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on an integrated European Union policy for the Arctic
(2016/2228(INI))

Amendment 1

Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution

Citation 2

Motion for a resolution

– having regard to the Agreement adopted in Paris at the 21st Conference of the Parties of the UNFCCC of 12 December 2015 (the Paris Agreement),

Amendment

– having regard to the Agreement adopted in Paris at the 21st Conference of the Parties of the UNFCCC of 12 December 2015 (the Paris Agreement), ***and to the vote in the European Parliament on the ratification of the Agreement on 4 October 2016,***

Or. fr

Amendment 2

Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution

Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– ***having regard to the Ilulissat Declaration announced on May 28, 2008 by the five coastal states of the Arctic Ocean at the Arctic Ocean Conference in Ilulissat, Greenland,***

Or. en

Amendment 3

Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution

Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– ***having regard to the Ilulissat Declaration, signed in 2008 by the five***

coastal states to the Arctic Ocean;

Or. en

Amendment 4
Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution
Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Ilulissat Declaration which the five coastal states to the Arctic Ocean signed in 2008 at the Arctic Ocean Conference in Ilulissat, Greenland,*

Or. en

Amendment 5
Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution
Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Protocol (No 1) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) on the role of National Parliaments in the European Union,*

Or. el

Amendment 6
Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution
Citation 6 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to Protocol (No 2) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) on the application of the principles of subsidiarity and proportionality,*

Or. el

Amendment 7

Davor Škrlec, Bodil Valero

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Citation 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the adoption of the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples 61/295 by the General Assembly on 13 December 2007,*

Or. en

Amendment 8

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Citation 11

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- having regard to the national Arctic strategies of Arctic states, in particular those of the Kingdom of Denmark (2011), Sweden (2011) and Finland (2013), as well as those of other EU and EEA Member States,

- having regard to the national Arctic strategies of Arctic states, in particular those of the Kingdom of Denmark (2011), Sweden (2011) and Finland (2013), as well as those of other EU and *other* EEA Member States,

Or. en

Amendment 9
Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution
Citation 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Council Decision 2014/137/EU of 14 March 2014 on relations between the European Union on the one hand, and Greenland and the Kingdom of Denmark on the other,*

Or. en

Amendment 10
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Citation 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Council Decision 2014/137/EU of 14 March 2014 on relations between the European Union on the one hand, and Greenland and the Kingdom of Denmark on the other,*

Or. en

Amendment 11
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Citation 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Council Decision 2014/137/EU of 14 March 2014 on relations between the European Union on the one hand, and Greenland and the Kingdom of Denmark on the other,*

Amendment 12
Urmaz Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Citation 12

Motion for a resolution

- having regard to the Arctic Council (AC) programme for 2015 to 2017 under US chairmanship,

Amendment

- having regard to the ***Declaration on the Establishment of the Arctic Council (AC) and the current*** programme for 2015 to 2017 under US chairmanship,

Or. en

Amendment 13
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Citation 12

Motion for a resolution

- having regard to the Arctic Council (AC) programme for 2015 to 2017 under US chairmanship,

Amendment

- having regard to the ***Declaration on the Establishment of the Arctic Council (AC) and the current*** programme for 2015 to 2017 under US chairmanship,

Or. en

Amendment 14
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Citation 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***having regard to the Declaration on the 20th Anniversary of the Barents Euro-Arctic Cooperation, issued in***

Kirkenes on 3 - 4 June 2013,

Or. en

Amendment 15

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *having regard to the joint statement of the third ministerial meeting of the renewed Northern Dimension, held in Brussels on 18 February 2013,*

Or. en

Amendment 16

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *having regard to the statement adopted at the Northern Dimension Parliamentary Forum in November in Archangelsk in November 2013, and in Tromsø in February 2011 and in Brussels in September 2009,*

Or. en

Amendment 17

Sirpa Pietikäinen, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the International Code for Ships Operating in Polar Waters,*

Or. en

Amendment 18
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Citation 13 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the IMO Polar Code for ships operating in polar waters, entering into force on 1 January 2017,*

Or. en

Amendment 19
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL),*

Or. en

Amendment 20
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Citation 13 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***having regard to the Oil Spill Convention, the Oil Spill Fund and the Supplementary Fund,***

Or. en

Amendment 21
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Citation 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***having regard to the June 2016 Global Strategy for the European Union's Foreign and Security Policy and the 17 October 2016 Council Conclusions on this topic,***

Or. en

Amendment 22
Franck Proust, Françoise Grossetête

Motion for a resolution
Citation 17 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***having regard to the Space Strategy for Europe (COM(2016)705) published by the European Commission on 26 October 2016,***

Or. fr

Amendment 23
Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *having regard to the report of the Committee on Fisheries of 25 February 2016 on fisheries aspects within the international agreement on marine biodiversity in areas beyond national jurisdiction, United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea,*

Or. nl

Amendment 24
Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *having regard to the Convention of 22 September 1992 for the protection of the marine environment of the North-East Atlantic (OSPAR Convention) and its entry into force on 25 March 1998,*

Or. nl

Amendment 25
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *having regard to the Regulation (EU) 2015/1775 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 October 2015 on trade in seal products,*

Or. en

Amendment 26
Monica Macovei

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Commission's implementing Regulation 2015/1850 on trade in seal products,*

Or. en

Amendment 27
Angel Dzhambazki

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the cases currently being considered by the UNCLOS special committee,*

Or. bg

Amendment 28
Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A. whereas the EU is a global actor; whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic *based on history, geography, economy and research;*

A. whereas the EU is a global actor; whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic;

Or. el

Amendment 29
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. ***whereas the EU is a global actor;*** whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic based on history, geography, economy and research;

Amendment

A. whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of ***certain Member States of the EU, in particular France,*** in the Arctic based on history, geography, economy and research;

Or. fr

Amendment 30
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the EU is a global actor; whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic based on history, geography, economy and research;

Amendment

A. whereas the EU is a global actor; whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic based on history, geography, economy and research; ***whereas the Arctic is surrounded by international waters, and citizens and governments throughout the world, including the European Union, have a responsibility to support the protection of the Arctic;***

Or. en

Amendment 31
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the EU is a global actor; whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic based on history, geography, economy and research;

Amendment

A. whereas the EU is a global actor; whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic based on history, geography, economy and research; ***whereas three of its Member States - Denmark, Finland and Sweden - are Arctic countries;***

Or. en

Amendment 32
Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the EU is a global actor; whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic based on history, geography, economy and research;

Amendment

A. whereas the EU is a global actor; whereas there has been a longstanding engagement of the EU in the Arctic based on history, ***ecology***, geography, economy and research;

Or. en

Amendment 33
Paavo Väyrynen, Hannu Takkula

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Aa. whereas the EU's engagement in the Northern regions and in the Arctic started already in the early 1990's by its participation in the establishment of the Council of the Baltic Sea Region (CBSS), the Barents Euro-Arctic Council (BEAC) and by the full membership of the Commission in them;

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Amendment 34
Paavo Väyrynen, Hannu Takkula

Motion for a resolution
Recital A b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ab. whereas after the EU's Northern enlargement a comprehensive Northern Dimension policy was developed for the Union covering both internal affairs and external relations;

Or. en

Amendment 35
Paavo Väyrynen, Hannu Takkula

Motion for a resolution
Recital A c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ac. whereas the Northern Dimension has developed into a joint policy between the EU, Russia, Norway and Iceland; whereas besides the ND Partners also several multilateral organizations such as the AC, CBSS and BEAC participate; whereas Canada and the United States are observers of the ND; whereas the policy covers a broad geographical area from the European Arctic and Sub-arctic to the southern shores of the Baltic Sea, countries in the vicinity and from north-west Russia in the east to Iceland and Greenland in the west;

Or. en

Amendment 36
Paavo Väyrynen, Hannu Takkula

Motion for a resolution
Recital A d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ad. whereas the practical cooperation takes place within the Northern Dimension Partnerships established to deal with the following thematic issues: environment, public health and well-being, transport and logistics and culture;

Or. en

Amendment 37
Paavo Väyrynen, Hannu Takkula

Motion for a resolution
Recital A e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ae. whereas the Northern Dimension has regular meetings of Foreign Ministers as well as the Parliamentary Forum;

Or. en

Amendment 38
Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

B. whereas the EU has gradually built and enhanced its Arctic policy;
whereas the evolving engagement and common EU interests are best served by well coordinated common means;

B. whereas the evolving engagement and common EU interests are best served by well coordinated common means;

Amendment 39
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas the EU *has* gradually built and enhanced *its* Arctic policy; *whereas the evolving engagement and common EU interests are best served by well coordinated common means;*

Amendment

B. whereas *those Member States of* the EU *have* gradually built and enhanced *their* Arctic policy;

Or. fr

Amendment 40
Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas the EU has gradually built and enhanced its Arctic policy; whereas the evolving engagement and common EU interests are best served by well coordinated common means;

Amendment

B. whereas the EU has gradually built and enhanced its Arctic policy; whereas the evolving engagement and common EU interests are best served by well coordinated common means; *whereas the challenges relating to the Arctic call for a joint regional and international response;*

Or. xm

Amendment 41
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ba. *whereas the Arctic faces unique social, environmental and economic challenges;*

Or. en

Amendment 42

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution

Recital B b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Bb. *whereas the European Arctic has sparse populations, spread over a wide area which is characterised by a lack of transport links, such as road, rail and east-west flight connections; whereas the European Arctic suffers from underinvestment;*

Or. en

Amendment 43

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Recital C a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ca. *whereas the Arctic Council is the primary forum for Arctic cooperation; whereas in its 20 years existence, the Arctic Council has shown its ability to maintain cooperation in a constructive and positive spirit, to adapt to new challenges and take on new responsibilities;*

Or. en

Amendment 44
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Recital C a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ca. whereas Arctic states have sovereignty and jurisdiction over their land and waters; whereas the rights of the people of the Arctic must be respected to pursue the sustainable use of their natural resources;

Or. en

Amendment 45
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (*security*) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as *a result of* climate change *new navigation routes will open and* new fishing grounds and natural resources *will become available* resulting in an *increase in* human activity in the region;

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought risks to the region, including challenges *to environment and* to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as climate change *could facilitate access to* new fishing grounds and natural resources resulting in an *increased* human activity in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 46
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (*security*) risks to the region, ***including challenges to human security***, but also new opportunities; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Amendment

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought risks to the region but also new opportunities; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 47
Angel Dzhambazki

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have

Amendment

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have

brought (security) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes **will open and** new fishing grounds and natural resources **will** become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

brought (security) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as a **potential** result of climate change **not only may** new navigation routes **be opened through which** new fishing grounds and natural resources become available, **but so may potential new military trajectories**, resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Or. bg

Amendment 48

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, **and resource scarcity**; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (**security**) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, **but also new opportunities**; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Amendment

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and **its** natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought risks to the region, including challenges to human security; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity **and environmental challenges** in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 49

Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's **geopolitical importance** is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (security) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, **but also new opportunities**; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Amendment

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's **ecological fragility** is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (security) risks to the region, including challenges to human security; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 50

Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (**security**) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and

Amendment

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural

natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

resources will become available *in this region* resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 51

Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (security) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Amendment

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the *Arctic is believed to hold 13% of the world's undiscovered oil resources and 30% of its natural gas resources*; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (security) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Or. fr

Amendment 52

Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (security) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Amendment

D. whereas interest in the Arctic and its resources is increasing because of the changing environment of the area, and resource scarcity; whereas the region's geopolitical importance is growing; whereas climate change effects and growing competition for access to the Arctic and natural resources, and increasing economic activities have brought (security) risks to the region, including challenges to human security, but also new opportunities ***as regards the development opportunities for a 'blue' and 'green' economy***; whereas as a result of climate change new navigation routes will open and new fishing grounds and natural resources will become available resulting in an increase in human activity in the region;

Or. nl

Amendment 53

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas the International Maritime Organisation (IMO) has adopted the Polar Code, an international mandatory code of safety for ships operating in polar waters, due to enter into force on 1 January 2017;

Or. en

Amendment 54

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas, according to US Department of Energy estimates, the Arctic holds 13% of the world's undiscovered oil and 30% of the world's undiscovered natural gas;

Or. en

Amendment 55
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E. whereas the Arctic has long been an area of constructive international cooperation ***and*** whereas ***there is a need*** to keep the Arctic as a ***low-tension area***;

E. whereas the Arctic has long been an area of constructive international cooperation; ***whereas the Northern Dimension as an equal partnership between the EU, Norway, Russia and Iceland, and the Barents Euro-Arctic Council play an important role in sustainable development, public health and social well-being, culture, environmental protection and logistics and transport through practical regional cooperation***; whereas ***it is important to continue*** to keep the Arctic as a ***region of pragmatic good cooperation and low-tension***;

Or. en

Amendment 56
Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution
Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas the Arctic has long been an area of constructive international cooperation and whereas there is a need to keep the Arctic as a low-tension area;

Amendment

E. whereas the Arctic has long been an area of constructive international cooperation and whereas there is a need to keep the Arctic as a low-tension area ***or even an area of cooperation;***

Or. el

Amendment 57
Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ea. whereas good accessibility is a prerequisite to enable sustainable and competitive economic development in the northern growth centres to better connect the rural areas with the rest of the European Union, given the increasing attention by investors and stakeholders because of the untapped resources and its role as a focal point of ecological concern;

Or. en

Amendment 58
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ea. whereas five coastal states of the Arctic Ocean (United States, Russia, Canada, Norway and Denmark) recognised in the Ilulissat Declaration that an extensive international legal

Amendment

framework applies to the Arctic Ocean as well as their stewardship role in protecting the Arctic Ocean ecosystems;

Or. en

Amendment 59
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ea. whereas as of 2015, the Russian Federation has established at least six new bases north of the Arctic Circle, including 6 deep-water ports and 13 airfields and has been increasing its presence in the Arctic in terms of ground forces;

Or. en

Amendment 60
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe; *whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;*

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe;

Or. en

Amendment 61
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is *strategically* important for the *political and economic stability of Europe*; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Amendment

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable *and sustainable* communities is important for the *stability of the worldwide ecosystem*; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Or. en

Amendment 62
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe; whereas the costs of inaction on *preserving* the Arctic *ecosystem* are increasing exponentially;

Amendment

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe; whereas the costs of inaction on *protecting* the Arctic *socio-ecosystems* are increasing exponentially;

Or. en

Amendment 63
Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas a robust *and healthy*

Amendment

F. whereas a robust, *healthy and*

Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

sustainable Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Or. en

Amendment 64
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for **the** political and economic stability of **Europe**; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Amendment

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for **worldwide** political and economic stability; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Or. fr

Amendment 65
Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Amendment

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe; **whereas the Arctic contains over half of the world's wetlands and plays a key role in the purification of water; whereas it contributes to the achievement of the objective of good water status in the European Union under the Water**

Framework Directive; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Or. fr

Amendment 66

Ivan Jakovčić

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Amendment

F. whereas a robust and healthy Arctic ecosystem inhabited by viable communities is strategically important for the political and economic stability of Europe *and the world*; whereas the costs of inaction on preserving the Arctic ecosystem are increasing exponentially;

Or. hr

Amendment 67

Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas the Arctic sea ice has diminished significantly since 1981, the areas under permafrost are decreasing, causing the *risk of* incidental release of huge amounts of carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere, the snow cover continues to decrease and the melting glaciers are contributing to globally rising sea levels; whereas it has been noticed that the sea ice is disappearing at an even faster pace than the models predict; whereas *climate change is advancing at the fastest pace in the polar*

Amendment

G. whereas *it is estimated that in areas around* the Arctic sea *some one and a half billion tonnes of carbon is stored*, ice has diminished significantly since 1981, the areas under permafrost are decreasing, causing the incidental release of huge amounts of carbon dioxide *stored in the ground* and methane, *which is particularly damaging in the short term*, into the atmosphere, the snow cover continues to decrease and the melting glaciers are contributing to globally rising sea levels; whereas it has been noticed that

regions;

the sea ice is disappearing at an even faster pace than the models predict; whereas *the polar regions are warming faster than the rest of the planet;*

Or. nl

Amendment 68
Aldo Patriciello

Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas the Arctic sea ice has diminished significantly since 1981, the areas under permafrost are decreasing, causing the risk of incidental release of huge amounts of carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere, the snow cover continues to decrease and the melting glaciers are contributing to globally rising sea levels; whereas it has been noticed that the sea ice is disappearing at an even faster pace than the models predict; whereas climate change is advancing at the fastest pace in the polar regions;

Amendment

G. whereas the Arctic sea ice has diminished significantly since 1981, the areas under permafrost are decreasing, causing the risk of incidental release of huge amounts of carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere, the snow cover continues to decrease and the melting glaciers are contributing to globally rising sea levels; whereas *the constant proliferation of human activity in the region could initiate a vicious circle that would increasingly reduce the unique and vital features of the entire area;* *whereas* it has been noticed that the sea ice is disappearing at an even faster pace than the models predict; whereas climate change is advancing at the fastest pace in the polar regions;

Or. it

Amendment 69
Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas the Arctic sea ice has diminished significantly since 1981, the areas under permafrost are decreasing,

Amendment

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causing the risk of incidental release of huge amounts of carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere, the snow cover continues to decrease and the melting glaciers are contributing to globally rising sea levels; whereas it has been noticed that the sea ice is disappearing at an even faster pace than the models predict; whereas climate change is advancing at the fastest pace in the polar regions;

causing the risk of incidental release of huge amounts of carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere, the snow cover continues to decrease and the melting glaciers are contributing to globally rising sea levels; whereas it has been noticed that the sea ice is disappearing at an even faster pace than the models predict, ***the volume of sea ice present during the summer having fallen by more than 40% in 35 years***; whereas climate change is advancing at the fastest pace in the polar regions;

Or. fr

Amendment 70 **Fernando Ruas**

Motion for a resolution **Recital G**

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas the Arctic sea ice has diminished significantly since 1981, the areas under permafrost are decreasing, causing the risk of incidental release of huge amounts of carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere, the snow cover continues to decrease and the melting glaciers are contributing to globally rising sea levels; whereas it has been noticed that the sea ice is disappearing at an even faster pace than the models predict; whereas climate change is advancing at the fastest pace in the polar regions;

Amendment

G. whereas the Arctic sea ice has diminished significantly since 1981, the areas under permafrost are decreasing, causing the risk of incidental release of huge amounts of carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere, the snow cover continues to decrease and the melting glaciers are contributing to globally rising sea levels; whereas it has been noticed that the sea ice is disappearing at an even faster pace than the models predict; whereas climate change is advancing at the fastest pace in the polar regions, ***causing unknown and unpredictable changes into existing worldwide ecosystems***;

Or. en

Amendment 71 **Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari**

Motion for a resolution
Recital G a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ga. whereas the risks posed by the use of heavy fuel oil (HFO) in the Arctic maritime transport are multiple; whereas in case of spills the highly dense fuel emulsifies, sinks and can be transported long distances if it gets trapped in ice; whereas spilled HFO poses huge risks for the food security of Arctic indigenous communities whose subsistence depends on fishing and hunting; whereas combustion of HFO produces sulphur oxides, heavy metals, as well as large amounts of black carbon which, when deposited on Arctic ice, stimulate the absorption of heat into the ice mass and hence accelerates its melting and climate change;

Or. en

Amendment 72
Ivan Jakovčić

Motion for a resolution
Recital G a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ga. whereas in the last few decades the rate of warming in the Arctic has been nearly double the average global warming rate;

Or. hr

Amendment 73
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) are full members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; ***whereas the EU is seeking to upgrade its status in the AC;***

Amendment

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) are full members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers;

Or. fr

Amendment 74

Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution

Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) are full members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; ***whereas the EU is seeking to upgrade its status in the AC;***

Amendment

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) are full members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers;

Or. el

Amendment 75

Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution

Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) ***are full*** members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the

Amendment

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) ***and one Overseas Country and Territory (Greenland) are*** members of the eight-

Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; whereas the EU is seeking to upgrade its status in the AC;

member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; whereas the EU is seeking to upgrade its status in the AC;

Or. en

Amendment 76 **Bendt Bendtsen**

Motion for a resolution **Recital H**

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) **are full** members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; whereas the EU is seeking to upgrade its status in the AC;

Amendment

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) **and one Overseas Country and Territory (Greenland) are** members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; whereas the EU is seeking to upgrade its status in the AC;

Or. en

Amendment 77 **Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley**

Motion for a resolution **Recital H**

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) are full members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; whereas the EU **is seeking to upgrade its** status in the AC;

Amendment

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) are full members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; whereas the EU **looks forward to the final implementation of its formal** status **as an observer** in the AC;

Amendment 78

Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi, Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution

Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) are full members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; whereas the EU is seeking to upgrade its status in the AC;

Amendment

H. whereas three EU Member States (Denmark, Finland and Sweden) are full members of the eight-member AC, and seven others (France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain and the United Kingdom) are observers; whereas the EU is seeking to upgrade its status in the AC; ***whereas all G8 players are present, at various levels, within the AC, as well as the emerging Asian powers such as China, India and South Korea;***

Or. fr

Amendment 79

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Recital H a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ha. whereas environmental protection and sustainable development are the two main tenets of the Ottawa declaration that laid the foundation for the Arctic Council in 1996;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 80

Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Recital H a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ha. *whereas there are local self-government arrangements in place in the Arctic with extensive political and law-making competences, which are recognized and respected;*

Or. en

Amendment 81
Davor Škrlec, Bodil Valero
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital H a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ha. *whereas China, Japan, India and other countries show a growing interest in the Arctic region confirming the increasing global geopolitical interest in the Arctic;*

Or. en

Amendment 82
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are **members of** indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous **people**, require **more**

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous **peoples** require **any development and**

stringent safeguards, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

activity including extraction of natural resources in the region to be decided by the local population;

Or. en

Amendment 83
Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are *members of indigenous peoples*; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous people, *require more stringent safeguards*, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Amendment

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are Indigenous; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of Indigenous people, *must be protected*, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place.

Or. en

Amendment 84
Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are members of indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous *people*, *require more stringent safeguards*, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Amendment

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are members of indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous *peoples*, *require any development*, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place, *to be decided by the local population*;

Amendment 85

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are members of indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous people, require **more stringent safeguards**, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Amendment

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are members of indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous people, require **their closer involvement together with other local inhabitants**, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Or. en

Amendment 86

Urmas Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution

Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are **members of** indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous **people**, require more stringent safeguards, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Amendment

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous **peoples**, require more stringent safeguards, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Or. en

Amendment 87
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are *members of* indigenous *peoples*; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous people, require more stringent safeguards, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Amendment

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are Indigenous; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous people, require more stringent safeguards, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Or. en

Amendment 88
Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Recital I

Motion for a resolution

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are members of indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous people, require more stringent safeguards, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place;

Amendment

I. whereas some four million people live in the Arctic region, of which some ten percent are members of indigenous peoples; whereas the vulnerable Arctic environment, as well as the fundamental rights of indigenous people, require more stringent safeguards, especially when it comes to projects where intrusive extraction of natural resources takes place; *whereas the increase in pollutants and heavy metals in the Arctic has negative repercussions in the food chain through their presence in fauna and flora, particularly fish, and constitutes an important health issue for local populations and for consumers of fishery products;*

Or. fr

Amendment 89
Urmás Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the *ecosystem* in the Arctic, including its flora and fauna, *is* particularly vulnerable to abruptions, with a relatively long recovery period; whereas the negative environmental impacts are often accumulated and irreversible;

Amendment

J. whereas the *ecosystems* in the Arctic, including its flora and fauna, *are* particularly vulnerable to abruptions, with a relatively long recovery period; whereas the negative environmental impacts are often accumulated and irreversible;

Or. en

Amendment 90
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the *ecosystem* in the Arctic, including its flora and fauna, is particularly vulnerable to abruptions, with a relatively long recovery period; whereas the negative environmental impacts are often accumulated and irreversible;

Amendment

J. whereas the *ecosystems* in the Arctic, including its flora and fauna, is particularly vulnerable to abruptions, with a relatively long recovery period; whereas the negative environmental impacts are often accumulated and irreversible;

Or. en

Amendment 91
Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

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Or. en

Amendment 92
Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution
Recital J

Motion for a resolution

J. whereas the ecosystem in the Arctic, including its flora and fauna, is particularly vulnerable to abruptions, with a relatively long recovery period; whereas the negative environmental impacts are often *accumulated* and irreversible;

Amendment

J. whereas the ecosystem in the Arctic, including its flora and fauna, is particularly vulnerable to abruptions, with a relatively long recovery period; whereas the negative environmental impacts are often *accumulative* and irreversible *and produce geographical and ecological external impacts (e.g. damage to oceanic ecosystems)*;

Or. en

Amendment 93
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Recital J a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ja. whereas temperature in the Arctic is increasing about twice the rate as the global average;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 94
Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution
Recital K

Motion for a resolution

K. whereas increased amount of greenhouse gases and air pollution in the atmosphere are contributing to the changing climate of the Arctic; whereas pollution appearing in the Arctic climate is mostly derived from Asian, North American and European emitters, so that *the* emission reduction measures in the EU *play a great* role in tackling the climate change of the Arctic;

Amendment

K. whereas increased amount of greenhouse gases and air pollution in the atmosphere are contributing to the changing climate of the Arctic; whereas pollution appearing in the Arctic climate is mostly derived from Asian, North American and European emitters, so that emission reduction measures in the EU *and all over the world play an extremely important and absolutely necessary* role in tackling the climate change of the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 95
Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi, Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Recital K a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Ka. whereas the EU should play a leading role in discussions and negotiations in international fora, in order to ensure that all parties concerned accept their responsibilities in terms of reducing emissions of greenhouse gases or pollutants, and to face the growing challenges of sustainable resource management;

Amendment

Or. fr

Amendment 96
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Recital K a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ka. *whereas the risks posed by the use of heavy fuel oil (HFO) in the Arctic maritime transport are multiple: in case of spills the highly dense fuel emulsifies, sinks and can be transported extremely long distances if it gets trapped in ice; spilled HFO poses enormous risks for the food security of Arctic indigenous communities whose subsistence depends on fishing and hunting; combustion of HFO produces sulphur oxides, heavy metals, as well as large amounts of black carbon which, when deposited on Arctic ice, stimulates the absorption of heat into the ice mass and hence accelerates its melting and climate change;*

Or. en

Amendment 97
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Recital K a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ka. *whereas the carriage and use of heavy fuel oils is prohibited by the IMO in the waters surrounding the Antarctic;*

Or. en

Amendment 98
Ivan Jakovčić

Motion for a resolution
Recital K a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ka. *whereas the Arctic acts as a global climate regulator; whereas the Arctic influences weather patterns in Europe;*

Or. hr

Amendment 99
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Recital K b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Kb. *whereas the risks derived from the use of nuclear power in ice breakers and coastal facilities should be taken into account and minimised in all activities related to preparedness and response;*

Or. en

Amendment 100
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Recital K c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Kc. *whereas dumping of any sort of waste in the Arctic permafrost is not under any circumstances a sustainable waste management solution, as demonstrated by recent findings in Camp Century in Greenland;*

Or. en

Amendment 101
Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the EU policy in the Arctic region **should** reflect more closely the Sustainable Development Goals that the EU has committed to achieving by 2030;

Amendment

L. whereas the EU policy in the Arctic region **must** reflect more closely the Sustainable Development Goals that the EU has committed to achieving by 2030;

Or. en

Amendment 102
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Recital L

Motion for a resolution

L. whereas the EU **policy** in the Arctic region should reflect more closely the Sustainable Development Goals that the EU has committed to achieving by 2030;

Amendment

L. whereas the **policy of EU Member States** in the Arctic region should reflect more closely the Sustainable Development Goals that the EU has committed to achieving by 2030, **ensuring that it does not hamper Member State policies**;

Or. fr

Amendment 103
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Recital L a (new)

Motion for a resolution

La. whereas the International Maritime Organisation (IMO) is the primary regulator for the shipping industry;

Amendment

Amendment 104
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Recital M

Motion for a resolution

M. whereas science-informed decision-making is key to safeguarding the fragile ecosystems of the Arctic, to reducing risks and to enabling adaptation of local communities; whereas the EU *is* the world's leading funder of Arctic research **and promotes free exchange of its results**;

Amendment

M. whereas science-informed decision-making is key to safeguarding the fragile ecosystems of the Arctic, to reducing risks and to enabling adaptation of local communities; whereas the **Member States of the EU are** the world's leading funder of Arctic research;

Or. fr

Amendment 105
Davor Škrlec, Bodil Valero
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital M

Motion for a resolution

M. whereas science-informed decision-making is key to safeguarding the fragile ecosystems of the Arctic, to reducing risks **and** to enabling adaptation of local communities; whereas the EU is the world's leading funder of Arctic research and promotes free exchange of its results;

Amendment

M. whereas science-informed decision-making is key to safeguarding the fragile ecosystems of the Arctic, to reducing risks, to enabling adaptation of local communities **and to promoting sustainable development**; whereas the EU is the world's leading funder of Arctic research and promotes free exchange of its results;

Or. en

Amendment 106
Daciana Octavia Sârbu

Motion for a resolution

Recital M

Motion for a resolution

M. whereas science-informed decision-making is key to safeguarding the fragile ecosystems of the Arctic, to reducing risks and to enabling adaptation of local communities; whereas the EU is the world's leading funder of Arctic research and promotes free exchange of its results;

Amendment

M. whereas science-informed decision-making is key to safeguarding the fragile ecosystems of the Arctic, to reducing risks and to enabling adaptation of local communities; whereas ***local knowledge can improve such decision-making;*** ***whereas*** the EU is the world's leading funder of Arctic research and promotes free exchange of its results;

Or. en

Amendment 107

Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution

Recital M

Motion for a resolution

M. whereas science-informed decision-making is key to safeguarding the fragile ecosystems of the Arctic, to reducing risks and to enabling adaptation of local communities; whereas the EU is the world's leading funder of Arctic research and promotes free exchange of its results;

Amendment

M. whereas science-informed decision-making, ***including local and indigenous knowledge,*** is key to safeguarding the fragile ecosystems of the Arctic, to reducing risks and to enabling adaptation of local communities; whereas the EU is the world's leading funder of Arctic research and promotes free exchange of its results;

Or. en

Amendment 108

Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution

Recital M a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ma. *whereas balanced combination of the industrial Arctic expertise and specialisation and commitment to the environmentally friendly and sustainable development goals have the potential for ecological innovation, industrial symbioses and effective waste management in the area, maintaining the pristine Arctic environment with a potential for new and emerging business opportunities and job growth in the European Arctic, hence contributing positively also to the youth employment and the ageing of the population;*

Or. en

Amendment 109

Franck Proust, Françoise Grossetête

Motion for a resolution

Recital M a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ma. *whereas the technical capabilities of existing satellite communications within the EU, along the lines of the services and infrastructure offered by Copernicus and Galileo, could meet the needs of users located in the Arctic region;*

Or. fr

Amendment 110

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital M a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ma. whereas reconciling prospective economic opportunities and interests with socio-cultural, ecological and environmental challenges through sustainable development remains a top priority, reflected also in the national Arctic strategies of the Arctic states;

Or. en

Amendment 111
Daciana Octavia Sârbu

Motion for a resolution
Recital M a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ma. whereas the involvement of local communities is critical to the success of natural resource management and to building resilience in fragile ecosystems;

Or. en

Amendment 112
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Recital M a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Ma. recognising the importance of considering traditional and local knowledge in decision making in the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 113
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1. Welcomes the joint communication as a positive step towards an integrated EU policy on Arctic matters, identifying 39 specific areas of action, and towards developing a more coherent framework for EU action; stresses the need for more coherence between the EU's internal and external policies as regards Arctic matters; reiterates its call for a comprehensive strategy and a concretised action plan on the EU's engagement in the Arctic; *deleted*

Or. fr

Amendment 114
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1. Welcomes the joint communication as a positive step towards an integrated EU policy on Arctic matters, identifying 39 specific areas of action, and towards developing a more coherent framework for EU action; stresses the need for more coherence between the EU's internal and external policies as regards Arctic matters; reiterates its call for a comprehensive strategy and a concretised action plan on the EU's engagement in the Arctic; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 115

Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the joint communication as a positive step towards an integrated EU policy on Arctic matters, identifying 39 specific areas of action, and towards developing a more coherent framework for EU action; ***stresses the need for more coherence between the EU's internal and external policies as regards Arctic matters***; reiterates its call for a comprehensive strategy and a concretised action plan on the EU's engagement in the Arctic;

Amendment

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Or. el

Amendment 116

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

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Or. en

Amendment 117
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

1. Welcomes the joint communication as a positive step towards an integrated EU policy on Arctic matters, identifying 39 specific areas of action, and towards developing a more coherent framework for EU action; stresses the need for more coherence between the EU's internal and external policies as regards Arctic matters; ***calls for the Commission to establish concrete implementation and follow-up measures for its Communication;*** reiterates its call for a comprehensive strategy and a concretised action plan on the EU's engagement in the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 118
Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the joint communication as a positive step towards an integrated EU policy on Arctic matters, identifying 39 specific areas of action, and towards developing a more coherent framework for EU action; stresses the need for more coherence between the EU's internal and external policies as regards Arctic matters; reiterates its call for a comprehensive strategy and a concretised action plan on the EU's engagement in the Arctic;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the joint communication as a positive step towards an integrated EU policy on Arctic matters, identifying 39 specific areas of action, and towards developing a more coherent framework for EU action; stresses the need for more coherence between the EU's internal and external policies as regards Arctic matters; reiterates its call for a comprehensive strategy and a concretised action plan on the EU's engagement in the Arctic, ***wherein preserving the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic should be the starting point;***

Amendment 119

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the joint communication as a positive step towards an integrated EU policy on Arctic matters, identifying 39 specific areas of action, and towards developing a more coherent framework for EU action; stresses the need for more coherence between the EU's internal and external policies as regards Arctic matters; reiterates its call for a comprehensive strategy and a concretised action plan on the EU's engagement in the Arctic;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the joint communication as a positive step towards an integrated EU policy on Arctic matters, identifying 39 specific areas of action, and towards developing a more coherent framework for EU action ***with a focus on the European Arctic***; stresses the need for more coherence between the EU's internal and external policies as regards Arctic matters; reiterates its call for a comprehensive strategy and a concretised action plan on the EU's engagement in the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 120

Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1a. Takes the view that the best way of protecting the Arctic would be a treaty similar to the Antarctic Treaty; points out that the Antarctic Treaty successfully creates a framework for peaceful research and cooperation without getting caught up in territorial disputes and without prejudice to existing sovereign borders;

Or. en

Amendment 121

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1a. Welcomes the communication's three priority areas, namely climate change, sustainable development and international cooperation;

Or. en

Amendment 122

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a ***complementary*** multilateral legal framework for ***settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues***; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; ***underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;***

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a multilateral legal framework for ***the delimitation of the Arctic continental shelf***; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements;

Or. en

Amendment 123
Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in **providing a complementary** multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; **underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;**

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in **the** multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements;

Or. en

Amendment 124
Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

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few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements;

Or. en

Amendment 125
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; ***underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of***

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the ***Member States of the*** EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements;

common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Or. fr

Amendment 126
Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; *advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements*; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Or. el

Amendment 127
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines ***the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral*** legal framework for ***settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues***; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective ***multilateral arrangements and a*** global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, ***frameworks and arrangements***; underlines that the EU should have a ***strong*** role in ***reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes***; notes that ***this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods***;

Amendment

2. Underlines ***that the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) provides the*** legal framework for ***all ocean activities, including in the Arctic, and*** notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting ***an*** effective global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements ***and frameworks***; underlines that the EU should have a ***positive*** role in ***promoting and supporting agreements that strengthen the management of biodiversity and environment in areas beyond national jurisdiction in the Arctic Ocean***;

Or. en

Amendment 128

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for ***settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues***; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and

Amendment

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consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines *that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;*

and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines *the important role of the Arctic Council for maintaining constructive cooperation, low tension, peace and stability in the Arctic region;*

Or. en

Amendment 129
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates *a strong role for the EU in promoting* effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; *underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;*

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates *the promotion of* effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements;

Or. en

Amendment 130
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS *in* providing **a complementary** multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; ***underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;***

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS providing **the** multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements;

Or. en

Amendment 131
Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution
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Motion for a resolution

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only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; ***urges the EU to work closely with Member States to prohibit oil and gas activities in order to support the safety and preservation of the environment in the region and to work toward the setting up of an internationally protected area covering the international waters that will become available for economic exploitation as consequence of melting ice shelves***; notes that this does not concern *traditional livelihoods and needs of indigenous people*;

Or. en

Amendment 132
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS *in* providing ***a complementary*** multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS *is* providing ***the essential*** multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the

EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain *that part of* the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Or. en

Amendment 133 **Sabine Lösing**

Motion for a resolution **Paragraph 2**

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a **strong** role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a **strong** role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a **moderating** role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a **moderating** role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and

traditional livelihoods;

traditional livelihoods;

Or. en

Amendment 134

Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain *the Arctic*, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain *Arctic integrity* - which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Or. en

Amendment 135

Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Amendment

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; ***seeks the promote the use of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea in Hamburg for conflict resolution;*** considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Or. fr

Amendment 136

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic

Amendment

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essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

essential; ***points out that the waters around the North Pole are mostly international waters***; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which is not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Or. en

Amendment 137

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Underlines the importance of UNCLOS in providing a complementary multilateral legal framework for settling intra-Arctic sovereignty issues; notes that only very few unresolved issues of jurisdiction exist in the Arctic; considers respect for international law in the Arctic essential; advocates a strong role for the EU in promoting effective multilateral arrangements and a global rules-based order through the strengthening and consistent implementation of relevant international, regional and bilateral agreements, frameworks and arrangements; underlines that the EU should have a strong role in reaching an agreement to maintain the Arctic, which *is* not under any country's jurisdiction, as an area of common heritage to be used exclusively

Amendment

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for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

exclusively for peaceful and scientific purposes; notes that this does not concern navigation and traditional livelihoods;

Or. en

Amendment 138
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2a. Expresses concern that the European Union, which in several theatres of operations (Ukraine, Libya, Rwanda, etc.) has demonstrated how harmful its actions can be, will want to interfere, to the detriment of the countries concerned in an area as complex as the Arctic;

Or. fr

Amendment 139
Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2a. In this context, calls on the Commission and the Member States to pursue the opening of international negotiations designed to lead to the adoption of an international treaty for the protection of the Arctic, having as its inspiration the Madrid Treaty of 1993 concerning the Antarctic but respecting the fundamental difference represented by the populated nature of the Arctic and the consequent rights and needs of the

peoples and nations of the Arctic region;

Or. en

Amendment 140

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2b. *Takes the view that while there are obvious differences between the Arctic and the Antarctic there are also obvious similarities; stresses that the Antarctic treaty successfully creates a framework for peaceful cooperation and research without getting caught up in territorial disputes; points out that the same aims of peaceful research and cooperation are broad enough and the situation similar enough to be considered very relevant also in the Arctic contest;*

Or. en

Amendment 141

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2c. *Calls for a moratorium for any offshore hydrocarbon or mineral exploration and extraction operations in the Arctic, including the practice of sonar and seismic blasting, due to the vulnerability of its unique environment; highlights that a moratorium on the industrial exploitation of the Arctic*

maritime region would be the most effective means of protecting natural resources, while safeguarding peace and stability of the region as well as preventing further climate change, until a legally binding internationally-negotiated agreement is in force; stresses that any agreement or moratorium must be discussed with the people of the region with regard, in particular, with the indigenous peoples and the local communities;

Or. en

Amendment 142
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3. Welcomes the ratification of the Paris Agreement by the European Union;

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 143
Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3. Welcomes the ratification of the Paris Agreement by the European Union;

3. Welcomes the ratification of the Paris Agreement by the European Union; encourages the Member States to ratify the Paris Agreement in order to proceed with the ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase

to 1.5°C by 2100;

Or. en

Amendment 144
Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Welcomes the ratification of the Paris Agreement by the European Union;

Amendment

3. Welcomes the ratification of the Paris Agreement by the European Union *and calls for its swift and effective implementation by all parties;*

Or. en

Amendment 145
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Welcomes the ratification of the Paris Agreement by the European Union;

Amendment

3. Welcomes the ratification of the Paris Agreement by the European Union *and its entry into force on 4 November 2016;*

Or. en

Amendment 146
Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3a. *Calls on the Member States to ban*

fossil fuel subsidies that lower the cost of fossil fuel energy production, trying thus to discourage the exploitation and the use of fossil fuels; urges the Commission and the Member States to work in the international forums towards a total ban of Arctic oil and gas extraction in the long run to achieve the goal of low carbon economy;

Or. en

Amendment 147

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3a. *Supports the development of a network of Arctic conservation areas and the protection of the international sea area around the North Pole outside the economic zones of the coastal states;*

Or. en

Amendment 148

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4. Calls on the ***Commission and the*** Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; ***asks the***

4. Calls on the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity;

Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Or. fr

Amendment 149
Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the *Paris Agreement, the Minamata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity*; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Or. en

Amendment 150
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Calls on the *Commission and the* Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris

Amendment

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Agreement, the Minamata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks *the Commission* to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

the Minamata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Or. en

Amendment 151

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minamata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to *further restrict the use* of persistent organic pollutants;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minamata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to *phase out the release* of persistent organic pollutants *and black carbon as suggested in the joint EC/HR Communication*;

Or. en

Amendment 152

Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants; ***expects the EU partner countries to do likewise;***

Or. en

Amendment 153

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity ***and the international Polar Code;*** asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Or. en

Amendment 154

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention **and** the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention, the Convention on Biological Diversity **and the International Polar Code**; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Or. en

Amendment 155

Urmas Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing international process by the

Amendment

4. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to take a stronger role in the effective implementation of international conventions such as the Paris Agreement, the Minimata Convention, the Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution, the Gothenburg Protocol, the Stockholm Convention, **the Polar Code** and the Convention on Biological Diversity; asks the Commission to pay special attention to the ongoing

Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

international process by the Persistent Organic Pollutants Review Committee to further restrict the use of persistent organic pollutants;

Or. en

Amendment 156
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 157
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National

deleted

Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;

Or. en

Amendment 158

Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, *and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;*

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package;

Or. en

Amendment 159

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on **ambitious** reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by **negotiating ambitious** greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to **1.5°C** by 2100;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on **adequate** reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by **implementing** greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to **2°C** by 2100;

Or. en

Amendment 160

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100; **reminds that the EU's Arctic policy is fundamental to implement the global agreement reached at the COP21, which sets out a global action plan to limit global warming to well below 2 °C, and to accelerate the transition to a climate resilient and neutral global economy; furthermore,**

notes that adaptation strategies are needed to protect the arctic environment and conserve arctic natural resources, supporting actions that promote sustainable and resilient ecosystems over the long term;

Or. en

Amendment 161

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100; *notes that the EU should continue to support work at international level to prohibit the release of persistent organic pollutants into the environment and for the phase out use of black carbon;*

Or. en

Amendment 162

Angel Dzhambazki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious ***but realistic*** reduction targets ***that take the specific situation in each individual country into account*** in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;

Or. bg

Amendment 163

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;

Amendment

5. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to step up their efforts within the EU legislative framework by agreeing on ambitious reduction targets in the negotiations on the National Emission Ceilings Directive, by reducing local pollution levels through the Clean Air Package ***in order to reduce long-range pollution and particularly soot***, and by negotiating ambitious greenhouse gas emission reduction targets and measures on both the emission trading and effort-sharing sectors, bearing in mind the target of limiting the temperature increase to 1.5°C by 2100;

Or. en

Amendment 164
Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Encourages the Commission and the Member States to affirm their role in the efficient implementation of the Convention on Biological Diversity and related international agreements; considers important that the strategic plan, agreed upon in Article 10 of the Nagoya Protocol, regarding identifying and prioritizing harmful alien species which threaten ecosystems and their expansion routes, the most harmful invasive species are being controlled or wiped out, and measures are targeted on their expansion routes to eliminate the transfer and invasion of harmful alien species, including also Arctic areas;

Or. en

Amendment 165
Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Calls on the EU to promote strict precautionary regulatory standards in the field of environmental protection and safety for oil exploration, prospection and production internationally; calls for a ban on oil drilling in the icy Arctic waters of the EU and the EEA and for promotion by the EU of comparable precautionary standards in the Arctic Council and for Arctic coastal states;

Amendment 166

Cora van Nieuwenhuizen, Jan Huitema, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Points to the important role that space technologies can play in climate change monitoring, since half of the 'essential climate variables' can only be measured from space; calls on all relevant actors to make effective use of the Copernicus earth observation programme in climate change monitoring of the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 167

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Stresses the importance for the EU to encourage a rapid ratification of the Minamata Convention with a view to preventing and reducing emissions of mercury;

Or. en

Amendment 168

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. *Welcomes the Commission's intention to channel ESIF funds in mainstreaming climate action in the Arctic, taking into account the local circumstances and special nature of the Arctic regions;*

Or. en

Amendment 169
Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5b. *Encourages the Commission and the Member States to work on the implementation of the IMO Guidelines for Ships Operating in Polar Waters to be part of the normal Arctic activities; stresses the importance of developing a single EER (Escape, evacuation and rescue) system of offshore personnel that can be uniformly applied for all Arctic platform and vessel conditions;*

Or. en

Amendment 170
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5b. *Stresses that the increasing use of*

the natural resources in the Arctic shall be conducted in a way which respects and benefits the local populations and takes full environmental responsibility for the fragile Arctic environment; believes that this strategic choice is integral for ensuring legitimacy and local support for the EU's Arctic engagement;

Or. en

Amendment 171
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. *Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:*

deleted

– All potential environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including cumulative effects of current and future projects,

– The precautionary principle and the polluter pays principle must be applied at all stages of project planning, assessment, implementation and reclamation,

– Reclamation and recovery of habitat and affected lands must be thoroughly planned and fully funded in advance,

– A proven demonstration of the industry's ability to retrieve spilled oil in frozen, broken and refreezing ice

conditions,

– An international liability and compensation regime for contamination of lands, waters and marine areas resulting from offshore oil exploration and exploitation must be established;

Or. en

Amendment 172
Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. *Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:*

deleted

- All potential environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including cumulative effects of current and future projects,

- The precautionary principle and the polluter pays principle must be applied at all stages of project planning, assessment, implementation and reclamation,

- Reclamation and recovery of habitat and affected lands must be thoroughly planned and fully funded in advance,

- A proven demonstration of the industry's ability to retrieve spilled oil in frozen, broken and refreezing ice conditions,

- An international liability and compensation regime for contamination of lands, waters and marine areas resulting from offshore oil exploration and exploitation must be established;

Or. en

Amendment 173

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to ***support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:***

Amendment

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to ***strengthen the ongoing work in the Arctic Council regarding Environmental Impact Assessments (EIA) securing a sustainable development of the Arctic with regards to economic, ecological and social factors; calls for establishing and promoting a best-practice document for EIAs in the Arctic on strategic and project-level; notes that EIAs should take account of the particular vulnerabilities of Arctic ecosystems and communities:***

Or. en

Amendment 174

Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the ***development of an Arctic Environmental Impact***

Amendment

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the ***strengthening of the ongoing Arctic***

Assessment (EIA) *to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:*

Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) *practices in the Arctic Council; emphasises the vital importance of those EIAs for ensuring a sustainable reconciliation between economic activities and the protection of the Arctic's vulnerable socio-ecological system; encourages to develop a benchmarking system in relation to 'Best-practice':*

Or. en

Amendment 175
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of *an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:*

Amendment

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support *that* the development of *economic activities in* the Arctic *takes place in a safe and responsible manner, with due concern for the environment, safety and contingency resources:*

Or. en

Amendment 176
Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the Commission and *the* Member States *affiliated to the* work of the Arctic Council *to support the development*

Amendment

6. Calls on the Commission and *EU* Member States to *support the existing* work of the Arctic Council *and the Arctic*

*of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable **ecosystem** of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:*

*States in developing an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable **ecosystems** of the Arctic bearing in mind the following non-exhaustive criteria from ICC:*

Or. en

Amendment 177

Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA *should eventually be made mandatory and* take account of *at least the following* aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:

Amendment

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA *could* take account of *certain* aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic, *such as*:

Or. fr

Amendment 178

Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States *affiliated to the* work of the Arctic Council *to support* the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact

Amendment

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States *to support the existing* work of the Arctic Council *and the Arctic States in* the development of an Arctic

Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable *ecosystem* of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should *eventually be made mandatory and* take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:

Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable *ecosystems* of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should take account of at least the following aspects *from the ICC* when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:

Or. en

Amendment 179
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the *Commission and the* Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:

Amendment

6. Calls on the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:

Or. fr

Amendment 180
Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes

Amendment

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA), *for application within the EU single market*, to preserve the

that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place *in the* Arctic:

vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place *within the EU's Arctic states and their respective exclusive economic zones (EEZs)*:

Or. en

Amendment 181
Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:

Amendment

6. Calls on the Commission and the Member States affiliated to the work of the Arctic Council to support the development of an Arctic Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) to preserve the vulnerable ecosystem of the Arctic; notes that this special EIA should eventually be made mandatory *for all disruptive, large-scale activities excluding traditional livelihoods of indigenous and local people*, and take account of at least the following aspects when evaluating projects taking place in the Arctic:

Or. en

Amendment 182
Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- *All potential environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including*

Amendment

deleted

cumulative effects of current and future projects,

Or. en

Amendment 183
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *All potential environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including cumulative effects of current and future projects,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 184
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *All potential environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including cumulative effects of current and future projects,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 185
Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- **All potential** environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including cumulative effects of current and future projects,

Amendment

- **Potential** environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including cumulative effects of current and future projects,

Or. fr

Amendment 186

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- All potential environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including cumulative effects of current and future projects,

Amendment

- All potential environmental, socio-economic and cultural impacts both during and after the project, including cumulative effects of current and future projects **and including sonar testing and seismic blasting,**

Or. en

Amendment 187

Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- **The precautionary principle and the polluter pays principle must be applied at all stages of project planning, assessment, implementation and reclamation,**

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 188
Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *The precautionary principle and the polluter pays principle must be applied at all stages of project planning, assessment, implementation and reclamation,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 189
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *The precautionary principle and the polluter pays principle must be applied at all stages of project planning, assessment, implementation and reclamation,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 190
Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- The *precautionary principle and the polluter pays principle must be applied at all* stages of project planning, assessment, implementation and reclamation,
- The *application of* the polluter pays principle at *the* stages of project planning, assessment, implementation and reclamation,

Amendment 191
Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Reclamation and recovery of habitat and affected lands must be thoroughly planned and fully funded in advance,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 192
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Reclamation and recovery of habitat and affected lands must be thoroughly planned and fully funded in advance,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 193
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Reclamation and recovery of habitat and affected lands must be thoroughly planned and fully funded in* *deleted*

advance,

Or. en

Amendment 194

Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – indent 3

Motion for a resolution

– *Reclamation and recovery of habitat and affected lands **must be thoroughly planned and fully funded in advance,***

Amendment

– *Planning the reclamation of habitat and affected lands,*

Or. fr

Amendment 195

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

– *A proven demonstration of the industry's ability to retrieve spilled oil in frozen, broken and refreezing ice conditions,*

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 196

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

– *A proven demonstration of the*

Amendment

deleted

industry's ability to retrieve spilled oil in frozen, broken and refreezing ice conditions,

Or. en

Amendment 197
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *A proven demonstration of the industry's ability to retrieve spilled oil in frozen, broken and refreezing ice conditions,* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 198
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *An international liability and compensation regime for contamination of lands, waters and marine areas resulting from offshore oil exploration and exploitation must be established;* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 199
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6 – indent 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *An international liability and compensation regime for contamination of lands, waters and marine areas resulting from offshore oil exploration and exploitation must be established;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 200

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – indent 5

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

– *An international liability and compensation regime for contamination of lands, waters and marine areas resulting from offshore oil exploration and exploitation must be established;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 201

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Stresses the importance to find mechanisms to incorporate Corporate Social Responsibility – CSR – for companies doing business in the Arctic Region through cooperation with representatives of the business sector, such as the Arctic Economic Council; explore the potential of voluntary mechanisms to encourage high industry standards in social and environmental

performance, such as highlighting 'best performances' in an Arctic Corporate Responsibility Index based on for instance the Arctic Business Investment Protocol and UN Global Compact Initiative;

Or. en

Amendment 202

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Stresses the importance to find mechanisms to incorporate Corporate Social Responsibility – CSR – for companies doing business in the Arctic Region through cooperation with representatives of the business sector, such as the Arctic Economic Council; recommends to explore the potential of voluntary mechanisms to encourage high industry standards in social and environmental performance, such as highlighting 'best performances' in an Arctic Corporate Responsibility Index based on the Arctic Business Investment Protocol and UN Global Compact Initiative;

Or. en

Amendment 203

Sirpa Pietikäinen, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6a. Stresses the importance to find mechanisms to incorporate Corporate

Social Responsibility – CSR – for companies doing business in the Arctic Region through cooperation with representatives of the business sector, such as the Arctic Economic Council;

Or. en

Amendment 204

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 205

James Carver

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 206

Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 207

Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 208

Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite *deleted*

for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region;

Or. en

Amendment 209
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7. *Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 210
Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Arnaud Danjean

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to *set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU* deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region;

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to *support the factoring in of the EIA before* goods deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region *are marketed in the EU*;

Or. fr

Amendment 211
Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed *in the Arctic region*;

Amendment

7. Invites the Commission and the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed *within the EU's Arctic states and their respective EEZs*;

Or. en

Amendment 212
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Invites the *Commission and the* EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region;

Amendment

7. Invites the EU Member States to set the successful application of Arctic EIA as a prerequisite for goods marketed in the EU deriving from the projects executed in the Arctic region;

Or. fr

Amendment 213
Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Insists that before any new commercial fisheries are opened in the Arctic region reliable and precautionary scientific stock assessments must be conducted in order to determine the levels

of fishing that will conserve the targeted fish stocks and not lead to depletion of other species or to serious damage to the marine environment; stresses that any fishing on the high seas must be regulated by a regional fisheries management organisation that respects scientific advice and has a robust control and surveillance programme to ensure compliance with management measures; points out that fishing within Exclusive Economic Zones must meet the same standards; calls for a moratorium on industrial-scale fishing, including bottom trawling, in the previously un-fished waters of the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 214
Paavo Väyrynen, Hannu Takkula

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to include in the integrated EU policy all international cooperation dealing with the Northern and Arctic regions: the Council of the Baltic Sea Region, Barents Euro-Arctic Council and the Northern Dimension; stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue;

Or. en

Amendment 215
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Urmaz Paet

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Underlines the importance of accessibility of the Arctic region to the TEN-T network as well as the potential of EU funding, such as CEF and EFSI, in financing infrastructure projects in European Arctic; notes EIB's prominent role in this regard;

Or. en

Amendment 216

Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to support all efforts made in the IMO for reaching a global agreement on reducing the emissions from shipping;

Or. en

Amendment 217

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7b. Recognises the importance of continuous and sufficient funding for the Northern Sparsely Populated Areas in tackling permanent handicaps such as sparse population, harsh climate conditions and long distances;

Or. en

Amendment 218
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8. Encourages close cooperation between EU Institutions and relevant EU Member States on Arctic issues; invites those Member States that are full members of the AC to keep the other Member States and the HR informed of any matter of common interest in the AC in accordance with Article 34(2) of the Treaty on the European Union; *deleted*

Or. fr

Amendment 219
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8. Encourages close cooperation between EU Institutions and relevant EU Member States on Arctic issues; invites those Member States that are full members of the AC to keep the other Member States and the HR informed of any matter of common interest in the AC in accordance with Article 34(2) of the Treaty on the European Union; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 220
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Encourages close cooperation between EU Institutions and relevant EU Member States on Arctic issues; invites those Member States that are **full** members of the AC to keep the other Member States and the HR informed of any matter of common interest in the AC in accordance with Article 34(2) of the Treaty on the European Union;

Amendment

8. Encourages close cooperation between EU Institutions and relevant EU Member States on Arctic issues; invites those Member States that are members of the AC to keep the other Member States and the HR informed of any matter of common interest in the AC in accordance with Article 34(2) of the Treaty on the European Union;

Or. en

Amendment 221

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Encourages close cooperation between EU Institutions and relevant EU Member States on Arctic issues; invites those Member States that are full members of the AC to keep the other Member States and the HR informed of any matter of common interest in the AC in accordance with Article 34(2) of the Treaty on the European Union;

Amendment

8. Encourages close cooperation between EU Institutions and relevant EU Member States on Arctic issues; invites those Member States that are full members of the AC to keep the other Member States and the HR informed of any matter of common interest in the AC in accordance with Article 34(2) of the Treaty on the European Union; ***highlights the importance of this strategy to respond effectively to challenges arising from significant increases in Arctic activity due to the fast melting of sea ice and the emergence of new available resources in the Arctic environment;***

Or. en

Amendment 222

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Encourages close cooperation between EU Institutions and relevant EU Member States on Arctic issues; invites those Member States that are full members of the AC to keep the other Member States and the HR informed of any matter of common interest in the AC in accordance with Article 34(2) of the Treaty on the European Union;

Amendment

8. Encourages close cooperation between EU Institutions and relevant EU Member States on Arctic issues; invites those Member States that are full members of the AC to keep the other Member States and the HR informed of any matter of common interest in the AC in accordance with Article 34(2) of the Treaty on the European Union; ***underlines the key role the EU has to play in pursuing the Arctic policy and cooperating with the AC;***

Or. en

Amendment 223
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8a. Invites the Commission to investigate how EU funding mechanisms can contribute to vital infrastructure investments in the Arctic region and to explore the potential for a broader international financial cooperation on the development of new infrastructure including railroads, ports and satellites which are essential for safe operations, communication, environmental monitoring, and observing climate change in the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 224
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls for improved coordination between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 225
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls for improved coordination between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 226
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls *for improved coordination*

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls *to intensify the cooperation*

between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, ***the Northern Dimension with its Partnerships*** and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

Or. en

Amendment 227
Urmas Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls for improved ***coordination*** between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

Amendment

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue ***and*** calls for improved ***cooperation*** between the EU, the AC, ***the Northern Dimension***, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

Or. en

Amendment 228
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls for improved ***coordination*** between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

Amendment

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls for improved ***cooperation*** between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

Or. en

Amendment 229
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls for improved coordination between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

Amendment

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls for improved coordination between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North; ***underlines the important role of observer states in the AC with great experience and long-time engagement in scientific and political cooperation in the Arctic; in this regard welcomes the "Warsaw Format" of ongoing dialogue between the observer states and the AC Presidency;***

Or. en

Amendment 230
Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; calls for improved coordination between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

Amendment

9. Stresses the need for the EU to engage with all Arctic partners in policy dialogue; ***suggests in this connection that the Arctic question be included in ongoing discussions conducted by the EU with its partners that are also AC members;*** calls for improved coordination between the EU, the AC, the Barents Euro-Arctic Council and other bodies involved in cooperation in the High North;

Or. fr

Amendment 231
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the upgrading of the EU's status would reinforce the political and institutional role of the AC in tackling Arctic matters;

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 232
James Carver

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the upgrading of the EU's status would reinforce the political and institutional role of the AC in tackling Arctic matters;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 233
Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the *upgrading of the EU's*

10. is convinced that the institutional role of the AC *should be upgraded* in tackling Arctic matters;

status would reinforce the political and institutional role of the AC in tackling Arctic matters;

Or. el

Amendment 234
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the *upgrading of the EU's status would reinforce the political and institutional role of the AC in tackling Arctic matters;*

Amendment

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the *there is no necessity for upgrading the EU's status to a full member in the AC; is convinced that the EU can promote the protection of the Arctic ecosystem in its role as an observer;*

Or. en

Amendment 235
Urmas Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. *Reconfirms its support for* observer status *of* the EU in the AC; is convinced that the upgrading of the EU's status would reinforce the political and institutional role of the AC in *tackling* Arctic matters;

Amendment

10. *Strongly supports the granting of* observer status *to* the EU in the AC; is convinced that the upgrading of the EU's status would reinforce the political and institutional role of the AC in *dealing with* Arctic matters;

Or. en

Amendment 236
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick

Federley

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the **upgrading** of the EU's status would reinforce the political and institutional role of the AC in tackling Arctic matters;

Amendment

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the **full implementation** of the EU's **formal observer** status would reinforce the political and institutional role of the AC in tackling Arctic matters;

Or. en

Amendment 237

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the upgrading of the EU's status would **reinforce** the political and institutional role of the AC in tackling Arctic matters;

Amendment

10. Reconfirms its support for observer status of the EU in the AC; is convinced that the upgrading of the EU's status would **contribute positively to** the political and institutional role of the AC in tackling Arctic matters;

Or. en

Amendment 238

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Suggests further enhancing coordination between the Commission and the EEAS on Arctic issues, as well as considering creating a unit for Northern

Amendment

deleted

policies at the EEAS and strengthening EEAS-Commission inter-service cooperation to ensure a coherent, coordinated and integrated policy approach across the relevant key policy areas;

Or. fr

Amendment 239

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. ***Suggests further enhancing*** coordination between the Commission and the EEAS on Arctic issues, ***as well as considering creating*** a unit for Northern policies at the EEAS and ***strengthening*** EEAS-Commission inter-service cooperation to ensure a coherent, coordinated and integrated policy approach across the relevant key policy areas;

Amendment

11. ***Welcomes the enhanced*** coordination between the Commission and the EEAS on Arctic issues; ***suggests to create*** a unit for Northern policies at the EEAS and ***to strengthen*** EEAS-Commission inter-service cooperation to ensure a coherent, coordinated and integrated policy approach across the relevant key policy areas;

Or. en

Amendment 240

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Suggests further enhancing coordination between the Commission and the EEAS on Arctic issues, as well as considering creating a unit for Northern policies at the EEAS and strengthening EEAS-Commission inter-service cooperation to ensure a coherent, coordinated and integrated policy approach

Amendment

11. Suggests further enhancing coordination between the Commission and the EEAS on Arctic issues, as well as considering creating a unit for Northern policies at the EEAS and strengthening EEAS-Commission inter-service cooperation to ensure a coherent, coordinated and integrated policy approach

across the relevant key policy areas;

across the relevant key policy areas;
reminds the need for a solid framework in the Arctic since large parts of the high seas areas beyond national jurisdiction and are currently not covered by specific arrangements for managing economic activities;

Or. en

Amendment 241

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11a. Stresses the need to protect the Arctic high seas in view of climatic changes and the increasing human activity in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 242

James Carver

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12. Notes the EU's capacity to contribute in multiple ways to the resolution of potential security challenges and the prevention of conflicts; calls on the EU to contribute, in partnership with its Member States, to building civilian security mechanisms, as well as to enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

deleted

Amendment 243
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Notes the *EU's* capacity *to contribute in multiple ways to the resolution of potential security challenges and the prevention of conflicts*; calls on the EU to *contribute, in partnership with* its Member States, *to* building civilian security mechanisms, as well as *to* enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

Amendment

12. Notes the capacity of the EU to *support* its Member States *in* building civilian security mechanisms, as well as *in* enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

Or. fr

Amendment 244
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Notes the EU's capacity to contribute *in multiple ways* to the resolution of potential security challenges *and the prevention of conflicts*; calls on the EU to contribute, in partnership with its Member States, to building civilian security mechanisms, as well as to enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

Amendment

12. Notes the EU's capacity to contribute to the resolution of potential security challenges; calls on the EU to contribute, in partnership with its Member States, to building civilian security mechanisms, as well as to enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

Or. en

Amendment 245

Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Notes the EU's capacity to contribute in multiple ways to the **resolution of potential security challenges and the** prevention of conflicts; calls on the EU to contribute, in partnership with its Member States, to building civilian security mechanisms, as well as to enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

Amendment

12. Notes the EU's capacity to contribute in multiple ways to the prevention of conflicts; calls on the EU to contribute, in partnership with its Member States, to building civilian security mechanisms, as well as to enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

Or. el

Amendment 246

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Notes the EU's capacity to contribute in multiple ways to the resolution of potential security challenges and the prevention of conflicts; calls on the EU to contribute, in partnership with its Member States, to building civilian security mechanisms, as well as to enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

Amendment

12. Notes the EU's capacity to contribute in multiple ways to the resolution of potential security challenges and the prevention of conflicts; calls on the EU to contribute, in partnership with its Member States **and in cooperation with the Arctic countries**, to building civilian security mechanisms, as well as to enhancing both natural and man-made crisis and disaster management capacities, and search and rescue infrastructure;

Or. en

Amendment 247

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12a. *Draws attention to the fact that energy security is closely related to climate change; considers that energy security must be improved by reducing the EU's dependence on fossil fuels; highlights the fact that the transformation of the Arctic represents one major effect of climate change on EU security; stresses the need to address this risk multiplier through a reinforced EU strategy for the Arctic, and through an enhanced policy of EU-generated renewable energies and energy efficiency that significantly reduces the Union's reliance on external sources and thereby improves its security position;*

Or. en

Amendment 248
Davor Škrlec, Bodil Valero

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12a. *Calls for the development of oiled wildlife response plans, in accordance with defined good practice, in all Arctic States, including an effective assessment of vulnerable species at risk as well as feasible prevention and response strategies to ensure their protection;*

Or. en

Amendment 249

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12a. Highlights the ongoing constructive and pragmatic cross-border cooperation within the Northern Dimension and its Partnerships and the Barents Cooperation;

Or. en

Amendment 250

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13. Notes the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 251

Georgios Epitideios

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13. Notes the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

deleted

Amendment 252

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13. Notes the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 253

Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13. Notes the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 254

Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13. Notes the increase in the *deleted*

stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

Or. en

Amendment 255
Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Notes the *increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;*

Amendment

13. Notes *that the Arctic should not be turned into yet another zone of military rivalry and that the development of this region need not be a zero-sum game;*

Or. el

Amendment 256
Sabine Lösing

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Notes *the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;*

Amendment

13. Notes *with concern the increasing militarisation of the Arctic region by Russia and the NATO States USA, Canada, Denmark and Norway, and does not consider that neither the Arctic Challenge Exercise 2015 nor the increase in the number of Canada's Arctic Rangers or the planned Russian troop deployment contribute to a constructive understanding and cooperation in the region;*

Or. en

Amendment 257

Paavo Väyrynen, Hannu Takkula

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Notes the increase *in the stationing of Russian military forces* in the *region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia*;

Amendment

13. Notes the increase *of military activities* in the *Arctic by Russia, NATO and the United States*; *stresses the need to keep the Arctic outside any increase in military tensions*;

Or. en

Amendment 258

Kati Piri

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. *Notes* the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

Amendment

13. *Is concerned about* the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

Or. en

Amendment 259

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. *Notes* the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the

Amendment

13. *Is concerned with* the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of

creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

Or. en

Amendment 260

Christofer Fjellner, Gunnar Hökmark, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Lars Adaktusson, Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Notes the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

Amendment

13. Notes *with concern* the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

Or. en

Amendment 261

Monica Macovei

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Notes the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

Amendment

13. Notes *with concern* the increase in the stationing of Russian military forces in the region, the building and reopening of bases and the creation of an Arctic military district of Russia;

Or. en

Amendment 262

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13a. *Expresses concerns over the increasing militarisation in the region; reminds that Arctic states have on several occasions demonstrated commitment to prevent and resolve possible conflicts of interests in accordance to the principles of international law and through diplomatic means;*

Or. en

Amendment 263

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13a. *Expresses its deep concern at the increasing deployment of military capabilities in the Arctic that could potentially destabilise the region; urges the circumpolar states not to build up military outposts or scientific outposts that are protected by military forces;*

Or. en

Amendment 264

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation ***and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective***

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation;

engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. fr

Amendment 265

James Carver

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation *and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;*

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation;

Or. en

Amendment 266

Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of *engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions*

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of *continued engagement of all Arctic states in the regional cooperation, bearing in mind the low-tension cooperation in the region;*

to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 267

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses *the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats*; urges that this issue *be* included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Amendment

14. Stresses *that the Arctic region is an integral part of environmental, economic and political spheres of international relations and therefore should always be analysed in the context of global geopolitical challenges; underlines the importance of further asserting EU strategic interests towards actors like Russia and China with regard to the Arctic*; urges that this issue is included in *the European Global Strategy and* the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 268

Christofer Fjellner, Gunnar Hökmark, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Lars Adaktusson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the *importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and the* need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia *by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats*; urges that *this*

Amendment

14. Stresses the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia *and* urges that *these issues are* included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 269

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of ***engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation*** and the need to further ***assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and*** to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; ***urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;***

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of ***ongoing cooperative engagement of all Arctic states in the region*** and the need ***for the EU*** to further ***its own*** interests ***through enhancing and intensifying its engagement through dialogue and cooperation with the Arctic States in order*** to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats;

Or. en

Amendment 270

Monica Macovei

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and ***the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and*** to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; ***urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;***

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats ***as no trade agreement has been signed between the EU and Russia;*** ***urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;***

Amendment 271

Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and ***the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek*** progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and of ***seeking*** progress on issues of common ***EU and Russian*** concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. el

Amendment 272

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia ***by the use of selective engagement*** and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 273
Françoise Grossetête

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of **engaging** Russia **in** Arctic cooperation and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of **dialogue with** Russia **as part of** Arctic cooperation, **so as to ensure that the region remains at peace**, and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. fr

Amendment 274
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of **engaging** Russia in Arctic cooperation and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of **continued engagement of** Russia in Arctic cooperation and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 275
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Amendment

14. Stresses the importance of engaging Russia in Arctic cooperation, ***particularly EU-Russia cross-border cooperation***, and the need to further assert EU strategic interests towards Russia by the use of selective engagement and to seek progress on issues of common concern where there is ground for global solutions to common challenges and threats; urges that this issue be included in the EU strategy on the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 276
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14a. Is of the opinion that the Northern Dimension policy serves as a successful model of stability, joint ownership and engagement in the Arctic cooperation; underlines the importance of ND's sectorial partnerships, especially in environment and in infrastructure and logistics;

Or. en

Amendment 277
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15. *Notes that Arctic migration routes have formed which enter the European Union; emphasises that migration routes and increased transport should be considered when drafting an EU Arctic strategy;*

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 278

James Carver

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15. *Notes that Arctic migration routes have formed which enter the European Union; emphasises that migration routes and increased transport should be considered when drafting an EU Arctic strategy;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 279

Michel Dantin, Philippe Juvin, Angélique Delahaye, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15. Notes that Arctic migration routes have formed which enter the European Union; emphasises *that migration routes and increased transport should be considered when drafting an EU Arctic strategy;*

15. Notes that Arctic migration routes have formed which enter the European Union; emphasises, *when an EU Arctic strategy is drafted, the need to consider migration routes and the importance of a low-emission mobility policy for the EU regions concerned, involving the development of cross-border transport*

links, such as the TEN-T trans-European transport network, and the promotion of a modal shift to low-emission means of transport, such as rail or electric vehicles;

Or. fr

Amendment 280
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Notes that Arctic migration routes have formed **which** enter the European Union; emphasises that migration routes and increased transport should be considered when drafting an EU Arctic strategy;

Amendment

15. Notes that Arctic migration routes have formed **to** enter the European Union; emphasises that migration routes and increased transport should be considered when drafting an EU Arctic strategy;

Or. en

Amendment 281
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

15a. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to focus on transport corridors such as roads, railroads, airports and maritime shipping to maintain and promote cross-border links in the Arctic and to bring goods from the Arctic to the European markets;

Or. en

Amendment 282
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15a. *Reiterates its call on the EU and its Member States to actively uphold the principles of freedom of navigation and innocent passage;*

Or. en

Amendment 283
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16. Welcomes *plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; agrees not to create new funding mechanisms but to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;*

16. Welcomes *the active participation of the EU to the IMO and Arctic Council discussions concerning funding opportunities in the area;*

Or. en

Amendment 284
Urmas Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; agrees *not to create new funding mechanisms*

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; agrees to enhance synergies between existing

but to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Or. en

Amendment 285

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; **agrees not to create new funding mechanisms but to enhance** synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Amendment

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum **with the aim of enhancing** synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes; **notes that Finland has invited the first forum to be convened in Finland in 2017;**

Or. en

Amendment 286

Christel Schaldemose

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; **agrees not to create new funding mechanisms but to enhance** synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Amendment

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum **and emphasises the need** to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Amendment 287

Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; **agrees not to create new funding mechanisms but** to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Amendment

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum **and** to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Or. en

Amendment 288

Liisa Jaakonsaari, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; **agrees not to create** new funding mechanisms but to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Amendment

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; **foresees at this stage no** new funding mechanisms but **agrees** to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Or. en

Amendment 289

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; agrees not to create new funding mechanisms but to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes;

Amendment

16. Welcomes plans to create a European Arctic stakeholder forum; agrees not to create new funding mechanisms but to enhance synergies between existing financing instruments in order to prevent possible duplications and to maximise interaction between internal and external EU programmes, ***providing backing in the process for the actions taken by the Member States concerned;***

Or. fr

Amendment 290
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16a. Invites the Commission to investigate how EU funding mechanisms can contribute to vital infrastructure investments in the Arctic region; suggests that the Commission explores the potential for a broader international financial cooperation on the development of new infrastructure and connectivity including ICT systems, railroads, roads, airports, ports and satellites that are essential for safe operations, communication, environmental monitoring, and observing climate change in the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 291
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16a. Emphasises the importance of including traditional and local knowledge in decision making in the Arctic;

Or. en

Amendment 292
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous *people* in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, *culture and language*;

17. Reaffirms the EU's support for the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples; recalls in particular article 19 thereof affirming that States shall consult and cooperate in good faith with the indigenous peoples concerned through their own representative institutions in order to obtain their free, prior and informed consent before adopting and implementing legislative and administrative measures that may affect them; calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous *peoples* in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard *and promote* their rights, *cultures and languages*;

Or. en

Amendment 293
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous **people** in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, **culture and language**;

Amendment

17. **Reaffirms the EU's support for the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and recalls in particular article 19 thereof affirming that States shall consult and cooperate in good faith with the indigenous peoples concerned through their own representative institutions in order to obtain their free, prior and informed consent before adopting and implementing legislative and administrative measures that may affect them**; calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous **peoples** in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, **cultures and languages**;

Or. en

Amendment 294
Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous **people** in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, **culture and language**;

Amendment

17. **Reaffirms the EU's support for the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples; recalls in particular article 19 thereof affirming that States shall consult and cooperate in good faith with the indigenous peoples concerned through their own representative institutions in order to obtain their free, prior and informed consent before adopting and implementing legislative and administrative measures that may affect them**; calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous **peoples** in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy;

stresses the need to safeguard their rights,
cultures and languages;

Or. en

Amendment 295
Urmas Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous *people* in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, *culture and language*;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous *peoples* in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, *cultures and languages*;

Or. en

Amendment 296
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous *people* in the making of *a citizen-centred* Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous *peoples* in the making of *the* Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Or. en

Amendment 297
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous **people** in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of **Arctic residents, particularly indigenous peoples, and regional organizations** in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy **and into the work of the Arctic Council**; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Or. en

Amendment 298
Cătălin Sorin Ivan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the **need** to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the **necessity** to safeguard their **human rights, as embodied in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights**, culture and language;

Or. en

Amendment 299
Ivan Jakovčić

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights,

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights,

culture *and* language;

culture, language, *and customs*;

Or. hr

Amendment 300
Monica Macovei

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language; ***takes into account the result of regulation on trade in seal products, placing under specific conditions on the market of seal products which result from hunts conducted by Inuit and other indigenous communities***;

Or. en

Amendment 301
Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language; ***stresses the need to develop renewable energy resources in the Arctic region in a sustainable manner, that also respects the fragile environment and with full involvement of indigenous peoples***;

Or. en

Amendment 302

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language; ***stresses the need to adopt special measures to safeguard the culture and language and the land rights of indigenous peoples in the way defined in ILO Convention n.169;***

Or. en

Amendment 303

Notis Marias

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture, ***living environment*** and language;

Or. el

Amendment 304

Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Amendment

17. Calls for better and earlier involvement of indigenous people **organisations** in the making of a citizen-centred Arctic policy; stresses the need to safeguard their rights, culture and language;

Or. en

Amendment 305
Daciana Octavia Sârbu

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment 306
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Christel Schaldemose, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Pays special attention to the SDG 4.5, which includes ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for indigenous **people**;

Amendment

17a. Stresses that the inclusion of local communities in decision-making will facilitate the sustainable management of natural resources in the Arctic;

18. Pays special attention to the SDG 4.5, which includes ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for indigenous **peoples, also in their own languages**;

Or. en

Or. en

Amendment 307
Urmas Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Pays special attention to the SDG 4.5, which includes ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for indigenous *people*;

Amendment

18. Pays special attention to the SDG 4.5, which includes ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for indigenous *peoples*;

Or. en

Amendment 308
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Pays special attention to the SDG 4.5, which includes ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for indigenous *people*;

Amendment

18. Pays special attention to the SDG 4.5, which includes ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for indigenous *peoples*;

Or. en

Amendment 309
Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Pays special attention to the SDG 4.5, which includes ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for indigenous *people*;

Amendment

18. Pays special attention to the SDG 4.5, which includes ensuring equal access to all levels of education and vocational training for indigenous *peoples*;

Or. en

Amendment 310
Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18a. Highlights the role of good accessibility of the Arctic region to the TEN-T network, its planned core network corridor extension of the North Sea - Baltic and Scandinavian - Mediterranean corridors as well as second level access routes as the key transport structure to enable sustainable economic growth;

Or. en

Amendment 311
Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18a. Underlines the importance of enhancing regular exchanges of information and consultations on Arctic-related topics with regional, local and indigenous stakeholders in the Arctic, in order to facilitate mutual understanding;

Or. en

Amendment 312
Merja Kyllönen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18b. Stresses, that accessible, interconnected, safe and sustainable tourism in the rural and scarcely populated areas in the European Arctic has an increasing potential for business activities, which in turn contributes to the number of jobs in the small and medium sized businesses and the overall positive development in the regions; highlights therefore that tourism in the area should be promoted with respect to its related social and environmental impacts infrastructure and research, education and training;

Or. en

Amendment 313

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18b. Stresses the importance for the EU to work with international partners to promote a high level of biodiversity protection with a view to halting the loss of biodiversity and to strengthen ecosystem resilience.

Or. en

Amendment 314

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18c. Calls for a stronger UE involvement to protect Arctic wildlife; notes that climate change is the biggest threat facing the Arctic and its wildlife and that polar bears, foxes, narwhals, walrus, and other ice-dependent species are endangered from the accelerating loss of Arctic sea ice;

Or. en

Amendment 315
Urmas Paet, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19. Highlights the role of **local communities and indigenous people** in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

19. Highlights the role of indigenous **peoples and local communities** in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area; **highlights the role of good accessibility of the Arctic region to the TEN-T network, its planned core network corridor extension of the North Sea - Baltic and Scandinavian - Mediterranean corridors as well as second level access routes as the key transport structure to enable sustainable economic growth;**

Or. en

Amendment 316
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Highlights the role of **local communities and** indigenous **people** in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the **area**;

Amendment

19. Highlights the role of indigenous **peoples and local communities** in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the **region**;

Or. en

Amendment 317
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous **people** in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the **area**;

Amendment

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous **peoples** in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the **region**; **reminds the Commission of its obligations in Regulation 2015/1775/EU in terms of reporting and informing the public and the competent authorities of the provisions in the Regulation**;

Or. en

Amendment 318
Cătălin Sorin Ivan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous people in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to **target** these communities **in providing** access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

Amendment

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous people in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to **focus on providing** these communities **with** access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

Or. en

Amendment 319
Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous **people** in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

Amendment

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous **peoples** in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

Or. en

Amendment 320
Liisa Jaakonsaari, Nils Torvalds

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous people in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

Amendment

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous people in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; ***stresses the need to incorporate indigenous and local know-how as well as to ensure a closer involvement of the indigenous and local communities in the decision-making processes; underlines the importance of this closer engagement and the need of the necessary support and funding; suggests in this context an Arctic representation of indigenous people in Brussels to make their participation more visible***; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

Or. en

Amendment 321
Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous people in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU

Amendment

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous people in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU

single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area; *is of the view that the EU should support the deployment of innovative technologies in the Arctic, developing Arctic renewables sources;*

Or. en

Amendment 322

Françoise Grossetête

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous people in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks in creating economic activity in the area;

Amendment

19. Highlights the role of local communities and indigenous people in keeping the Arctic region viable and sustainable; calls on the Commission to target these communities in providing access to all relevant information on EU single market requirements, best practices and funding instruments; underlines the role of fluent transport, communication and electricity networks, *and that of space-based geopositioning and telecommunications technologies*, in creating economic activity in the area;

Or. fr

Amendment 323

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19a. Stresses that maintaining

developed and sustainable communities in the Arctic with a high quality of life is of the utmost importance, and that the EU can play a vital role in the matter; calls on the Commission and the Member States, in this respect, to intensify their work in the areas of eco-system-based management, multilateral cooperation, knowledge-based decision-making in close cooperation with local inhabitants and indigenous peoples;

Or. en

Amendment 324

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19a. Stresses that Arctic waters are vulnerable to the offshore drilling of fossil fuels whose use will contribute and accelerate the climate change threatening the region; is of the view that the EU must cooperate with international partners to end to offshore drilling in the Arctic waters;

Or. en

Amendment 325

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19a. Stresses that science is, indisputably, the underlying basis for policy-making in the Arctic;

Amendment 326

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19b. Urges the EEAS and the Commission to step up the dialogue with the six associations of circumpolar indigenous peoples that are recognised as permanent participants in the Arctic Council; asks the Commission to explore the possibility of ensuring that their voices are taken into account in EU debates, providing funds for these associations;

Or. en

Amendment 327

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19c. Reiterates the right of the people of the Arctic to determine their own livelihoods and recognises their wish for sustainable development of the region; asks the Commission to better define EU programmes that could be used to support such long-term balanced sustainable development, and prepare measures with a view to making a more concrete contribution to fulfilling this desire;

Or. en

Amendment 328

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19d. Welcomes the work of the UN Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights and fundamental freedoms of the indigenous people and that of the UN Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples;

Or. en

Amendment 329

Bodil Valero, Davor Škrlec, Alyn Smith

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19e. Highlights that observer status in the Arctic Council is open to a variety of organisations other than nation states; calls upon the Commission to encourage regions which are particularly impacted upon by Arctic affairs, for example Northern Norway and Scotland, to play a full role in the development of the future of Arctic Policy;

Or. en

Amendment 330

Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Welcomes the Commission's commitment to at least maintaining the level of funding for Arctic research in Horizon2020;

Amendment

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 331
Ivan Jakovčić

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Welcomes the Commission's commitment to at least maintaining the level of funding for Arctic research in Horizon 2020;

Amendment

20. Welcomes the Commission's commitment to at least maintaining the level of funding for Arctic research in Horizon 2020; *welcomes the fact that about EUR 40 million has already been earmarked for 2016 and 2017 for observation-based projects, weather and climate change in the Northern hemisphere, and permafrost decrease;*

Or. hr

Amendment 332
Anneli Jäätteenmäki, José Inácio Faria, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Welcomes the Commission's commitment to at least maintaining the level of funding for Arctic research in Horizon2020;

Amendment

20. Welcomes the Commission's commitment to at least maintaining the level of funding for Arctic research in Horizon2020, *and particularly its intention to support the deployment of*

innovative technologies; calls on the Commission to increase the EU funding for Arctic research in the post-2020 Multi-Annual Financial Framework (MFF);

Or. en

Amendment 333
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Welcomes the Commission's commitment to at least maintaining the level of funding for Arctic research in Horizon2020;

Amendment

20. Welcomes the Commission's commitment to at least maintaining the level of funding for Arctic research in Horizon2020 *and calls on the Commission to increase its cooperation with and support for the countries which are actively pursuing multidisciplinary scientific research in the Arctic region;*

Or. en

Amendment 334
Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

20a. Notes that Arctic marine ecosystems are crucial for the preservation of a global biodiversity; notes that the reduction of Arctic sea ice and other environmental changes in the Arctic, combined with the limited scientific knowledge about marine resources in this area, necessitate a precautionary approach to establish the appropriate international measures to

ensure the long-term conservation and sustainable use of resources in the Arctic high seas;

Or. en

Amendment 335
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports *cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;*

Amendment

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports *the Member States concerned;*

Or. fr

Amendment 336
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation

Amendment

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures, *including space related*

between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;

activities which are essential for safe operations, environmental monitoring, and observing climate change in the Arctic; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;

Or. en

Amendment 337

Cora van Nieuwenhuizen, Jan Huitema, Johannes Cornelis van Baalen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;

Amendment

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; ***calls on all stakeholders to make full use of the potential of the Copernicus earth observation programme in this respect***; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;

Or. en

Amendment 338

Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;

Amendment

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative; ***underlines the importance of successful cooperation with Canada and the US through the Transatlantic Ocean Research Alliance;***

Or. en

Amendment 339

Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Jasenko Selimovic, Fredrick Federley, Urmas Paet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;

Amendment

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative; ***notes that the Commission has invited for an international Arctic science conference to be held in Europe in 2018;***

Or. en

Amendment 340

Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;

Amendment

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative ***in respect of traditional and local knowledge;***

Or. en

Amendment 341

Bendt Bendtsen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative;

Amendment

21. Given that better knowledge of the Arctic is key to adequately meeting all challenges, encourages the promotion and facilitation of international scientific and research cooperation among all stakeholders active in the field of Arctic research and in establishing research infrastructures; supports cooperation between leading Arctic research institutions to develop an integrated European polar research programme under the EU-PolarNet initiative ***in respect of local and traditional knowledge;***

Amendment 342
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22. *Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre, with sufficient funds, in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information and knowledge;*

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 343
Georgios Epitideios

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre, *with sufficient funds*, in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information and knowledge;

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information and knowledge;

Or. el

Amendment 344
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic

Information Centre, with sufficient funds, in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information *and knowledge*;

Information Centre, with sufficient funds, ***geographical relevance***, in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information, ***knowledge to locals, and to generate tourism***;

Or. en

Amendment 345
Paavo Väyrynen, Hannu Takkula

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre, with sufficient funds, in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information and knowledge;

Amendment

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre, with sufficient funds, in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information and knowledge; ***points out that this kind of an EU Arctic Information Centre could be linked with already existing Arctic Centre or with some other Arctic institution as this kind of a solution would crucially lower the costs***;

Or. en

Amendment 346
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre, with sufficient funds, in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information and knowledge;

Amendment

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre ***based on a network of leading scientific centres***, with sufficient funds, in order to ensure efficient access to Arctic information and knowledge;

Amendment 347
Cătălin Sorin Ivan

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre, with sufficient funds, in order to ensure efficient access to **Arctic** information and knowledge;

Amendment

22. Reiterates its call on the Commission to establish the EU Arctic Information Centre, with sufficient funds, in order to ensure efficient access to **comprehensive** information and knowledge **regarding the Arctic**;

Or. en

Amendment 348
Ivan Jakovčić

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22a. Calls on the Commission to give the necessary encouragement so that international conventions can be drawn up and signed with a view to preventing unregulated fishing in the central Arctic Ocean;

Or. hr

Amendment 349
Ivan Jakovčić

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22b. *Calls on the Commission to spell out the EU's increasingly vital strategic interests in the Arctic;*

Or. hr

Amendment 350
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24. *Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;*

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 351
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24. *Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;*

24. *Welcomes the Commission's support for the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;*

Or. en

Amendment 352

Julie Girling

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Amendment

24. ***Without detriment to current negotiations on an internationally binding legal instrument on the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity in areas beyond national jurisdiction (BBNJ agreement) under the UN Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS),*** welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the ***EEZs of the EU Arctic states***; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Or. en

Amendment 353

Marco Affronte, Fabio Massimo Castaldo, Piernicola Pedicini, Eleonora Evi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Amendment

24. Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals; ***highlights that marine protected areas are critically important to preserving Arctic ecosystems; reminds of the necessity to fully involve local communities in the***

planning, realization and management of these protected areas;

Or. en

Amendment 354
Anna Elżbieta Fotyga

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Amendment

24. Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic ***but reminds that this is a shared competence with the Council and requires more coordination between the institutions;*** reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Or. en

Amendment 355
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Amendment

24. Welcomes the Commission's determination to promote the establishment of marine protected areas in the Arctic; reminds the Commission and the Member States of the at least 10 % protection target of coastal and marine areas as part of the Sustainable Development Goals; ***notes, however, that any new proposal on these issues should be coherent with the outcome of the discussion by the Arctic States in the Arctic Council;***

Amendment 356
Franck Proust, Françoise Grossetête

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24a. Encourages the Commission, having regard to the changes in the Arctic region acknowledged in its Space Strategy for Europe (COM(2016)705), to look into the scope for making greater use of its current and prospective satellite programmes there, including Galileo and Copernicus, and to take account of user needs under the GOVSATCOM initiative;

Or. fr

Amendment 357
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24a. Calls on the Commission to study and make proposals on the strengthening of the Arctic telecommunications infrastructure, including satellites, in order to help scientific research and climate monitoring, and to create local development, navigation and safety at sea;

Or. en

Amendment 358
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its position from 2014, and calls on the ***Commission and the Member States*** to actively facilitate the ban on the use of heavy fuel oil (HFO) and carriage as ship fuel in vessels navigating the Arctic seas through MARPOL of IMO and/or through port state control; ***invites the Commission to include the environmental and climate risks of the use of HFO in its study on the risks that the increase in navigation of the Northern Sea Route would bring;***

Amendment

25. Reiterates its position from 2014, and calls on the Member States to actively facilitate the ban on the use of heavy fuel oil (HFO) and carriage as ship fuel in vessels navigating the Arctic seas through MARPOL of IMO and/or through port state control;

Or. fr

Amendment 359
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its position from 2014, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to actively facilitate the ban on the use of heavy fuel oil (HFO) and carriage as ship fuel in vessels navigating the Arctic seas through ***MARPOL of IMO and/or through port state control;*** invites the Commission to include the environmental and climate risks of the use of HFO in its study on the risks that the increase in navigation of the Northern Sea Route would bring;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its position from 2014, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to actively facilitate the ban on the use of heavy fuel oil (HFO) and carriage as ship fuel in vessels navigating the Arctic seas through ***the MARPOL Convention and the IMO Polar Code;*** invites the Commission to include the environmental and climate risks of the use of HFO in its study on the risks that the increase in navigation of the Northern Sea Route would bring;

Or. en

Amendment 360
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its position from 2014, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to actively *facilitate* the ban on the use of heavy fuel oil (HFO) and carriage as ship fuel in vessels navigating the Arctic seas through MARPOL of IMO and/or through port state control; invites the Commission to include the environmental and climate risks of the use of HFO in its study on the risks that the increase in navigation of the Northern Sea Route would bring;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its position from 2014, and calls on the Commission and the Member States to *take all necessary measures to* actively *expedite* the ban on the use of heavy fuel oil (HFO) and carriage as ship fuel in vessels navigating the Arctic seas through MARPOL of IMO and/or through port state control *as regulated in the waters surrounding Antarctica*; invites the Commission to include the environmental and climate risks of the use of HFO in its study on the risks that the increase in navigation of the Northern Sea Route would bring;

Or. en

Amendment 361
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

25a. Highlights that the route is available to shipping for only a few ice-free weeks during the summer season and that apart from climate factors, shipowners encounter challenges in polar shipping such as polar darkness, poor charts, lack of infrastructure and navigation control systems and low search-and-rescue capability; welcomes the points in the integrated European Union policy that will concretely improve polar shipping conditions and help overcome shipowners' challenges;

Or. en

Amendment 362
Christel Schaldemose, Liisa Jaakonsaari

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25a. Calls on the Commission, in the absence of adequate international measures, to put forward proposals on rules for vessels calling at EU ports subsequent to, or prior to, journeys through Arctic waters, with a view to prohibiting the use and carriage of heavy fuel oil;

Or. en

Amendment 363
Manolis Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25a. Calls for the rapid ratification and accession by Member States to the Protocol of 2010 to the International Convention on Liability and Compensation for Damage in Connection with the Carriage of Noxious and Hazardous Substances by Sea (HNS Convention);

Or. en

Amendment 364
Michael Gahler

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25a. *Looks forward to the entry into force of the IMO Polar Code in 2017 and 2018, which will make Arctic navigation safer;*

Or. en

Amendment 365
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Considers parliamentary engagement and close interparliamentary cooperation on Arctic matters, in particular with national parliaments of relevant EU Member States, *essential in the implementation of Arctic policies*;

Amendment

26. Considers parliamentary engagement and close interparliamentary cooperation on Arctic matters, in particular with national parliaments of relevant EU Member States, *to be essential*;

Or. fr

Amendment 366
Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Considers parliamentary engagement and close interparliamentary cooperation on Arctic matters, in particular with national parliaments of relevant EU Member States, *essential in the implementation of Arctic policies*;

Amendment

26. Considers parliamentary engagement and close interparliamentary cooperation on Arctic matters, in particular with national parliaments of relevant EU Member States *and with the parliaments of EU partner countries that are also AC members*, essential in the implementation of Arctic policies;

Or. fr

Amendment 367
Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Invites the **HR and the Commission** to closely monitor climate, environmental, maritime, socio-economic and security developments in the Arctic and to **report back** regularly to Parliament and the Council, including on the implementation of the EU's Arctic policy;

Amendment

27. Invites the **Member States concerned** to closely monitor climate, environmental, maritime, socio-economic and security developments in the Arctic and to **communicate** regularly with Parliament;

Or. fr

Amendment 368
Fernando Ruas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Invites the HR and the Commission to closely monitor climate, environmental, maritime, socio-economic and security developments in the Arctic and to report back regularly to Parliament and the Council, including on the implementation of the EU's Arctic policy;

Amendment

27. Invites the HR and the Commission to closely monitor climate, environmental **protection**, maritime, socio-economic and security developments in the Arctic and to report back regularly to Parliament and the Council, including on the implementation of the EU's Arctic policy;

Or. en

Amendment 369
Jørn Dohrmann

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28a. Calls on the Commission to inform the EU citizens in an efficient way about the sustainability of the Inuit seal hunting and trade with seals' skin, with a view to raise awareness on the rules under which seal products from Inuit communities can be placed on the market;

Or. en