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AMENDMENTS

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Draft report
Catherine Bearder
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on implementation of the Directive 2011/36/EU of 5 April 2011 on preventing and combating trafficking in human beings and protecting its victims from a gender perspective
(2015/2118(INI))

Amendment 1

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Citation 2

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to Articles 5 and 23 of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union,

Amendment

– having regard to Articles **3**, 5 and 23 of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union,

Or. en

Amendment 2

Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution

Citation 5

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the 1979 UN Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW),

Amendment

– having regard to **Article 6 of** the 1979 UN Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW) ***which seeks to combat all forms of traffic in women and the exploitation of the prostitution of women,***

Or. en

Amendment 3

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard the Joint UN Commentary on the EU Directive – A Human Rights-Based Approach which demands the need to provide international protection to victims of human trafficking

on a gender-based,

Or. en

Amendment 4

Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution

Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the 2000 Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime,

Or. en

Amendment 5

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the 2000 UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, especially Women and Children, and in particular the internationally agreed definition of THB here within;

Or. en

Amendment 6

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Citation 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action adopted by the Fourth World Conference on Women on 15 September 1995 and to the subsequent outcome documents adopted at the United Nations Beijing+5 (2000), Beijing +10 (2005) and Beijing +15 (2010) special sessions and at the Beijing +20 review conference,

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 7

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Citation 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the 1989 UN Convention on the Rights of the Child,

– having regard to the 1989 UN Convention on the Rights of the Child **and the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography;**

Or. en

Amendment 8

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Citation 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the 1989 UN Convention on the Rights of the Child,

– having regard to the 1989 UN Convention on the Rights of the Child **and**

*the European Parliament Resolution of
27 November 2014 on the 25th
anniversary of the UN Convention on the
Rights of the Child;*

Or. en

Amendment 9

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Citation 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*– having regard to the Oviedo
Convention;*

Or. en

Amendment 10

Marijana Petir, Miroslav Mikolášik, Davor Ivo Stier, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Citation 9 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*– having regard to the Hague Adoption
Convention;*

Or. en

Amendment 11

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Citation 11

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*– having regard to the Council of Europe
Convention on preventing and combating*

deleted

violence against women and domestic violence (Istanbul Convention),

Or. en

Amendment 12

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Citation 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to Directive 2004/23/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 March 2004 on setting standards of quality and safety for the donation, procurement, testing, processing, preservation, storage and distribution of human tissues and cells;

Or. en

Amendment 13

Sophia in 't Veld, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Citation 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to Regulation (EU) 2015/2219 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2015 on the European Union Agency for Law Enforcement Training (CEPOL) and replacing and repealing Council Decision 2005/681/JHA,

Or. en

Amendment 14

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea,

Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Citation 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the Europol Situation Report: Trafficking in human beings in the EU (February 2016)

Or. en

Amendment 15

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Citation 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to its resolution of 10 March 2005 on the trade in human egg cells;

Or. en

Amendment 16

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Citation 26

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to its resolution of 9 June 2015 on the EU Strategy for equality between women and men post 2015⁸, deleted

⁸ *Texts adopted, P8_TA(2015)0218.*

Or. en

Amendment 17

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Citation 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to its resolution of 16 December 2015 on Human Rights and Democracy in the world 2014 and the European Union policy on that matter;

Or. en

Amendment 18

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Citation 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the report of the Committee on Women’s Rights and Gender Equality and the opinion of the Committee on Civil Liberties and Justice and Home Affairs (A8-0000/2015),

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 19

Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution

Citation 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– having regard to the 2016 EUROPOL situation report on Trafficking in human beings in the EU^{1a}

1a

Amendment 20

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas trafficking in human beings (THB) is a terrible violation of fundamental rights, as outlined in Article 5(3) of the EU Charter on Fundamental Rights;

Amendment

A. whereas trafficking in human beings (THB) is a terrible violation of fundamental rights, as outlined in Article 5(3) of the EU Charter on Fundamental Rights, ***and a violation of the victim's personal integrity and a serious, often organised crime that undermines the rule of law;***

Amendment 21

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas trafficking in human beings (THB) is a terrible violation of fundamental rights, as outlined in Article 5(3) of the EU Charter on Fundamental Rights;

Amendment

A. whereas trafficking in human beings (THB) ***in all its forms*** is a terrible violation of fundamental rights, as outlined in Article 5(3) of the EU Charter on Fundamental Rights;

Amendment 22

Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas differences between the legislation of Member States greatly facilitate the activities of organised crime groups involved in trafficking in human beings;

Or. en

Amendment 23
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas THB is defined in article 2 of Directive 2011/36/EU as the recruitment, transportation, transfer, harbouring or reception of persons, including the exchange or transfer of control over those persons, by means of the threat or use of force or other forms of coercion, of abduction, of fraud, of deception, of the abuse of power or of a position of vulnerability or of the giving or receiving of payments or benefits to achieve the consent of a person having control over another person, for the purpose of exploitation; whereas exploitation shall include, as a minimum, the exploitation of the prostitution of others or other forms of sexual exploitation, forced labour or services, including begging, slavery or practices similar to slavery, servitude, or the exploitation of criminal activities, or the removal of organs;

Or. en

Amendment 24
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas trafficking in human beings is a serious form of organised crime driven by high demand for the forced services provided by its victims, which produce extremely high profits; whereas it affects women and men, girls and boys from the EU and from non-Community countries, in whom it causes severe damage that often affects them for the rest of their lives;

Or. es

Amendment 25
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Aa. whereas it is acknowledged that human trafficking is 'the slavery of our times' and a major source of funding for organised crime (around EUR 6 billion in 2015 alone, according to Europol estimates) and Islamic State terrorist groups, yielding high profits for low risks;

Or. it

Amendment 26
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital A b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ab. whereas in 2014, 69% of suspects registered at Europol were EU nationals from Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania and Slovakia. Chinese and Nigerian groups are also considerably active in Europe;

Or. en

Amendment 27
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital A c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ac. whereas Austria, Belgium, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands, Spain, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom are the most targeted countries by human traffickers, due to high demand for cheap sexual and labour services in these countries;

Or. en

Amendment 28
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, ***prostitution***, domestic work, manufacturing, care,

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, ***the sex industry***, domestic work, manufacturing,

cleaning, other *types of forced labour* (particularly in the service industries), forced begging, forced marriage, illegal adoptions and the trade in human organs;

care, cleaning, other *industries* (particularly in the service industries), forced begging, forced marriage, *forced prostitution*, illegal adoptions and the trade in human organs;

Or. en

Amendment 29

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, prostitution, domestic work, manufacturing, care, cleaning, other types of forced labour (particularly in the service industries), forced begging, forced marriage, illegal adoptions and the trade in human organs;

Amendment

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, prostitution, domestic work, manufacturing, care, cleaning, other types of forced labour (particularly in the service industries), forced begging, forced marriage, illegal adoptions, *gestational surrogacy* and the trade in human organs, *cells and tissues, including trade in reproductive cells as well as foetal cells and tissues*;

Or. en

Amendment 30

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, prostitution, domestic work, manufacturing, care, cleaning, other types of forced labour

Amendment

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, prostitution, domestic work, manufacturing, care, cleaning, other types of forced labour

(particularly in the service industries), forced begging, forced marriage, illegal adoptions and the trade in human organs;

(particularly in the service industries), forced begging, forced marriage, illegal adoptions and the trade in human organs *including surrogacy*;

Or. en

Amendment 31 **Arne Gericke**

Motion for a resolution **Recital B**

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, prostitution, domestic work, manufacturing, care, cleaning, other types of forced labour (particularly in the service industries), forced begging, forced marriage, illegal adoptions and the trade in human organs;

Amendment

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, prostitution, domestic work, manufacturing, care, cleaning, other types of forced labour (particularly in the service industries), forced begging, forced marriage, illegal adoptions and the trade in human organs; *including human embryos for surrogacy in all of its forms*;

Or. en

Amendment 32 **Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut**

Motion for a resolution **Recital B**

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, prostitution, domestic work, manufacturing, care, cleaning, other types of forced labour

Amendment

B. whereas THB takes many different forms across many legal and illegal activities, including, but not limited to, agriculture, food processing, prostitution, *sexual exploitation of children online*, domestic work, manufacturing, care,

(particularly in the service industries),
forced begging, forced marriage, illegal
adoptions and the trade in human organs;

cleaning, other types of forced labour
(particularly in the service industries),
forced begging, ***forced criminality***, forced
marriage, illegal adoptions and the trade in
human organs;

Or. en

Amendment 33
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

***Ba. whereas trafficking in human beings
harms human dignity and physical and
psychological integrity. It first and
foremost affects the victims of trafficking,
but it also has a vast impact on society
overall;***

Or. en

Amendment 34
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

***Ba. whereas the current refugee crisis has
shown the lack of proper tools at a
European level to combat jointly the THB,
specially with the aim of sexual
exploitation of women and children;***

Or. en

Amendment 35
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas a "one size fits all" strategy is not efficient and whereas the different forms of trafficking, such as trafficking for sexual exploitation, trafficking for labour exploitation and child trafficking, need to be addressed with specific and tailored policy measures;

Or. en

Amendment 36
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas the European Parliament resolution P8_TA(2015)0470 of 17 December 2015 condemns the practice of surrogacy as it undermines the human dignity of the woman since her body and its reproductive functions are used as a commodity;

Or. en

Amendment 37
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas trafficking in human beings is a complex transnational phenomenon that can be tackled effectively only if the

EU institutions and Member States work together in a coordinated manner, with the focus being placed on identifying and protecting potential and actual victims in order to combat and successfully eradicate this serious human rights violation;

Or. es

Amendment 38
Pina Picierno

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas, from a regulatory point of view, human trafficking is a relatively recent criminal activity, arising from new developments relating to a globalised world that increases the scope for cross-border exploitation;

Or. it

Amendment 39
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. whereas the main purpose of human trafficking is sexual exploitation, accounting for 53 % of victims, of which 97 % are women; whereas it may assume different forms, either visible (street prostitution) or invisible (in brothels, private homes or nightclubs);

Or. it

Amendment 40
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital B b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Bb. whereas current trends in sexual and labour exploitation are expected to increase;

Or. en

Amendment 41
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Recital B b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Bb. whereas, according to Eurostat data, human trafficking takes place largely within EU borders, 65 % of the victims being European citizens; whereas such activities are focused on a number of hotspots, including migrant registration centres in Germany, France and Belgium;

Or. it

Amendment 42
Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution
Recital C

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

C. whereas Directive 2011/36/EU (the directive) should be commended for its

C. whereas Directive 2011/36/EU (the directive) should be commended ***partly*** for

human rights- and victim-centred approach;

its human rights- and victim-centred approach *but also for its clear message that combating demand must be the highest priority;*

Or. sv

Amendment 43

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas Directive 2011/36/EU (the directive) should be commended for its human rights- and victim-centred approach;

Amendment

C. whereas Directive 2011/36/EU (the directive) should be commended for its human rights and victim-centred approach, *where victims of THB are entitled to certain rights and services under international law, regardless of their willingness or ability to take part in criminal proceedings (under article 11.3 of the Directive);*

Or. en

Amendment 44

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital C a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ca. whereas all support services for victims of trafficking must be made truly non-conditional, and ensure that there is no further victimisation;

Or. en

Amendment 45

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas THB *can be* the result of global economic and social inequalities and *further* exacerbated by societal inequality between women and men;

Amendment

D. whereas THB *on the one hand is* the result of global economic and social inequalities and *on the other hand* exacerbated by societal inequality between women and men;

Or. en

Amendment 46

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas THB can be the result of global economic and social inequalities and further exacerbated by societal inequality between women and men;

Amendment

D. whereas THB can be the result of global economic and social inequalities and further exacerbated by societal inequality between women and men, *and is driven by demand and profit*;

Or. en

Amendment 47

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas THB can be the result of global economic and social inequalities and further exacerbated by societal inequality between women and men;

Amendment

D. whereas THB can be the result of global economic and social inequalities and further exacerbated by *economic*, societal *and education and training* inequality between women and men;

Amendment 48
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas THB *can be the result of* global economic and social inequalities and further exacerbated by societal inequality between women and men;

Amendment

D. whereas THB *is often caused by* global economic and social inequalities and further exacerbated by societal inequality between women and men;

Or. en

Amendment 49
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Da. whereas 70% of the identified victims and suspects in the EU are EU nationals;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 50
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas gender itself does not inherently create vulnerability, and there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, social exclusion and

Amendment

E. whereas gender itself does not inherently create vulnerability, and there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, social exclusion, *sexism* and

discrimination;

discrimination;

Or. en

Amendment 51

Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas *gender itself does not inherently create vulnerability, and there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, social exclusion and* discrimination;

Amendment

E. whereas, *on the basis of how various forms of discrimination and oppression are expressed, a person's gender expression functions as a background variable in the case of those exposed to discrimination, but at the same time gender expression is not the only factor at play in* discrimination *and* oppression;

Or. sv

Amendment 52

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas *gender itself does not inherently create vulnerability, and* there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, social exclusion and discrimination;

Amendment

E. whereas *reality and statistics show that women are far more vulnerable than men to being the target of THB; whereas* there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, social exclusion and discrimination;

Or. es

Amendment 53

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas gender itself does not inherently create vulnerability, and there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, social exclusion and discrimination;

Amendment

E. whereas gender itself does not inherently create vulnerability, ***yet recent figures prove that most of the victims of all forms of THB are women***, and there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, social exclusion and discrimination;

Or. en

Amendment 54
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas gender itself does not inherently create vulnerability, and there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, social exclusion and discrimination;

Amendment

E. whereas gender itself does not inherently create vulnerability, and there are many contributing factors to create a situation of vulnerability, including poverty, ***lack of education***, social exclusion and discrimination;

Or. en

Amendment 55
Arne Gericke, Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ea. Calls on Member States to cooperate in better developing guidelines for border guards and consular services to help

identify victims of human trafficking;

Or. en

Amendment 56

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. whereas societal tolerance of gender inequality and violence against women and girls and the lack of public awareness of the issues surrounding THB perpetuate a permissive environment for THB;

Or. en

Amendment 57

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. whereas trafficking in women and girls, men and boys, for sexual exploitation has decreased in countries that have criminalised the demand, including both pimping and the buying of sexual services;

Or. en

Amendment 58

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. whereas women are exposed to special kinds of reproductive exploitation such as trafficking of their reproductive cells, forced marriage, coerced adoption, prostitution, surrogacy and female genital mutilation;

Or. en

Amendment 59
Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. whereas particular attention should be given to asylum seekers, refugees, and undocumented migrants, especially women, children and minorities.

Or. en

Amendment 60
Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Anna Záborská, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution
Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Fa. whereas particular attention should be given to children, unaccompanied minors and migrant women as they face multiple risks;

Or. en

Amendment 61
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas minority groups make up a disproportionate number of victims of THB as a result of being socially and economically marginalised;

Amendment

G. whereas minority groups, ***such as Roma people***, make up a disproportionate number of victims of THB as a result of being socially and economically marginalised;

Or. en

Amendment 62
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas minority groups make up a disproportionate number of victims of THB as a result of being socially and economically marginalised;

Amendment

G. whereas minority ***and immigrant*** groups make up a disproportionate number of victims of THB as a result of being socially and economically marginalised;

Or. es

Amendment 63
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas ***minority*** groups make up a disproportionate number of victims of THB as a result of being ***socially and*** economically marginalised;

Amendment

G. whereas ***socially disadvantaged*** groups make up a disproportionate number of victims of THB as a result of being economically marginalised;

Amendment 64
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital G a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ga. whereas the majority of victims of labour exploitation are male EU nationals from Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Estonia, Poland, Romania, and Slovakia;

Or. en

Amendment 65
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Recital G a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ga. whereas gender expectations and discrimination are harmful to everyone, with men less likely to admit that they have been the victims of exploitation;

Or. en

Amendment 66
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Recital G a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ga. whereas the women and girls 'recruited' for human trafficking are

*lured by promises of stable employment
and better living conditions;*

Or. it

Amendment 67
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas economic and social empowerment of women and *minority* groups would reduce their vulnerability to becoming victims of THB;

Amendment

H. whereas economic and social empowerment of women and *socially disadvantaged* groups would reduce their vulnerability to becoming victims of THB;

Or. en

Amendment 68
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Recital H a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ha. whereas Europol studies have shown that that criminal gangs are able to make use of new digital technologies to attract victims by means of false online vacancy advertisements;

Or. it

Amendment 69
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas children make up approximately 16 %¹⁰ of registered victims of THB **and** girls up to 13 %¹¹, and whereas they are particularly vulnerable, with child victims facing severe and lasting physical, psychological and emotional harm;

¹⁰ Idem, Eurostat report.

¹¹ Idem, Eurostat report.

Amendment

I. whereas children make up approximately 16 %¹⁰ of registered victims of THB **of which** girls **make** up to 13 %¹¹, and whereas they are particularly vulnerable, with child victims facing severe and lasting physical, psychological and emotional harm;

¹⁰ Idem, Eurostat report.

¹¹ Idem, Eurostat report.

Or. en

Amendment 70
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ia. whereas especially in case of underage victims, the risk of re-victimisation and re-trafficking is high;

Or. en

Amendment 71
Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Anna Záborská, Esteban González Pons, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution
Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ia. whereas 70% of victims of trafficking and 70% of suspects traffickers in the EU are EU-nationals, according to the 2016 Report of Europol on trafficking in

Amendment 72

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Anna Záborská, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas a majority of the registered victims are women and girls trafficked for the purposes of sexual exploitation, together comprising up to 95 % of the victims trafficked for sexual exploitation¹² ;

¹² Idem, Eurostat report.

Amendment

J. whereas a majority of the registered victims are women and girls trafficked for the purposes of sexual exploitation, together comprising up to 95 % of the victims trafficked for sexual exploitation¹² ; *whereas trafficking is a form of violence against women and girls;*

¹² Idem, Eurostat report.

Amendment 73

Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution

Recital J a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ja. whereas most reported victims for sexual exploitation are female EU nationals from Central and Eastern Europe;

Amendment 74
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Recital J a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ja. whereas sexual exploitation, like any other activity, is fuelled by demand and if no-one were willing to pay for sexual services, prostitution and human trafficking could no longer exist;

Or. it

Amendment 75
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital J b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Jb. whereas Austria is a transit country for sexual exploitation victims coming from Central and Eastern Europe, and Italy, Spain and the United Kingdom are transit countries for non-EU victims;

Or. en

Amendment 76
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

K. whereas there is a clear distinction between THB and human smuggling, but undocumented migrants are particularly vulnerable to exploitation and further victimisation;

K. whereas there is a clear distinction between THB and human smuggling, but undocumented migrants *in real need* are particularly vulnerable to exploitation and further victimisation;

Amendment 77
Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas there is a clear distinction between THB and human smuggling, but undocumented migrants are particularly vulnerable to exploitation and further *victimisation*;

Amendment

K. whereas there is a clear distinction between THB and human smuggling, but undocumented migrants, *asylum seekers, and refugees* are particularly vulnerable to exploitation and further *victimization, especially women, children and minorities*;

Or. en

Amendment 78
Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Anna Záborská, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas there is a clear distinction between THB and human smuggling, but *undocumented* migrants are particularly vulnerable to exploitation and further victimisation;

Amendment

K. whereas there is a clear distinction between THB and human smuggling, but migrants are particularly vulnerable to exploitation and further victimisation, *especially children and women*;

Or. en

Amendment 79
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital K a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ka. whereas the current migration crisis occurring in North Africa and the Middle East will have a major impact on trafficking in human beings;

Or. en

Amendment 80

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Recital K a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ka. whereas THB is often perceived as being carried out by only organised criminal groups, but in fact can also be carried out by the victim's family members, friends, relatives, romantic partners, and ordinary employers;

Or. en

Amendment 81

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Recital K a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ka. whereas trafficking is a serious organised crime that generates high profits of about 150 billion dollars a year; whereas there is still too low risk of being prosecuted and too low sanctions to be applied to deter crime compared to the high profits;

Amendment 82
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Recital K b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Kb. whereas the global development of online infrastructures has made the Internet a crucial tool for human traffickers, and it is likely to become more significant in the future;

Or. en

Amendment 83
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Recital K b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Kb. whereas the majority (70%) of suspected, prosecuted and convicted traffickers are male, although female perpetrators form a sizeable minority (29%) and can play a significant role in the process of THB^{1a}, especially in the case of child trafficking;

^{1a} 2015 Eurostat report

Or. en

Amendment 84
Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban

González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Recital K b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Kb. whereas in order to be effective any legislation to combat trafficking must be accompanied by a clear cultural shift from a culture of impunity to a culture of zero tolerance against trafficking;

Or. en

Amendment 85

Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution

Recital K c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Kc. whereas victims often lack information about their rights and how to effectively exercise them;

Or. en

Amendment 86

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Recital K c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Kc. whereas THB as a concept is distinct from slavery and broader discussions of exploitation; whereas not all types of exploitation would qualify as THB;

Or. en

Amendment 87

Arne Gericke, Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1a. Stresses that a strong and coordinated approach to tackling the problem of human trafficking across the EU is essential in order to avoid "forum shopping" for criminal groups and individuals who look may look to exploit the weaknesses in individual Member States' criminal systems;

Or. en

Amendment 88

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1a. Calls on the Member States to speed up the full and correct enforcement of Directive 2011/36/EU on preventing and combating trafficking in Human beings and protecting its victims;

Or. en

Amendment 89

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Recalls that article 1 of the directive stresses the need to adopt a gender-sensitive approach to THB; highlights that women and men are vulnerable in different ways, and are often trafficked for different purposes, and that prevention, assistance and support measures must therefore be gender-specific;

Amendment

2. Emphasises that the EU's legal and political framework recognises that trafficking is a gender-specific phenomenon and calls on Member States to adopt gender-specific measures ^{1 a}; recalls that article 1 of the directive stresses the need to adopt a gender-sensitive approach to THB; highlights that women and men, **girls and boys** are vulnerable in different ways, and are often trafficked for different purposes, and that prevention, assistance and support measures must therefore be gender-specific; **points out, further, that the EU strategy identifies violence against women and gender inequalities as one of the root causes of trafficking and lays down a series of measures to address the gender dimension of trafficking;**

^{1 a} *'Mid-term report on the implementation of the EU strategy towards the eradication of trafficking in human beings' SWD(2014) 318 final, page 9*

Or. es

Amendment 90

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2a. Calls on the Member States to combat impunity, criminalise trafficking and ensure that perpetrators are brought to justice and that sanctions are strengthened as well as adequate to be

dissuasive; calls on Member States to improve collection of evidence to combat trafficking and to increase police and judiciary cooperation including with Europol, Eurojust and Frontex with particular attention to the gender dimension of THB;

Or. en

Amendment 91
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3a. Recalls the Commission's obligation under article 23 paragraph 1 of Directive 2011/36/EU to submit in April 2015 a report to the EP and Council with an assessment of the extent to which MS have taken necessary measures to comply with the Directive; this reporting task has not been completed on schedule and signals the Commission's failure in achieving a harmonised playing field;

Or. en

Amendment 92
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4. **Regrets** that the gender dimension *is not* consistently monitored in the implementation of EU anti-trafficking legislation and urges the Commission to **take it into account** in its **reporting**;

4. **Stresses** that the gender dimension **must be** consistently monitored in the implementation of EU anti-trafficking legislation and urges the Commission to **continue to monitor this** in its **assessment**

Amendment 93
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. **Acknowledges the good work done by** the office of the EU Anti-Trafficking Coordinator in the development of knowledge and evidence on the various aspects of THB, including research into the gender dimension;

Amendment

5. **Calls on** the office of the EU Anti-Trafficking Coordinator **to promote further efforts** in the development of knowledge and evidence on the various aspects of THB, including research into the gender dimension;

Amendment 94
Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. **Acknowledges** the good work done by the **office of the** EU Anti-Trafficking Coordinator in **the development of** knowledge and evidence on the various aspects of THB, including research into the gender dimension;

Amendment

5. **Commends** the good work done by the EU Anti-Trafficking Coordinator in **developing** knowledge and evidence on the various aspects of THB, including research into the gender dimension **and the particular vulnerability of children**;

Amendment 95
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Regrets that Europol's capabilities are not fully utilised among Member State law enforcement authorities, in order to increase information sharing with Europol so that links can be made between investigations in different Member States and a broader intelligence picture on the most threatening organised crime networks active in the EU can be drawn;

Or. en

Amendment 96
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Regrets the complete lack of country specific information from the Commission's coordination of national Rapporteurs and mechanisms, which hinders the EP work and delays progress at European level;

Or. en

Amendment 97
Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Considers that asylum seekers,

refugees and undocumented migrants are particularly vulnerable to trafficking, especially women, children and minorities; calls on Member States to increase cooperation, including in the hotspots, to identify potential victims and to use all means to combat traffickers and smugglers;

Or. en

Amendment 98

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Calls on the Member States to strengthen cooperation in order to track and confiscate assets of traffickers, in particular linked to abuse and sexual exploitation of women and girls; calls on Member States to use all existing tools available more efficiently such as mutual recognition of Court judgements, joint investigation teams and the European investigation order;

Or. en

Amendment 99

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Welcomes the Commission's creation of a webpage against trafficking that contains a database of EU-funded

projects in the EU and elsewhere, up-to-date information on EU legal and political instruments, measures to combat people trafficking in the Member States, funding possibilities and EU initiatives;

Or. es

Amendment 100

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 5 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5b. Considers that migrants are particularly vulnerable to trafficking, especially children and women; calls on Member States to increase cooperation, including in the hotspots, to identify potential victims and to use all means to combat traffickers and smugglers;

Or. en

Amendment 101

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 5 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5b. Highlights the importance of having clear consistent information for victims and for frontline staff who may come into contact with victims, security forces, judicial authorities, police and social services, including information on rights with regard to emergency assistance, medical treatment and healthcare, residence permits, employment rights,

access to the courts and to a lawyer, the possibilities for seeking redress, the specific rights of children, etc.;

Or. es

Amendment 102

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5c. Emphasises that it is also important to pay greater attention to labour market intermediaries, contractors, subcontractors and employment agencies, especially in high-risk sectors, as a way of preventing people trafficking, particularly for the purpose of labour exploitation but also for the purpose of sexual exploitation concealed behind what purport to be contracts for services in the hotel and catering industry and personal care services;

Or. es

Amendment 103

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5d. Emphasises that the EU's legal and political framework on THB combines the internal and external dimensions, recognising that action to combat trafficking, which is a serious human rights violation, constitutes a clear objective of the EU's external action; emphasises, likewise, that countries

outside the EU are often the countries of origin and transit for trafficking within the EU and that trafficking, as an illegal cross-border activity, is an important area for cooperation with non-Community countries; welcomes, in this connection, the fact that, at the request of the Council, the Commission and the European External Action Service have put together a package of information on activities carried out to combat people trafficking in priority countries and regions, as well as a list of the tools and instruments available to the EU and Member States, including external policies that deal with trafficking and projects funded by the EU and Member States in this field; calls on Member States to cooperate with the Commission and EEAS in combating people trafficking;

Or. es

Amendment 104

Pina Picierno

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6Underlines that under Article 11 of the directive, Member States have an obligation to establish mechanisms to ensure the early identification of, assistance to and support for victims, in cooperation with relevant support organisations;

Amendment

6. Underlines that under Article 11 of the directive, Member States have an obligation to establish mechanisms to ensure the early identification of, assistance to and support for victims, in cooperation with relevant support organisations; ***stresses the need for an approach based on four key strategies: prevention, prosecution, victim protection and multi-level partnership;***

Or. it

Amendment 105

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Underlines that under Article 11 of the directive, Member States have an obligation to establish mechanisms to ensure the early identification of, assistance to and support for victims, in cooperation with relevant support organisations;

Amendment

6. Underlines that under Article 11 of the directive, Member States have an obligation to establish mechanisms to ensure the early identification of, assistance to and support for victims, in cooperation with relevant support organisations; ***calls on Member States to implement Articles 11 to 17 of the Directive concerning protection and support of victims with a gender sensitive approach and to fully apply Directive 2012/29/ EU establishing minimum standards on the rights, support and protection of victims of crime to ensure proper support and assistance for victims of THB;***

Or. en

Amendment 106

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Highlights that the majority (71%) of victims of THB identified within the EU are EU citizens^{1a} ; stresses that this must be taken into account when developing identification systems in order to better identify all victims of THB;

^{1a} ***Europol, Situation Report: Trafficking***

Amendment 107
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Recalls that women and children may be compelled to exchange sex for protection, in order to survive, in order to advance along their migratory route, and for basic sustenance; underlines that survival sex is frequently a direct consequence of gaps in assistance, failures of registration systems, family separations, and absence of safe and legal entry ways into the EU and that women and children engaging in survival sex are not considered trafficking victims, and thus cannot receive the required assistance;

Amendment 108
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Stresses that, in order to prevent THB and people smuggling, it is important to create safe legal migration channels for women and children (such as humanitarian visas); points out that it is also important for destination countries to ensure that women migrants who have

been granted legal residency in the destination countries have access to language teaching and other means of social integration, education and training in particular, with the aim of enabling them to exercise their rights as citizens;

Or. es

Amendment 109
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Calls on the Member States to make use of properly structured victim interview techniques to help achieve a precise reconstruction of events without at the same time placing psychological pressure on victims who are already frightened and confused;

Or. it

Amendment 110
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6b. Calls on the Member States to use properly trained female staff to interview victims in order to help them more effectively, both physically and psychologically, by putting them at ease in providing information;

Or. it

Amendment 111
Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses that support for victims plays an important role in prevention of THB, as victims who are well supported, are more able to recover from the trauma of their experience, assist in the prosecution of offenders and inform policy making, as well as avoid being re-trafficked;

Amendment

7. Stresses that *individually made-to-measure* support for victims, *according to need*, plays an important role in prevention of THB, as victims who are well supported, are more able to recover from the trauma of their experience, assist in the prosecution of offenders and inform policy making, as well as avoid being re-trafficked;

Or. sv

Amendment 112
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Stresses that support for victims plays an important role in prevention of THB, as victims who are well supported, are more able to recover from the trauma of their experience, assist in the prosecution of offenders and inform policy making, as well as avoid being re-trafficked;

Amendment

7. Stresses that *all counter-trafficking efforts must balance the focus on prosecution with a responsibility to protect victims; notes that* support for victims plays an important role in prevention of THB, as victims who are well supported, are more able to recover from the trauma of their experience, assist in the prosecution of offenders and inform policy making, as well as avoid being re-trafficked;

Or. en

Amendment 113
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

7. Stresses that support for victims plays an important role in prevention of THB, as victims who are well supported, are more able to recover from the trauma of their experience, assist in the prosecution of offenders, ***preparation of prevention programs*** and inform policy making, as well as avoid being re-trafficked;

Or. en

Amendment 114
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. ***Notes the huge and increasing role of*** the internet ***in*** the recruitment of victims and the exchange of information between criminal networks; calls on the Member States to ensure that their respective anti-trafficking policies take account of this and that law enforcement efforts addressing cyber technologies have the gender expertise needed to tackle this in the best way;

Amendment

8. ***Stresses that the internet plays a key role in facilitating THB, thereby adding to the challenges facing the security forces and police authorities in combating this serious form of organised crime; denounces the fact that, owing to the relative anonymity it offers, the internet is being used more and more for the recruitment of victims both within and outside the EU through false job offers, for the sale of services provided by exploiting the victims and for the exchange of information between criminal networks; calls on the Member States to ensure that their respective anti-trafficking policies take account of this and that law enforcement efforts addressing cyber technologies have the gender expertise needed to tackle this in the best way;***

Or. es

Amendment 115

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Notes the huge and increasing role of the internet in the recruitment of victims and the exchange of information between criminal networks; calls on the Member States to ensure that their respective anti-trafficking policies take account of this and that law enforcement efforts addressing cyber technologies have the gender expertise needed to tackle this in the best way;

Amendment

8. Notes the huge and increasing role of the internet in the recruitment of victims and the exchange of information between criminal networks; calls on the Member States to ensure that their respective anti-trafficking policies take account of this and that law enforcement efforts addressing cyber technologies have the gender expertise needed to tackle this in the best way, ***particularly relating to THB for the purposes of sexual exploitation, both in terms of recruitment of victims and the advertisement of sexual services that are the result of THB;***

Or. en

Amendment 116

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Notes the huge and increasing role of the internet in the recruitment of victims and the exchange of information between criminal networks; calls on the Member States to ensure that their respective anti-trafficking policies take account of this and that law enforcement efforts addressing cyber technologies have the gender expertise needed to ***tackle this in the best way;***

Amendment

8. Notes the huge and increasing role of the internet ***and social media*** in the ***search and*** recruitment of ***potential*** victims and ***in*** the exchange of information between criminal networks; calls on the Member States to ensure that their respective anti-trafficking policies take account of this and that law enforcement efforts addressing cyber technologies have the gender expertise needed to ***prevent and efficiently fight against all forms of this crime;***

Amendment 117

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

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Amendment

8. Notes the huge and increasing role of the internet in the recruitment of victims and the exchange of information between criminal networks; calls on the Member States to ensure that their respective anti-trafficking policies take account of this and that law enforcement efforts addressing cyber technologies have the gender expertise needed to tackle this in the best way; ***stresses that new technologies, social media and the internet should also be used to raise awareness and alert potential victims on the risks of trafficking;***

Amendment 118

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8a. Highlight the need to strengthen transnational cooperation in order to reinforce the fight against THB; ask the Commission to promote and reinforce Europol and Eurojust activities due to the transnational nature of the problem

Amendment 119
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8a. Calls on Member States to monitor websites more effectively, so as to ensure the prompt identification of those that lend themselves to links with criminal gangs, without restricting or criminalising the web, but using its enormous potential to disseminate good practices and raise awareness of human trafficking issues;

Or. it

Amendment 120
Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9. Regrets that the identification of victims remains one of the most difficult aspects of implementation, but stresses that this does not diminish the responsibility of the Member States to protect these vulnerable people; highlights that by the coercive and deceptive nature of the crime, victims may be unable to recognise their own vulnerability;

9. Regrets that the identification of victims remains one of the most difficult aspects of implementation, but stresses that this does not diminish the responsibility of the Member States to protect these vulnerable people; highlights that by the coercive and deceptive nature of the crime, victims may be unable to recognise their own vulnerability; ***stresses that the actions that victims of trafficking in persons are compelled to perform are criminal acts in some Member States, which in some cases impairs trust between victims and the authorities, and that at a later stage this makes it more difficult to prosecute the true offenders;***

Or. sv

Amendment 121

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Regrets that the identification of victims remains one of the most difficult aspects of implementation, but stresses that this does not diminish the responsibility of the Member States to protect these vulnerable people; highlights that by the coercive and deceptive nature of the crime, victims may be unable to recognise their own vulnerability;

Amendment

9. Regrets that the identification of victims remains one of the most difficult **and incomplete** aspects of implementation, but stresses that this does not diminish the responsibility of the Member States to protect these vulnerable people; highlights that by the coercive and deceptive nature of the crime, victims may be unable to recognise their own vulnerability;

Or. en

Amendment 122

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

9. Regrets that the **early** identification of victims remains one of the most difficult aspects of implementation, but stresses that this does not diminish the responsibility of the Member States to protect these vulnerable people; highlights that by the coercive and deceptive nature of the crime, victims may be unable to recognise their own vulnerability;

Or. en

Amendment 123

Arne Gericke, Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9a. Notes with disappointment the low number of prosecutions and successful convictions of the criminal offence of human trafficking at a national level;

Or. en

Amendment 124
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9a. Insists that EU Member States must apply legislation against THB effectively in order to improve the identification of victims, including the criminalisation of people trafficking and assistance and protection for victims of trafficking; highlights, further, the need to ensure that the application and interpretation of provisions on crimes relating to trafficking and immigration laws do not clash with legislation against THB; stresses, likewise, that, in order to improve the identification of victims and the identification of subtle means of trafficking, the criminal justice system (legislation and practice) should focus more on the dynamics of exploitation and the application of the law, and prosecutors and judges should be carefully trained in this area;

Or. es

Amendment 125

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for **police officers**; highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system;

Amendment

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for **law enforcement authorities, noting that according to regulation (EU) 2015/2219 CEPOL should promote common respect for and understanding of fundamental rights in law enforcement, including the rights, support and protection of victims**; highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system;

Or. en

Amendment 126

Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Anna Hedh, Maria Arena, Maria Noichl

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for police officers; highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system;

Amendment

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for police officers **and a greater gender balance amongst staff**; highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system;

Or. en

Amendment 127

Pina Picierno

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for police officers; highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system;

Amendment

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for police officers; highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system; ***stresses the critical role of police forces and the need to monitor certain of their procedures, especially in the current situation where the victims are often asylum seekers fleeing war and routinely caught up in trafficking networks en route;***

Or. it

Amendment 128

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for police officers; ***highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system;***

Amendment

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for police officers;

Or. en

Amendment 129
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for police officers; highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system;

Amendment

10. Notes that the principal source of information for the registration of victims is the police, pointing to the need for targeted and specialist training for police officers, *as well as the need for sufficient human and financial resources*; highlights that using prisons and detention centres as registration sources shows a failure of the system;

Or. en

Amendment 130
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

10a. Points out that victims' clients are also an important source of information; suggests, in this connection, that consideration be given to the possibility of allowing cases to be reported anonymously in order to encourage clients to report possible cases of THB that they encounter, particularly in the context of prostitution;

Amendment

10a. Points out that victims' clients are also an important source of information; suggests, in this connection, that consideration be given to the possibility of allowing cases to be reported anonymously in order to encourage clients to report possible cases of THB that they encounter, particularly in the context of prostitution;

Or. es

Amendment 131
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that victims experience exploitation differently, and that a method of identification using a ‘check list’ of indicators can hinder formal identification and thereby have an impact on victims’ access to services;

Amendment

11. Notes that victims experience exploitation differently, and that a method of identification using a ‘check list’ of indicators can hinder formal identification and thereby have an impact on victims’ access to services, ***help and protection***;

Or. en

Amendment 132

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11a. Stresses that, to encourage victims of trafficking to report these crimes to the authorities and thus facilitate the early identification of victims, the law must be amended to recognise victims of trafficking as rights-holders in the eyes of the law; takes the view that victims of trafficking should be entitled to assistance and protection even if their case is dismissed by the courts; stresses the need to give more power to social workers, medical staff and immigration services to determine what constitutes trafficking and who are provided assistance and protection by law;

Or. es

Amendment 133

Pina Picierno

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11a. Stresses the cultural change regarding trafficking and the importance of communication in adopting an approach that is free of public censure;

Or. it

Amendment 134
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Notes with concern the evidence of victims of THB being subject to arrest and deportation rather than being allowed and aided to access their rights as victims, as they should be in accordance with Directive 2004/81/EC;

Amendment

12. Notes with concern the evidence of victims of THB being subject to arrest and deportation rather than being allowed and aided to access their rights as victims, as they should be in accordance with Directive 2004/81/EC; ***deeply regrets that some Member States have not approved the required legal instruments to comply with the Article 8 referring to the principle of non-prosecution and non-application of penalties to the victim for those crimes committed as a direct consequence of being subject to trafficking, the absence of which may conclude with the victim's imprisonment or deportation;***

Or. en

Amendment 135
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Notes with concern the evidence of victims of THB being subject to arrest and deportation rather than being allowed and aided to access their rights as victims, as they should be in accordance with Directive 2004/81/EC;

Amendment

12. Notes with concern the evidence of *some of the* victims of THB being subject to arrest and deportation rather than being allowed and aided to access their rights as victims *and necessary help*, as they should be in accordance with Directive 2004/81/EC;

Or. en

Amendment 136

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Calls on the Commission to develop guidelines based on best practices to develop and mainstream gender expertise into the activities of law enforcement *bodies* across EU;

Amendment

13. Calls on the Commission to develop guidelines based on best practices to develop and mainstream gender expertise into the activities of law enforcement *authorities* across EU;

Or. en

Amendment 137

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13a. Calls on Justice and Home Affairs (JHA) agencies such as EUROJUST, EUROPOL, FRA, FRONTEX, CEPOL, EASO to develop a sustained programme of improving gender balance in decision-making relevant to trafficking. Figures on

the gender composition of their management boards and staff should be released, followed by discussions with Member States on the benefits of equitable recruitment and promotion in law and border enforcement services. Programmes such as Europol's Female Factor should be rolled out across the most male-dominated JHA agencies on a periodic, rather than one-off basis;

Or. en

Amendment 138

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to work together to create gender-sensitive training programmes for persons coming in contact with victims of THB in an official capacity, including police officers, border officers, judges, magistrates, lawyers, front-line medical staff and social workers; stresses that training should include detection of victims, the formal identification process and appropriate, gender-specific assistance for victims;

Amendment

14. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to work together to create gender-sensitive training programmes for persons coming in contact with victims of THB in an official capacity, including police officers *and other security forces*, border officers, judges, magistrates, lawyers, *and other judicial authorities*, front-line medical staff and social workers; stresses that training should include detection of victims, the formal identification process and appropriate, gender-specific assistance for victims;

Or. es

Amendment 139

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to work together to create gender-sensitive training programmes for persons coming in contact with victims of THB in an official capacity, including police officers, border officers, judges, magistrates, lawyers, front-line medical staff and social workers; stresses that training should include detection of victims, the formal identification process and appropriate, gender-specific assistance for victims;

Amendment

14. ***Stresses that under Article 18.3 of the Directive Member States have an obligation to train officials likely to come into contact with victims or potential victims of THB;*** calls on the Commission and the Member States to work together to create gender-sensitive training programmes for persons coming in contact with victims of THB in an official capacity, including police officers, border officers, judges, magistrates, lawyers, front-line medical staff and social workers; stresses that training should include ***the development of understanding on gender-based violence and exploitation, the*** detection of victims, the formal identification process and appropriate, gender-specific assistance for victims;

Or. en

Amendment 140

Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to work together to create gender-sensitive training programmes for persons coming in contact with victims of THB in an official capacity, including police officers, border officers, judges, magistrates, lawyers, front-line medical staff ***and*** social workers; stresses that training should include detection of victims, the formal identification process and appropriate, gender-specific assistance for victims;

Amendment

14. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to work together to create gender-sensitive training programmes for persons coming in contact with victims of THB in an official capacity, including police officers, border officers, judges, magistrates, lawyers, front-line medical staff, social workers ***and psychological counsellors***; stresses that training should include detection of victims, the formal identification process and appropriate, gender-specific assistance for victims;

Or. it

Amendment 141

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. ***Calls on the Commission and the Member States to work together to create gender-sensitive training programmes for persons coming in contact with victims of THB in an official capacity, including police officers, border officers, judges, magistrates, lawyers, front-line medical staff and social workers; stresses that training should include detection of victims, the formal identification process and appropriate, gender-specific assistance for victims;***

Amendment

14. ***Recalls that training of practitioners and officials is crucial to early identify potential victims and prevent crime; calls therefore on the Member States to fully apply art 18. 3 of the Directive 2011/36/EU and to share best practices in particular when creating gender-sensitive training programmes for persons coming in contact with victims of THB in an official capacity, including police officers, border officers, judges, magistrates, lawyers, front-line medical staff and social workers; stresses that training should include detection of victims, the formal identification process and appropriate, gender-specific assistance for victims;***

Or. en

Amendment 142

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14a. Calls on the Commission to bolster resources for the JHA agencies to enable the appointment of gender-trained agency officers, especially in those Member States faced with increased mixed migratory flows. Relevant stipulations should be included in a revised version of the EU Agenda for Migration. The new

'Hotspot' approach outlined in the Agenda, should not be limited to quick processing and clearing of backlogs, but include a proportionate anti-trafficking component geared towards the effective referral of potential victims. Gender-trained agency officers, male and female, should be dispatched to support local police, to collaborate with and collect intelligence from staff at reception centres, local employers and migrants themselves. It is in the uncertain circumstances directly following arrival that many vulnerable persons, particularly women, may become exploited prostitutes or victims of trafficking;

Or. en

Amendment 143
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls for the wider development and dissemination of publications aimed at improving the knowledge within professions, such as the 'Handbook for consular and diplomatic staff on how to assist and protect victims of human trafficking'¹³ ;

¹³ https://ec.europa.eu/anti-trafficking/publications/handbook-consular-and-diplomatic-staff-how-assist-and-protect-victims-human-trafficking_en.

Amendment

15. Calls for the wider development and dissemination of *awareness raising* publications aimed at improving the knowledge within professions, such as the 'Handbook for consular and diplomatic staff on how to assist and protect victims of human trafficking'¹³ ;

¹³ https://ec.europa.eu/anti-trafficking/publications/handbook-consular-and-diplomatic-staff-how-assist-and-protect-victims-human-trafficking_en.

Or. en

Amendment 144
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Recognises the importance of developing long-term relationships between law enforcement, service providers and victims in order to build trust and address the needs of the latter; stresses that support organisations require sufficient funding for projects, and expresses concern that many, especially women's organisation, are struggling because of funding cuts;

Amendment

16. Recognises the importance of developing long-term relationships between law enforcement, service providers, **various stakeholders** and victims in order to build trust and **sensitively** address the needs of the latter; stresses that support organisations require sufficient funding for projects, and expresses concern that many, especially women's organisation, are struggling because of funding cuts;

Or. en

Amendment 145
Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Stresses that funding from the Commission and the Member States should be targeted to the **best** provider of services, based on the needs of the victims including gender-specific requirements;

Amendment

17. Stresses that funding from the Commission and the Member States should be targeted to the **most suitable** provider of services, based on the needs of the victims including gender-specific requirements **and the scope for the provider to engage in far-reaching and long-term processes**;

Or. sv

Amendment 146
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Stresses that funding from the Commission and the Member States should be targeted to the best provider of services, based on the needs of the victims including *gender-specific* requirements;

Amendment

17. Stresses that funding from the Commission and the Member States should be targeted to the best provider of services, based on the needs of the victims including *gender and child specific* requirements;

Or. en

Amendment 147
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Stresses that funding from the Commission and the Member States should be targeted to *the best provider of services*, based on the needs of the victims including gender-specific requirements;

Amendment

17. Stresses that funding from the Commission and the Member States should be targeted to *different service providers according to their specific approach and expertise regarding various forms of THB*; based on the needs of the victims including gender-specific requirements;

Or. en

Amendment 148
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Calls on the Member States actively to include social partners, trade unions and civil society in their initiatives to prevent THB, particularly in the field of labour exploitation, including as regards the identification of victims and awareness-raising activities;

Amendment

18. Calls on the Member States actively to include social partners, trade unions and civil society, *particularly NGOs working to combat trafficking and provide assistance to victims*, in their initiatives to prevent THB, particularly in the field of labour exploitation, including as regards the identification of victims and awareness-

raising activities;

Or. es

Amendment 149

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Calls on the Member States actively to include social partners, trade unions and civil society in their initiatives to prevent THB, particularly in the field of labour exploitation, including as regards the identification of victims and awareness-raising activities;

Amendment

18. Calls on the Member States actively to include social partners, *private sector*, trade unions and civil society in their initiatives to prevent THB, particularly in the field of labour exploitation, including as regards the identification of victims and awareness-raising activities;

Or. en

Amendment 150

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation *of children* is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking *of children* for sexual exploitation; calls on the Commission to examine how the demand for sexual services drives child trafficking, and how best to reduce demand;

Amendment

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking for sexual exploitation; calls on the Commission to examine how the demand for sexual services drives *THB including* child trafficking, and how best to reduce demand;

Or. en

Amendment 151

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation of children is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking of children for sexual exploitation; calls on the Commission to examine *how the demand for sexual services drives child trafficking, and how best to reduce demand*;

Amendment

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation of children is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking of children for sexual exploitation; calls on the Commission to examine *possible awareness-rising initiatives, to elaborate statistics and to come forward with clear proposals on how to best prosecute this crime*;

Or. en

Amendment 152

Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation of children is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking of children for sexual exploitation; calls on the Commission to examine how the demand for sexual services drives child trafficking, and *how best to reduce demand*;

Amendment

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation of children is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking of children for sexual exploitation; calls on the Commission to examine how the demand for sexual services drives child trafficking, and *give directives in order to punish the client*;

Or. en

Amendment 153

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation of children is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking of children for sexual exploitation; calls on the Commission to examine how the demand for sexual services drives child trafficking, and ***how best to reduce*** demand;

Amendment

19. Notes ***with regret*** that while sexual exploitation of children is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking of children for sexual exploitation; ***therefore*** calls on the Commission to examine how the demand for sexual services drives child trafficking, and ***propose an effective solution how to eliminate*** demand ***and this crime***;

Or. en

Amendment 154

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation of children is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking of children for sexual exploitation; calls on the Commission to examine how the demand for sexual services drives child trafficking, and ***how best*** to reduce demand;

Amendment

19. Notes that while sexual exploitation of children is illegal in all Member States, this does not prevent trafficking of children for sexual exploitation; calls on the ***Member States to fully implement Directive 2011/92/EU on combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography and to step up their police and judicial cooperation to prevent and combat child sexual exploitation***; calls on the Commission ***in cooperation with the Member States*** to examine how the demand for sexual services drives child trafficking, and ***on Member States to share best practices*** to reduce demand;

Or. en

Amendment 155
Péter Niedermüller

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19a. Notes that data collection on child trafficking should be based on a common definition of this crime phenomenon. Some Member States consider child trafficking a separate form of exploitation and others include child victims with adults hindering the possibility of creating a comprehensive intelligence picture and of defining the best investigative responses at the EU level;

Or. en

Amendment 156
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20. Underlines the Commission's obligation under Article 23 of the directive to come forward, by 2016, with a report assessing the impact of existing national laws on the criminalisation of the knowing use of services of a victim of THB, and the need for further action;

20. Underlines the Commission's obligation under Article 23 of the directive to come forward, by 2016, with a report assessing the impact of existing national laws on the criminalisation of the knowing use of services of a victim of THB, and the need for further action; ***stresses that the Commission should not rely solely on the reporting of a MS, but should also assess compliance through engagement with civil society and other relevant bodies, such as GRETA and the country reports produced by OSCE Special Representative on Human Trafficking and the UN Special Rapporteur on Trafficking and Contemporary Forms of Slavery;***

Or. en

Amendment 157
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Underlines the Commission's obligation under Article 23 of the directive to come forward, by 2016, with a report assessing the impact of existing national laws on the criminalisation *of the knowing* use of services of a victim of THB, and the need for further action;

Amendment

20. Underlines the Commission's obligation under Article 23 of the directive to come forward, by 2016, with a report assessing the impact of existing national laws on the criminalisation *the* use of services of a victim of THB, and the need for further action;

Or. en

Amendment 158
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Notes the lack of a common understanding among the Member States about what constitutes demand for exploitation, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to strengthen gender-sensitive guidelines on how to discourage demand while raising awareness about all forms of THB, especially sexual exploitation;

Amendment

21. Notes the lack of a common understanding among the Member States about what constitutes demand for exploitation, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to strengthen gender-sensitive guidelines on how to discourage demand while raising awareness about all forms of THB, especially sexual exploitation, *and making other forms of exploitation like domestic servitude visible*;

Or. en

Amendment 159
Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Notes the lack of a common understanding among the Member States about what constitutes demand for exploitation, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to ***strengthen gender-sensitive*** guidelines on ***how to discourage demand*** while raising awareness about all forms of THB, especially sexual exploitation;

Amendment

21. Notes the lack of a common understanding among the Member States about what constitutes demand for exploitation, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to ***propose*** guidelines on ***the punishment of the client based on the Nordic Model*** while raising awareness about all forms of THB, especially sexual exploitation;

Or. en

Amendment 160
Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21a. Stresses that demand and the enormous income associated with trafficking in persons are the two main reasons for the existence of the phenomenon; notes furthermore Sweden's legislation on prostitution, which has had a normative impact on the prevalence of demand, which has been declining, thus reducing trafficking in persons for the purpose of providing sexual services;

Or. sv

Amendment 161
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

21a. Notes that the increased vulnerability of certain groups of people puts them at particular risk of falling victim of trafficking; deplores, however, the fact that trafficking takes place as a result of the high demand for products and services dependent upon the exploitation of human beings, which is a very profitable form of organised crime;

Or. es

Amendment 162
Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;

Amendment

22. Calls on the **EU and its** Member States to **adopt active policies that will** develop specific strategies for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;

Or. ro

Amendment 163
Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for

Amendment

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for

trafficking for sexual exploitation, *such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;*

trafficking for sexual exploitation, *which are empowering and which increase the scope for victims of trafficking to obtain assistance from the authorities concerned;*

Or. sv

Amendment 164

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;

Amendment

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, *and campaigns to discourage demand for sexual services*, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;

Or. es

Amendment 165

Catherine Bearder, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;

Amendment

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States; *calls on the*

Commission to further examine any links between demand for sexual services and THB;

Or. en

Amendment 166

Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Anna Hedh, Maria Arena, Maria Noichl

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, *while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;*

Amendment

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution; *believes that demand reduction can be achieved through legislation that shifts the criminal burden onto those who purchase sexual services rather than onto those who sell it, and through the imposition of fines to make prostitution and sexual exploitation financially less lucrative for criminal networks;*

Or. en

Amendment 167

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for *trafficking for sexual exploitation*, such as *exit programmes and* schemes to empower and protect the rights of those *in prostitution*, while also noting that the

Amendment

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies for reducing demand for *all forms of THB*, such as schemes to empower and protect the rights of those *working in vulnerable sectors (including sex work, domestic work care takers and*

regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;

agriculture), while also noting that the regulation of prostitution *as well as regulations of other sectors* is a competence of the Member States;

Or. en

Amendment 168

Sophia in 't Veld, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies *for reducing demand for trafficking for sexual exploitation, such as exit programmes and schemes* to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;

Amendment

22. Calls on the Member States to develop specific strategies, *such as exit programmes and schemes, access to occupational health and safety needs, loans, social security systems and tax registration* to empower and protect the rights of those in prostitution *and to reduce their vulnerability to exploitation*, while also noting that the regulation of prostitution is a competence of the Member States;

Or. en

Amendment 169

Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Anna Hedh, Maria Noichl

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22a. Emphasises the data which confirm the deterrent effect that criminalisation of the purchase of sexual services has had in Sweden; highlights the normative effect of this model of regulation and its potential to change social attitudes to reduce overall demand for the services of victims of THB;

Amendment 170
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22a. Calls on the Member States to adopt the 'Nordic model' to combat sexual exploitation, particularly since studies have shown that, in countries such as Sweden and Norway where the purchase of sexual services is a criminal offence, prostitution and human trafficking are on the wane;

Or. it

Amendment 171
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23. Notes with concern that very few Member States have clearly defined demand reduction programmes, and that, generally speaking, these have been focussed on trafficking for sexual exploitation; calls on the Member States to develop demand **reduction** programmes for all types of THB;

23. Notes with concern that very few Member States have clearly defined demand reduction programmes, and that, generally speaking, these have been focussed on trafficking for sexual exploitation **only**; calls on the Member States to develop demand **elimination** programmes for all types of THB;

Or. en

Amendment 172
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23a. Notes that sham marriages can qualify as THB under certain circumstances if there is a forced or exploitative element, and women and girls are more likely to become victims; regrets the lack of harmonisation of EU legislation regarding sham marriage as there is often overlap with other forms of THB such as forced prostitution;

Or. en

Amendment 173
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23a. Calls on the Member States to implement laws and policies that target procurers and buyers directly to reduce demand for sexual exploitation as part of their national action plans while decriminalising individuals in prostitution and providing them with support services, including high quality social, legal and psychological assistance for those who wish to exit prostitution;

Or. en

Amendment 174
Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23a. Expresses its concern by growing practice of reproductive exploitation of women; calls on the European Commission to include gestational surrogacy as a form of THB as it involves reproductive exploitation and use of human body for financial or other gains; calls upon the Member States to respect their international commitments and to take the necessary actions to stop any involvement of European countries, citizens or companies in surrogacy tourism;

Or. en

Amendment 175

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23b. Stresses that proactive prevention strategies contribute to breaking the cycle of trafficking; calls on Member States to take more proactive preventative actions such as targeted workshops with vulnerable groups and education activities in schools;

Or. en

Amendment 176

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23b. Recalls that the human body should not be a source of financial gain; calls on the Commission to condemn all sorts of THB with the purpose of the removal of organs and adopt a clear attitude toward illegal trade of organs, tissues and cells, including trade in reproductive cells and foetal tissues and cells;

Or. en

Amendment 177

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Stresses that efforts to improve gender equality contribute to the prevention of THB, and should contain strategies for education and empowerment programmes for women and girls in order to strengthen their position in society;

Amendment

24. Stresses that efforts to improve gender equality contribute to the prevention of THB, and should contain strategies for education and empowerment programmes for women and girls in order to strengthen their position in society ***and make them less vulnerable to trafficking, and awareness-raising campaigns and training specifically designed for men on the importance of equality between men and women and combating sexist stereotypes and gender violence;***

Or. es

Amendment 178

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Stresses that efforts to improve gender equality contribute to the prevention of THB, and should contain strategies for education and empowerment programmes for women and girls in order to strengthen their *position* in society;

Amendment

24. Stresses that efforts to improve gender equality contribute to the prevention of THB, and should contain strategies for education and empowerment programmes for women and girls in order to strengthen their *irreplaceable role* in society, *family and at work*;

Or. en

Amendment 179

Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24a. Stresses that greater equality depends on the involvement of all and that responsibility must not be assigned only to one group within society; notes the need for legislation which calls into question the market structures which are expressed in discrimination and oppression and, by extension, in violence; notes that in order to attain equality it is necessary for more men also to take responsibility, as equal treatment should be an objective of the whole of society;

Or. sv

Amendment 180

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24a. Emphasises that to prevent

trafficking, ensure the inviolability of the bodily integrity of women and combat gender violence, education promoting equality and combating sexist stereotypes is needed from an early age, to be supplemented with age-appropriate sexual education;

Or. es

Amendment 181

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Notes that it is already illegal under Directive 2009/52/EC for employers to use the work or services of third-country nationals with no legal residency status in the EU with the knowledge that they are victims of THB, *and is concerned* that EU nationals who are victims of THB are not included under this legislation; *asks that the Commission examine the impact of this apparent loophole and assess the need to change the legislation in order to close it;*

Amendment

26. Notes that it is already illegal under Directive 2009/52/EC for employers to use the work or services of third-country nationals with no legal residency status in the EU with the knowledge that they are victims of THB; *and acknowledges* that EU nationals who are victims of THB are not included under this legislation; *calls on the Member States to ensure that in their national legislation EU- nationals victims of trafficking are protected from labour exploitation and relevant sanctions are put in place;*

Or. en

Amendment 182

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Anna Záborská, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26a. Recalls that according to Europol about 10.000 unaccompanied children have disappeared after their arrival in the EU in 2015 and that they could be victims of trafficking and exposed to all sort of exploitation and abuse; calls on the Member States to register children upon their arrival and ensure their inclusion in the Child protection systems; calls on the Member States to increase information sharing in order to better protect migrant children in Europe who are particularly vulnerable to trafficking;

Or. en

Amendment 183

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Is strongly critical of the fact that it is not already a criminal offence to **knowingly** use the services of trafficked persons across all Member States, but acknowledges the difficulty in proving knowledge in a judicial context, and considers that this would be an important step recognising the seriousness of this crime, ensuring a real framework for the prevention of THB and for stopping the culture of impunity;

Amendment

27. Is strongly critical of the fact that it is not already a criminal offence to use the services of trafficked persons across all Member States, but acknowledges the difficulty in proving knowledge in a judicial context, and considers that this would be an important step recognising the seriousness of this crime, ensuring a real framework for the prevention of THB and for stopping the culture of impunity;

Or. en

Amendment 184

Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Is strongly critical of the fact that it is not already a criminal offence to **knowingly** use the services of trafficked persons across all Member States, but acknowledges the difficulty in proving knowledge in a judicial context, and considers that this would be an important step recognising the seriousness of this crime, ensuring a real framework for the prevention of THB and for stopping the culture of impunity;

Amendment

27. Is strongly critical of the fact that it is not already a criminal offence to use the services of trafficked persons across all Member States, but acknowledges the difficulty, **under existing legislation**, in proving knowledge in a judicial context, and considers that this would be an important step recognising the seriousness of this crime, ensuring a real framework for the prevention of THB and for stopping the culture of impunity;

Or. sv

Amendment 185
Mary Honeyball, Clare Moody, Julie Ward, Anna Hedh, Maria Arena

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Is strongly critical of the fact that it is not already a criminal offence to knowingly use the services of trafficked persons across all Member States, **but acknowledges the difficulty in proving knowledge in a judicial context**, and considers that this would be an important step recognising the seriousness of this crime, ensuring a real framework for the prevention of THB and for stopping the culture of impunity;

Amendment

27. Is strongly critical of the fact that it is not already a criminal offence to knowingly use the services of trafficked persons across all Member States and considers that this would be an important step recognising the seriousness of this crime, ensuring a real framework for the prevention of THB and for stopping the culture of impunity;

Or. en

Amendment 186
Pina Picierno

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Is strongly critical of the fact that it is not already a criminal offence to knowingly use the services of trafficked persons across all Member States, but acknowledges the difficulty in proving knowledge in a judicial context, and considers that this would be an important step recognising the seriousness of this crime, ensuring a real framework for the prevention of THB and for stopping the culture of impunity;

Amendment

27. Is strongly critical of the fact that it is not already a criminal offence to knowingly use the services of trafficked persons across all Member States, but acknowledges the difficulty in proving knowledge in a judicial context, and considers that this would be an important step recognising the seriousness of this crime, ensuring a real framework for the prevention of THB and for stopping the culture of impunity; ***stresses the need to establish a legal basis transcending individual internal national boundaries and consisting of a coordinated set of rules codified under international criminal law;***

Or. it

Amendment 187
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27a. Notes that according to Europol's THB situation report for 2016, 70% of the identified victims of THB in the EU are EU nationals, and that most reported victims are female EU nationals from Central and Eastern Europe;

Or. en

Amendment 188
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27b. Expresses concern about the lack of data regarding Romani women and children at risk of being trafficked for forced labour or services, which include begging; calls on the Commission to provide data regarding Romani women and children recognised as trafficking victims, how many have received victim assistance and in which countries;

Or. en

Amendment 189
Pina Picierno

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Expresses concern that not all victims are able to access services easily or have knowledge of them; stresses that there must be no discrimination in access to services;
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28. Expresses concern that not all victims are able to access services easily or have knowledge of them; stresses that there must be no discrimination in access to services; ***underlines also the importance of reviewing the efforts to be made to eradicate all forms of slavery that still exist in the twenty-first century;***

Or. it

Amendment 190
Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29. Notes that victims of THB require

29. Notes that victims of THB require

specialised services, including access to accommodation, witness protection schemes, healthcare and counselling, translation and interpretation services, and (re)integration and resettlement assistance, and that these services should be further individualised case by case, with specific consideration given to the issue of gender;

specialised services, including access to accommodation, witness protection schemes, healthcare and counselling, translation and interpretation services, and (re)integration and resettlement assistance, and that these services should be further individualised case by case, with specific consideration given to the issue of gender ***expression***;

Or. sv

Amendment 191

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Notes that victims of THB require specialised services, including access to accommodation, witness protection schemes, healthcare and counselling, translation and interpretation services, and (re)integration and resettlement assistance, and that these services should be further individualised case by case, with specific consideration given to the issue of gender;

Amendment

29. Notes that victims of THB require specialised services, including access to accommodation, witness protection schemes, healthcare and counselling, translation and interpretation services, ***access to education and training, including teaching on the language of their country of residence***, and (re)integration, ***education, training*** and resettlement assistance, and that these services should be further individualised case by case, with specific consideration given to the issue of gender;

Or. es

Amendment 192

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Notes that victims of THB require specialised services, including access to accommodation, witness protection schemes, healthcare and counselling, translation and interpretation services, *and* (re)integration and resettlement assistance, and that these services should be further individualised case by case, with specific consideration given to the issue of gender;

Amendment

29. Notes that victims of THB require specialised services, including access to *safe short and long-term* accommodation, witness protection schemes, healthcare and counselling, translation and interpretation services, *legal redress, compensation, travel assistance, language and other education, vocational training, job placement*, (re)integration, *family mediation* and resettlement assistance, and that these services should be further individualised case by case, with specific consideration given to the issue of gender;

Or. en

Amendment 193

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Notes that victims of THB require specialised services, including access to accommodation, witness protection schemes, healthcare and counselling, translation and interpretation services, and (re)integration and resettlement assistance, and that these services should be further individualised case by case, with specific consideration given to the issue of gender;

Amendment

29. Notes that victims of THB require specialised services, including access to accommodation, witness protection schemes, *education*, healthcare and counselling, translation and interpretation services, and (re)integration and resettlement assistance, and that these services should be further individualised case by case, with specific consideration given to the issue of gender;

Or. en

Amendment 194

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Stresses that the gender dimension of THB shows an obligation for Member States to address it as a form of violence against women; asks the Commission to come forward with a legislative proposal on violence against women that includes THB;

Amendment

30. Stresses that the gender dimension of THB shows an obligation for Member States to address it as a form of violence against women; asks the Commission to come forward with ***a European strategy for combating gender violence, containing*** a legislative proposal on violence against women that includes THB;

Or. es

Amendment 195

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Stresses that the gender dimension of THB shows an obligation for Member States to address it as a form of violence against women; asks the Commission to come forward with a legislative proposal on violence against women that includes THB;

Amendment

30. Stresses that the gender dimension of THB shows an obligation for Member States to address it as a form of violence against women ***and girls; highlights that more attention must be paid to the exploitative dynamic and the long-term emotional and psychological harms that are associated with this***; asks the Commission to come forward with a legislative proposal on violence against women ***and girls*** that includes THB;

Or. en

Amendment 196

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30a. Considers that persons in prostitution should be decriminalised in all EU countries and that focus should be shifted on to suppressing procurers and buyers which fuel the trafficking industry;

Or. en

Amendment 197

Arne Gericke, Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

31. Highlights the good work done by government services and civil society in providing assistance and support to victims, although this work is not carried out consistently across Member States or with respect to the different types of THB;

Amendment

31. Highlights the good work done by **a number of** government services and civil society in **identifying victims of human trafficking and** providing assistance and support to victims, although this work is not carried out consistently across Member States or with respect to the different types of THB;

Or. en

Amendment 198

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

31a. Ensure adequate funding for independent NGOs and gender-specific refuges to adequately meet needs at all points of the victim pathway in destination countries and to work preventatively in relevant source, transit and destination countries.

Amendment 199

Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Calls on the Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for victims of all *genders*;

Amendment

32. Calls on the Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for victims of all *gender expressions*;

Or. sv

Amendment 200

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Calls on the Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for victims of all genders;

Amendment

32. Calls on the Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising *any needs that may be specific to* the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for victims of all genders;

Or. en

Amendment 201

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. ***Calls on the*** Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for victims of all genders;

Amendment

32. ***Urges*** Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for victims of all genders;

Or. en

Amendment 202

Marijana Petir, Davor Ivo Stier, Miroslav Mikolášik, Anna Záborská, Alojz Peterle

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Calls on the Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for victims of ***all genders***;

Amendment

32. Calls on the Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for ***women and men*** victims of ***THB***;

Or. en

Amendment 203

Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Calls on the Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for *victims of all genders*;

Amendment

32. Calls on the Member States to ensure gender-specific provision of services to victims of THB that is appropriate to their needs, recognising the form of trafficking to which they have been subjected; highlights that whilst a majority of victims are women and girls, there should be specialised services for *all victims*;

Or. en

Amendment 204
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32a. Recalls that specific actions to assist, support and protect trafficked children, including best interest assessments, should be integrated into general child protection systems as they exist at a national level.

Or. en

Amendment 205
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32a. Calls on the support services for THB to be tailored to meet also the needs of LGBTI victims of trafficking;

Or. en

Amendment 206

Sophia in 't Veld, Louis Michel, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32a. Underlines the importance for all Member States to recognize systematically the right to access to safe abortion services for female victims of THB whose pregnancy is a result of their exploitation,

Or. en

Amendment 207

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32b. Calls on Member States to consistently apply the principle of equal treatment in order to combat the discrimination and prejudice against women who work, or are thought to work in the sex industry. Law enforcement officers and border guards should be trained to abandon prejudicial attitudes and to offer women access to support services on an equal basis regardless of the specific nature and circumstances of the work they perform.

Or. en

Amendment 208

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33a. Calls on the Member States to ensure that EU and third country nationals victims of trafficking are entitled to residence permits;

Or. en

Amendment 209
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress; ***asks the European Commission to develop and implement the mentioned possibility within the Directive 2011/36/EU to provide international protection to THB gender-based victims, to guarantee the asylum right of those victims who fulfil the requirements established by the Geneva Convention in 1951;***

Or. en

Amendment 210
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance ***free of charge*** to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

Or. es

Amendment 211

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to provide ***free*** legal assistance to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

Or. en

Amendment 212

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who ***either self-identify, or*** meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress; ***reminds that self-***

identification can never be a requirement in order to access victims' rights and services;

Or. en

Amendment 213
Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;
;

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal *and psychological* assistance to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

Or. it

Amendment 214
Branislav Škripek

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who either self-identify, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to provide legal assistance to all of those who either self-identify *on the basis of justified reasons*, or meet an adequate number of the criteria for identification, as victims of THB, to help them access their rights, compensations and/or legal redress;

Or. en

Amendment 215

Anna Hedh

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. Calls on the Member States to recognise the longer time needed to recover from the harms of trafficking for purposes of sexual exploitation, as compared with the time needed to recover from other forms of trafficking, when deciding on limits to victim support; calls for protection measures offered to victims trafficked for sexual exploitation to be extended, in order to minimise harms, prevent re-trafficking and secondary victimisation;

Amendment

35. Calls on the Member States to recognise the longer time needed to recover from the harms of trafficking for purposes of sexual exploitation, as compared with the time needed to recover from other forms of trafficking, when deciding on limits to victim support; calls for protection measures offered to victims trafficked for sexual exploitation to be extended, in order to minimise harms, prevent re-trafficking and secondary victimisation ***and in every case cater for individual needs***;

Or. sv

Amendment 216

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 35 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35a. Calls on the European Commission to explore the possibility of adopting legislative measures in cooperation with the competent authorities having seen the lack of protection suffered by gender-based victims of trafficking once their residence permit concludes;

Or. en

Amendment 217

Arne Gericke, Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35a. *Notes that there are a number of different reasons that women are trafficked; sexual exploitation; forced marriage; forced pregnancy and servitude. The impact of trafficking can vary from individual to individual and there is no one type of trafficking which should be seen as more damaging;*

Or. en

Amendment 218
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

36a. *Calls on the EU and member states to investigate the link between the increasing numbers of refugees arriving and THB, notes that specific attention should be paid to the trafficking of women and child refugees, including by improving data collection and ensuring compliance with existing protection standards.*

Or. en

Amendment 219
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

37. Underlines that all victims of THB

37. Underlines that all victims of THB

should systematically be informed of the possibility of benefitting from a recovery and reflection period, and should effectively be granted such a period;

should systematically be informed of the possibility of benefitting from a recovery and reflection period, and should effectively be granted such a period;
regrets that in some Member States these rights have only been transposed into migration laws and therefore do not only apply to all victims of THB, but only to those in an irregular situation; recalls that these rights have to be granted to all THB victims;

Or. en

Amendment 220
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 38

Motion for a resolution

38. Calls on the Member States to *assess the possibility of extending* the minimum 30-day recovery and reflection period for women trafficked for the purposes of sexual exploitation, given the significant and sustained harms of this form of violence against women;

Amendment

38. Calls on the Member States to *extend* the minimum 30-day recovery and reflection period for women trafficked for the purposes of sexual exploitation, given the significant and sustained harms of this form of violence against women;

Or. en

Amendment 221
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 38

Motion for a resolution

38. Calls on the Member States to assess the possibility of extending the minimum 30-day recovery and reflection period for women trafficked for the purposes of

Amendment

38. Calls on the Member States to assess the possibility of extending the minimum 30-day recovery and reflection period for women *and girls* trafficked for the

sexual exploitation, given the significant and sustained harms of this form of violence against women;

purposes of sexual exploitation, given the significant and sustained harms of this form of violence against women;

Or. en

Amendment 222

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 38

Motion for a resolution

38. ***Calls on the Member States to assess the possibility of extending*** the minimum 30-day recovery and reflection period for women trafficked for the purposes of sexual exploitation, given the significant and sustained harms of this form of violence against women;

Amendment

38. ***Underlines the necessity that Member States extend*** the minimum 30-day recovery and reflection period for women trafficked for the purposes of sexual exploitation, given the significant and sustained harms of this form of violence against women;

Or. en

Amendment 223

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Michaela Šojdrová, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 38

Motion for a resolution

38. Calls on the Member States to assess the possibility of extending the minimum 30-day recovery and reflection period for women trafficked for the purposes of sexual exploitation, given the significant and sustained harms of this form of violence against women;

Amendment

38. ***Recalls that according to Directive 2004/81/EC Member States are bounded to allow a period of reflection and recovery for victims of trafficking in human beings;*** Calls on the Member States ***when determining the duration of such a period to take into account art.13 of the Council of Europe Convention on action against trafficking in human beings and*** to assess the possibility of extending the minimum 30-day recovery

and reflection period *included in the Council of Europe Convention* for women trafficked for the purposes of sexual exploitation given the significant and sustained harms of this form of violence against women;

Or. en

Amendment 224

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 39

Motion for a resolution

39. Notes that the current EU Strategy towards the Eradication of THB comes to an end in 2016, and calls on the Commission to evaluate the current strategy and introduce a new one that includes a clear gender dimension and contains concrete actions in this regard; calls for this strategy to be integrated and made coherent with other policy areas, with a view to ensuring effective implementation of anti-trafficking measures, including, but not limited to, security, migration and law enforcement.

Amendment

39. Notes that the current EU Strategy towards the Eradication of THB comes to an end in 2016, and calls on the Commission to evaluate the current strategy and introduce a new one that *follows a human rights-based approach, focusing on victims*; includes a clear gender dimension and contains concrete actions in this regard; *adequately and effectively addresses prevention, and continues to discourage the demand that fosters all forms of trafficking*; calls for this strategy to be integrated and made coherent with other policy areas, with a view to ensuring effective implementation of anti-trafficking measures, including, but not limited to, security, migration and law enforcement.

Or. es

Amendment 225

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Ildikó Gáll-Pelcz, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

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Or. en

Amendment 226

Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 40 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

40a. Calls on Member States to appoint, with a view to assessing their strategies and activities and improving efforts to combat trafficking, an independent national rapporteur with the legal right to appear before the national parliament and make recommendations on how best to combat THB;

Or. es

Amendment 227

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 41

Motion for a resolution

41. Asks that the Member States collect more detailed data by compiling reliable statistical information gathered from all main actors, by ensuring that the data is disaggregated by gender, age, type of exploitation (within the subsets of types of THB), country of origin and destination, and by including internally trafficked people, to better assess the gender dimension and recent trends in THB, as well as by collecting data on recovery and reflection periods, residence permits and victim compensation; calls on the Members States to ensure that national rapporteurs play a more significant role in the coordination of data collection initiatives, in close cooperation with relevant civil society organisations active in this field;

Amendment

41. Asks that the Member States collect more detailed data by compiling reliable statistical information gathered from all main actors, by ensuring that the data is **homogenous and** disaggregated by gender, age, type of exploitation (within the subsets of types of THB), country of origin and destination, and by including internally trafficked people, to better assess the gender dimension and recent trends in THB, as well as by collecting data on recovery and reflection periods, residence permits and victim compensation; calls on the Members States to ensure that national rapporteurs play a more significant role in the coordination of data collection initiatives, in close cooperation with relevant civil society organisations active in this field;

Or. en

Amendment 228

Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 41

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Amendment

41. Asks that the Member States collect more detailed **and up to date** data by compiling reliable statistical information gathered from all main actors, by ensuring that the data is disaggregated by gender, age, type of exploitation (within the subsets of types of THB), country of origin and destination, and by including internally trafficked people, to better assess the gender dimension and recent trends in THB, as well as by collecting data on recovery and reflection periods, residence permits and victim compensation; calls on the Members States to ensure that national

play a more significant role in the coordination of data collection initiatives, in close cooperation with relevant civil society organisations active in this field;

rapporteurs play a more significant role in the coordination of data collection initiatives, in close cooperation with relevant civil society organisations active in this field;

Or. it

Amendment 229

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Esteban González Pons, Mariya Gabriel, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

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Amendment

41. ***Calls on*** the Member States ***to*** collect more detailed data by compiling reliable statistical information gathered from all main actors, by ensuring that the data is disaggregated by gender, age, type of exploitation (within the subsets of types of THB), country of origin and destination, and by including internally trafficked people, to better ***identify potential victims and prevent crime; calls on the Member States to increase data sharing to better assess the gender dimension and recent trends in THB and combat trafficking more effectively***; calls on the Members States to ensure that national rapporteurs play a more significant role in the coordination of data collection initiatives, in close cooperation with relevant civil society organisations active in this field;

Or. en

Amendment 230

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42

Motion for a resolution

42. Notes that despite the clear definition of THB given in the Directive, a number of different definitions have been adopted in Member States' national legislation; calls on the Commission to conduct research on this and to report on what these differences in definition mean practically for the application of the directive;

Amendment

42. Notes that despite the clear definition of THB given in the Directive, a number of different definitions have been adopted in Member States' national legislation; calls on the Commission to conduct research on this and to report on what these differences in definition mean practically for the application of the directive; ***stresses the importance of conceptual clarity in order to avoid conflation with other related but separate issues;***

Or. en

Amendment 231
Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42

Motion for a resolution

42. Notes that despite the clear definition of THB given in the Directive, a number of different definitions have been adopted in Member States' national legislation; calls on the Commission to conduct research on this and to report on what these differences in definition mean practically for the application of the directive;

Amendment

42. Notes that despite the clear definition of THB given in the Directive, a number of different definitions have been adopted in Member States' national legislation; ***Even though it recognizes the competence of the Member States on the regulation of prostitution, it*** calls on the Commission to conduct research on this and to report on what these differences in definition mean practically for the application of the directive;

Or. en

Amendment 232
Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel, Terry Reintke, Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

42a. Notes that stakeholders generally confirm that the vast majority of victims of THB go undetected; recognises that the trafficking of certain vulnerable groups such as (homeless) youth, children, disabled and LGBTI people, has been somewhat overlooked; stresses the importance of improved data collection to enhance victim identification efforts with regard to these groups and developing best practice in dealing with the specific needs of these victims:

Or. en

Amendment 233
Iratxe García Pérez, Juan Fernando López Aguilar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 42 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

42a. Stresses that, to improve efforts to combat THB in the European Union, the EU institutions must carefully assess the implementation of EU legislation in the Member States, and take further legislative and other measures, if necessary;

Or. es

Amendment 234
Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 43

Motion for a resolution

43. Calls on the Commission to develop standardised guidelines for data collection for the relevant bodies, such as law enforcement, border and immigration services, social services, local authorities, prisons, NGOs and other contributors;

Amendment

43. Calls on the Commission to develop standardised guidelines ***including data protection*** for data collection for the relevant bodies, such as law enforcement, border and immigration services, social services, local authorities, prisons, NGOs and other contributors;

Or. en

Amendment 235

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 43 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

43a. Calls on the Commission to ensure that anti-trafficking is given greater priority in the European Agenda on Migration (COM (2015) 240, final), so as to facilitate the engagement of victims in the prosecution of traffickers, by reform to rules on residency of victims of trafficking;

Or. en

Amendment 236

Daniela Aiuto, Marco Zullo

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 43 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

43a. Calls on the various EU agencies such as Eurojust, Europol, CEPOL, EASO, EIGE, FRA and Frontex to cooperate more effectively in combating human trafficking both inside and outside

Amendment

the Union;

Or. it

Amendment 237

Ernest Urtasun

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 43 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

43b. Calls on the Commission to address the abuse of self-employment in the employment of migrant labour in some EU member states, to avoid local labour standards and employment obligations, recognizing that bogus self-employment is often used in migrant labour domains most prone to trafficking;

Or. en

Amendment 238

Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 44

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

44. Asks that the Commission produce a study on the links between different types of trafficking and the routes between them;

44. Asks that the Commission produce a study on the links between different types of trafficking and the routes between them ***and promote continued research into the main causes of different types of trafficking in human beings and their impact on gender equality;***

Or. ro

Amendment 239

Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 44

Motion for a resolution

44. Asks that the Commission produce a study on the links between different types of trafficking and the routes between them;

Amendment

44. Asks that the Commission produce a study on the links between different types of trafficking and the routes between them, *as victims are often exploited in different ways simultaneously or move from one type of trafficking to another*;

Or. en

Amendment 240

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Agnieszka Kozłowska-Rajewicz, Michaela Šojdrová, Barbara Matera, Anna Záborská, Esteban González Pons, Rosa Estaràs Ferragut

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 44

Motion for a resolution

44. Asks that the Commission *produce a study on the links between different types of trafficking and the routes between them*;

Amendment

44. Asks that the Commission *to include in its upcoming report on the Implementation of Directive 2011/36/EU the links between different types of trafficking*;

Or. en

Amendment 241

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 44 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

44a. Urges the European Commission, taking into account that the Istanbul Convention is an effective tool to prevent and combat violence against women, including trafficking, and to protect and

*assist the victims, to promote the Member
States adherence to the Convention;*

Or. en