminated, in order to ensure continuity and monitoring of the environment;

Amendment

26. to ensure that, wherever applicable, every delegation has a **security and defence attaché**, in particular in delegations in situations of political instability or fragility or where a recent CSDP operation or mission has been terminated, in order to ensure continuity and monitoring of the environment;

Amendment 153
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. to ensure that, wherever applicable, every delegation has a CSDP attaché, in particular *in* delegations in situations of political instability or fragility or where a recent CSDP operation or mission has been terminated, in order to ensure continuity and monitoring of the environment;

Amendment

26. to ensure that, wherever applicable, every delegation has a CSDP attaché, in particular *where* delegations *operate* in situations of political instability or fragility or where a recent CSDP operation or mission has been terminated, in order to ensure *operational* continuity and *adequate* monitoring of the *political* environment;

Or. en

Amendment 154
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

26 a. to devolve decision-making powers on integrated programming and flexible resource utilisation in fragile and conflict-affected states to Heads of Delegation, in line with the country-level locus of the New Deal; to avoid implementation gaps in support of long-term prevention and post-emergency transition, and maximise the speed and flexibility with which emerging gaps and needs can be addressed accordance with country plans and compacts established under the New Deal;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 155
Emilio Menéndez del Valle, Petra Kammerevert

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. to enhance and promote the use of the High Level Traineeship Programme in the Delegations of the European Union, which is of paramount importance to enable European youth to experience the EU external relations' policy-making and to spread European ideas and values; to fulfil the commitment of deploying Junior Professionals financed by the EEAS in 2013 to the original list of 54 EU Delegations and adequately address this issue together with the Member States in the future;

Or. en

Amendment 156
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. to ensure that, whenever applicable, every EU delegation has a climate change and energy advisor in view of enhancing international cooperation to combat climate change and strengthening the Union's energy security;

Or. en

Amendment 157
Annemie Neyts-Uyttebroeck

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. at the delegations level, to encourage both the EEAS and the European Commission's Development and Cooperation - EuropeAid to work more actively to engage in political and policy dialogue with stakeholders including CSOs and NGOs;

Or. en

Amendment 158
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. at the delegations level, to encourage both the EEAS and the European Commission's Development and Cooperation - EuropeAid to work more actively to engage in political and policy dialogue with stakeholders including CSOs and NGOs;

Or. en

Amendment 159
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

On implementing the Declaration on

On implementing the Declaration on

Political Accountability

Political Accountability *and cooperation
with the European Parliament*

Or. en

Amendment 160
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*27 a. to establish a working structure
between the EEAS and the European
Parliament in order to ensure that on
foreign-relations issues:*

*a) an effective information flow exists
between relevant units in the EEAS, the
Commission, the delegations and the
European Parliament in the drafting
phase of European Parliament reports
and resolutions;*

*b) after adoption of positions by the
European Parliament, the relevant units
in the EEAS, the Commission and the
delegations take note of the views and
recommendations of the Parliament, and
report back on progress in the
implementation to the parliamentary
committees concerned on a regular,
mutually agreed and institutionalised
basis;*

Or. en

Amendment 161
György Schöpflin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. to ensure general transparency with regard to political and administrative related decisions and methods;

Or. en

Amendment 162

Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 b. to ensure that Parliament's views and recommendations with regard to third countries are duly represented in the countries concerned, and that European Parliament delegations are adequately assisted during their missions in third countries;

Or. en

Amendment 163
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. to ensure full political reporting from Union delegations to **key office holders of** Parliament under regulated access;

28. to ensure full political reporting from Union delegations to **Members of the European** Parliament under regulated access;

Or. en

Amendment 164
Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. to ensure full political reporting from Union delegations to **key office holders** of Parliament under regulated access;

Amendment

28. to ensure full political reporting from Union delegations to **all political groups** of Parliament under regulated access;

Or. en

Amendment 165
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

31. to ensure that, once appointed by the HR/VP, the new Heads of Delegations **are officially confirmed by** the relevant committee of Parliament before taking up their posts;

Amendment

31. to ensure that, once appointed by the HR/VP, the new Heads of Delegations **exchange views with** the relevant committee of Parliament before taking up their posts;

Or. en

Amendment 166
Annemie Neyts-Uyttebroeck

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

31. to ensure that, once appointed by the HR/VP, the new Heads of Delegations are officially **confirmed by the** relevant committee of Parliament before taking up their posts;

Amendment

31. to ensure that, once appointed by the HR/VP, the new Heads of Delegations are officially **given a positive advise from the** relevant committee of Parliament before taking up their posts;

Amendment 167
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33

Motion for a resolution

33. to *promote common* training and *other concrete measures for the consolidation of an esprit de corps among* EEAS staff *with various diplomatic culture and institutional background, and to consider joint training initiatives for EEAS staff and national diplomats, as part of their continuous professional development;*

Amendment

33. to *review the existing* training and *educational programmes at an EU level, in order to ensure that* EEAS staff *can provide value-added to national diplomatic delegations;*

Amendment 168
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

33 a. to ensure human rights training becomes obligatory for all levels of EEAS staff, including EEAS Directors and Heads of EU Delegations; to ensure that evaluation of human rights considerations become an integral part of the annual performance reviews for all EU diplomats and relevant officials;

Amendment

Amendment 169
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

34. in this spirit, to review the relevant existing training and educational programmes at EU and national levels, with a view to consolidating them alongside the existing European Security and Defence College;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 170
Anneli Jäätteenmäki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences;

35. to ensure full gender as well as fair and just geographical balance within the EEAS, with due regard to merit and competences; to put emphasise in particular on the importance of achieving gender and geographical balance in HoD positions and at other managerial levels;

Or. en

Amendment 171
Zbigniew Ziobro

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance with particular emphasis to the

competences;

Kinnock's index;

Or. en

Amendment 172

Willy Meyer, Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve *better* gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences;

Amendment

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve *equalised* gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences;

Or. en

Amendment 173

Ana Gomes, Libor Rouček

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences;

Amendment

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences; *to ensure geographical representation of all Member States at the senior levels in order to foster and encourage political ownership of the EEAS by officials and Member States alike; to more resolutely address the significant under-representation of women amongst AD level staff and even more so in leading positions; to take appropriate action, be it in form of mentoring programmes, special training or the creation of a flexible and family friendly working environment in order to remedy the current situation;*

Amendment 174
María Muñoz De Urquiza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences;

Amendment

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences; ***to urgently and effectively address gender imbalances in higher and lower levels by introducing temporary special measures following the example of those adopted by United Nations;***

Amendment 175
Franziska Katharina Brantner
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences;

Amendment

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences; ***and, in particular, to put forward an action plan to promote the representation of women within the EEAS and to address the structural obstacles to diplomatic careers of women, in line with the High Representative's commitments to the European Parliament of October***

2010¹;

Or. en

Amendment 176
György Schöpflin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences;

Amendment

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance ***and to reflect effectively diversity on a European level***, with due regard to merit and competences

Or. en

Amendment 177
Inese Vaidere

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences;

Amendment

35. to further pursue and intensify efforts to achieve better gender and geographical balance, with due regard to merit and competences ***and local language proficiency***;

Or. en

Amendment 178
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

¹ *Amendment of the Staff Regulations of Officials of the European Communities and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of those Communities, P7_TA(2010)0369, Annex: Statement from the High Representative on gender balance in the EEAS.*

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35 a. To redress the inadequate geographical representativity within the EEAS, as required by Article 6(6) and 6(8) of the EEAS Decision and the European Parliament's Resolution of 8 June 2010 on the EEAS Decision proposal¹, and to introduce additional specific measures analogous to those provided for in Council Regulation of 23 February 2004², in order to correct the geographical imbalances which continue to persist without tangible progress being made, especially in terms of adequate representation at all levels of grades and positions;

Or. en

**Amendment 179
Geoffrey Van Orden**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to ***focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries***

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of ***at least*** one third of staff recruited from Member States has ***almost*** been reached, to ensure that the ***principles of mobility and rotation are applied equally to staff from different backgrounds; to focus now on the recruitment of new EU staff provided compensating reductions are made elsewhere*** within the ***EU institutions***;

¹ P7_TA(2010)0280.

² OJ L 67 of 5.3.2004, p. 1.

*are concentrated at managerial levels;
also to explore, in that regard, the
modalities for national diplomats working
at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts
within the Service;*

Or. en

Amendment 180
Anneli Jäätteenmäki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

36. given that, *as indicated in* the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to *focus now on* consolidating EU staff within the EEAS *and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service*; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, *in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are concentrated at managerial levels*; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

Amendment

36. given that, *according to* the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to *pay attention to* consolidating EU staff within the EEAS; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

Or. en

Amendment 181
Graham Watson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012

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EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to ***avoid that staff from national ministries are concentrated at managerial levels***; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to ***ensure that the principles of mobility and rotation are applied equally to staff from different backgrounds***; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

Or. en

Amendment 182
Kristian Vigenin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are concentrated at managerial levels; ***also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service***;

Amendment

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are concentrated at managerial levels;

Or. en

Amendment 183
György Schöpflin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating **EU** staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of **EU** officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are concentrated at managerial levels; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

Amendment

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating **the** staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of **the** officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are concentrated at managerial levels; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

Or. en

Amendment 184
Charles Tannock, Ryszard Antoni Legutko, Tomasz Piotr Poręba

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are

Amendment

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are

concentrated at managerial levels; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

concentrated at managerial levels; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service ***and to open the possibility of opening the Service from time to time to elected representatives or former ministers, or other distinguished actors from Member States with exceptional expertise and knowledge in foreign affairs;***

Or. en

Amendment 185
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service; to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are concentrated at managerial levels; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

Amendment

36. given that, as indicated in the 2012 EEAS Staffing Report, the target of one third of staff recruited from Member States has been reached, to focus now on consolidating EU staff within the EEAS and on opening up the career perspectives of EU officials in the Service, ***with full respect of the principle of geographical representativity;*** to ensure that the quotas from the three different sources are respected at both AD and AST levels and among all grades, in order to avoid that staff from national ministries are concentrated at managerial levels; also to explore, in that regard, the modalities for national diplomats working at the EEAS to apply for permanent posts within the Service;

Or. en

Amendment 186
Geoffrey Van Orden

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

37. in order to develop a truly European esprit de corps and to ensure that the Service only serves common European interests, to oppose all attempts by the Member States to interfere with the recruitment process of EEAS staff; once the transition period is over, to ensure that the EEAS can develop its own and independent recruitment procedure, open to officials from all EU institutions and to candidates from the outside through open competitions;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 187
Anneli Jäätteenmäki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

37. in order to develop a truly European esprit de corps and to ensure that the Service only serves common European interests, to oppose all attempts by the Member States to interfere with the recruitment process of EEAS staff; once the transition period is over, to ensure that the EEAS can develop its own and independent recruitment procedure, open to officials from all EU institutions and to candidates from the outside through open competitions;

37. to improve career perspectives within the service and to develop independent and transparent recruitment procedures that are open to officials from all EU institutions and from national diplomatic services as well as to candidates from the outside through open competitions;

Or. en

Amendment 188
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

37. ***in order*** to develop a truly European esprit de corps and to ensure that the Service only serves common European interests, ***to oppose all attempts by the Member States to interfere with the recruitment process of EEAS staff; once the transition period is over***, to ensure that the EEAS can develop its own and independent recruitment procedure, open to officials from all EU institutions and to candidates from the outside through open competitions;

Amendment

37. to develop a truly European esprit de corps and to ensure that the Service only serves common European interests; to ensure that the EEAS can develop its own and independent recruitment procedure, open to officials from all EU institutions, ***Member States*** and to candidates from the outside through open competitions ***with full respect of Articles 6(6) and 6(8) of the EEAS Decision***;

Or. en

Amendment 189
Richard Howitt

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

37. in order to develop a truly European esprit de corps and to ensure that the Service only serves common European interests, to oppose all attempts by the Member States to interfere with the recruitment process of EEAS staff; once the transition period is over, to ensure that the EEAS can develop its own and independent recruitment procedure, open to officials from all EU institutions and to candidates from the outside through open competitions;

Amendment

37. in order to develop a truly European esprit de corps and to ensure that the Service only serves common European interests, to oppose all attempts by the Member States to interfere with the recruitment process of EEAS staff, ***and make a serious investment in human resources at country level***; once the transition period is over, to ensure that the EEAS can develop its own and independent recruitment procedure, open to officials from all EU institutions and to candidates from the outside through open

competitions *to ensure that EU Delegations are fully staffed and have access to the necessary expertise in human rights, gender, international justice, humanitarian law, conflict prevention and peacebuilding*;

Or. en

Amendment 190
Eduard Kukan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

37. in order to develop a truly European esprit de corps and to ensure that the Service only serves common European interests, to oppose all attempts by the Member States to *interfere with* the recruitment process of EEAS staff; once the transition period is over, to ensure that the EEAS can develop its own and independent recruitment procedure, open to officials from all EU institutions and to candidates from the outside through open competitions;

Amendment

37. in order to develop a truly European esprit de corps and to ensure that the Service only serves common European interests, to oppose all attempts by the Member States to *dominate* the recruitment process of EEAS staff; once the transition period is over, to ensure that the EEAS can develop its own and independent recruitment procedure, open to officials from all EU institutions and to candidates from the outside through open competitions;

Or. en

Amendment 191
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 37 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

37 a. to consider in particular, in view of the European Parliament's special role with regard to the definition of objectives and basic choices of the Common Foreign

and Security Policy, its competences as a budgetary authority, its role in democratic scrutiny of foreign policy as well as its practice of parliamentary foreign relations, the possibility for the officials from the European Parliament to be able to apply for posts in the EEAS on equal footing with the Council and the Commission at the earliest convenience;

Or. en

Amendment 192
Andrew Duff, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 38

Motion for a resolution

38. to ensure that the EEAS has the appropriate mix of skills for responding to conflict, in particular by developing skills in the area of mediation and dialogue;

Amendment

38. to ensure that the EEAS has the appropriate mix of skills for responding to conflict, in particular by developing skills in the area of mediation and dialogue.

Or. en

Amendment 193
Andrew Duff, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Subheading 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

The longer term

Or. en

Amendment 194
Andrew Duff, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 38 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

38 a. Urges all stakeholders to prepare for a further review of the EEAS in the context of a future Convention called to revise the EU treaties, including a change of name to "Foreign Service";

Or. en

Amendment 195
Andrew Duff, Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 38 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

38 b. Resolves to review, before the end of the current term, the way Parliament manages its business with regard to the EEAS in general and to the HR/VP in particular with a view to improving effective dialogue and democratic accountability;

Or. en