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# **AMENDMENTS**

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the situation of fundamental rights in the European Union in 2015  
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**Amendment 663**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Barbara Matera, Barbara Kudrycka, Roberta Metsola, Michał Boni**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of gender-based violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation;

*Amendment*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of gender-based violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation; *considers that all those living in Europe, regardless of their original culture and tradition, should respect the law and women's rights and dignity;*

Or. en

**Amendment 664**

**Marijana Petir**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of *gender-based* violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation;

*Amendment*

18. Highlights that no *political, ideological*, cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of *sexual* violence *against women, including female genital mutilations, forced abortion, sterilisation or surrogacy* and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation;

Or. en

**Amendment 665**

**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of gender-based violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation;

*Amendment*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of gender-based violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation ***and exchange best practice;***

Or. hr

**Amendment 666**  
**Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Sylvie Guillaume**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Highlights that ***no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of gender-based violence*** and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation;

*Amendment*

18. Highlights that ***any form of gender-based violence is unjustifiable in any circumstances*** and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation ***to combat what is a violation of fundamental rights;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 667**  
**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of gender-based violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their

*Amendment*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background ***or migration status*** can justify any form of gender-based violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their

cooperation;

cooperation;

Or. en

### **Amendment 668**

**Angelika Mlinar, Filiz Hyusmenova, Sophia in 't Veld**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 18**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

18. Highlights that *no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of* gender-based violence *and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation;*

###### *Amendment*

18. Highlights that *all forms of violence against women and girls and* gender-based violence *can never be justified and should be criminalised and punished;*

Or. en

### **Amendment 669**

**Branislav Škripek**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 18**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of *gender-based* violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation;

###### *Amendment*

18. Highlights that no cultural, religious, national or ethnic background can justify any form of violence and that EU and national authorities should strengthen their cooperation;

Or. en

### **Amendment 670**

**Beatrix von Storch**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 18 a (new)**

***18 a. Recalls that inequalities affects men:***

- 1. Longer life for women: on average women live longer than men***
- 2. Greater level of disposable income esp (rich) widows***
- 3. Women have "women only hospitals" - men don't have such facilities***
- 4. More lenient sentencing for the same crime as men***
- 5. Men cannot take their babies into prison with them - women can***
- 6. Men have no say in whether their child is aborted or not***
- 7. In divorce situations, men will most likely be worse off financially than the woman***
- 8. In divorce, men will rarely be the resident parent, having the children live with him***
- 9. The educational system in most developed countries is designed for a woman's learning style - disadvantaging men***
- 10. In a spirit of positive discrimination, with equally qualified candidates applying for a job the woman will always be preferred***
- 11. Men are depicted as weaker characters in films, literature, marketing campaigns***
- 12. Men are prejudged to be a sexual threat to women and children***
- 13. Men have more hazardous occupations***
- 14. Common misconception assumes that all domestic violence is committed by men against women, when about 40% is women abusing men***

*15. Men are more likely to have heart attacks, strokes, etc.*

*16. More boys than girls die in childhood*

Or. en

**Amendment 671**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel, Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 a. Calls on Member States to ensure respect for and safeguarding of women's sexual and reproductive health and rights; insists on the role of the Union in awareness-raising and promoting best practices on this issue, given that health is a fundamental human right essential to the exercise of other human rights; urges the Commission to include sexual and reproductive health and rights, as basic human rights, in its EU Health Strategy in order to ensure coherence between the EU's internal and external fundamental rights policy as called for by Parliament on 10 March 2015;*

Or. en

**Amendment 672**

**Louis Michel, Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18a. Stresses that female genital mutilation is an extremely serious form of violence against women; calls on the*

*Member States to raise the awareness of all those concerned by focusing their anti-FGM measures on prevention; further urges Member States to cooperate fully with one another so as to improve data collection and understanding of the phenomenon, in order to optimise the results of their action to protect women and girls from such mutilation;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 673**

**Barbara Spinelli, Marina Albiol Guzmán, Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 a. Highlights the dangerous potential for the internet, social media, and other types of technology to be used to control, threaten, and humiliate women such as instances of stalking, harassment, posting of sexual or nude photos without consent, which are also forms of violence against women that may fall under the definition of violence against women and gender-based violence against women in the Istanbul convention under Art. 3a and 3d;*

Or. en

**Amendment 674**

**Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18a. Expresses serious concern about continuing genital mutilation practices, which are a serious form of violence*



*against women and girls and constitute an unacceptable violation of their right to physical integrity; urges the Member States to take the necessary measures to end this barbarous practice as soon as possible;*

Or. el

**Amendment 675**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 a. Deplores the Commission decision to withdraw the Maternity Leave Directive; calls on the Commission to put forward a new proposal and to respect Parliament's position to increase the current minimum guaranteed maternity leave from 14 to 20 weeks fully paid and for the mandatory right to paid paternity leave;*

Or. en

**Amendment 676**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18a. Emphasises the need for coordinated action to be taken to combat stereotypes that reproduce and reinforce gender roles in the key areas in which those stereotypes are perpetuated; points out that such action should be planned with a particular focus on educational material, advertising and sexist language;*

**Amendment 677**

**Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Sylvie Guillaume**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***18a. Calls on the EU and the Member States to step up their efforts to protect women refugees and asylum seekers, who are particularly vulnerable to violence while on the move;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 678**

**Barbara Matera**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***18a. Stresses the importance of teaching European values regarding fundamental rights and respect for the dignity of women as part of the inclusion and integration process for refugees and asylum seekers;***

Or. it

**Amendment 679**

**Malin Björk, Marina Albiol Guzmán**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***18 a. Underlines that the sexual and reproductive health and rights of all women and girls must be respected, including their right to their bodies and sexuality and to be free of coercion, discrimination and violence;***

Or. en

**Amendment 680**  
**Emilian Pavel, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***18 a. Calls on Member States to ensure gender equality, including equal treatment at the workplace and equal pay for equal work;***

Or. en

**Amendment 681**  
**Malin Björk, Marina Albiol Guzmán**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***18 b. Calls on the EU and the Member States to recognise the fundamental right to universal access to health, in particular the full range of sexual and reproductive health services including safe and legal abortion, and to decriminalise abortion and the performing of abortion care;***

Or. en

**Amendment 682**  
**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 b. takes the position that sexual abuse, commercial sexual exploitation of women, the use of women for surrogacy, and sex selected abortion must be considered as unjustifiable under any political, social, religious or cultural grounds;*

Or. en

**Amendment 683**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel, Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 b. Recognises that the denial of a life-saving abortion amounts to a serious breach of fundamental rights;*

Or. en

**Amendment 684**  
**Malin Björk, Marina Albiol Guzmán**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 c. Calls on the Member States to*

*implement laws and policies that target perpetrators directly to reduce demand for sexual exploitation 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 685**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel, Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 18 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 c. Calls on the Member States, in liaison with the Commission, to recognise the right to access safe and modern contraceptives and sexuality education in schools; urges the Commission to complement national policies to improve public health, while keeping the European Parliament fully informed;*

Or. en

**Amendment 686**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 18 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 d. Is deeply concerned with the decision of local authorities in France to ban certain types of swimwear mostly worn by Muslim women and the*

*comments made by politicians in other Member States in this regard; condemns institutionalising racial profiling and anti-Muslim sentiments in such way; calls on Member States and local governments to respect women's choices in terms of their attire and overturn such bans; calls on Member States to foster inter-cultural and inter-religious dialogues that are inclusive to hear the voices of all women in decisions impacting them;*

Or. en

**Amendment 687**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 18 e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 e. Recalls that poverty in old age is especially concerning in the case of women, due to the continued gender pay gap resulting in the gender pension gap; calls on Member States to draw up appropriate policies to support elderly women and to eliminate the structural causes of gender differences in compensation;*

Or. en

**Amendment 688**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 18 f (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 f. Calls on the Commission to share*

*Member States' best practices for  
addressing gender stereotypes at school;*

Or. en

**Amendment 689**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel, Kati Piri, Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 g (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 g. Regrets that LGBTI persons experience widespread bullying and harassment that starts already at school, and suffer discrimination at work, housing, social services and access to other goods and services;*

Or. en

**Amendment 690**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 h (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 h. Welcomes the Commission's launch of a broad communication campaign to fight stereotypes and improve the social acceptance of LGBTI in its List of Actions to advance LGBTI, also as a means to further promote initiatives in the Member States; calls on Member States to put special focus on homophobia in sports, young LGBTI and bullying at school;*

Or. en

**Amendment 691**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 i (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18 i. Calls on the European Commission to come up with an ambitious EU legislative agenda that ensures equal rights and opportunities for all citizens and a proper transposition and implementation of EU legislation relevant for LGBTI rights;**

Or. en

**Amendment 692**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 j (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18 j. Calls on the Commission to issue an action plan or strategy for equality on grounds of sexual orientation and gender identity, as repeatedly called for by Parliament and as was promised in the process of the Commission hearings, including legislative measures to fully implement –the Council of Europe Recommendation to member states on measures to combat discrimination on grounds of sexual orientation or gender identity ; urges the Commission to work in close cooperation with civil society organisations working for the rights of LGBTI persons;**

Or. en



**Amendment 693**

**Péter Niedermüller, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 k (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 k. Calls on the Commission to review the Council Framework Decision on combatting certain forms and expressions of racism and xenophobia so that hate crimes and violence against LGBTI persons are also covered by this rule; urges the Commission to carefully monitor and enforce LGBTI-relevant legislative provisions, such as the Directive on Equal Treatment in Employment and Occupation and the Directives on Gender Equality in access to goods and services and employment, which also protect trans-gender people from discrimination (based on the EUCJ extension of the sex/gender characteristics), but also the Victims Right Directive; calls on the Commission to provide interpretation guidelines in order to make clear for national authorities that sexual identity is fully covered by the said legislation; calls on the Commission to use the tools available, including infringement procedures to enforce legislation relevant to LGBTI persons;*

Or. en

**Amendment 694**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 l (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18 l.** *Considers that the fundamental rights of LGBTI persons are more likely to be safeguarded if they have access to legal institutions such as cohabitation, registered partnership or marriage; welcomes the fact that 18 Member States currently offer these options, and calls on other Member States to consider doing so;*

Or. en

**Amendment 695**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 m (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18 m.** *Recalls that the case-law of the European Court of Human Rights states that same sex-couples living in stable relationships are to be considered as "family" and cannot be excluded from rights granted to de facto cohabitants, including in cases of adoption;*

Or. en

**Amendment 696**

**Péter Niedermüller, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 n (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18 n.** *Deplores the fact that transgender people are still considered mentally ill in the majority of Member States and calls*

*on respective states to review national mental health catalogues and to develop alternative stigma-free access models, ensuring that medically necessary treatment remains available for all trans people; deplores that today 13 Member States still impose requirements on transgender people such as medical intervention in order to have the changed gender recognized (including in passports and official identity documents) and forced sterilization as a condition for gender reassignment; notes that such requirements are clearly human rights violations; calls on the Commission to provide guidance to Member States on best models of legal gender recognition laws in Europe; calls on Member States to recognise the change of gender and provide access to quick, accessible and transparent legal gender recognition procedures without medical requirements, such as surgery or sterilization or psychiatric consent;*

Or. en

**Amendment 697**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 o (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 o. Welcomes the initiative shown by the Commission in pushing for depathologisation of transgender identities in the review of the World Health Organisation's International Classification of Diseases (ICD); calls on the Commission to intensify efforts to prevent gender variance in childhood from becoming a new ICD diagnosis;*

Or. en

**Amendment 698**

**Péter Niedermüller, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 p (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18 p. Calls on the Commission to collect data on human rights violations faced by intersex people in all areas of life and provide guidance to Member States on best practices to protect the fundamental rights of intersex people;**

Or. en

**Amendment 699**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 q (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18 q. Regrets that genital 'normalisation' surgery for intersex children is still in practice in 21 Member States of the European Union despite not being medically necessary, even though medical procedures on children cause long-term psychological trauma for them; regrets that with this practice the majority of intersex persons cannot make decisions about their own lives; regrets that intersex persons still lack effective access to healthcare and have to live their lives under a strong social stigma; welcomes the fact that a few Member States have already adopted measures contributing to better protect the human rights of intersex people and calls on the Commission to encourage the exchange of good practices**

*amongst member states in protecting  
intersex human rights;*

Or. en

**Amendment 700**

**Péter Niedermüller, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 r (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 r. Calls on Member States to prohibit medical treatments without consent on intersex persons, including the genital normalising surgery on children; calls on Member States to conduct themselves in line with the self-determination principle when it comes to intersex persons;*

Or. en

**Amendment 701**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 s (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*18 s. Calls on the Council to finally de-block the negotiations and adopt the proposed Directive on implementing the principle of equal treatment between persons irrespective of religion or belief, disability, age or sexual orientation (Equal Treatment Directive);*

Or. en

**Amendment 702**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 t (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***18 t. Calls on the Commission to bring forward a proposal for the full mutual recognition of the effects and free circulation of all civil status documents of all individuals, couples and families (including established through marriage and registered partnerships, legal sex changes and adoption and birth certificates) across the EU, including legal gender recognition, marriages and registered partnerships, in order to reduce discriminatory legal and administrative barriers for citizens who exercise their right to free movement;***

Or. en

**Amendment 703**

**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hysmenova, Gérard Deprez, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

Children

Children ***and unaccompanied children***

Or. en

**Amendment 704**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Caterina Chinnici, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**Children**

***The rights of the child***

Or. en

**Amendment 705**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**Children**

***Children's rights***

Or. en

**Amendment 706**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18 u (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***18 u. Welcomes the adoption by the Council of Europe of its Strategy for the Rights of the Child (2016-2021) and in particular its focus on the need to counter discrimination against children with disabilities, children affected by migration, Roma children and LGBT and intersex children;***

Or. en

**Amendment 707**  
**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; encourages Member States and the EU to launch programmes specifically targeting the well-being and healthy development of children;

*Amendment*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; encourages Member States and the EU to launch programmes specifically targeting the well-being and healthy development of children; ***calls on Member States to step up their efforts on tackling child poverty and social exclusion through effective implementation of the European Commission Recommendation 'Investing in children: breaking the cycle of disadvantage' through integrated strategies supporting access to adequate resources, enabling access to affordable quality services and promoting children's participation in decision making that affects them; calls on the Commission to take further measures for monitoring the implementation of the Recommendation;***

Or. en

**Amendment 708**  
**Alessandra Mussolini, József Nagy**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; encourages Member States and the EU to launch programmes specifically targeting the well-being and healthy development of children;

*Amendment*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; ***Number of minors and teenagers, who live in poverty is increasing.*** Encourages Member States and the EU to launch programmes specifically targeting the well-being and healthy development of children ***and their social inclusion. Calls for the establishment of policies and programmes aimed at combatting the increasing educational poverty of minors, in order to pursue their social inclusion;***



**Amendment 709**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; encourages Member States and the EU to launch programmes specifically targeting the well-being and healthy development of children;

*Amendment*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU, ***especially in countries where austerity policies have been imposed***; encourages Member States and the EU to launch programmes specifically targeting the well-being and healthy development of children;

Or. el

**Amendment 710**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; ***encourages Member States and the EU to launch programmes specifically targeting the well-being and healthy development of children***;

*Amendment*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; ***reiterates that investing in the well-being of children and in lifting them out of poverty is not only a moral imperative, but a social and economic priority as well***;

Or. en

**Amendment 711**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; ***encourages Member States and the EU to launch programmes specifically targeting the well-being and healthy development of children;***

*Amendment*

19. Notes with concern that child poverty rates remain high in the EU; ***calls on the EU to step up funding immediately for the well-being and healthy development of children and to help combat child poverty;***

Or. el

**Amendment 712**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Brando Benifei, Damiano Zoffoli, Jana Žitňanská, Jean Lambert, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 19 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***19 a. Condemns any forms of discrimination against children and calls on the Commission and Member States to make a united action to eradicate discrimination against children; In particular, calls on the Member States and the Commission to explicitly consider children as a priority when programming and implementing regional and cohesion policies, such as the European disability strategy, the EU framework for national Roma integration strategies and the EU's equality and non-discrimination policy; reiterates the importance of protecting and promoting equal access to health care, dignified accommodation and education for Roma children;***

Or. en

**Amendment 713**

**Péter Niedermüller, Anna Hedh, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Ana Gomes, Josef**

Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Caterina Chinnici, Emilian Pavel

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**19 a. Calls on Member States to step up their efforts on tackling child poverty and social exclusion through effective implementation of the European Commission Recommendation 'Investing in children: breaking the cycle of disadvantage' through integrated strategies supporting access to adequate resources, enabling access to affordable quality services and promoting children's participation in decision making that affects them; calls on the Commission to take further measures for monitoring the implementation of the Recommendation;**

Or. en

**Amendment 714**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**19 a. Welcomes the adoption by the Council of Europe of its Strategy for the Rights of the Child (2016-2021) and in particular its focus on the need to counter discrimination against children with disabilities, children affected by migration, Roma children and LGBT and intersex children;**

Or. en

**Amendment 715**  
**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*19 a. recalls that the child, by reason of his physical and mental immaturity, needs special safeguards and care, including appropriate legal protection, before as well as after birth;<sup>1a</sup>*

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*<sup>1a</sup> General Assembly Resolution 1386/XIV of 20 November 1959*

Or. en

**Amendment 716**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Caterina Chinnici, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*19 b. Calls on the Commission to consider launching a Child Guarantee to combat child poverty and social exclusion; supports the inclusion of free access to healthcare, education, childcare facilities, adequate housing and quality nutrition in the Child Guarantee;*

Or. en

**Amendment 717**  
**Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. ***Calls for a focus on violence against children*** at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants;

*Amendment*

20. ***Condemns unequivocally all forms of violent and abusive child victimisation*** at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants ***and calls on the Member States to take appropriate measures to protect children from all forms of physical and psychological violence, including physical and sexual abuse, sexual exploitation, child labour and compulsory marriages;***

Or. el

**Amendment 718**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants;

*Amendment*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants; ***encourages the European Commission to strengthen peer-learning between Member States on how to best address school bullying, in particular when it affects specific groups such as children with disabilities, LGBTI children or children from ethnic minority background;***

Or. en

**Amendment 719**

**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Gérard Deprez**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants;

*Amendment*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants; ***encourages the European Commission to strengthen peer-learning between Member States on how to best address school bullying, in particular when it affects specific groups such as children with disabilities, LGBTI children or children from minority ethnic background;***

Or. en

**Amendment 720**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants;

*Amendment*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants; ***encourages the European Commission to strengthen peer-learning between Member States on how to best address school bullying, in particular when it affects specific groups such as children with disabilities, LGBTI children or children from minority ethnic background;***

Or. en

**Amendment 721**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants;

*Amendment*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and, *in particular*, detention centres for migrants, *where very many cases of violence against women and children are being reported*;

Or. el

**Amendment 722**

**Emilian Pavel, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants;

*Amendment*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places, *juvenile detention centres* and detention centres for migrants;

Or. en

**Amendment 723**

**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Calls for *a focus on* violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants;

*Amendment*

20. Calls for *immediate measures to be taken to prevent* violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention centres for migrants;

Or. el

#### **Amendment 724**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 20**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and detention *centres for migrants*;

###### *Amendment*

20. Calls for a focus on violence against children at all levels, from homes to schools, public places and *to end detention of migrant children and families*;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 725**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Brando Benifei, Damiano Zoffoli, Jana Žitňanská, Jean Lambert, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 20 a (new)**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

###### *Amendment*

*20 a. Calls on the Member States to uphold their obligations and combat any form of violence against children, such as physical and sexual abuse, forced marriages, child labour, sexual exploitation, honour killing, FGM and child soldiers; stresses on the importance of including formal provisions to prohibit and sanction corporal punishment against children;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 726**

**Anna Hedh, Péter Niedermüller**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 20 a (new)**



*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**20 a.** *Highlights that violent punishment is the most common form of violence against children and that putting an end to it is fundamental for creating peaceful, non-violent and rights-respecting societies; Welcomes the European commission's efforts towards elimination of corporal punishment of children;*

Or. en

**Amendment 727**

**Anna Hedh, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. *Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step;*

*Amendment*

21. *Calls on the Member States that yet have not done so to prohibit all forms of corporal punishment in line with their obligations in the Convention on the Rights of the Child (article 19) and in line with the Sustainable Development Agenda 2030 target 16.2, to end all violence against children; Urges all Member States to conduct public education and awareness raising campaigns on children's rights to protection together and the promotion of positive, non-violent relationships with children, as well as to adopt indicators that specifically cover prohibition and elimination of violent punishment to support achievement of Sustainable Development Goals target 16.2;*

Or. en

**Amendment 728**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last *step*;

*Amendment*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last *resort; reminds that state care for children is always more costly than an adequate and well-targeted support for families living in poverty*;

Or. en

**Amendment 729**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, *which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but* to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, *and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step*;

*Amendment*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable

Or. en

**Amendment 730**  
**Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, ***which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step;***

*Amendment*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child ***and the full respect of his or her Fundamental Rights, which should be designed*** to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable;

Or. en

**Amendment 731**  
**Branislav Škripek**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. ***Calls for*** a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step;

*Amendment*

21. ***Suggests member states to implement*** a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step;

Or. en

**Amendment 732**  
**Branislav Škripek**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step;

*Amendment*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child **and the family**, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and in which the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step;

Or. en

**Amendment 733**

**Emilian Pavel, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and **in which** the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step;

*Amendment*

21. Calls for a multi-stage system in child protection based on the best interests of the child, which should not be designed to punish parents and care-givers, but to send a clear message that all forms of physical and emotional violence against children are unacceptable, and **punishable by law, but** the separation of the child from the family would be the very last step;

Or. en

**Amendment 734**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Brando Benifei, Damiano Zoffoli, Jana Žitňanská, Jean Lambert, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**21 a. Calls on the Commission to ensure coordination within its different services with a view to effectively mainstreaming children's rights in all EU legislative proposals, policies and financial decisions; reiterates its call on the Commission to present a new European Strategy for the Rights of the Child;**

Or. en

**Amendment 735**

**Barbara Spinelli, Marina Albiol Guzmán, Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**21 a. Calls Member States to implement Article 4 of the International Convention on the Rights of the Child which underlines their obligation to guarantee children's rights as set out in the text of the Convention;**

Or. en

**Amendment 736**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Brando Benifei, Damiano Zoffoli, Jana Žitňanská, Jean Lambert, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

22. Calls for child-friendly juvenile justice systems in which children understand their rights and their role when

22. Calls for child-friendly juvenile justice systems in which children understand their rights and their role when

they are involved as victims, witnesses or alleged offenders; calls for the adoption of special measures in both criminal and civil proceedings to protect children from unnecessary stress and repeated victimisation;

they are involved as victims, witnesses or alleged offenders; calls for the adoption of special measures in both criminal and civil proceedings to protect children from unnecessary stress and repeated victimisation, *taking into account the Directive 2016/800 on procedural safeguards for children suspected or accused in criminal proceedings*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 737**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 22**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

22. Calls for child-friendly juvenile justice systems in which children understand their rights and their role when they are involved as victims, witnesses or alleged offenders; calls for the adoption of special measures in both criminal and civil proceedings to protect children from unnecessary stress and repeated victimisation;

##### *Amendment*

22. Calls for child-friendly juvenile justice systems in which children understand their rights and their role when they are involved as victims, witnesses or alleged offenders; calls for the adoption of special measures in both criminal and civil proceedings to protect children from unnecessary stress, *intimidation* and repeated victimisation, *including in the case of asylum-seeking children*;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 738**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Damiano Zoffoli, Jana Žitňanská, Jean Lambert, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 23**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

23. Calls for the 116 emergency hotline

##### *Amendment*

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to be accessible EU-wide 24/7 for children and for the use of anonymised chat lines on Internet, as these are much more convenient for children in stress and should be set up as a unified system in the EU using official and minority languages;

to be accessible EU-wide 24/7 for children and for the use of anonymised chat lines on Internet, as these are much more convenient for children in stress and should be set up as a unified system in the EU using official and minority languages; ***calls on Member States to support the European common number 116111 dedicated to child helplines, by strengthening hotlines and chatlines capacities and European network and by allocating sufficient funds***

Or. en

**Amendment 739**  
**Soraya Post, Damian Drăghici**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**24. Recalls that children and babies are often used in begging to trigger greater sympathy and more money; calls for the criminalisation of forced begging and of all forms of using children for this practice in the EU Member States, as it endangers the child's health and its social and mental integrity;**

***deleted***

Or. en

**Amendment 740**  
**Angelika Mlinar, Filiz Hyusmenova, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**24. Recalls that children and babies are often used in begging to trigger greater sympathy and more money; calls**

***deleted***

*for the criminalisation of forced begging and of all forms of using children for this practice in the EU Member States, as it endangers the child's health and its social and mental integrity;*

Or. en

**Amendment 741**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**24.** *Recalls that children and babies are often used in begging to trigger greater sympathy and more money; calls for the criminalisation of forced begging and of all forms of using children for this practice in the EU Member States, as it endangers the child's health and its social and mental integrity;* **deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 742**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**24.** *Recalls that children and babies are often used in begging to trigger greater sympathy and more money; calls for the criminalisation of forced begging and of all forms of using children for this practice in the EU Member States, as it endangers the child's health and its social and mental integrity;* **deleted**



**Amendment 743****Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 24***Motion for a resolution*

24. ***Recalls that children and babies are often used in begging to trigger greater sympathy and more money; calls for the criminalisation of forced begging and of all forms of using children for this practice in the EU Member States, as it endangers the child's health and its social and mental integrity;***

*Amendment*

24. ***Calls on the Member States to increase their efforts in providing adequate social protection for families living in poverty and calls the Commission to help those efforts by spending EU funds in a more targeted and more effective manner; reiterates that fundamental rights apply horizontally and must be respected by the Commission and the Member States at all stages of implementation of ESI Funds;***

Or. en

**Amendment 744****Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Caterina Chinnici, Emilian Pavel****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 25***Motion for a resolution*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide;

*Amendment*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world ***in light of the increased instances of sexual violation, grooming and forced prostitution where the perpetrators used the internet to make contact***, and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide; ***calls on Member States to take measures***

*to address cyber-bullying;*

Or. en

**Amendment 745**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide;

*Amendment*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide; ***calls on Member States to take measures to address cyber-bullying, and in particular, when it affects specific groups such as children with disabilities, LGBTI children or children from ethnic minority background;***

Or. en

**Amendment 746**

**Louis Michel, Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide;

*Amendment*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide; ***further takes the view that***

*children should, as a matter of course, be properly informed about the dangers of the internet, for example by means of awareness raising campaigns and school programmes;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 747**  
**Marijana Petir**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide;

*Amendment*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide; *supports an ambitious and effective outcome of the reform of the Directive on Audiovisual Media Services, with particular reference to protecting children in the digital environment;*

Or. en

**Amendment 748**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in

*Amendment*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in

online social media and to implement these EU-wide;

online social media and to implement these EU-wide; *hopes for better protection of minors, especially in the digital environment, following the reform of the Audiovisual Media Services Directive;*

Or. it

**Amendment 749**  
**Cornelia Ernst**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world *and calls for further cooperation between the private and public sectors*; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide;

*Amendment*

25. Highlights that child protection should be enhanced in the digital world; encourages those involved to follow good examples of prevention and complaint mechanisms in online social media and to implement these EU-wide;

Or. en

**Amendment 750**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Brando Benifei, Jana Žitňanská, Damiano Zoffoli, Jean Lambert, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*25 a. Considers that children's personal data online must be duly protected and that children need to be informed in a child-friendly manner about the risks and consequences of using their personal data online; stresses that online profiling of children should be prohibited; calls on the*

*Amendment*

*industry to take their shared responsibility and refrain from addressing misleading and aggressive advertising towards children;*

Or. en

**Amendment 751**

**Louis Michel, Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Calls for a code of conduct on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, and recalls that in the fight against cybercrime by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children;

*Amendment*

26. Calls for a code of conduct on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, and recalls that in the fight against cybercrime by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children; *stresses in this connection the role of Europol and the importance of Member States cooperating with one another and with Europol to combat this type of crime, and in particular to combat the online sexual exploitation of children;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 752**

**Michał Boni, Barbara Kudrycka**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Calls for a code of conduct on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, and recalls that in the fight against cybercrime by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children;

*Amendment*

26. Calls for a code of conduct on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, and recalls that in the fight against cybercrime by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children; *highlights the necessity of strengthening*

*cooperation among Member States and with Europol and its European Cybercrime Center (EC3) in this area;*

Or. en

**Amendment 753**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Brando Benifei, Damiano Zoffoli, Jana Žitňanská, Jean Lambert, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Calls for a code of conduct on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, **and** recalls that in the fight against cybercrime by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children;

*Amendment*

26. Calls for a code of conduct on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, recalls that in the fight against cybercrime by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children; ***calls on the Member States to increase their police and judicial cooperation cross border to prevent and combat cybercrime;***

Or. en

**Amendment 754**

**Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Calls for ***a code of conduct*** on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, and recalls that in the fight against cybercrime by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children;

*Amendment*

26. Calls for ***an action plan*** on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, and recalls that in the fight against cybercrime by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children;

Or. de

**Amendment 755**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Calls for a code of conduct on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, and recalls that in the fight against *cybercrime* by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children;

*Amendment*

26. Calls for a code of conduct on protecting children's rights online and offline in cyber space, and recalls that in the fight against *internet criminality* by law enforcement authorities special attention needs to be paid to crimes against children;

Or. el

**Amendment 756**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Brando Benifei, Damiano Zoffoli, Jana Žitňanská, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***26 a. Calls on Member States to fully implement Directive 2011/93/EU on combating sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography; calls on the law-enforcement authorities, both at national and EU-level to invest in new technologies to fight crimes in the dark web and deep web; stresses that Eurojust and Europol must be given appropriate resources to improve the identification of victims, to fight organized networks of sexual abusers and to accelerate the detection, analysis and referral of child abuse material on- and offline;***

Or. en

**Amendment 757**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 27**

*Motion for a resolution*

27. Believes that inclusion policies should have a strong focus on children as children are the bridges of common understanding between cultures and societies;

*Amendment*

27. Believes that inclusion policies should have a strong focus on children as children are the bridges of common understanding between cultures and societies ***and are the future of the Member States***;

Or. el

**Amendment 758**  
**Branislav Škripek**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 27**

*Motion for a resolution*

27. Believes that inclusion policies should have a strong focus on children ***as children*** are the bridges of common understanding between cultures and societies;

*Amendment*

27. Believes that inclusion policies should have a strong focus on children ***and families as they*** are the bridges of common understanding between cultures and societies;

Or. en

**Amendment 759**  
**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 27 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***27 a. Recognises and deplores the impact of the current situation at the***



*external borders of the European Union on children, and reiterates the right of every child to be treated as a child first and foremost without any discrimination; calls for the EU and Member States to ensure that all migration and asylum policies and actions include appropriate child rights impact assessments, best interests of the child determination procedures and decision-making and corrective processes to ensure compliance with children's rights;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 760**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 28**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

28. Highlights that the ***announcement*** by Europol that at least 10 000 unaccompanied children went missing in the EU in 2015 has clearly shown that Member States and European agencies have ***to step up their efforts urgently in terms of cross-border cooperation, information exchanges and joint investigations and operations in order to fight trafficking in human beings***; notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied children is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests; ***calls for registration and the use of convenient and dependable identification tools for children of all ages until they enter the inclusion process in order to prevent their disappearance***;

##### *Amendment*

28. Highlights that the ***information*** by Europol that at least 10 000 unaccompanied ***refugee and migrant*** children went missing in the EU in 2015 has clearly shown that Member States and European agencies have ***failed to live up to their obligation to protect this particularly vulnerable group of children***; notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied children is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests;

Or. en

## Amendment 761

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Filiz Hyusmenova, Silvia Costa, Michela Giuffrida, Vilija Blinkevičiūtė, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Damiano Zoffoli, Jana Žitňanská, Miriam Dalli, Julie Ward

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 28

##### *Motion for a resolution*

28. **Highlights that the announcement by Europol that at least 10 000 unaccompanied children went missing in the EU in 2015 *has clearly shown that* Member States and European agencies *have* to step up their *efforts urgently in terms of* cross-border cooperation, information exchanges and joint investigations *and operations* in order to fight trafficking *in human beings; notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied* children *is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests; calls for registration and the use of convenient and dependable identification tools for children of all ages until* they enter the *inclusion process* in order to prevent their disappearance;**

##### *Amendment*

28. ***Urges the Member States to take immediate action in response to the Europol Report that at least 10 000 unaccompanied children went missing in the EU in 2015; calls on* Member States and European agencies to step up their cross-border cooperation, information exchanges and joint investigations in order to fight *child trafficking, sexual abuse and other forms of exploitation and to protect* children; *calls on Member States to expedite the appointment of qualified guardians to unaccompanied children and ensure that the best interest of the child is always taken into account; calls on Member States to register and identify with finger prints children in a child-friendly way to ensure that* they enter the *national protection systems* in order to prevent their disappearance; *recommends to reinforce existing tools for missing children including the European hotlines for missing children;***

Or. en

## Amendment 762

József Nagy

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 28

##### *Motion for a resolution*

28. Highlights that the announcement by Europol that at least **10 000** unaccompanied children went missing in

##### *Amendment*

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the EU in 2015 has clearly shown that Member States and European agencies have to step up their efforts urgently in terms of cross-border cooperation, information exchanges and joint investigations and operations in order to fight trafficking in human beings; notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied children is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests; calls for registration and the use of convenient and dependable identification tools for children of all ages until they enter the inclusion process in order to prevent their disappearance;

the EU in 2015 has clearly shown that Member States and European agencies have to step up their efforts urgently in terms of cross-border cooperation, information exchanges and joint investigations and operations in order to fight trafficking in human beings; notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied children is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests; calls for registration and the use of convenient and dependable identification tools for children of all ages until they enter the inclusion process in order to prevent their disappearance; ***calls on the Commission and the Member States to make full use of FRA's expertise to enhance child protection and the protection of vulnerable people in the current migration situation, particularly at the hotspots;***

Or. en

**Amendment 763**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28**

*Motion for a resolution*

28. Highlights that the ***announcement*** by Europol that at least 10 000 unaccompanied children went missing in the EU in 2015 has clearly shown that Member States and European agencies have to step up their efforts urgently in terms of ***cross-border cooperation, information exchanges and joint investigations and operations in order to fight trafficking in human beings;*** notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied children is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests; ***calls for registration and the use of convenient and dependable identification***

*Amendment*

28. Highlights that the ***information*** by Europol that at least 10 000 unaccompanied children went missing in the EU in 2015 has clearly shown that Member States and European agencies have to step up their efforts urgently in terms of ***protecting this particularly vulnerable group , including by providing safe and legal access to the EU*** notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied children is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests;

*tools for children of all ages until they enter the inclusion process in order to prevent their disappearance;*

Or. en

**Amendment 764**  
**Emilian Pavel, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28**

*Motion for a resolution*

28. Highlights that the announcement by Europol that at least 10 000 unaccompanied children went missing in the EU in 2015 has clearly shown that Member States and European agencies have to step up their efforts urgently in terms of cross-border cooperation, information exchanges and joint investigations and operations in order to fight trafficking in human beings; notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied children is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests; calls for registration and the use of convenient and dependable identification tools for children of all ages until they enter the inclusion process in order to prevent their disappearance;

*Amendment*

28. Highlights that the announcement by Europol that at least 10 000 unaccompanied children went missing in the EU in 2015 has clearly shown that Member States and European agencies have to step up their efforts urgently in terms of cross-border cooperation, information exchanges and joint investigations and operations in order to fight trafficking in human beings *and transnational organised crime*; notes that appointing guardians to unaccompanied children is an important safeguard to ensure their best interests; calls for registration and the use of convenient and dependable identification tools for children of all ages until they enter the inclusion process in order to prevent their disappearance;

Or. en

**Amendment 765**  
**Marijana Petir**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*28 a. Supports EU initiatives aimed at*

*ensuring to each child a stable family environment fostering his/her harmonious growth and development; highlights the primary role of guidance of the mother and the father for their children and with regard to the identification of the best interests of the child;*

Or. en

**Amendment 766**  
**Malin Björk, Marina Albiol Guzmán**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*28 a. Calls on the Member States to introduce gender-sensitive educational programmes as well as actions on girl's and women's rights, gender equality, gender identities and gender relations at all levels of educational systems; calls also for the necessity of peace, anti-discrimination and anti-racism education for both girls and boys in schools at an early stage;*

Or. en

**Amendment 767**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel, Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*28 a. Calls on the Member States to fully implement the asylum package and register children upon their arrival in*

*order to ensure their inclusion in child protection systems; calls on the Member States to increase information sharing in order to better protect migrant children in Europe;*

Or. en

**Amendment 768**  
**Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*28 a. Calls on Member States to protect freedom of religion or belief, including the freedom of those without a religion not to suffer discrimination as a result of excessive exemptions for religions from laws on equality and non-discrimination;*

Or. en

**Amendment 769**  
**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*28 a. recalls that the best interests of the child should be the guiding principle of those responsible for his education and guidance, and that responsibility lies in the first place with his parents;*

Or. en

**Amendment 770**  
**Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez, Filiz Hyusmenova, Louis Michel, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**28 a. Highlights that According to the Commission Report on the progress made in the fight against trafficking in human beings (2016) at least 15 % of the registered victims were children;**

Or. en

**Amendment 771**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**28a. Encourages the Member States to pay particular attention to programmes that focus on preventing young people from leaving school early and to test and share best practices in this area;**

Or. es

**Amendment 772**  
**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**28 a. Calls on Member States to prohibit unnecessary medical treatments on intersex children when they can be deferred, until the child can provide fully informed consent;**

**Amendment 773**  
**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 28 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**28 b. Recalls that the World Health Organisation Regional Office for Europe in cooperation with the German Federal Office for Health Education (BZgA), in its "Standards for Sexuality Education in Europe", calls for early childhood masturbation for children age 0-4 which is inappropriate;**

Or. en

**Amendment 774**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

Minorities

***Rights of*** minorities

Or. en

**Amendment 775**  
**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

Minorities

***National*** minorities



**Amendment 776**

**Pál Csáky**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 28 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**28 a. Points out the inconsistency of policy toward minorities - while protection of minorities is a part of the Copenhagen criteria, there is still no common EU standard for minority rights;**

Or. en

**Amendment 777**

**Filiz Hyusmenova, Louis Michel, Nathalie Griesbeck**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 29**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

29. Highlights *that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity;*

29. Highlights *the fact that the fundamental rights of persons belonging to minority groups are still being violated*

Or. en

## Amendment 778

Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Gérard Deprez, Sophia in 't Veld

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 29

##### *Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights that *traditional* national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity;

##### *Amendment*

29. Highlights that national *or ethnic, religious and linguistic* minorities *are still facing discriminations* in the EU;

Or. en

## Amendment 779

Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 29

##### *Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights that *traditional* national minorities who have been living together with or alongside *traditional* majority cultures for centuries in Europe *are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity;*

##### *Amendment*

29. Highlights that national *or ethnic, religious and linguistic minorities* have been living together with or alongside majority cultures for centuries in Europe; *believes that it is necessary to establish EU standards on protecting the rights of such minorities, as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity; encourages the Member States that have not yet done so to ratify the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities and the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages without further delay and, where relevant, to withdraw reservations and restrictive*

*declarations, as well as to implement the treaties in good faith; recalls also the need to implement the principles developed in the framework of the OSCE;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 780**

**Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Sylvie Guillaume**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 29**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights *that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities*; believes that *the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of* minimum standards on protecting the rights of *traditional* minorities, *as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity*;

###### *Amendment*

29. Highlights *the need to build a European Union in which we can live together while respecting all national minorities*; believes that *it is necessary to establish* minimum standards on protecting the rights of minorities *in Europe*;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 781**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 29**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, *i.e.* mistrust towards non-majority

###### *Amendment*

29. Highlights that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, *and the creation and dissemination*

autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as *preserving European heritage gives added value to* diversity;

*of derogatory or negative stereotypes and other democratically dubious practices that generate* mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum, *binding* standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as *the diversity they provide is an inalienable part of the cultural, linguistic and institutional diversity of the Union*;

Or. es

#### **Amendment 782**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel, Kati Piri**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 29**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights that *traditional* national minorities *who* have been living together with or alongside *traditional* majority cultures for centuries in Europe *are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities*; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of *traditional* minorities, as preserving *European heritage gives added value to diversity*;

##### *Amendment*

29. Highlights that national minorities have been living together with or alongside majority cultures for centuries in Europe; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of minorities, as preserving *their cultural heritage*;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 783**

**Kinga Gál**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 29**

*Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity;

*Amendment*

29. Highlights that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity; ***emphasizes that it is necessary to draw clear distinction between national minorities, economic migrants and asylum seekers;***

Or. en

**Amendment 784**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 29**

*Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights that ***traditional national*** minorities ***who*** have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe ***are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional*** minorities, ***as preserving*** European ***heritage gives added value to diversity;***

*Amendment*

29. Highlights that ***national or ethnic, religious and linguistic*** minorities have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe; ***believes that their rights should be upheld by Member States; calls Member States to ratify the Framework convention for the Protection of National Minorities and the European charter for Regional or Minority Languages;***

Or. en

**Amendment 785**  
**Emilian Pavel, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 29**

*Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity;

*Amendment*

29. Highlights that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as ***well as education about cultural diversity and tolerance as*** preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity;

Or. en

**Amendment 786**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 29**

*Motion for a resolution*

29. Highlights that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies ***in the establishment of minimum standards on protecting the rights of traditional minorities, as preserving European heritage gives added value to diversity;***

*Amendment*

29. Highlights that traditional national minorities who have been living together with or alongside traditional majority cultures for centuries in Europe are facing the negative consequences of the migration crisis, i.e. mistrust towards non-majority autochthonous minorities; believes that the solution to this problem lies in ***compliance with the laws of the country to which they belong and resistance to manipulation by foreign interests;***

Or. el

**Amendment 787**

**Filiz Hyusmenova, Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Nathalie Griesbeck**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 29 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**29 a. Stresses that in its resolution of 11 September 2013, the European Parliament reminded that the Commission should pay attention to the fact that with their policies, some Member States and regions are endangering the survival of languages inside their borders, even if those languages are not in danger in the European context and called on the Commission to consider the administrative and legislative obstacles posed to projects relating to these languages. Deplores that this is still an ongoing issue and urges the Member States to take all necessary actions in order to take into thorough consideration the minority rights perspective and to ensure the right to use a minority language and protect linguistic diversity within the Union.**

Or. en

**Amendment 788**

**Pál Csáky**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 29 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**29 a. Stresses that it is essential that the fundamental rights and freedoms of persons belonging to national, ethnic or linguistic minorities are respected and promoted; expresses its concern at the fact that, in everyday life, people**

*belonging to these minority communities cannot fully enjoy their fundamental rights as they encounter obstacles in access to justice, and other public services, education, health and social services, as well as their cultural rights might be curtailed;*

Or. en

**Amendment 789**  
**Kinga Gál**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 29 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*29 a. Emphasises that traditional minority communities have specific needs and that their full equality should be promoted in all areas of economic, social, political and cultural life;*

Or. en

**Amendment 790**  
**Pál Csáky**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 29 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*29 b. Notes that autochthonous minority communities have specific needs different from other minority groups, which should be adequately recognized and addressed at national and European level. Emphasizes that positive measures implemented for the purpose of protecting minority persons and groups, ensuring that they are granted equal rights and treatment in the administrative, political, economic, social and cultural fields and in other spheres,*



*shall not be considered as discrimination;*

Or. en

**Amendment 791**

**Pál Csáky**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 29 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***29 c. Urges the Commission to establish a policy standard for the protection of autochthonous minorities, bearing in mind that they comprise more than 10 % of the total population of the EU, in order to avoid applying double standards that differentiate between candidate countries and Member States; repeatedly calls for a comprehensive EU protection system for autochthonous minorities, regional linguistic groups and constitutional regions accompanied by a functioning monitoring mechanism;***

Or. en

**Amendment 792**

**Pál Csáky**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 29 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***29 d. Calls on the Member States to ensure that their legal systems guarantee that persons belonging to an autochthonous minority are not discriminated against, and to take and implement targeted protection measures, based on the relevant international norms and good practices, so that these persons can fully enjoy their fundamental***

*freedoms and rights;*

Or. en

**Amendment 793**

**Pál Csáky**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 29 e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***29 e. Reiterates its call on the Commission and the FRA to take targeted actions to monitor the situation of autochthonous minorities in the EU by systematic collection of specified data and reporting on direct and indirect discrimination;***

Or. en

**Amendment 794**

**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 30**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***30. Calls on the EU to implement PACE resolution 1985(2014) on the situation and rights of national minorities in Europe, fully respecting the principle of subsidiarity; stresses that all emergency hotlines and any official helplines operated in the Member States should be accessible not only in the country's official languages but also in its minority languages and the main EU languages by redirecting calls;***

*deleted*

Or. el

**Amendment 795**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30a. Calls for the European conception of multilingualism also to include minoritised languages and for knowledge of those languages, especially those which are legally co-official languages in the Member States, to enjoy the same recognition and treatment as that which is afforded to other official languages in EU competitions and programmes;**

Or. es

**Amendment 796**

**Liadh Ní Riada, Josu Juaristi Abaunz, Valdemar Tomaševski, Nils Torvalds, Marina Albiol Guzmán, Estefanía Torres Martínez, Yana Toom, Javi López, Francesc Gambús, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Josep-Maria Terricabras, Ernest Urtasun**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 a. Calls on the governments of the Member States to condemn practices which, by means of linguistic discrimination or enforced or concealed assimilation, have in the past been – or are now – directed against the identity and language use of endangered linguistic communities or their cultural institutions;**

Or. en

**Amendment 797**  
**Kinga Gál**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 a.** *Calls on the governments of the Member States to condemn practices which, by means of linguistic discrimination or enforced or concealed assimilation, have in the past been – or are now – directed against the identity and language use of endangered linguistic communities or their cultural institutions;*

Or. en

**Amendment 798**  
**Pál Csáky**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 a.** *Calls on those Member States who have not yet done so to ratify and effectively implement the Council of Europe Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities and the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages;*

Or. en

**Amendment 799**  
**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30a.** *points out that Member States' legislation on the mother-tongue education of national minorities is in*

*many cases selectively applied, and that the minorities' established rights enshrined in law are thus not upheld;*

Or. hu

**Amendment 800**  
**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30a.** *Points to the important role that regional and local authorities in the EU can play in protecting traditional national minorities;*

Or. hr

**Amendment 801**

**Josu Juaristi Abaunz, Liadh Ní Riada, Valdemar Tomaševski, Nils Torvalds, Marina Albiol Guzmán, Estefanía Torres Martínez, Yana Toom, Javi López, Francesc Gambús, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Josep-Maria Terricabras, Ernest Urtasun**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 b.** *In the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities (FCNM) adopted by Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe in 1994, calls on the European Commission to elaborate a European level Directive in order to tackle language discrimination, as there are Directives on how to tackle racism and xenophobia;*

Or. en

**Amendment 802**  
**Kinga Gál**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 b. *In the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities (FCNM) adopted by Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe in 1994, calls on the European Commission to elaborate a European level Directive in order to tackle language discrimination, as there are Directives on how to tackle racism and xenophobia;***

Or. en

**Amendment 803**  
**Pál Csáky**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 b. *Considers that the Council of Europe Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities and the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages should serve as a guidance in elaborating an effective common European answer to the issue of minority protection;***

Or. en

**Amendment 804**  
**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30b.** *Stresses that, similarly, the linguistic rights laid down by law are not upheld, and that the public authorities use administrative and financial means to obstruct the application in practice of written and spoken multilingualism;*

Or. hu

**Amendment 805**  
**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30c.** *Notes that the use of national minorities' symbols still encounters harassment from the authorities, and that in the absence of a stable legal environment court proceedings are being brought to allow the use of community emblems;*

Or. hu

**Amendment 806**

**Liadh Ní Riada, Josu Juaristi Abaunz, Valdemar Tomaševski, Nils Torvalds, Marina Albiol Guzmán, Estefanía Torres Martínez, Yana Toom, Javi López, Francesc Gambús, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Josep-Maria Terricabras, Ernest Urtasun**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 c.** *Calls on the European Commission to strengthen its plan to promote the teaching and use of regional languages, as a potential way to tackle language discrimination in the EU;*

**Amendment 807**

**Kinga Gál**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 30 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 c. Calls on the European Commission to strengthen its plan to promote the teaching and use of regional languages, as a potential way to tackle language discrimination in the EU;**

Or. en

**Amendment 808**

**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 30 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30d. Highlights the risk that administrative reorganisation will lead to the neglect of international commitments under which restructuring must not have an adverse effect on the proportion of a national minority within an administrative unit; notes that the planning process totally disregards the regions' specific historical, cultural and social features, and indeed it seems as if one of the aims of restructuring might be to tear apart regions that are organically interconnected;**

Or. hu



**Amendment 809**

**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 30 e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30e.** *Notes that to this day some public authorities treat the articulation, by representatives of national minorities, of political objectives such as the better enforcement of the principle of self-determination or the speeding up of decentralisation, as a risk to national security;*

Or. hu

**Amendment 810**

**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 30 f (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30f.** *Notes with concern that the restoration of ecclesiastical, communal and private assets confiscated by the Communist authorities has ceased in spite of commitments made by the state, and that in some Member States signs may even be seen of the process being reversed;*

Or. hu

**Amendment 811**

**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 30 g (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30g.** *Notes with regret that various state bodies, disregarding the basic principles of the rule of law, are intimidating and harassing national minorities by imposing administrative fines;*

Or. hu

**Amendment 812**

**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 30 h (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30h.** *Considers it particularly worrying that provocative statements disparaging national minorities often appear in the media, and that media outlets convey the impression that these are accepted points of view;*

Or. hu

**Amendment 813**

**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 30 i (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30i.** *Calls on the Union and the Member States to consider acceding to the Council of Europe's documents on the protection of minorities: the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities and the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages;*

Or. hu

**Amendment 814**  
**Csaba Sógor**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 30 j (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30j. Urges the Member States to exchange good practice and apply tried and tested solutions in addressing the problems of national minorities to throughout the European Union;**

Or. hu

**Amendment 815**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

Persons with disabilities

***Rights of*** persons with disabilities

Or. en

**Amendment 816**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

Persons with ***disabilities***

Persons with ***functional diversity***

Or. es

**Amendment 817**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef**

**Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 30 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**30 a. Calls on the Commission to adopt a new strategy on the rights of persons with disabilities following the EU accession to the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD);**

Or. en

**Amendment 818**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 31**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

31. Welcomes the concluding observations on the EU's progress in implementing the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD), and calls on the *EU* to use these recommendations as an opportunity to set a positive example by ensuring effective and thorough implementation;

31. Welcomes the concluding observations on the EU's progress in implementing the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD), and calls on the *Commission and the Member States* to use these recommendations as an opportunity to set a positive example by ensuring effective and thorough implementation *as soon as possible*;

Or. en

**Amendment 819  
Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 31**

*Motion for a resolution*

31. ***Welcomes the concluding observations on the EU's progress*** in implementing the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD), and calls on the EU to use these recommendations as an opportunity to set a positive example by ensuring effective and thorough implementation;

*Amendment*

31. ***Stresses the need for progress by the EU*** in implementing the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD), and calls on the EU to use these recommendations as an opportunity to set a positive example by ensuring effective and thorough implementation;

Or. el

**Amendment 820**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 32**

*Motion for a resolution*

32. Stresses that persons with disabilities are entitled to enjoy their fundamental rights on an equal basis with others, including the rights to inalienable dignity, independent living, autonomy and full social integration; notes that a human rights-based approach to disability is not yet fully endorsed, and urges the EU and its Member States to intensify efforts to align their legal frameworks with CRPD requirements;

*Amendment*

32. Stresses that persons with disabilities are entitled to enjoy their fundamental rights on an equal basis with others, including the rights to inalienable dignity, independent living, autonomy and full social integration, ***sexual and reproductive health and rights and family***; notes that a human rights-based approach to disability is not yet fully endorsed, and urges the EU and its Member States to intensify efforts to align their legal frameworks with CRPD requirements ***and to effectively include persons with disabilities in society***;

Or. en

**Amendment 821**

**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 32**

*Motion for a resolution*

32. Stresses that persons with disabilities are entitled to enjoy their fundamental rights on an equal basis with others, including the rights to inalienable dignity, independent living, autonomy and full social integration; notes that a human rights-based approach to disability is not yet fully endorsed, and urges the EU and its Member States to intensify efforts to align their legal frameworks with CRPD requirements;

*Amendment*

32. Stresses that persons with disabilities are entitled to enjoy their fundamental rights on an equal basis with others, including the rights to inalienable dignity, independent living, autonomy and full social integration; notes that a human rights-based approach to disability is not yet fully endorsed, ***resulting in discrimination against those with disabilities in the EU*** and urges the EU and its Member States to intensify efforts to align their legal frameworks with CRPD requirements;

Or. el

**Amendment 822**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32**

*Motion for a resolution*

32. Stresses that persons with disabilities are entitled to enjoy their fundamental rights on an equal basis with others, including the rights to inalienable dignity, independent living, autonomy and full social integration; notes that a human rights-based approach to disability is not yet fully endorsed, and urges the EU and its Member States to intensify efforts to align their legal frameworks with CRPD requirements;

*Amendment*

32. Stresses that persons with disabilities (***PWD***) are entitled to enjoy their fundamental rights on an equal basis with others, including the rights to inalienable dignity, independent living, autonomy and full social integration; notes that a human rights-based approach to disability is not yet fully endorsed, and urges the EU and its Member States to intensify efforts to align their legal frameworks with CRPD requirements;

Or. el

**Amendment 823**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32**

*Motion for a resolution*

32. Stresses that persons with **disabilities** are entitled to enjoy their fundamental rights on an equal basis with others, including the rights to inalienable dignity, independent living, autonomy and full social integration; notes that a human rights-based approach to disability is not yet fully endorsed, and urges the EU and its Member States to intensify efforts to align their legal frameworks with CRPD requirements;

*Amendment*

32. Stresses that persons with **functional diversity** are entitled to enjoy their fundamental rights on an equal basis with others, including the rights to inalienable dignity, independent living, autonomy and full social integration; notes that a human rights-based approach to disability is not yet fully endorsed, and urges the EU and its Member States to intensify efforts to align their legal frameworks with CRPD requirements;

Or. es

**Amendment 824**

**Péter Niedermüller, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**32 a. Calls on the Council to urgently adopt the 2008 proposal for a Directive on implementing the principle of equal treatment between persons irrespective of religion or belief, disability, age or sexual orientation;**

Or. en

**Amendment 825**

**Péter Niedermüller, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 32 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**32 b. Regrets the fact that EU funds earmarked for integration measures for persons living with disabilities are still used to renovate big institutions instead, despite the commitment of the EU and its Member States to de-institutionalisation; calls on the Commission to closely monitor the utilisation of the funds and take action where necessary;**

Or. en

**Amendment 826**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 32 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**32 c. Calls on Member States to adopt strategies to provide effective access to the labour market to persons living with disabilities;**

Or. en

**Amendment 827**

**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 33**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

33. Recalls that persons with intellectual and psychosocial disabilities face particular barriers to the fulfilment of their fundamental rights and calls on Member States to strengthen efforts to promote their autonomy and inclusion on

33. Recalls that persons with intellectual and psychosocial disabilities face particular barriers to the fulfilment of their fundamental rights and calls on Member States **and regional and local authorities** to strengthen efforts to promote



an equal basis with others;

their autonomy and inclusion on an equal basis with others;

Or. hr

**Amendment 828**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 33**

*Motion for a resolution*

33. Recalls that persons with intellectual and psychosocial disabilities face particular barriers to the fulfilment of their fundamental rights and calls on Member States to strengthen efforts to promote their autonomy and inclusion on an equal basis with others;

*Amendment*

33. Recalls that persons with intellectual, *psychosomatic* and psychosocial disabilities face particular barriers to the fulfilment of their fundamental rights and calls on Member States to strengthen efforts to promote their autonomy and inclusion on an equal basis with others;

Or. el

**Amendment 829**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 33**

*Motion for a resolution*

33. Recalls that persons with intellectual and psychosocial *disabilities* face particular barriers to the fulfilment of their fundamental rights and calls on Member States to strengthen efforts to promote their autonomy and inclusion on an equal basis with others;

*Amendment*

33. Recalls that persons with *functional*, intellectual and psychosocial *diversity* face particular barriers to the fulfilment of their fundamental rights and calls on Member States to strengthen efforts to promote their autonomy and inclusion on an equal basis with others;

Or. es

## Amendment 830

Ivan Jakovčić

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 34

##### *Motion for a resolution*

34. Notes that children with disabilities disproportionately experience a variety of human rights violations, including the denial of access to basic services such as education and healthcare or placement in institutions away from their families and communities, and are at a higher risk of becoming victims of violence, exploitation and other forms of ill-treatment and abuse; highlights the need for comprehensive policy action by the EU *and* the Member States to ensure the thorough implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, in conjunction with the CRPD;

##### *Amendment*

34. Notes that children with disabilities disproportionately experience a variety of human rights violations, including the denial of access to basic services such as education and healthcare or placement in institutions away from their families and communities, and are at a higher risk of becoming victims of violence, exploitation and other forms of ill-treatment and abuse; highlights the need for comprehensive policy action by the EU, the Member States, *and regional and local authorities* to ensure the thorough implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, in conjunction with the CRPD;

Or. hr

## Amendment 831

Angelika Mlinar, Filiz Hyusmenova, Sophia in 't Veld

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 34

##### *Motion for a resolution*

34. Notes that children with disabilities disproportionately experience a variety of human rights violations, including the denial of access to basic services such as education and healthcare or placement in institutions away from their families and communities, and are at a higher risk of becoming victims of violence, exploitation and other forms of ill-treatment and abuse; highlights the need for comprehensive policy action by the EU and the Member States to ensure the thorough implementation of the UN Convention on

##### *Amendment*

34. Notes that children *and women* with disabilities disproportionately experience a variety of human rights violations, including the denial of access to basic services such as education and healthcare or placement in institutions away from their families and communities, and are at a higher risk of becoming victims of violence, exploitation and other forms of ill-treatment and abuse; highlights the need for comprehensive *and gender sensitive* policy action by the EU and the Member States to ensure the thorough

the Rights of the Child, in conjunction with the CRPD;

implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, in conjunction with the CRPD;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 832**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Caterina Chinnici, Miltiadis Kyrkos**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 34**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

34. Notes that children with disabilities disproportionately experience a variety of human rights violations, including the denial of access to basic services such as education and healthcare or placement in institutions away from their families and communities, and are at a higher risk of becoming victims of violence, exploitation and other forms of ill-treatment and abuse; highlights the need for comprehensive policy action by the EU and the Member States to ensure the thorough implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, in conjunction with the CRPD;

###### *Amendment*

34. Notes that children with disabilities disproportionately experience a variety of human rights violations, including the denial of access to basic services such as education and healthcare or placement in institutions away from their families and communities, and are at a higher risk of becoming victims of violence, **sexual abuse**, exploitation and other forms of ill-treatment and abuse; highlights the need for comprehensive policy action by the EU and the Member States to ensure the thorough implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, in conjunction with the CRPD;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 833**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 34**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

34. Notes that children with **disabilities** disproportionately experience a variety of human rights violations, including the denial of access to basic services such as

###### *Amendment*

34. Notes that children with **functional diversity** disproportionately experience a variety of human rights violations, including the denial of access to basic

education and healthcare or placement in institutions away from their families and communities, and are at a higher risk of becoming victims of violence, exploitation and other forms of ill-treatment and abuse; highlights the need for comprehensive policy action by the EU and the Member States to ensure the thorough implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, in conjunction with the CRPD;

services such as education and healthcare or placement in institutions away from their families and communities, and are at a higher risk of becoming victims of violence, exploitation and other forms of ill-treatment and abuse; highlights the need for comprehensive policy action by the EU and the Member States to ensure the thorough implementation of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, in conjunction with the CRPD;

Or. es

**Amendment 834**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 34 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**34a.** *Emphasises, furthermore, the double discrimination suffered by women with functional disabilities linked to their status as disabled women and to their gender; emphasises that this should be mainstreamed into equality policies and into policies designed with a view to the full integration of persons with functional disabilities;*

Or. es

**Amendment 835**  
**Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Petra Kammerevert, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

35. Urges Member States to ensure that the 112 emergency hotline is fully accessible for disabled persons;

35. Urges Member States to ensure that the 112 emergency hotline is fully accessible for disabled persons **and**

*awareness of it is raised through campaigns;*

Or. de

**Amendment 836**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 35**

*Motion for a resolution*

35. Urges Member States to ensure that the 112 emergency hotline is fully accessible for *disabled* persons;

*Amendment*

35. Urges Member States to ensure that the 112 emergency hotline is fully accessible for persons *with functional diversity*;

Or. es

**Amendment 837**  
**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 36**

*Motion for a resolution*

36. Calls on the EU *and* the Member States to allocate sufficient and stable financial and human resources to the monitoring frameworks established under Article 33(2) of the CRPD to enable them to carry out their functions, and to guarantee their independence by ensuring that their composition and operation take into account the Paris Principles on the functioning of national human rights institutions;

*Amendment*

36. Calls on the EU, the Member States, *and regional and local authorities* to allocate sufficient and stable financial and human resources to the monitoring frameworks established under Article 33(2) of the CRPD to enable them to carry out their functions, and to guarantee their independence by ensuring that their composition and operation take into account the Paris Principles on the functioning of national human rights institutions;

Or. hr

## **Amendment 838**

**Ivan Jakovčić**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 36**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

36. Calls on the EU *and* the Member States to allocate sufficient and stable financial and human resources to the monitoring frameworks established under Article 33(2) of the CRPD to enable them to carry out their functions, and to guarantee their independence by ensuring that their composition and operation take into account the Paris Principles on the functioning of national human rights institutions;

##### *Amendment*

36. Calls on the EU, the Member States, *and regional and local authorities* to allocate sufficient and stable financial and human resources to the monitoring frameworks established under Article 33(2) of the CRPD to enable them to carry out their functions, and to guarantee their independence by ensuring that their composition and operation take into account the Paris Principles on the functioning of national human rights institutions;

Or. hr

## **Amendment 839**

**Notis Marias**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 36**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

36. Calls on the EU and the Member States to *allocate sufficient and stable* financial and human resources to the monitoring frameworks established under Article 33(2) of the CRPD to enable them to carry out their functions, and to guarantee their independence by ensuring that their composition and operation take into account the Paris Principles on the functioning of national human rights institutions;

##### *Amendment*

36. Calls on the EU and the Member States to *step up* financial and human resources to the monitoring frameworks established under Article 33(2) of the CRPD to enable them to carry out their functions, and to guarantee their independence by ensuring that their composition and operation take into account the Paris Principles on the functioning of national human rights institutions;

Or. el

**Amendment 840**  
**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37**

*Motion for a resolution*

37. Calls on Member States to ensure real participation and freedom of expression for persons with disabilities in public life; notes that such efforts should be supported by providing subtitling, sign language interpretation, documents written in Braille and easy-to-read formats;

*Amendment*

37. Calls on Member States **and regional and local authorities** to ensure real participation and freedom of expression for persons with disabilities in public life; notes that such efforts should be supported by providing subtitling, sign language interpretation, documents written in Braille and easy-to-read formats;

Or. hr

**Amendment 841**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37**

*Motion for a resolution*

37. Calls on Member States to ensure real participation and freedom of expression for persons with **disabilities** in public life; notes that such efforts should be supported by providing subtitling, sign language interpretation, documents written in Braille and easy-to-read formats;

*Amendment*

37. Calls on Member States to ensure real participation and freedom of expression for persons with **functional diversity** in public life; notes that such efforts should be supported by providing subtitling, sign language interpretation, documents written in Braille and easy-to-read formats;

Or. es

**Amendment 842**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**37 a. Urges Member States to abolish all limitations in the enjoyment of the right to full legal capacity for people with disabilities and to create a system in which persons with disabilities are supported in making decisions, as needed;**

Or. en

**Amendment 843**

**Péter Niedermüller, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 37 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**37 a. Calls on Member States to provide accessible solutions to refugees with disabilities;**

Or. en

**Amendment 844**

**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 37 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**37 b. Calls on European Union and Member States to take appropriate measures to ensure that all persons with disabilities who have been deprived of their legal capacity can exercise all the rights enshrined in European Union treaties and legislation, such as access to justice, goods and services, including banking, employment and health care, as well as voting and consumer rights, in**



*line with the CRPD and the Charter on Fundamental Rights of the European Union, which explicitly prohibit discrimination on the grounds of disability;*

Or. en

**Amendment 845**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*37 c. Urges European Union and Member States to develop support services for boys and girls with disabilities and their families in local communities, prevent any new institutionalization, and promote deinstitutionalization, social inclusion and access to mainstream, inclusive, quality education for boys and girls with disabilities;*

Or. en

**Amendment 846**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 37 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*37 d. Stresses the particular risks facing refugees, migrants and asylum seekers with disabilities, who lack access to information and communication in accessible formats and may be detained in conditions which do not provide appropriate support and reasonable accommodation;*

**Amendment 847**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Elderly people*

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 848**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 38**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes;**

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 849**

**Alessandra Mussolini, József Nagy**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 38**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes;

38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes *as it represents one of the deepest*

*economic and social transformation that developed countries are facing up with. Calls on Member States to incentivize an increased active participation of elderly people to social and economic initiatives, and to guarantee them an easy access to health services;*

Or. en

**Amendment 850**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 38**

*Motion for a resolution*

38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes;

*Amendment*

38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes *and that incentives must be provided to increase birth rates in the Member States;*

Or. el

**Amendment 851**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 38**

*Motion for a resolution*

38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes;

*Amendment*

38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes *that can be strengthened through a human rights-based approach;*

Or. en

**Amendment 852**  
**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 38**

*Motion for a resolution*

38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes;

*Amendment*

38. Notes that active ageing and inter-generational solidarity are important issues with respect to Europe's demographic changes *that can be strengthened through a human rights-based approach*;

Or. en

**Amendment 853**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39**

*Motion for a resolution*

39. *Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, disability, health or socio-economic conditions;*

*Amendment*

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 854**  
**Alessandra Mussolini, József Nagy**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39**

*Motion for a resolution*

39. Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as

*Amendment*

39. Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as

discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, disability, health or socio-economic conditions;

discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, disability, health or socio-economic conditions; ***Calls on Member States to implement actions aimed at reintegrating elderly people in the community life, in order to combat their isolation;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 855**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 39**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

39. Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, disability, health or socio-economic conditions;

###### *Amendment*

39. Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is ***highly prevalent in today's societies and is*** often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, disability, health or socio-economic conditions;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 856**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 39**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

39. Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, disability, health or socio-economic conditions;

###### *Amendment*

39. Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, ***sexual orientation and gender identity***, disability, health or socio-economic conditions;

**Amendment 857**

**Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 39**

*Motion for a resolution*

39. Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, disability, health or socio-economic conditions;

*Amendment*

39. Highlights that discrimination on the basis of age is often combined with other forms of discrimination, such as discrimination on grounds of race and ethnicity, religion, disability, health, ***sexual orientation and gender identity*** or socio-economic conditions;

Or. en

**Amendment 858**

**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***39a. Encourages the Member States and the European institutions to work together in developing active policies designed to shift the focus of policies concerning elderly people towards ensuring that they are fully integrated into social life and fostering the empowerment of elderly people and their participation in public life; takes the view that experience is valuable and that tapping its potential gives the European economy a competitive edge when combined, in an appropriate manner, with capabilities for innovation and training in the new skills contributed by new generations; points out that there is therefore a need to incorporate this***

*approach into active ageing policies;*

Or. es

**Amendment 859**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 a. Calls on the EU and the Member States to be actively involved in the UN Open-Ended Working Group on Ageing and step up their efforts to protect the rights of older people, including by considering the elaboration of a new legal instrument;**

Or. en

**Amendment 860**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 10 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Freedom of thought, conscience and religion***

Or. it

**Amendment 861**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39a. Calls on the EU and the Member**

*States to ensure freedom of thought, conscience and religion in every respect (individual and collective, private and public, as well as institutional) and to fully implement Article 10 of the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights;*

Or. it

**Amendment 862**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39b.** *Calls on the Member States to uphold the freedom to change religion or belief without being subject to any form of coercion;*

Or. it

**Amendment 863**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39c.** *Calls on the Member States to ensure full exercise of the right to conscientious objection, both at individual and institutional level, particularly in matters relating to health, pharmaceuticals and education, and to end the harassment of conscientious objectors and other forms of discrimination against them;*

Or. it



**Amendment 864**  
**Miltiadis Kyrkos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39a.** *whereas the Charter of Fundamental Rights states that the elderly have the right ‘to lead a life of dignity and independence and to participate in social and cultural life’;*

Or. el

**Amendment 865**  
**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 a.** *Notes that older persons face a number of particular challenges in the enjoyment of their human rights that have not yet been fully addressed;*

Or. en

**Amendment 866**  
**Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 a.** *Calls on the Member States to ensure access to services, healthcare and lifelong learning, to elderly people;*

**Amendment 867**

**Marijana Petir**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 10 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Freedom of thought, conscience and religion***

**Amendment 868**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 10 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Rights of LGBTI people***

**Amendment 869**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***39 a. Condemns all forms of discrimination and violence against lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans and intersex people (LGBTI) in the EU;***

**Amendment 870**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 39 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 b. Welcomes the List of actions by the European Commission to advance LGBTI Equality, presented at the EPSCO Council on 7 December 2015 as an internal working document following up on the Parliament's resolution of 4 February 2014 on the EU Roadmap against homophobia and discrimination on grounds of sexual orientation and gender identity; calls, in this regard, on the Commission to make specific proposals in the evaluation of the list of actions, on how in the future to ensure coherence between external and internal EU policies, considering that the Foreign Affairs Council adopted the Guidelines to promote and protect the enjoyment of all human rights by lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex (LGBTI) persons on 24 June 2013;**

Or. en

**Amendment 871**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 39 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 d. Calls on Member States to continue implementing the Employment Equality Directive 2000/78/EC and Gender Recast Directive 2006/54/EC,**

*ensuring non-discrimination in the workplace, including on the basis of sexual orientation and gender reassignment respectively; calls on the Commission to follow CJEU case law and to include the perspective of trans people throughout its gender equality work; encourages EU Member States to support trade unions and employers' organisations in their efforts to adopt diversity and non-discrimination policies with a focus on LGBTI people;*

Or. en

**Amendment 872**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 39 e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*39 e. Reiterates that any legal recognition procedure which imposes forced sterilisation on transgender people is violating human rights standards; welcomes the recent adoption by a number of Member States of new legal gender recognition procedures more respectful of the fundamental rights of trans people. Calls on the European Commission to strengthen peer-learning among Member States to ensure their practices are in line with human rights standards;*

Or. en

**Amendment 873**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 f (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 f.** *Deplores the fact that transgender people are still considered mentally ill in the majority of Member States and calls on respective states to review national mental health catalogues, and to develop alternative stigma-free access models ensuring that medically necessary treatment remains available for all trans people;*

Or. en

**Amendment 874**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 g (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 g.** *Welcomes the initiative shown by the Commission in pushing for depathologisation of transgender identities in the review of the World Health Organisation's International Classification of Diseases (ICD); calls on the Commission to intensify efforts to prevent gender variance in childhood from becoming a new ICD diagnosis;*

Or. en

**Amendment 875**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 h (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 h.** *Strongly regrets that genital "normalisation" surgeries of intersex infants are widespread, despite not being medically necessary and being considered as a violation of the right to bodily integrity, by a number of UN bodies as well as the Fundamental Rights Agency; welcomes the fact that a few Member States have already adopted measures contributing to better protect the human rights of intersex people and calls on the European Commission to encourage the exchange of good practices amongst member states in protecting intersex human rights.*

Or. en

**Amendment 876**  
**Marijana Petir**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 a.** *Invites the Union and its Member States to fully protect freedom of thought, conscience and religion in all its aspects (individual and collective, private and public, institutional); invites the Member States to ensure the freedom to change one's religion or belief without any coercion;*

Or. en

**Amendment 877**  
**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 b. Calls on the EU and the Member States to be actively involved in the UN Open-Ended Working Group on Ageing and step up their efforts to protect the rights of older people, including by considering the elaboration of a new legal instrument;**

Or. en

**Amendment 878**  
**Marijana Petir**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 b. Supports an effective protection on the part of the Member States of the right to conscientious objection, both at the individual and institutional level, especially in the healthcare, pharmaceutical and education sectors, as a fundamental right placed at the basis of democracy and the rule of law; invites to put an end to discrimination, including harassment, towards conscientious objectors;**

Or. en

**Amendment 879**  
**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 c. Invites the EU and Member States to come up with a common assessment of**

*the progresses made in the implementation of the Regional Implementation Strategy of the Madrid International Plan of Acting on Ageing in 2017, identifying, in full respect of the principle of subsidiarity, the areas of common EU policy action that are relevant for the implementation of the Strategy;*

Or. en

**Amendment 880**  
**Barbara Spinelli**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*39 a. Notes that people belonging to the Roma minority are disproportionately subjected to forced evictions in many Member States, impeding their freedom of movement; calls on the Member States not to plan resettlement policies based on ethnicity;*

*Calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight racial discrimination against Roma, and to mainstream non-discrimination policies within other EU policies such as employment and structural funds;*

Or. en

**Amendment 881**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Kati Piri**



**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 a. Denounces the persistent and widespread discrimination against Roma in all EU Member States as the root cause of the deprived living conditions and socio-economic exclusion in which many of them still live today; urges the Commission to take action against those Member States that promote or allow institutionalised discrimination and segregation, especially in education and housing; calls on the Commission to mainstream the monitoring of discrimination practices in all areas, especially education, employment, housing and healthcare;**

Or. en

**Amendment 882**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel, Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 b. Regrets that Roma people still face antigypsyism, systematic and also institutional racism; calls on Member States to come up with a roadmap to tackle institutional racism among their authorities;**

Or. en

**Amendment 883**

**Péter Niedermüller, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 39 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**39 c. *Regrets that in the application of the Racial Equality Directive there are still shortcomings, including in the area of awareness of rights and access to justice;***

Or. en

**Amendment 884**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 40**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

40. ***Notes that people belonging to the Roma minority are entitled to freedom of movement***, and calls on the Member States not to plan resettlement policies based on ethnic reasons;

40. ***Urges Member States to safeguard free movement of Roma***, and calls on the Member States not to plan resettlement policies based on ethnic reasons; ***reiterates that forced eviction of Roma people in several Member States breaches the rights to equal treatment and security; calls on the Commission to closely monitor forced evictions and repatriations to detect the possible breach of the relevant EU law;***

Or. en

**Amendment 885**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 40**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

40. Notes that people belonging to the Roma minority are entitled to freedom of

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movement, and calls on the Member States not to plan resettlement policies based on ethnic reasons;

movement, and calls on the Member States not to plan resettlement policies based on ethnic reasons; *is concerned that people belonging to the Roma minority are disproportionately subjected to forced evictions in many Member States;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 886**

**Ivan Jakovčić**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 40**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

40. Notes that people belonging to the Roma minority are entitled to freedom of movement, and calls on the Member States not to plan resettlement policies based on ethnic reasons;

###### *Amendment*

40. Notes that people belonging to the Roma minority are entitled to freedom of movement, and calls on the Member States *and regional and local authorities* not to plan resettlement policies based on ethnic reasons;

Or. hr

#### **Amendment 887**

**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Gérard Deprez, Sophia in 't Veld**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 40 a (new)**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

###### *Amendment*

*40 a. recalls the European Court of Justice conclusion on the case CHEZ Razpredelenie Bulgaria AD v Komisia za zashtita ot diskriminatsia stating that the principle of equal treatment contained in the Directive "protects not only persons who are themselves a member of a particular race or ethnic group, but also those who are not members of such a group but suffer particular disadvantage or less favourable treatment on one of*

*those grounds'';*

Or. en

**Amendment 888**

**Barbara Spinelli, Marina Albiol Guzmán, Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 40 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***40 a. Believes that for Roma inclusion to be effective, national and local authorities must prioritise policies to fight all forms of discrimination by putting an end to residential and scholastic segregation, banning ethnic profiling and fighting police brutality, addressing statelessness and ending forced evictions as well as ensuring access to justice and legal aid to those in need;***

Or. en

**Amendment 889**

**Soraya Post, Damian Drăghici**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 40 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***40 a. Notes that people belonging to the Roma minority are disproportionately subjected to forced evictions in many Member States, impeding their freedom of movement; calls on the Member States not to plan resettlement policies based on ethnicity;***

Or. en

**Amendment 890**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 40 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***40 a. Recalls that several court cases have proven that unjustified placement of Roma children into special schools or classes is a part of segregation mechanisms, which effects extremely negatively the later life perspectives of those children;***

Or. en

**Amendment 891**

**Barbara Spinelli, Marina Albiol Guzmán, Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 40 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***40 b. Invites Member States to implement the recommendations of the EU Fundamental Rights Agency according to which Member states shall enhance the active participation and engagement of Roma public authorities, particularly at local level, and take measures to improve community cohesion and trust involving local residents, as well as civil society, through systematic engagement efforts. Believes such measures should contribute to improving the participation of Roma in local level integration processes, especially through identifying their own needs, through formulating responses and through mobilising resources;***

Or. en

**Amendment 892**

**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Gérard Deprez, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 40 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***40 b. calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight racial discrimination against Roma, and to mainstream non-discrimination policies within other EU policies such as employment and structural funds;***

Or. en

**Amendment 893**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 41**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

41. Calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight ethnic discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat anti-Gypsyism in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia;

***41. Reminds that the discrimination of Roma in the field of labour, housing, education, health or any other domain is unacceptable and harmful for the society of Europe; therefore calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight ethnic discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions and the European Convention on Human Rights, and to combat anti-Gypsyism in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia; calls for the FRA to continue its data collection on the situation of Roma and develop and propose a "dashboard" of Roma inclusion***

*indicators that would make possible tracking progress in that area; calls for the development of the European Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies into a fully-fledged European Strategy;*

Or. en

**Amendment 894**  
**Soraya Post**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 41**

*Motion for a resolution*

41. Calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight *ethnic* discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat anti-Gypsyism in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia;

*Amendment*

41. Calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight *racial* discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat anti-Gypsyism in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia; *calls on Member States to appoint a special advisor on anti-Gypsyism at government level, who sets out and monitors measures against anti-Gypsyism;*

Or. en

**Amendment 895**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 41**

*Motion for a resolution*

41. Calls on Member States, in *the* light

*Amendment*

41. Calls on Member States, in light of

of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight ethnic discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat *anti-Gypsyism* in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia;

the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to *fully and rapidly implement their own national Roma Strategy* and to put in place specific measures to fight *antigypsyism* and ethnic discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat *antigypsyism* in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia;

Or. en

**Amendment 896**  
**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 41**

*Motion for a resolution*

41. Calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight ethnic discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat anti-Gypsyism in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia;

*Amendment*

41. Calls on Member States *and regional and local authorities*, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight ethnic discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat anti-Gypsyism in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia;

Or. hr

**Amendment 897**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 41**



*Motion for a resolution*

41. Calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight **ethnic** discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat anti-Gypsyism in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia;

*Amendment*

41. Calls on Member States, in the light of the Commission's Report on the implementation of the EU Framework for National Roma Integration Strategies 2015, to put in place specific measures to fight discrimination against Roma in line with the Racial Equality Directive provisions, and to combat anti-Gypsyism in line with the Framework Decision on Racism and Xenophobia;

Or. el

**Amendment 898**  
**Soraya Post, Damian Drăghici**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41 a. Calls on the Commission to set up a Truth and Reconciliation Commission at an EU level, and calls on Member States to set up National Truth and Reconciliation Commissions at a national level to acknowledge the persecution, exclusion and disownment of the Roma throughout the centuries, to document this in an official white paper and to make their history become part of the curriculum in schools; calls on Member States to mark 2 August as Roma Holocaust Memorial Day;***

Or. en

**Amendment 899**  
**József Nagy, Monika Hohlmeier**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**41 a. Calls on the European Council and the European Commission to strengthen its strategy on Roma and poor communities' inclusion, by scaling it up, widening it to reach 80 million citizens and to strengthen the European Commission Roma Task Force and the National Contact Points, develop regional and local contact points, develop Regional Roma Platforms and with the European Roma Platform develop it into an online policy developing forum;**

Or. en

**Amendment 900**

**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Kati Piri**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 41 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**41 a. Condemns the existing practice of segregation of Roma pupils in schools; supports the Commission's efforts to challenge this practices; recalls that several Member States are under infringement procedure because of segregation of Roma children in schools; and calls on Member States to take effective steps to eliminate school segregation and to come up with detailed plans on integration measures for Roma children;**

Or. en

**Amendment 901**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41 a. Notes that Roma people should benefit from the EU funds on an equal footing; therefore calls on the Commission and the Member States to pay special attention that all programs are implemented in a way that directly and clearly reduces the gaps in the field of education, health, labour and housing between Roma and non-Roma;***

Or. en

**Amendment 902**  
**Barbara Kudrycka, Michał Boni**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 11 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Rule of law***

Or. en

**Amendment 903**  
**Barbara Kudrycka, Michał Boni**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41 a. Highlights that rule of law is one of the common values on which the EU is founded, and whereas the Commission, together with Parliament and the Council, is responsible under the Treaties for assuring respect for the rule of law as a fundamental value of our Union and guarantee that EU law, values and principles are respected;***

**Amendment 904**  
**Barbara Kudrycka, Michał Boni**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41 b. Notes that an efficient, independent and impartial judicial system is crucial for the rule of law and guarantee the protection of the fundamental rights and civil liberties of citizens in Europe;***

Or. en

**Amendment 905**  
**Barbara Kudrycka, Michał Boni**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41 c. Believes that the EU is committed to respecting media freedom and pluralism as well as the right to information and freedom of expression;***

Or. en

**Amendment 906**  
**Barbara Kudrycka, Michał Boni**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41 d. Calls on all Member States to***

*fully comply with EU law in their legislative and administrative practice, and that all legislation, including the primary law of all Member States and candidate countries, must reflect and adhere to basic European values, namely democratic principles, the rule of law and respect for fundamental rights.*

Or. en

**Amendment 907**

**Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 11 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Upholding procedural rights, judicial system and the rule of law (new heading)*

Or. en

**Amendment 908**

**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Gérard Deprez, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 41 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*41 b. Believes that to address the rule of law concerns raised about some EU Member States in 2015 and prevent further rule of law crises, all relevant actors at national level, including governments, parliaments and the judiciary, need to step up efforts to uphold and reinforce the rule of law;*

Or. en

**Amendment 909**

**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Gérard Deprez, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 41 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41 c. Notes that regular exchange with the EU, and among the Member States themselves, based on objective comparative criteria (such as indicators) and contextual assessments, could be an important element to mitigate or prevent any rule of law problems in the future;***

Or. en

**Amendment 910**

**Daniele Viotti**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 11 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Conditions in prisons and other custodial institutions***

Or. it

**Amendment 911**

**Daniele Viotti**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 41 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41a. Points out that the fundamental rights of prisoners must be guaranteed by the national authorities; condemns prison conditions in many Member States, characterised as they are by overcrowding and ill-treatment;***

**Amendment 912**  
**Daniele Viotti**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41b. Calls on the Member States to adopt instruments ensuring the more effective implementation of recommendations by the European Committee for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (CPT) and rulings by the European Court of Human Rights regarding prison conditions;***

Or. it

**Amendment 913**  
**Daniele Viotti**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41c. Stresses the need for more frequent recourse by the Member States to measures other than incarceration, so as facilitate social reintegration as the ultimate objective of any sentence, a drastic reduction in the number of reoffenders and less overcrowding in prisons; attaches particular importance therefore to the development of training and employment programmes for prison inmates;***

Or. it

**Amendment 914**  
**Daniele Viotti**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41d. Agrees that it is necessary to reform the European Arrest Warrant, in particular through the introduction of procedures for verifying the proportionality thereof and a more clearly and explicitly worded exception linked to respect for human rights by the requesting State; welcomes, in this respect, the judgment of the Court of Justice of the European Union in joined cases C-404/15 and C-659/15 PPU, Pál Aranyosi and Robert Căldăraru, which rules that the execution of a European arrest warrant must be postponed if there is a real risk of inhuman or degrading treatment because of detention conditions in the issuing Member State;***

Or. it

**Amendment 915**  
**Daniele Viotti**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***41e. Calls on the Commission to assess the effect on children of the prison and criminal justice system; notes that an estimated 800 children are separated from a parent serving a prison sentence; calls on the Commission, in this connection, to facilitate an exchange of best practices between the authorities of the different Member States to facilitate a secure relationship between prison inmates and their children, allowing***



*them to be present in important moments of their children's lives, thus safeguarding the interest of the children in question;*

Or. it

**Amendment 916**

**Louis Michel, Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 11 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*New technologies and fundamental rights*

Or. fr

**Amendment 917**

**Louis Michel, Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 41 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*41a. Stresses the need to consider the impact which some new technologies – such as drones – can have on fundamental rights and in particular on the right to privacy; also highlights the challenge presented by the implications of widespread internet access for fundamental rights, particularly as regards protecting personal data and combating online harassment and trafficking in human beings;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 918**

**József Nagy, Monika Hohlmeier, Tomáš Zdechovský**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**41 b. Calls on the Member States to strengthen the cooperation between local authorities and the poor communities;**

Or. en

**Amendment 919**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 42**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;**

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 920**  
**Péter Niedermüller, Birgit Sippel, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 42**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism, **far-right populism** and violent political views **with great concern**, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens **and**

are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

*civil society organisations* in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

Or. en

**Amendment 921**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 42**

*Motion for a resolution*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

*Amendment*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, ***which are only to be expected even in a democratic context***, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

Or. el

**Amendment 922**  
**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 42**

*Motion for a resolution*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU ***and*** its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public

*Amendment*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU, its Member States, ***and regional and local authorities*** to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that

opinion expressed through democratic channels;

policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

Or. hr

**Amendment 923**  
**Emilian Pavel, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 42**

*Motion for a resolution*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

*Amendment*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens, ***especially young people***, in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

Or. en

**Amendment 924**  
**Branislav Škripek**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 42**

*Motion for a resolution*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and ***violent*** political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

*Amendment*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and ***some extreme*** political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed through democratic channels;

Or. en

**Amendment 925**

**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Gérard Deprez, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 42**

*Motion for a resolution*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens in EU matters so that Europeans *understand that their voices are being heard in the EU and that policymakers are responsive to public opinion expressed* through democratic channels;

*Amendment*

42. Notes the rise in euroscepticism and violent political views, and therefore urges the EU and its Member States to strengthen participation by citizens *and civil society organizations'* in EU matters so that Europeans *can voice their concerns and express their opinions* through democratic channels;

Or. en

**Amendment 926**

**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 42 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*42 a. Asks the Commission when dealing with policies in the field of equal opportunities between men and women to focus on the implementation of the existing legislation by the Member States, and emphasises the importance of exchanges of best practice in particular where Member States have exclusive competence, before considering the necessity of submitting new legislative proposals and policy tools in the field of equal opportunities;*

*Amendment*

Or. en

**Amendment 927**

**Louis Michel, Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 42 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*42a. Stresses the need to inform European citizens and residents, as well as migrants and refugees, of the importance of the values on which the Union is founded and which are set out in Article 2 of the Treaty; takes the view that awareness-raising campaigns should be set up, e.g. as part of school curricula and migrant assistance programmes;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 928**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 42 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*42 a. Recalls that freedom of expression, information and the media are fundamental with a view to ensuring democracy and the rule of law; strongly condemns violence, pressure or threats against journalists and the media, including in relation to the disclosure of information about breaches of fundamental rights; calls for a decriminalization of defamation;*

Or. en

**Amendment 929**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 42 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**42 b.** *Stresses that the right to freedom of movement and residence of European citizens and their families laid down in the Treaties and guaranteed by the Directive on freedom of movement is one of the fundamental rights of European citizens; condemns any attempt to review this acquis, and calls for any breach of the rules to result in action before the Court of Justice, particularly in cases where the principle of non-discrimination on grounds of nationality, ethnic or racial origin or sexual orientation is breached; expresses its concerns about the growing trend of quick expulsions of EU citizens from their countries of residence as a result of the loss of their jobs and income, considers that this is contrary to the spirit of the freedom of mobility;*

Or. en

**Amendment 930**  
**Louis Michel, Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 42 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**42b.** *Expresses deep alarm at recent developments in some Member States vis-à-vis respect for the rule of law; stresses that the rule of law is one of the EU's founding values and is inseparably yoked to respect for human rights; also stresses that it is the responsibility of the Union to ensure that it is fully respected both by accession candidates and by Member States; notes in this connection that every Member State should be continually, officially and objectively monitored as to*

*its respect for the rule of law;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 931**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 43**

*Motion for a resolution*

43. Considers it necessary to reduce administrative burdens on participation in public life and to promote e-governance EU-wide, and calls for the effectiveness of mechanisms such as the citizens' initiative to be strengthened;

*Amendment*

43. Considers it necessary to reduce administrative burdens on participation in public life and to promote e-governance EU-wide, and calls for the effectiveness of mechanisms such as the citizens' initiative to be strengthened; ***believes that stateless persons and third country nationals permanently resident in the Member States should have the right to vote in local and European elections;***

Or. en

**Amendment 932**

**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 43 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***43 a. recalls that the EU should stop funding the global operational costs which can be up to 80% of an NGO's global budget because this controversial funding distorts the principle of equal opportunities between NGOs ; recalls that so-called "operating grants" are not linked to any specific project or activity of the receiving NGO but can be freely used to pay salaries, office rent and telephone costs, travel expenses etc.;***



**Amendment 933**  
**Michał Boni, Barbara Kudrycka**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 43 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***43 a. Encourages the development of e-consultations and the use of it as a crowdsourcing mechanism to gather knowledge about citizens expectations for the governments and public administration and as a tool for direct participation of the citizens;***

Or. en

**Amendment 934**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 43 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***43a. Calls for the proposal and sharing of best practices with a focus on eliminating procedural and language barriers that discourage civic participation in the decision-making processes of public institutions at all levels of governance;***

Or. es

**Amendment 935**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 43 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**43b.** *Takes the view that the criterion of openness, the essence of transparency and participation, should be consolidated as the basis of the processes for citizens' participation in public life; emphasises the need for transparency to be applied in full not only in the decision-making processes of institutions but also in monitoring the handling of matters relating to services provided by public institutions; emphasises the need to promote the provision of such services via accessible digital media;*

Or. es

**Amendment 936**  
**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work; ***recalls that the principle "He who pays the piper calls the tune" applies also for the EU funding policy for NGOs because the EU funding policy obliges NGOs to advertise and legitimise the Commission's activities as well as to promote and legitimise themselves; recalls that by this procedure the EU Commission creates a "Muppet civil society";***

Or. en

### **Amendment 937**

**Péter Niedermüller, Anna Hedh, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 44**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

###### *Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work; ***regrets that in Hungary, Poland and Lithuania there are on-going smear campaigns against NGOs; calls on Member States and EU to provide for adequate public investment in the work of NGOs, including equality bodies;***

Or. en

### **Amendment 938**

**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon, Dennis de Jong**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 44**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

###### *Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social ***and civic*** participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work; ***calls on Member States and on the EU to uphold the freedom of assembly and of association as part of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union.***

Or. en

**Amendment 939**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44**

*Motion for a resolution*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

*Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social ***and civic*** participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work; ***calls on Member States and on the EU to uphold the freedom of assembly and association as part of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the EU;***

Or. en

**Amendment 940**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44**

*Motion for a resolution*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

*Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work, ***without relaxing their vigilance in discouraging criminal activity;***

Or. el

**Amendment 941**  
**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44**

*Motion for a resolution*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU **and** the Member States to support and to promote their work;

*Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU, the Member States, **and regional and local authorities** to support and to promote their work;

Or. hr

**Amendment 942**  
**Branislav Škripek**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44**

*Motion for a resolution*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

*Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering, **religious** and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

Or. en

**Amendment 943**  
**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Gérard Deprez, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44**

*Motion for a resolution*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

*Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social **and civic** participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to support and to promote their work;

**Amendment 944**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44**

*Motion for a resolution*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to ***support and to promote*** their work;

*Amendment*

44. Notes that civil society organisations, including volunteering and youth work, play a key role in social participation and calls on the EU and the Member States to ***uphold*** their work;

Or. el

**Amendment 945**  
**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***44 a. Underlines the need to combat environmental crime as a matter of priority; urges the Commission to examine the effective implementation in the EU of the right of access to justice in the context of the right of every person of present and future generations to live in an environment adequate to his or her health and well-being;***

Or. en

**Amendment 946**  
**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 44 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**44 a.** *invites the competent national authorities to verify if an NGO can keep its legal status as "non-governmental" or "registered association" when its annual budget is mainly established through public funds (i.e. local regional or national authorities, a foreign government, or the EU) ;*

Or. en

**Amendment 947**

**Péter Niedermüller, Ana Gomes, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Josef Weidenholzer, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Emilian Pavel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

45. Believes that civic education improves citizens' understanding of the importance of social and political participation, while human rights education raises awareness of their own rights and teaches them respect for the rights of others; calls on Member States to draw up national plans of action for fundamental rights education and to implement the Council of Europe Charter on Education for Democratic Citizenship and Human Rights Education;

45. Believes that civic education improves citizens' understanding of the importance of social and political participation, while human rights education raises awareness of their own rights and teaches them respect for the rights of others; calls on Member States to draw up national plans of action for fundamental rights education, ***including the EU's contribution to the development of the fundamental rights framework***, and to implement the Council of Europe Charter on Education for Democratic Citizenship and Human Rights Education;

Or. en

**Amendment 948**  
**Ivan Jakovčić**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45**

*Motion for a resolution*

45. Believes that civic education improves citizens' understanding of the importance of social and political participation, while human rights education raises awareness of their own rights and teaches them respect for the rights of others; calls on Member States to draw up national plans of action for fundamental rights education and to implement the Council of Europe Charter on Education for Democratic Citizenship and Human Rights Education;

*Amendment*

45. Believes that civic education improves citizens' understanding of the importance of social and political participation, while human rights education raises awareness of their own rights and teaches them respect for the rights of others; calls on Member States to draw up national plans of action for fundamental rights education and to implement the Council of Europe Charter on Education for Democratic Citizenship and Human Rights Education; ***calls on regional and local authorities to take an active part in the above activities;***

Or. hr

**Amendment 949**  
**Emilian Pavel, Péter Niedermüller**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45**

*Motion for a resolution*

45. Believes that civic education improves citizens' understanding of the importance of social and political participation, while human rights education raises awareness of their own rights and teaches them respect for the rights of others; calls on Member States to draw up national plans of action for fundamental rights education and to implement the Council of Europe Charter on Education for Democratic Citizenship and Human Rights Education;

*Amendment*

45. Believes that civic education ***and intercultural dialogue*** improves citizens' understanding of the importance of social and political participation, while human rights education raises awareness of their own rights and teaches them respect for the rights of others; calls on Member States to draw up national plans of action for fundamental rights education and to implement the Council of Europe Charter on Education for Democratic Citizenship and Human Rights Education;

Or. en



## Amendment 950

Angelika Mlinar, Filiz Hyusmenova

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 45

##### *Motion for a resolution*

45. Believes that civic education improves citizens' understanding of the importance of social and political participation, while human rights education raises awareness of their own rights and teaches them respect for the rights of others; calls on Member States to draw up national plans of action for fundamental rights education and to implement the Council of Europe Charter on Education for Democratic Citizenship and Human Rights Education;

##### *Amendment*

45. Believes that civic education improves citizens' understanding of the importance of social and political participation, while human rights **and gender equality** education raises awareness of their own rights and teaches them respect for the rights of others; calls on Member States to draw up national plans of action for fundamental rights education and to implement the Council of Europe Charter on Education for Democratic Citizenship and Human Rights Education;

Or. en

## Amendment 951

Marina Albiol Guzmán, Martina Anderson, Josep-Maria Terricabras, Cornelia Ernst

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 45 a (new)

##### *Motion for a resolution*

##### *Amendment*

***45 a. Notes that some directives (or minimum rules) have been adopted in recent years regarding judicial cooperation in criminal matters. Stresses, however, that there are European rules in the field of justice and home affairs that must be implemented in order to guarantee the fundamental rights of individuals subject to criminal proceedings. Calls, therefore, on the European Commission to safeguard the uniform application in all Member States of rules such as Council Framework Decision 2008/909/JHA of 27 November 2008, Council Framework Decision 2008/675/JHA of 24 July 2008 and***

*Council Framework Decision  
2009/948/JHA of 30 November 2009.  
Considers it important to maintain the  
social roots of prisoners and calls for the  
application of the Charter of  
Fundamental Rights of the EU to every  
person in prison.*

Or. en

**Amendment 952**  
**Angelika Mlinar, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*45 a. Highlights that the current policies on drugs should be reconsidered as a matter of urgency, as they have not achieved their stated objectives, and that the current approach, which is based on criminalisation and imprisonment, leads only to further stigmatisation and marginalisation, as well as to an overload of the justice and prison systems, instead of saving lives and providing drug abusers with specific help; calls, therefore, for the revision – at national, EU and international level – of laws and policies on the basis of a more rational approach based on fundamental rights, medical care and harm reduction;*

Or. en

**Amendment 953**  
**Ulrike Lunacek, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Sophia in 't Veld, Tanja Fajon**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**45 a.** *Calls on the Commission to submit a proposal for a regulation to ensure mutual recognition of civil status documents (including legal gender recognition, marriage and registered partnerships) and their legal effects, in order to reduce discriminatory legal and administrative barriers for citizens who exercise their right to free movement;*

Or. en

**Amendment 954**  
**Andrejs Mamikins**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 45 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**45 a.** *Believes that stateless persons and third-country nationals permanently resident in the Member States should have the right to vote in local and European elections;*

Or. en

**Amendment 955**  
**Notis Marias**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

46. ***Reiterates its call*** for the EU to accede to the European Convention on Human Rights; notes that this would strengthen fundamental rights protection in the EU and expects the legal obstacles to accession to be eliminated as soon as

46. ***Stresses the need*** for the EU to accede to the European Convention on Human Rights; notes that this would strengthen fundamental rights protection in the EU and expects the legal obstacles to accession to be eliminated as soon as

possible;

possible;

Or. el

**Amendment 956**  
**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 a.** *reiterates its position that - in line with the EU Leitmotif "United in Diversity" and article 67 TFEU which states that the Union shall respect the different legal systems and traditions of the Member States - cross border civil status issues are uniquely related to Member States' family laws, which reflect Member States' values; recognises that public policy exemptions safeguard the right of Member States to protect their fundamental values as expressed in their substantive family laws and they shield against the import of foreign legal concepts that do not exist or may even be illegal into the domestic Member State's legal order, which would result in the parallel co-existence of EU and national legal orders (spill over effect and reverse discrimination);*

Or. en

**Amendment 957**  
**Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Marina Albiol Guzmán, Josu Juaristi Abaunz, Ernest Maragall, Jordi Sebastià, Josep-Maria Terricabras, Ramon Tremosa i Balcells, Miguel Urbán Crespo, Ernest Urtasun**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46a.** *Calls on the Commission to be*

*more resolute in its use of the instruments at its disposal under the framework for the prevention of systemic threats to the rule of law in EU countries, by applying the prevention capacities provided for in the phases involving objective assessment and dialogue with the Member State concerned in cases of clear and serious breaches of the European Charter of Fundamental Rights, even if those breaches are not strictly related to the implementation of EU law;*

Or. es

**Amendment 958**  
**Francesc Gambús**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*46a. Calls on the Commission to be more resolute in its use of the instruments at its disposal under the framework for the prevention of systemic threats to the rule of law in EU countries, by applying the prevention capacities provided for in the phases involving objective assessment and dialogue with the Member State concerned in cases of clear and serious breaches of the European Charter of Fundamental Rights, even if those breaches are not strictly related to the implementation of EU law;*

Or. es

**Amendment 959**  
**Rolandas Paksas**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***46 a. remains deeply concerned about the high number of non-implemented judgments of the European Court of Human Rights in the Member States for more than 5 years; deplores the delays in implementation and the lack of political will of certain Member States to implement judgments of the Court; encourages to take stronger measures in case of dilatory or continuous non-execution of judgments;***

Or. en

**Amendment 960**

**Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Sylvie Guillaume**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***42a. Reiterates that respect for the rule of law is an essential precondition for the protection of fundamental rights and that it must be inherent in all measures taken by the European Union and its Member States; deplores the fact that violations of the rule of law and fundamental rights take place daily in all Member States of the Union;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 961**

**Marijana Petir**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 a.** *Underlines that any EU initiative or mechanism on the respect for the rule of law in the Member States should have a clear and explicit legal basis and is to be founded on compliance with the principles of subsidiarity and proportionality, as well as on respect for their national traditions and identities;*

Or. en

**Amendment 962**

**Angelika Mlinar, Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Filiz Hyusmenova, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 a.** *Reiterates the importance of the Charter awareness raising. The 2015 Eurobarometer survey on awareness of the Charter showed that the interest on information about the rights people enjoy under the Charter remains high;*

Or. en

**Amendment 963**

**Josep-Maria Terricabras, Judith Sargentini, Ulrike Lunacek**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 a.** *Reiterates its call to create an effective system of monitoring of respect for democracy, the rule of law and human rights in each Member State;*

Or. en

**Amendment 964**  
**Malin Björk, Marina Albiol Guzmán**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 a. Condemns all forms of discrimination and violence in the EU against lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans and intersex people (LGBTI);**

Or. en

**Amendment 965**  
**Christine Revault D'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Sylvie Guillaume**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

**46b. Calls for all Member States and EU institutions to be regularly assessed to check that their legislation and practice are in accordance with the shared values of the EU and the rule of law; therefore supports the establishment of a Pact on the Rule of Law, Democracy and Fundamental Rights, which would be characterised by an ongoing monitoring process with preventive and corrective measures where a Member State commits violations of fundamental rights and refuses to remedy such violations;**

Or. fr

**Amendment 966**  
**Malin Björk, Marina Albiol Guzmán**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 b (new)**



*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 b.** *Welcomes the fact that some EU Member States have extended the protection granted to victims of discrimination based on other grounds, such as sexual orientation or gender identity, when implementing the Framework Decision; calls on the Commission to start a dialogue with those Member States whose legislation does not cover homophobic and transphobic hate motives, aimed at filling the remaining legislative gaps.*

Or. en

**Amendment 967**

**Angelika Mlinar, Louis Michel, Gérard Deprez, Filiz Hyusmenova, Sophia in 't Veld**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 46 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 b.** *Calls on EU Member States to complement their efforts with more proactive policy initiatives. This could include a pronounced emphasis on mainstreaming Charter obligations in EU-relevant legislative files and dedicated policymaking to promote awareness of the Charter rights among target groups;*

Or. en

**Amendment 968**

**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 46 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 b. Emphasises that the comprehensive policy on fundamental rights must respect the competences of the European Union, of its agencies, and of Member States;**

Or. en

**Amendment 969**  
**Malin Björk, Marina Albiol Guzmán**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 c. Reiterates that any legal recognition procedure which imposes forced sterilisation on transgender people is violating human rights standards; welcomes the recent adoption by a number of Member States of new legal gender recognition procedures more respectful of the fundamental rights of trans people; Calls on the European Commission to strengthen peer-learning among Member States to ensure their practices are in line with human rights standards.**

Or. en

**Amendment 970**  
**Beatrix von Storch**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 c. Recalls that the freedom to express and display one's beliefs and opinions in**

*keeping with the principle of pluralism of ideas, and provided that it does not incite to violence, should be respected;*

Or. en

**Amendment 971**  
**Malin Björk, Marina Albiol Guzmán**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 46 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**46 d. *Deplores the fact that transgender people are still considered mentally ill in the majority of Member States and calls on respective states to review national mental health catalogues, while ensuring that medically necessary treatment remains available for all trans people;***

Or. en

**Amendment 972**  
**Alessandra Mussolini, József Nagy**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**47 a. *Right to be forgotten***  
***Calls on the European Union and Member States to safeguard the right to be forgotten, through the urgent adoption of technical and organisational measures which can assure a proper implementation of Article 17 of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and the Council on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data.***

**Amendment 973**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 12 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Protection of social rights***

Or. en

**Amendment 974**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***47 a. Notes that the financial, economic and sovereign debt crisis, together with the severe budgetary restrictions imposed, has negatively affected economic, civil, social, democratic and cultural rights, often resulting in increasing unemployment (especially youth unemployment), poverty, precarious working and living conditions, as well as exclusion and isolation, increasing suicides, criminality, demographic recession, extended labour migration combined with the phenomenon of braindrain, particularly in the Member States in which economic adjustment programmes have been adopted, and underlines that a recent Eurostat note points out that one European in four is now at risk of poverty and exclusion;***

Or. en

**Amendment 975**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***47 b. Stresses that the economic crisis and the austerity measures implemented to address it have seriously affected fundamental social and civil rights, among others. the right to access to basic necessities such as education, housing, healthcare and social security, as well as having a negative impact on the overall health condition of the population in some Member States; stresses the need to respect the right to protection against poverty and social exclusion as stated in Article 30 of the European Social Charter; calls on all Member States to introduce support measures, in accordance with national practices, to provide their citizens with decent living conditions and to effectively combat unemployment social exclusion, poverty and insufficient healthcare;***

Or. en

**Amendment 976**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***47 c. Reiterates that the EU institutions, as well as Member States which implement structural reforms in their social and economic systems, are always under an obligation to observe the Charter and their international obligations, and are therefore accountable for the decisions taken; reiterates its call***

*to align economic adjustment programmes with the EU objectives set out in Article 151 TFEU, including the promotion of employment, health protection and improvement of living and working conditions; reiterates the need to ensure that there is full democratic oversight through the effective involvement of parliaments over the austerity measures taken by the EU institutions and Member States in reaction to the economic and financial crisis;*

Or. en

**Amendment 977**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*47 d. Recalls on the EU institutions and the Member States to look into the impact on fundamental rights of austerity measures, proposed or implemented, in a gender-sensitive manner, taking into account the disproportionate impact of austerity measures in particular on women and children; calls on the EU institutions to take remedial action immediately where austerity measures have had a negative impact on women's and children's economic, social and cultural rights;*

Or. en

**Amendment 978**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***47 e. Calls on the EU institutions and the Member States to look into the impact on fundamental rights and freedoms, including social, civil and labour rights, of the measures proposed or implemented to deal with the crisis and to take remedial action if necessary should it emerge that the protection of rights is regressing or that international law, including ILO conventions and recommendations, is being infringed;***

Or. en

**Amendment 979**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 f (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***47 f. Calls therefore on the EU institutions and the Member States, when adopting and implementing corrective measures and budget cuts, to conduct an impact assessment on fundamental rights and to guarantee that sufficient resources are still made available to safeguard respect for fundamental rights and to ensure minimum essential levels of civil economic, cultural and social rights, with special attention to the most vulnerable and socially disadvantaged groups;***

Or. en

**Amendment 980**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 g (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**47 g.** *Calls on the EU institutions and the Member States to recognise that long-term investment in social inclusion is beneficial, as it tackles the high cost of discrimination and inequality; calls on the Member States for appropriate public investment to sustain education and healthcare and ensure that access to justice and redress in cases of discrimination are not put in danger by drastic funding cuts in equality bodies' budgets; calls on EU and national institutions not to undermine social inclusion by budgetary measures affecting the functioning of community-based organisations working for equality;*

Or. en

**Amendment 981**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 12 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Environmental protection***

Or. en

**Amendment 982**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 i (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**47 i.** *Calls on the Commission to provide to tackle environmental crimes, as sustainable environment plays a key role*



*in the healthy development of personality; urges the Commission to examine the effective implementation in the EU of the right of access to justice in the context of the right of every person of present and future generations to live in an environment conducive to his or her health and wellbeing; calls therefore on the EU authorities and the Member States especially - but not limited - for the implementation of the Aarhus Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision-making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters (signed on 25 June 1998 and entered into force on 30 October 2001) and for the implementation of directive 2008/99/CE of the European Parliament and of the Council of 19 November 2008 on the protection of the environment through criminal law;*

Or. en

**Amendment 983**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 j (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**47 j. Protection against corruption**

Or. en

**Amendment 984**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 k (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**47 k. Stresses that corruption by**

*diverting public funds from the public use for which they are intended reduces the level and quality of public services, thereby seriously harming the fair treatment of all citizens; reiterates the need of Member States and European institutions to devise effective instruments for preventing, combating and sanctioning corruption and crime and to properly and regularly monitor the use made of public funds, be they European or national; to that end, calls on the Member States and the institutions to facilitate the rapid establishment of the European Public Prosecutor's Office, thus providing appropriate guarantees of independence and efficiency;*

Or. en

**Amendment 985**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 l (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*47 l. Stresses the irrefutable need of transparency and access to public documents by citizens and journalists as an efficient way to expose and combat corruption; calls on European Union and Member States to establish effective instruments in order to strengthen transparency and to facilitate citizens access to public documents;*

Or. en

**Amendment 986**  
**Kostas Chrysogonos**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 47 m (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***47 m. Calls on all Member States and the EU to join the Open Government Partnership and to devise concrete strategies to promote transparency, empower citizens and fight corruption; calls on the Member States to follow up on the recommendations of the European Commission's Anti-Corruption Report COM(2014) 38 and to strengthen police and judicial cooperation in fighting corruption;***

Or. en