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# **AMENDMENTS**

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**Draft opinion**  
**Sabine Verheyen**  
(PE602.746v01-00)

Report on the implementation of Directive 2011/93/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 December 2011 on combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography (2015/2129(INI))



**Amendment 1**  
**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Draft opinion*

1. Recalls that the fight against the sexual abuse of children needs a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary approach; insists, for that reason, that measures such as awareness raising, training and education are just as essential in the fight against these crimes as assistance to victims, investigation of crimes and prosecution of offenders;

*Amendment*

1. Recalls that the fight against the sexual abuse of children needs a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary approach, ***mobilising a wide range of civil society actors including families, victim support agencies and churches and giving them access to simplified reporting procedures so that those who are in the closest contact with children can spot the warning signs and, if need be, alert the relevant authorities***; insists, for that reason, that measures such as awareness raising, training and education are just as essential in the fight against these crimes as assistance to victims, investigation of crimes and prosecution of offenders;

Or. fr

**Amendment 2**  
**Luigi Morgano, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Draft opinion*

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*Amendment*

1. Recalls that the fight against the sexual abuse of children ***and child pornography*** needs a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary approach ***in particular for parental education of children***; insists, for that reason, that measures such as awareness raising, training and education, ***in cooperation in particular with parents' and family associations active on the protection of minors, as well as with relevant civil society organizations***, are just as essential in the fight against these crimes as assistance to victims,

investigation of crimes and prosecution of offenders;

Or. en

**Amendment 3**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Draft opinion*

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*Amendment*

1. Recalls that, **in practice**, the fight against the sexual abuse of children needs a **close, comprehensive and thorough**, multi-disciplinary **and cultural** approach; insists, for that reason, that measures such as awareness raising, **multilevel information**, training, **education and schooling in moral values are essential when it comes to preventing, dealing with and fighting** these crimes, **as well as providing victim support and assistance**, investigation of crimes and **the** prosecution **and exemplary punishment** of offenders;

Or. el

**Amendment 4**  
**Emma McClarkin, Sabine Verheyen, Angel Dzhambazki**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 1**

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*Amendment*

1. Recalls that the fight against the sexual abuse of children **should be a priority for Member States and as such**, needs a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary **and zero tolerance** approach; insists, for that reason, that measures such as awareness raising, training and education are just as essential in the fight against these crimes as assistance to victims, investigation of crimes, **removing child**

*sexual abuse materials in Member States territory and prosecution of offenders that seek to commit such crimes;*

Or. en

## **Amendment 5**

**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 1**

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##### *Amendment*

1. Recalls that the fight against the sexual abuse of children needs a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary approach; insists, for that reason, that measures such as awareness raising, ***preventive campaigns***, training and education are just as essential in the fight against these crimes as assistance to victims, ***including the parents and guardians of the victim***, investigation of crimes and prosecution of offenders;

Or. en

## **Amendment 6**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 1**

##### *Draft opinion*

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##### *Amendment*

1. Recalls that the fight against the sexual abuse of children needs a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary approach; insists, for that reason, that measures such as awareness raising, training and education ***for authorities, for parents, teachers, children and minors*** are just as essential in the fight against these crimes as assistance to victims, investigation of crimes and prosecution of offenders;

**Amendment 7**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Lybacka, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 1**

*Draft opinion*

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*Amendment*

1. Recalls that the fight against the sexual abuse of children needs a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary approach ***encompassing prevention***; insists, for that reason, that measures such as awareness raising, training and education are just as essential in the fight against these crimes as assistance to victims ***and their families***, investigation of crimes and prosecution of offenders;

**Amendment 8**

**Theodoros Zagorakis**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 1**

*Draft opinion*

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*Amendment*

1. Recalls that the fight against the sexual abuse of children needs a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary approach; insists, for that reason, that measures such as ***public*** awareness raising, training and education are just as essential in the fight against these crimes as assistance to victims, investigation of crimes and prosecution of offenders;

**Amendment 9**

Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 1 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*1 a. Notes the Commission's reports on the implementation of Directive 2011/93/EU and agrees that despite the recent developments there is still a room for improvement until the Directive reaches its full potential across all Member States; repeats that the child's best interest must be the primary consideration in the implementation of the Directive 2011/93 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 December 2011 on combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography; urges the Commission to assist the Member States in achieving correct and full transposition and implementation of the Directive across the EU so that children can benefit from its full added value;*

Or. en

**Amendment 10**  
**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 1 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*1 a. Calls on the Commission and on the Member States to prioritize the prevention of child sexual abuse and sexual exploitation and to strengthen their cooperation with educational and training institutions, sexual abuse helpdesks, international and non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations and private industries in order to establish effective and innovative prevention policies, including developing teaching*

*and trading materials concerning this matter;*

Or. en

**Amendment 11**  
**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 1 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*1a. Takes the view that the fight against child sexual abuse and exploitation and child pornography should be conducted in cooperation with families, whose task it is to protect and educate the children in their care;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 12**  
**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 1 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*1 b. Notes with concern that the main challenges for Member States in implementing Directive 2011/93 are related to the provisions concerning preventive and intervention measures and assistance, support and protection to child victims; encourages the Commission in its implementation report to provide information on the best practices of actual measures adopted in different Member States and their impact in the fight against sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child abuse images;*

Or. en

**Amendment 13**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 1 c (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***1 c. Reports that sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children offline and online, including child abuse material, continues to be a major concern and a serious crime and violation of fundamental rights of the victims; stresses that these crimes cause short and long term physical, psychological and social harm to children with a continuous risk of re-victimisation and stigmatisation of the victims through the online environment;***

Or. en

**Amendment 14**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 1 d (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***1 d. Urges that a comprehensive policy response against the new forms of child sexual exploitation and abuse on the internet, such as cyber predation, sex extortion, commercial web streaming, revenge pornography, voyeurism, and grooming is urgently needed, including the strengthening of efforts and resources dedicated to victim identification and victim-centre services; recommends the Commission, in this regard, to further assess if the objectives of the Directive 2011/93 have been achieved effectively and if the Directive provides relevant response to the new digital and***

**Amendment 15**

**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 2**

*Draft opinion*

2. Encourages all Member States who still have not fully implemented Article 23 of *the Directive* to adopt preventive measures concerning the *regular* training of officials likely to come into contact with children;

*Amendment*

2. Encourages all Member States who still have not fully implemented Article 23 of *Directive 2011/92/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 December 2011 on combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography* to adopt preventive measures concerning the *systematic* training of officials likely to come into contact with children, *as for instance aimed at enabling them to identify and deal with child victims and potential child victims of sexual abuse or exploitation;*

**Amendment 16**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 2**

*Draft opinion*

2. Encourages *all* Member States who still have not fully implemented Article 23 of the Directive to adopt preventive measures concerning the regular training of officials likely to come into contact with children;

*Amendment*

2. Encourages Member States who still have not fully implemented Article 22, 23, 24 and Article 18, 19 and 20 of the Directive *to do so without delay and in particular* to adopt preventive measures concerning the regular training of officials likely to come into contact with children;

**Amendment 17**  
**Luigi Morgano, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Draft opinion*

2. *Encourages* all Member States who still have not fully implemented Article 23 *of the Directive* to adopt preventive measures concerning the regular training of officials likely to come into contact with children;

*Amendment*

2. *Urges* all Member States who still have not fully implemented *this Directive, in particular Article 22, 23 and 24*, to adopt *as soon as possible* preventive measures concerning the regular training of officials likely to come into contact with children;

Or. en

**Amendment 18**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Draft opinion*

2. Encourages all Member States who still have not fully implemented Article 23 of the Directive to adopt *preventive* measures concerning the regular *training* of officials likely to come into contact with children;

*Amendment*

2. Encourages all Member States who still have not fully implemented Article 23 of the Directive to adopt measures concerning the *assessment, training and regular updating* of officials likely to come into contact with children;

Or. el

**Amendment 19**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Draft opinion*

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*Amendment*

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of the Directive to adopt preventive measures concerning the regular training of officials likely to come into contact with *children*;

of the Directive to adopt preventive measures concerning the regular training of officials likely to come into contact with *minors*;

Or. it

**Amendment 20**  
**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Draft opinion*

2. Encourages all Member States *who still have not fully implemented Article 23 of the Directive* to adopt preventive measures concerning the regular training of officials likely to come into contact with children;

*Amendment*

2. Encourages all Member States to adopt preventive measures concerning the regular training of officials likely to come into contact with children, *and to lead prevention awareness-raising campaigns, targeted in particular at families, which have a key role to play*;

Or. fr

**Amendment 21**  
**Luigi Morgano, Marlene Mizzi**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*2 a. Invites the Member States to implement provisions on assistance, support and protection measures for child victims of sexual offenses (Articles 18, 19 and 20) and, taking into account the best interests of the child, to ensure that child victims of sexual offences be considered as particularly vulnerable victims pursuant to the Victims' Rights Directive by adopting special assistance and protection measures, such as the possibility to testify without being required to give evidence in public hearing and the possibility to be assisted only by people*

*that have been specially trained for this purpose;*

Or. en

**Amendment 22**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 2 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*2 a. Calls on Member States in accordance with Article 23 to provide appropriate training and build competences with the new threats in the online environment and the widespread use of and access to mobile technologies and the internet, in particular among the judiciary and police units to assist them to properly investigate and prosecute perpetrators and to offer assistance to the victims;*

Or. en

**Amendment 23**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 2 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*2 b. Repeats that sufficient funds, human resources and investigative powers and tools including developing high-tech capabilities are needed to prevent illegal content online, to provide better and faster identification of victims and offenders and to respond to the new phenomena and expanding trends online, including new distribution and transaction models for child abuse material;*

**Amendment 24**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***2 b. Calls on the Commission to promote and support the exchange of good practices and experiences in the Member States, stresses that voluntary initiatives on the part of the relevant stakeholders can provide useful support for the fight against such offenses, but cannot replace effective legislative provisions;***

Or. en

**Amendment 25**  
**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Lybacka, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2 c (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***2 c. Agrees that awareness-raising materials, channels and campaigns for both children and adults, especially parents and those in contact with children need to be promoted at grass-root level with a view to help them understand and prevent online risks, provide safe online environment and promote positive online experience for children;***

Or. en

**Amendment 26**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2 d (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**2 d. Encourages the Commission and Member States to promote training and educational initiatives to all relevant stakeholders, including children, parents, teachers, social workers, child protection officers, civil organisations and national authorities; supports age appropriate innovative tools to promote empowerment, media literacy and online safety as compulsory education at schools;**

Or. en

**Amendment 27**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 2 e (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**2 e. Calls on Member States and the Commission to enhance its efforts in promptly identifying victims and ensuring that they receive the necessary assistance, psychological support and protection to recover from the abuse; encourages Member States to provide victims a child friendly justice system to avoid secondary victimisation of a child;**

Or. en

**Amendment 28**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

### Paragraph 3

#### *Draft opinion*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy;

#### *Amendment*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy; ***welcomes various initiatives, such as age appropriate privacy settings on the internet and other online innovative safety tools, aimed at making the internet a place of opportunities for children to communicate, to access information, and to develop their skills in an enhanced online safety environment;***

Or. en

### Amendment 29

**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

#### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 3**

#### *Draft opinion*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy;

#### *Amendment*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy; ***encourages therefore Member States to consider incorporating sexual abuse prevention in their educational curriculum, as for instance teaching children, from very early age, to be aware of online safety, spotting the signs of inappropriate behaviour, and how to report it;***

Or. en

### Amendment 30

**Damian Drăghici**

#### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 3**

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*Draft opinion*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy;

*Amendment*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy; ***prevention should also focus on educational programmes and actions in schools in order to learn children from an early age how to identify and protect themselves from the danger that online material may represent;***

Or. en

**Amendment 31**

**Luigi Morgano, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 3**

*Draft opinion*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy;

*Amendment*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy; ***calls, therefore, on the Member States to adopt provisions to apply stringent technical measures, such as encryption and parental control by default, to ensure maximum protection for minors;***

Or. en

**Amendment 32**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 3**

*Draft opinion*

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aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy;

aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy ***as well as media literacy; calls upon Member States to adopt provisions to apply measures of protection, such as encryption and parental control;***

Or. en

**Amendment 33**  
**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Draft opinion*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy;

*Amendment*

3. Underlines that the prevention measures should cover technology related aspects in particular, with a view to ensuring a safer internet and digital literacy ***among children and those around them, in particular their parents;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 34**  
**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***3 a. Highlights that given the rapidly changing nature of cybercrime and the pace at which technology evolves, there is a need for constantly adaptive approach to research and development of mechanisms and advanced techniques, including software development, which allow the early detection, blocking and removal of illegal content such as child sexual abuse content online; calls therefore on the Member States to strengthen their actions and constantly adapt their child sexual abuse prevention***

*plans and policies to combat online child sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography and calls on the Commission to support their efforts;*

Or. en

**Amendment 35**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*3 a. Calls on Commission and Member States to promote and support public policies, agencies, strategies and tools aimed at raising children's and young people's awareness on over-sexualisation by supporting approaches and structures such as: Safer Internet Centres and helplines, and involving children and minors as well as parents in the conception of tools and messages;*

Or. en

**Amendment 36**

**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*3a. Takes the view that to prevent children from being exposed to pornography, which harms their moral integrity, parents and teachers should be made aware of, and taught how to install, parental control software on electronic devices children have access to;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 37**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**3 a. Calls on the Commission to continue to monitor closely the transposition measures adopted by the Member States and to initiate a timely infringement procedure if such measures do not comply with the Directive;**

Or. en

**Amendment 38**  
**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 3 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**3 b. Emphasizes the role of parents in the prevention of sexual exploitation of children and minors, by setting guidelines, monitoring children's and minors internet and social media use and informing their children and minors on the dangers of child pornography;**

Or. en

**Amendment 39**  
**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 3 c (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**3 c. Notes that the use of new technologies and the Internet is**

*increasing and changing very rapidly and that children as well as minors are often exposed to new technologies;*

Or. en

**Amendment 40**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 3 d (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*3 d. Encourages the European Commission and Member States to facilitate access to public funds for NGOs to carry out prevention and educational activities regarding the sexual exploitation of children and minors online and child pornography, and to give to this matter greater public attention;*

Or. en

**Amendment 41**

**Luigi Morgano, Marlene Mizzi**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 4**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

4. Recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children is a constantly evolving phenomenon which parallels developments in technology; underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks provide a high degree of anonymity and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

4. Recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children, *among others through online phishing* is a constantly evolving phenomenon which parallels developments in technology *and that, according to the International Association of Internet Hotlines (INHOPE), the average age of victims of child sexual abuse material is steadily decreasing;* underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks provide a high degree of anonymity and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

**Amendment 42**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 4**

*Draft opinion*

4. Recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children is a constantly evolving phenomenon which parallels developments in technology; underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks ***provide a high degree of anonymity*** and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

*Amendment*

4. Recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children is a constantly evolving phenomenon which parallels developments in technology ***and a lowering of ethical standards***; underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks ***have to date been providing a great deal of scope for concealment and falsification of personal information and data*** and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material, ***mainly between offenders***;

Or. el

**Amendment 43**  
**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 4**

*Draft opinion*

4. ***Recalls*** that the online sexual exploitation of children is a constantly evolving phenomenon which parallels developments in technology; underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks provide a high degree of anonymity and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

*Amendment*

4. ***Reminds that sexual exploitation of children and minors starts before the spread of the network, therefore*** recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children ***and minors*** is a constantly evolving ***frightening*** phenomenon which parallels developments in technology; underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks provide a high degree of anonymity and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 44**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

#### **Draft opinion**

##### **Paragraph 4**

#### *Draft opinion*

4. Recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children is a constantly evolving phenomenon which parallels developments in technology; underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks provide a high degree of anonymity and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

#### *Amendment*

4. Recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children is a constantly evolving phenomenon ***with long term recurring consequences for its victims*** which parallels developments in technology; underlines that peer-to-peer and ***Deep Web and*** Darknet networks provide a high degree of anonymity ***for offenders*** and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 45**

**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

#### **Draft opinion**

##### **Paragraph 4**

#### *Draft opinion*

4. Recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children is a constantly evolving phenomenon which ***parallels*** developments in technology; underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks provide a high degree of anonymity and are therefore used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

#### *Amendment*

4. Recalls that the online sexual exploitation of children is a constantly evolving phenomenon which ***follows*** developments in technology; underlines that peer-to-peer and Darknet networks provide a high degree of anonymity and are therefore ***also sometimes*** used for exchanging child sexual abuse material;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 46**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

#### **Draft opinion**

##### **Paragraph 4 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**4 a.** *Recommends the European Commission and Member States to investigate the impact of the readily accessible online child pornography on children and minors, as a part of prevention in line with Article 23 of the Directive;*

Or. en

**Amendment 47**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 4 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**4 b.** *Encourage the media and advertising sectors to safeguard the dignity and innocence of children and minors in their productions, through co-regulatory mechanisms, internal codes of conduct and other voluntary action;*

Or. en

**Amendment 48**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 5**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

5. *Recommends* that blacklists of websites containing child pornography **be** prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

5. *Stresses* that blacklists of websites containing child pornography prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers **need to be based on clear and transparent criteria providing adequate level of legal certainty and predictability and complying with the existing legal and judiciary procedures, the European Convention for the**

*Protection of Human rights and Fundamental Freedoms and the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union*; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 49**

**Emma McClarkin, Jana Žitňanská, Angel Dzhambazki**

#### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 5**

##### *Draft opinion*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends *also the sharing of* such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with *Interpol*;

##### *Amendment*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national *and relevant* authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends *that since this is a global issue which goes beyond national borders, it is necessary to share* such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, *Interpol* and with *third countries; recommends that such lists should also be targeted and regularly updated in order to ensure that the blocking of such websites is both proportionate and does not lead to 'over-blocking'*.

Or. en

#### **Amendment 50**

**Sabine Verheyen**

#### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 5**

##### *Draft opinion*

##### *Amendment*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends *also the sharing of* such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with *Interpol*;

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by *the relevant* national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends *that since this is a global issue which goes beyond national borders, it is necessary to share* such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with *Interpol*, Europol, and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with *third countries*;

Or. en

**Amendment 51**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 5**

*Draft opinion*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

*Amendment*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated *through safe and appropriate channels* to Internet service providers *and that providers take appropriate measures to restrict content and access thereto in line with the legislation and relevant guidelines adopted by the Union and the Member States*; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

Or. el

**Amendment 52**  
**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**

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## Paragraph 5

### *Draft opinion*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared **by national** authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

### *Amendment*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared **and regularly updated by relevant** authorities and communicated to Internet service providers **to ensure that the action adopted is necessary and proportionate to avoid for instance over-blocking**; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

Or. en

## Amendment 53

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 5**

### *Draft opinion*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

### *Amendment*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers **in order to remove the harmful or illegal contents**; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

Or. en

## Amendment 54

**Julie Ward**

### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 5**

*Draft opinion*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

*Amendment*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States ***and with child protection organisations*** through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;

Or. en

**Amendment 55**

**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 5**

*Draft opinion*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; ***recommends also the sharing of such blacklists of websites among the Member States through enhanced cooperation with Europol and its European Cybercrime Centre, and with Interpol;***

*Amendment*

5. Recommends that blacklists of websites containing child pornography be prepared by national authorities and communicated to Internet service providers; ***calls, in that connection, for genuine intergovernmental cooperation in this area, using existing information exchange networks or, for example, via Interpol;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 56**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 5 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

***5 a. Asks to the Commission to start the consultations for the revision of the e-commerce directive (2000/31/EC) or to***

*Amendment*

*evaluate an alternative legislative framework in order to set a proper mechanism to monitor Information society services such as video-sharing platforms which currently do not have editorial responsibility, thus better protecting minors from child pornography and online phishing; reminds the European Commission that restrictions on online content are to be grounded in the law, well-defined, proportionate, legitimate, pursuing a clear aim; recalls therefore any mechanism set by the European Commission to monitor such services as video-sharing platforms should be limited to protect minors from pornography and online phishing;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 57**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

#### **Draft opinion Paragraph 6**

##### *Draft opinion*

6. Encourages Member States *to* exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent *sex offenders* from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another *for work or for* volunteering with children or children's institutions;

##### *Amendment*

6. Encourages Member States *in accordance to Article 24(4) to provide assessment for convicted offenders of the danger and risk of recidivism they represent; supports the exchange of such assessment and criminal records* information about child sex offenders *between law enforcement authorities* so as to prevent *them* from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another *in particular if working or* volunteering with children or children's institutions;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 58 Luigi Morgano**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 6**

*Draft opinion*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's institutions;

*Amendment*

6. Encourages Member States to ***regularly*** exchange information ***about convictions and disqualifications taken from national criminal records*** about child sex offenders so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's institutions;

Or. en

**Amendment 59**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Julie Ward, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 6**

*Draft opinion*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's institutions;

*Amendment*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's institutions; ***calls on Member States to step up information sharing on criminal convictions and disqualifications and to improve data collection in national registers of perpetrators;***

Or. en

**Amendment 60**

**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 6**

*Draft opinion*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's institutions;

*Amendment*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about *individual* child sex offenders *and to set up proper border controls* so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's institutions;

Or. fr

**Amendment 61**  
**Jill Evans**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 6**

*Draft opinion*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's institutions;

*Amendment*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders *who have been convicted and who present a clear and concrete risk of recidivism* so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's institutions;

Or. en

**Amendment 62**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 6**

*Draft opinion*

6. *Encourages* Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for volunteering with children or children's

*Amendment*

6. *Urges* Member States to *develop channels for the ongoing* exchange of information about *convicted* child sex offenders so as to prevent sex offenders from moving unnoticed from one Member State to another for work or for

institutions;

volunteering with children or children's institutions;

Or. el

**Amendment 63**  
**Theodoros Zagorakis**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 6**

*Draft opinion*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent ***sex offenders from moving unnoticed*** from one Member State to another for work ***or for volunteering*** with children or children's institutions;

*Amendment*

6. Encourages Member States to exchange information about child sex offenders so as to prevent ***any movement of sex offenders*** from one Member State to another for work, ***volunteering or any other activity*** with children or children's institutions;

Or. el

**Amendment 64**  
**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 6 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***6 a. Stresses that regularly collecting data and distributing factual information about the current levels and methods of sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children as well as providing children, parents and individuals working with children with the appropriate knowledge and tools is essential to reduce and prevent this threat;***

Or. en

**Amendment 65**  
**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 6 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**6 a. Urges the European Commission and Member States to promote initiatives raising awareness of sexual abuse, sexual exploitation of children and minors, especially in connection to the European Day on the Protection of Children against Sexual Exploitation and Sexual Abuse, established by the Council of Europe;**

Or. en

**Amendment 66**  
**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 6 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**6 b. Invites the European Commission to take into account the decisions of the Council of Europe, with special regards to the Recommendation of the Parliamentary Assembly (PACE) 2092 (2016) on Fighting the over-sexualisation of children;**

Or. en

**Amendment 67**  
**Jill Evans**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 7**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to**

**deleted**

*law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;*

Or. en

**Amendment 68**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 7**

*Draft opinion*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

*Amendment*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse **and child pornography** material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence; ***calls on the Commission to consider the revision of the e-commerce directive on the liability limitations of Internet service providers;***

Or. en

**Amendment 69**  
**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 7**

*Draft opinion*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

*Amendment*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence ***on the basis of due legal process and in accordance with the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights and the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child; stresses the important role of ICT and ISPs in ensuring fast and efficient removal of illegal content online***

*at the request of the responsible law enforcement authorities;*

Or. en

**Amendment 70**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 7**

*Draft opinion*

7. Urges the Member States to make it **mandatory** for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

*Amendment*

7. Urges the Member States to make it **a statutory requirement** for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities, **rather than this being done in line with a voluntary code of conduct**, and calls on the ISPs to preserve **the relevant evidence and data**;

Or. el

**Amendment 71**  
**Emma McClarkin, Sabine Verheyen, Jana Žitňanská, Angel Dzhambazki**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 7**

*Draft opinion*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

*Amendment*

7. Urges the Member States, **in collaboration with National Hotlines**, to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

Or. en

**Amendment 72**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Julie Ward, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 7**

*Draft opinion*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

*Amendment*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities, **as well as national hotlines**, and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

Or. en

**Amendment 73  
Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 7**

*Draft opinion*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

*Amendment*

7. Urges the Member States to make it mandatory for Internet service providers (ISP) to report **and remove** child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

Or. en

**Amendment 74  
Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 7**

*Draft opinion*

7. **Urges the** Member States **to** make it mandatory for Internet service providers

*Amendment*

7. **Suggests that** Member States make it mandatory for Internet service providers

(ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

(ISP) to report child sexual abuse material detected in their infrastructure to law enforcement authorities and calls on the ISPs to preserve evidence;

Or. fr

**Amendment 75**  
**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 7 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**7a. Points out that social networks and discussion forums are used to spread child pornography, and calls on web hosts to do more to alert the appropriate authorities to these practices, on the basis of reports from internet users;**

Or. fr

**Amendment 76**  
**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 7 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**7b. Stresses that only judicial authorities can decide to close web pages featuring child pornography and that the fight against all forms of violence on the internet must be balanced against the need to safeguard digital freedoms and the protection of personal data;**

Or. fr

**Amendment 77**  
**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Draft opinion*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; ***takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK;***

*Amendment*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines ***and a website*** to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; ***stresses in this regard that these services must always act with the approval of the judicial authorities, in keeping with the rule of law and with respect for digital freedoms;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 78**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Brando Benifei, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Julie Ward, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Draft opinion*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK;

*Amendment*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK; ***calls on Member States for a better cooperation between helplines and hotlines to ensure protection of children victim of sexual exploitation and abuse;***

Or. en

**Amendment 79**  
**Theodoros Zagorakis**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Draft opinion*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK;

*Amendment*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place ***as soon as possible telephone or computer hotlines with email addresses or tablet or smartphone applications*** to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK;

Or. el

**Amendment 80**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Draft opinion*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK;

*Amendment*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report ***even anonymously*** child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing ***rapidly*** this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures ***and prosecute offenders where possible with the available technology and information***; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK

Or. el

## Amendment 81

Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Lybacka, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov

### Draft opinion

#### Paragraph 8

##### *Draft opinion*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK;

##### *Amendment*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place ***and support safe and child sensitive reporting and counselling mechanisms, such as telephone or internet helplines and*** hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK;

Or. en

## Amendment 82

Luigi Morgano, Silvia Costa

### Draft opinion

#### Paragraph 8

##### *Draft opinion*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and take-down procedures; takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the UK;

##### *Amendment*

8. Urges Member States which have not yet done so to put in place hotlines to which Internet users can report child sexual abuse material they find online and that are capable of assessing this reported content with a view to implementing notice and ***prompt*** take-down procedures, ***and remove content hosted outside their territory;*** takes the view that such hotlines should be allowed to search for child sexual abuse material proactively, as is the case for the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) in the

UK;

Or. en

**Amendment 83**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 8 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**8 a. Urges Member States to ensure that citizens have access to the service operating hotline 116 000 to report missing children and to provide social support services for children and families in cases when a child goes missing, child abduction and where the life of a child is at risk;**

Or. en

**Amendment 84**

**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 9**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

9. **Urges** Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory background checks for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs relating to children and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a risk to children;

9. **Calls on** Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory background checks **on court or police databases** for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs relating to children **or vulnerable adults** and to systematically exchange information on individuals **confirmed as** posing a risk to children **or vulnerable adults**;

Or. el

**Amendment 85**

Emma McClarkin, Sabine Verheyen, Jana Žitňanská, Angel Dzhambazki

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Draft opinion*

9. Urges Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory background checks for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs **relating to children** and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a risk to children;

*Amendment*

9. Urges Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory background checks for persons applying or volunteering for activities, **jobs relating to children** or jobs **that directly relate to tackling child sexual abuse material** and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a risk to children;

Or. en

**Amendment 86**

**Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Lara Comi, Damiano Zoffoli, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Julie Ward, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Draft opinion*

9. Urges Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory background checks for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs relating to children and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a risk to children;

*Amendment*

9. Urges Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory background checks for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs relating to children, **including software and online content developers**, and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a risk to children;

Or. en

**Amendment 87**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

9. Urges Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory **background checks** for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs relating to children and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a risk to children;

9. Urges Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory **Extended Police Clearance Certificate** for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs relating to children and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a risk to children;

Or. en

**Amendment 88**  
**Jill Evans**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Draft opinion*

9. Urges Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory background checks for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs relating to children and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a risk to children;

*Amendment*

9. Urges Member States to introduce in their legislation mandatory background checks for persons applying or volunteering for activities or jobs relating to children and to systematically exchange information on individuals posing a **clear and concrete** risk to children;

Or. en

**Amendment 89**  
**Luigi Morgano**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Draft opinion*

10. **Notes** that about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of the Directive to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography;

*Amendment*

10. **Welcomes the fact** that about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of the Directive to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography; **encourages those Member States who have not yet introduced such**

*measures to do so; invites the Commission, in the context of a possible future revision, to consider making mandatory the optional measures provided by Article 25(2) and encourages the recourse to EU funds, including on research, to identify new high-potential technological solutions in this domain;*

Or. en

## **Amendment 90**

**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 10**

##### *Draft opinion*

10. Notes that about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of *the Directive* to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography;

##### *Amendment*

10. Notes that about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of *Directive 2011/92/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 December 2011 on combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography* - to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography;

Or. en

## **Amendment 91**

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 10**

##### *Draft opinion*

10. Notes that about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt

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##### *Amendment*

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removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of the Directive to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography;

removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of the Directive to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography; ***notes that removal of the illegal and harmful content is a valid way on combating the sexual exploitation of children, minors and child pornography;***

Or. en

**Amendment 92**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Draft opinion*

10. Notes that about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of the Directive to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography;

*Amendment*

10. Notes that about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of the Directive to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography; ***calls for an analytical exchange of information and observations regarding practices being followed by the two groups of Member States and the results obtained by each;***

Or. el

**Amendment 93**  
**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

10. Notes that about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of the Directive to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography;

10. Notes that ***measures taken by Member States to prevent illegal content online have not been effective enough; highlights that*** about half of the Member States have chosen to apply – besides measures aimed at the prompt removal of web pages containing child sexual abuse material in accordance with Article 25 (1) – measures which are optional under Article 25 (2) of the Directive to block access to websites containing or disseminating child pornography;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 94**

**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

#### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 10 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***10 a. Notes with concern the results of the Internet Watch Foundation's (IWF) annual report, released at the beginning of April 2017, according to which internet domains based in Europe now host 60% of the webpages that feature images of child sexual abuse, accounting 19 percentage point increase from 2015, and that there is sharp increase of sexual abuse URLs in some Member States; calls on the Member States to strengthen their cooperation, exchange of information and share good practises in order to reduce the availability of child sexual abuse online;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 95**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

#### **Draft opinion**

#### **Paragraph 10 a (new)**

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*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***10 a. Stresses that when Member States impose measures limiting the fundamental rights on the internet in relation to Article 25 the principles of transparency, necessity and proportionality need to be safeguarded in line with the law of the EU and of Member States and they need to provide the reason for the restriction and possibility of redress;***

Or. en

**Amendment 96  
Damian Drăghici**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 10 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***10 a. Stresses the need to raise awareness about the danger and risks of child exposure on social media;***

Or. en

**Amendment 97  
Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial,  
Krystyna Łybacka, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion  
Paragraph 10 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***10 b. Stresses that children's personal data must be duly protected and children and parents need to be informed of the risks and consequences of using children's personal data online;***

Or. en

**Amendment 98**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 10 c (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*10 c. Agrees that multi-stakeholder engagement and cooperation between private and public sector including civil society, law enforcement agencies, agencies working with children, social service, private industry stakeholders such as technology industry, is crucial to effectively detect and fight illegal material and dissemination of child sexual abuse material online;*

Or. en

**Amendment 99**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Krystyna Łybacka, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 10 d (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

*10 d. Highlights also the need for international cooperation and transitional investigation with EU's strategic partners and law enforcement authorities to fight child sexual abuse and exploitation online;*

Or. en

**Amendment 100**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

**Draft opinion**

## Paragraph 10 e (new)

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

**10 e.** *Repeats that precise statistics and data on the number of crimes committed especial in the area of child sexual abuse is still lacking due to the high percentage of unreported cases, novelty of the offences, and the differences of definitions and methodologies used in various Member States;*

Or. en

## Amendment 101

**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

### Draft opinion

#### Paragraph 11

*Draft opinion*

11. Calls on the Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the **internet industry**, the notice and take-down procedures.

*Amendment*

11. Calls on the Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the **content and service providers**, the notice and take-down procedures **of child sexual abuse and exploitation content, including child pornography; calls on the Commission to facilitate and enhance the exchange of best practices in that field and calls furthermore on the Member States to strengthen their cooperation in order to effectively address this issues;**

Or. en

## Amendment 102

**Martina Michels, Liadh Ní Riada, Nikolaos Chountis, Curzio Maltese**

### Draft opinion

#### Paragraph 11

*Draft opinion*

11. Calls on the Member States to **accelerate**, in cooperation with the internet

*Amendment*

11. Calls on the Member States to **work**, in cooperation with the internet

industry, the notice and take-down procedures.

industry, *on* the notice and take-down procedures; *with the aim of providing adequate safeguards, in particular to ensure that the interference is limited to what is necessary and proportionate, and include the possibility of judicial redress;*

Or. en

### **Amendment 103**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov**

#### **Draft opinion Paragraph 11**

##### *Draft opinion*

11. Calls on the Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures.

##### *Amendment*

11. Calls on the Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures *on the basis of due legal process and in accordance with the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights and the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child.*

Or. en

### **Amendment 104**

**Luigi Morgano, Silvia Costa**

#### **Draft opinion Paragraph 11**

##### *Draft opinion*

11. Calls on the Member States to *accelerate*, in cooperation with the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures.

##### *Amendment*

11. Calls on the Member States to *enhance*, in cooperation with *computer science schools and* the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures; *calls on the Commission to facilitate an intense exchange of best practices in this regard.*

Or. en

**Amendment 105**  
**Dominique Bilde, Gilles Lebreton**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 11**

*Draft opinion*

11. ***Calls on the*** Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures.

*Amendment*

11. ***Encourages*** Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures.

Or. fr

**Amendment 106**  
**Jill Evans**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 11**

*Draft opinion*

11. Calls on the Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures.

*Amendment*

11. Calls on the Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures ***in order to further clarify the liability rules laid down in Directive 2000/31/EC.***

Or. en

**Amendment 107**  
**Eleftherios Synadinos**

**Draft opinion**  
**Paragraph 11**

*Draft opinion*

11. Calls on the Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the internet industry, the notice and take-down procedures.

*Amendment*

11. Calls on the Member States to accelerate, in cooperation with the internet industry, ***in particular data providers,*** the notice and take-down procedures ***and the prosecution of offenders.***

Or. el

**Amendment 108**

**Marlene Mizzi, Sylvie Guillaume, Damian Drăghici, Eider Gardiazabal Rubial, Luigi Morgano, Julie Ward, Momchil Nekov, Silvia Costa**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 11 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***11 a. Highlights that there is an increasing threat to children affected by the refugee crisis exposing them to increased risk of sexual exploitation and sexual abuse, in particular for unaccompanied minor children, as many are reported missing after their arrival; urges the Commission and Member States to address this phenomenon and to adopt effective measures to improve the situation and reinforce children's protection;***

Or. en

**Amendment 109**

**Luigi Morgano, Marlene Mizzi**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 11 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***11 a. Calls on the European Commission and the Member States to fully participate into initiatives and information campaigns for the European Day on the Protection of Children against Sexual Exploitation and Sexual Abuse, established by the Council of Europe, to raise awareness among citizens on the importance of combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography;***

Or. en

**Amendment 110**

**Ilhan Kyuchyuk, María Teresa Giménez Barbat, Robert Rochefort**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 11 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***11 a. Encourages Member States, which have not yet done so, to establish assistance services, including online services, to provide support, information and training on how to recognise the signs of sexual abuse and sexual exploitation and how to respond when they see troubling behaviour that is not yet abusive;***

Or. en

**Amendment 111**

**Julie Ward**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 11 a (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***11 a. Calls on the Member States to ensure that illegal content is not only taken down quickly, but stays down;***

Or. en

**Amendment 112**

**Luigi Morgano, Marlene Mizzi**

**Draft opinion**

**Paragraph 11 b (new)**

*Draft opinion*

*Amendment*

***11 b. Supports a rights-based approach to the protection of children taking into account the international legal order; recalls, in this context, that the 2011 EU Agenda for the Rights of the Child***

*considers "the Treaties, the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union and the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) as a common basis for all EU action which is relevant to children".*

Or. en