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Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment: Transforming the Lives of Girls
and Women through EU External Relations 2016-2020
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Amendment 1
Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution
Citation 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Convention on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings (CETS No. 197) and the Convention on the Protection of Children against Sexual exploitation and Sexual Abuse (CETS No. 201)*

Or. en

Amendment 2
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Citation 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Council of Europe Convention of 11 May 2011 on preventing and combating violence against women and domestic violence (Istanbul Convention),*

Or. en

Amendment 3
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Citation 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the preamble to the 1945 Charter of the United Nations,*

Or. fr

Amendment 4
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Citation 1 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the UN Population Fund (UNFPA) Report of 2012 entitled “Marrying Too Young - End Child Marriage”,*

Or. en

Amendment 5
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Citation 1 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the preamble to the 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights,*

Or. fr

Amendment 6
Mylène Troszczynski, André Elissen, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Citation 2

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the 1995 Beijing Declaration and Platform of Action from the 4th World Conference,* *deleted*

Or. fr

Amendment 7
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Citation 2

Motion for a resolution

— having regard to the 1995 Beijing Declaration and Platform of Action from the 4th World Conference,

Amendment

— having regard to the 1995 Beijing Declaration and Platform of Action from the 4th World Conference, ***and the outcomes of the review conferences,***

Or. en

Amendment 8
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution
Citation 2

Motion for a resolution

— having regard to the 1995 Beijing Declaration and Platform of Action from the 4th World Conference,

Amendment

— having regard to the 1995 Beijing Declaration and Platform of Action from the 4th World Conference, ***and the outcomes of the review conferences;***

Or. en

Amendment 9
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution
Citation 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***Having regard to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development and the outcomes of the review conferences;***

Or. en

Amendment 10
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Citation 2 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Having regard to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development and the outcomes of the review conferences*

Or. en

Amendment 11
Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Citation 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the UN Resolution 1325 on Women, Peace and Security*

Or. en

Amendment 12
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Liliana Rodrigues, Eleonora Forenza, Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution
Citation 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to United Nations Security Council resolutions on women, peace and security 1325 (2000);1820 (2009);1888 (2009);1889 (2010);1960 (2011);2106 (2013);2122 (2013) and 2242 (2015),*

Amendment 13
Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution
Citation 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the United Nations Security Council resolution 1325,*

Or. en

Amendment 14
Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Citation 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the EU-UN Spotlight Initiative*

Or. en

Amendment 15
Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Citation 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the European Pact for Gender Equality (2011-2020) adopted by the Council of the EU on 7 March 2011,*

Or. fr

Amendment 16

Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Citation 7 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Commission research report of 21 September 2010 entitled ‘Evaluation of the strengths and weaknesses of the strategy for equality between women and men 2010-2015’,*

Or. fr

Amendment 17

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Citation 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to Article 208 of the Lisbon Treaty establishing the Principle of Policy Coherence for Development, requiring that the objectives of development cooperation be taken into account in policies that are likely to affect developing countries,*

Or. en

Amendment 18

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Citation 16

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

— having regard to the European Implementation Assessment of the EU Gender Action Plan 2016-2020, published in October **2016** by the European

— having regard to the European Implementation Assessment of the EU Gender Action Plan 2016-2020, published in October **2017** by the European

Amendment 19
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Citation 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***Having regard to the COC Report on the implementation of the EU LGBTI Guidelines https://www.ilga-europe.org/sites/default/files/Attachments/report_on_the_implementation_of_the_eu_lgbti_guidelines_2016.pdf***

Amendment 20
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men is enshrined in the EU Treaty and shall be promoted in all EU activities so as to deliver equality in practice;

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men is enshrined in the EU Treaty and shall be promoted in all EU activities so as to deliver equality in practice; ***whereas equality and women's empowerment is a precondition for achieving post-2015 sustainable development goals and is also a self-standing human rights issue that should be pursued regardless of its benefits for development and growth;***

Amendment 21
Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men is enshrined in the EU Treaty and shall be promoted in all EU activities so as to deliver equality in practice;

Amendment

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men is enshrined in the EU Treaty and shall be promoted in all EU activities so as to deliver equality in practice;***whereas gender equality is one of the core values of the EU;***

Or. fr

Amendment 22
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men *is* enshrined in the *EU Treaty and shall* be promoted in all *EU activities* so as to deliver equality in practice;

Amendment

A. whereas the principle of equality *of rights* between women and men, enshrined in the *preambles to the 1945 Charter of the United Nations and the 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights*, *should* be promoted in all *the EU Member States* so as to deliver equality in practice;

Or. fr

Amendment 23
Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men is enshrined in the EU Treaty and shall be promoted in all EU activities so as to deliver equality in practice;

Amendment

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men is enshrined in the EU Treaty and shall be ***mainstreamed and*** promoted in all EU activities ***and policies*** so as to deliver equality in practice ***and achieve sustainable development;***

Amendment 24

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas ***the principle of equality between women and men*** is enshrined in the EU ***Treaty*** and shall be promoted in all EU activities so as to deliver equality in practice;

Amendment

A. whereas ***gender equality is a core value of the EU and*** is enshrined in the EU ***Treaties and the Charter of Fundamental Rights*** and shall be promoted ***and integrated*** in all EU activities so as to deliver ***gender*** equality in practice;

Or. en

Amendment 25

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men is enshrined in the EU Treaty and shall be ***promoted*** in all EU activities so as to deliver equality in practice;

Amendment

A. whereas the principle of equality between women and men is enshrined in the EU Treaty and ***gender mainstreaming*** shall be ***implemented*** in all EU activities ***as enshrined in Article 8 TFEU*** so as to deliver equality in practice;

Or. en

Amendment 26

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A a. whereas the fifth Sustainable Development Goal (SDG5) is to achieve gender equality and to empower all women and girls worldwide and whereas SDG5 must be mainstreamed into the whole 2030 agenda to achieve progress across all Sustainable Development Goals and targets;

Or. en

Amendment 27
Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Recital A a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A a. whereas no development strategy can be effective unless women and girls play a central role;

Or. en

Amendment 28
Doru-Claudian Frunzulică

Motion for a resolution
Recital B

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

B. whereas the original Gender Action Plan I (2010- 2015) brought some progress, it also contained a number of gaps : narrow scope, a weak understanding of the gender equality framework by the EU delegations, a lack of commitment among the EU leadership and a lack of institutional architecture and incentives to motivate staff;

B. whereas the original Gender Action Plan I (2010- 2015) brought some progress, it also contained a number of gaps : narrow scope, ***a missing gender responsive budgeting***, a weak understanding of the gender equality framework by the EU delegations, a lack of commitment among the EU leadership and a lack of institutional architecture and incentives to motivate ***and adequately support*** staff;

Or. en

Amendment 29

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas the original Gender Action Plan I (2010- 2015) brought some progress, it also contained a number of gaps : narrow scope, a weak understanding of the gender equality framework by the EU delegations, a lack of commitment among the EU leadership and a lack of institutional architecture and incentives to motivate staff;

Amendment

B. whereas the original Gender Action Plan I (2010- 2015) brought some progress, it also contained a number of gaps : narrow scope, a weak understanding of the gender equality framework **and reproductive monitoring** by the EU delegations, a lack of commitment among the EU leadership and a lack of **resources**, institutional architecture and incentives to motivate staff;

Or. en

Amendment 30

Mylène Troszczynski, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas the original Gender Action Plan I (2010- 2015) brought some progress, it also contained a number of gaps : narrow scope, a weak understanding of the gender equality framework by the EU delegations, a lack of commitment among the EU leadership and a lack of **institutional architecture and** incentives to motivate staff;

Amendment

B. whereas the original Gender Action Plan I (2010- 2015) brought some progress, it also contained a number of gaps: narrow scope, a weak understanding of the gender equality framework by the EU delegations, a lack of commitment among the EU leadership and a lack of incentives to motivate staff;

Or. fr

Amendment 31

Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas the original Gender Action Plan I (2010- 2015) brought some progress, it also contained a number of gaps : narrow scope, a weak understanding of the **gender equality framework by the EU delegations**, a lack of commitment among the EU leadership and a lack of institutional architecture and incentives to motivate staff;

Amendment

B. whereas the original Gender Action Plan I (2010- 2015) brought some progress, it also contained a number of gaps : narrow scope, a weak understanding **by the EU delegations** of the **framework for equality of rights between women and men**, a lack of commitment among the EU leadership and a lack of institutional architecture and incentives to motivate staff;

Or. fr

Amendment 32

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas the new Gender Action Plan II 2016-2020 came out of these recommendations with a focus on shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels to create a systemic change in how the EU approaches gender;

Amendment

D. whereas the new Gender Action Plan II 2016-2020 came out of these recommendations with a focus on shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels to create a systemic change in how the EU approaches gender; **and on transforming women's and girls' lives through four pivotal areas;**

Or. en

Amendment 33

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas the new Gender Action Plan II 2016-2020 came out of these recommendations with a focus on shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels to create a systemic

Amendment

D. whereas the new Gender Action Plan II 2016-2020 came out of these recommendations with a focus on shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels to create a systemic

change in how the EU approaches gender;

change in how the EU approaches gender
*and on transforming women's and girls'
lives through four pivotal areas;*

Or. en

Amendment 34
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas the new Gender Action Plan II 2016-2020 came out of these recommendations with a focus on shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels to create a systemic change in how the EU approaches *gender*;

Amendment

D. whereas the new Gender Action Plan II 2016-2020 came out of these recommendations with a focus on shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels to create a systemic change in how the EU approaches *equality of rights between women and men*;

Or. fr

Amendment 35
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas the new Gender Action Plan II 2016-2020 came out of these recommendations with a focus on shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels to create a systemic change in how the EU approaches *gender*;

Amendment

D. whereas the new Gender Action Plan II 2016-2020 came out of these recommendations with a focus on shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels to create a systemic change in how the EU approaches *the equality between women and men*;

Or. en

Amendment 36
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D a. whereas it is difficult to determine the budget allocated to actions pursuing gender equality as gender mainstreaming is not yet internalised in all budget allocations and spending decisions as part of a gender budgeting methodology; whereas according to the Commission EU financial commitments to gender equality have increased but the Commission's and the EEAS's human resource capacity to manage this increasing volume of work did not;

Or. en

Amendment 37
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D a. whereas four pivotal areas within the GAP II were created, namely ensuring girls' and women's physical and psychological integrity, promoting the economic and social rights as well as empowerment of girls and women, strengthening girls' and women's voice and participation as well as horizontal pillar on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS' institutional culture to more effectively deliver on EU commitments;

Or. en

Amendment 38
Jana Žitňanská

Motion for a resolution

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Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. Stresses that women's participation in economic activities is crucial for sustainable development and economic growth;

Or. sk

Amendment 39

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Recital D b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D b. whereas gender equality tends to be absent from programme and project monitoring systems and evaluation processes and whereas gender analysis is hardly used in order to inform country strategy objectives, programmes, projects and dialogue;

Or. en

Amendment 40

Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E. whereas one year on from the adoption of GAP II it is too early to make full assessment of its impact; whereas the objective of this report is therefore not to debate the objectives of the GAP II but to consider how the stated objectives have been implemented in its first year and to recommend actions to improve implementation in future years;

E. whereas one year on from the adoption of GAP II it is too early to make full assessment of its impact;***whereas an interval of at least three years of policy intervention or implementation is recommended before an evaluation of an EU action is undertaken;*** whereas the objective of this report is therefore not to debate the objectives of the GAP II but to consider how the stated objectives have

been implemented in its first year and to recommend actions to improve implementation in future years;

Or. en

Amendment 41
Sophia in 't Veld, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E a. whereas reinstating and extending the Mexico City Policy or so-called Global Gag rule, cutting US global health assistance from organisations that provide girls and women with family planning and sexual and reproductive health services, is of serious concern; whereas programmes which address HIV/AIDS, maternal and child health, Zika response efforts and other health and disease areas will be affected, including organisations that provide, counsel for, refer to or advocate for abortion services - even if they are doing so with their own, non-US funds and even if abortion is legal in their country;

Or. en

Amendment 42
Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E a. whereas the EU Delegations and Missions are on the frontline of implementing GAP II in partner countries, and the leadership and knowledge of Delegation and Mission Heads and staffs play a significant role to

ensure the successful implementation of GAP II;whereas there is still a gender barrier for women to have access to leadership and management posts in EU Delegations;

Or. en

Amendment 43
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E a. whereas women and girls might experience different forms of discrimination and be more exposed to poverty;whereas one in three women in the world is likely to experience physical and sexual violence at some point in her lifetime;whereas 14 million girls are forced into marriage every year;

Or. en

Amendment 44
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E a. Whereas only a third of all EU delegations work on LGBTI human rights;whereas the EU's LGBTI Guidelines are being applied irregularly;whereas implementation of the guidelines depends strongly on the knowledge and interest of individual Ambassadors, instead of a structural approach;

Or. en

Amendment 45
Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution
Recital E b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E b. whereas men and women are affected differently in conflict, post-conflict and fragile situations; whereas women are not only victims but also agents of positive change, who could contribute to conflict prevention and resolution, peacebuilding, peace negotiations and post-conflict reconstruction;

Or. en

Amendment 46
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1. Welcomes the release in August 2017 of the first annual implementation report for the year 2016, which demonstrates ***a clear momentum towards the implementation of the GAP II;***

1. Welcomes the release in August 2017 of the first annual implementation report for the year 2016, which demonstrates ***increased attention to gender analyses and resourcing, efforts to ensure gender mainstreaming in development funding and important progress made by a number of EU delegations and Member States; regrets however that its publication was significantly delayed;***

Or. en

Amendment 47
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the release in August 2017 of the first annual implementation report for the year 2016, which demonstrates a clear momentum towards the implementation of the GAP II;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the release in August 2017 of the first annual implementation report for the year 2016, which demonstrates a clear momentum towards the implementation of the GAP II; ***emphasizes the need to have future implementation reports finalised and released in a shorter timeframe and regrets that the publication of this report was significantly delayed;***

Or. en

Amendment 48
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Welcomes the release in August 2017 of the first annual implementation report for the year 2016, which demonstrates a ***clear*** momentum towards the implementation of the GAP II;

Amendment

1. Welcomes the release in August 2017 of the first annual implementation report for the year 2016, which demonstrates a ***certain*** momentum towards the implementation of the GAP II;

Or. en

Amendment 49
Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. ***Welcomes*** the release in August 2017 of the first annual implementation report for the year 2016, which demonstrates a clear momentum towards

Amendment

1. ***Notes*** the release in August 2017 of the first annual implementation report for the year 2016, which demonstrates a clear momentum towards the implementation of

the implementation of the GAP II;

the GAP II;

Or. en

Amendment 50

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Stresses that one year on since the adoption of the GAP II, it is still early days, but the general direction of travel is welcome and a number of positive trends have been noted;

Amendment

2. Stresses that one year on since the adoption of the GAP II, it is still early days, but the general direction of travel is welcome and a number of positive trends have been noted; ***but also challenges in reporting and implementation of key priorities and gender-related SDG's, and monitoring progress on all objectives, as well as in terms of mainstreaming gender into sector policy dialogue;***

Or. en

Amendment 51

Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. Stresses that one year on since the adoption of the GAP II, it is still early days, but the general direction of travel is welcome and a number of positive trends have been noted;

Amendment

2. Stresses that one year on since the adoption of the GAP II, it is still early days, but the general direction of travel is welcome and a number of positive trends have been noted; ***calls, however, on the Commission to demonstrate its firm resolve by drawing up a future communication on gender equality;***

Or. pt

Amendment 52

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2 a. *Notes that the concept of gender mainstreaming is still often poorly understood and that qualitative reporting which would allow an evaluation of the implementation of the Gender Action Plan into existing policies and projects is lacking; welcomes the efforts made in providing training to some implementing actors;*

Or. en

Amendment 53

Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans across the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes in this regard the choice of **four** thematic pillars, **including** the horizontal **one** on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans across the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes in this regard the choice of **three** thematic pillars, **namely for protecting women and girls from physical and mental injury; promoting the economic and social rights/empowerment of girls and women; and giving girls and women a stronger voice and strengthening their participation, and which are intended to tackle the main factors and causes involved in discrimination and marginalisation, and of the horizontal pillar** on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Or. pt

Amendment 54
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans across the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes in this regard the choice of four thematic pillars, ***including the horizontal one on*** shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Amendment

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans across the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes in this regard the choice of four thematic pillars, ***namely ensuring girls' and women's physical and psychological integrity, promoting the economic and social rights as well as empowerment of girls and women, strengthening girls' and women's voice and participation as well as*** shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Or. en

Amendment 55
Doru-Claudian Frunzulică

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans across the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes in this regard the choice of ***four*** thematic pillars, ***including the*** horizontal one on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Amendment

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans across the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes in this regard the choice of ***three*** thematic pillars, ***and an*** horizontal one on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Or. en

Amendment 56
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans across the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes in this regard the choice of four thematic pillars, including the horizontal one on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Amendment

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans across the entire EU foreign policy **and development cooperation** agenda and welcomes in this regard the choice of four thematic pillars, including the horizontal one on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Or. en

Amendment 57
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans **across** the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes in this regard **the choice of four thematic pillars, including** the horizontal **one** on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Amendment

3. Notes that the GAP II provides a comprehensive agenda that spans the entire EU foreign policy agenda and welcomes, in this regard, the horizontal **measures** on shifting the Commission services' and the EEAS institutional culture;

Or. fr

Amendment 58
Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

3a. Points out that the chief contributory factors and causes in discrimination and marginalisation include sexual and gender-based violence against women and girls, including harmful traditions such as child marriages and FGM, inadequate access to basic sectors and social services, for

Amendment

example health, education, water, sanitation, and nutrition, difficulties in gaining access to sexual and reproductive health, and unequal participation in public and private institutions, as well as in political decision-making and in peace processes;

Or. pt

Amendment 59
Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3b. Notes that gender inequality intersects with, and exacerbates, other forms of inequality and that an understanding of that point has to guide the selection of priorities and commitments for action;

Or. pt

Amendment 60
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3 b. Notes that GAP II has been produced as a Joint Staff Working Document; encourages the Commission to propose it in a form of a Commission communication;

Or. en

Amendment 61
Liliana Rodrigues

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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3c. Calls, as regards the implementation of the GAP, for greater attention to be focused on girls and women who suffer additional discrimination on account of ethnicity, sexuality, disability, caste, or age, and for data to be broken down accordingly;

Or. pt

Amendment 62
Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3d. Maintains that greater inclusion of women on the labour market, better support for female entrepreneurship, safeguarding equal opportunities and equal pay for men and women, and promoting work-life balance are key factors in achieving long-term inclusive economic growth, combating inequalities, and encouraging women's financial independence;

Or. pt

Amendment 63
Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4. Welcomes the strong monitoring and accountability framework established

4. Welcomes the strong monitoring and accountability framework established

to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as the empowerment of girls and women in the field of external relations;

to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as the empowerment of girls and women in the field of external relations; ***notes, however, that GAP II monitoring over-concentrates on quantitative assessments of programmes and activities rather than centering on the quality of delivery and potential impact on recipient countries;***

Or. en

Amendment 64

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Welcomes the strong monitoring and accountability framework established to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as the empowerment of girls and women in the field of external relations;

Amendment

4. Welcomes the strong monitoring and accountability framework established to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as the empowerment of girls and women in the field of external relations; ***recognizes however the need for deeper understanding and harmonisation of this framework in order to properly assess the impacts of EU actions;***

Or. en

Amendment 65

Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution

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4. Welcomes the strong monitoring

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and accountability framework established to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as *the empowerment of girls and women* in the field of external relations;

and accountability framework established to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as *respect for the fundamental freedoms of women and men, including the very young*, in the field of external relations;

Or. fr

Amendment 66
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Welcomes the strong monitoring and accountability framework established to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as the empowerment of girls and women in the field of external relations;

Amendment

4. Welcomes the strong monitoring and accountability framework established to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality *of rights* between women and men as well as the empowerment of girls and women in the field of external relations;

Or. fr

Amendment 67
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Motion for a resolution

4. Welcomes the strong monitoring and accountability framework established to measure progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as the empowerment of girls and

Amendment

4. Welcomes the strong monitoring and accountability framework established to measure *and track* progress in GAP II and acknowledges that its increased ambition provides a real opportunity for the EU to advance equality between women and men as well as the

women in the field of external relations;

empowerment of girls and women in the field of external relations;

Or. en

Amendment 68
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4 a. Recognises the importance of strengthening policies and measures promoting education for girls, and its implications in terms of their health and economic empowerment; points out that girls and young women are particularly vulnerable and that specific focus is needed to ensure their access to all levels of education; calls in this regard to consider many opportunities in the field of science, technology, engineering and maths (STEM);

Or. en

Amendment 69
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4 b. Points out that greater involvement of public and private sectors is crucial for advancing women's rights and their economic empowerment across different economic sectors; emphasises the need for women's inclusion and representation in emerging economic fields that are important for sustainable development, including ICT; stresses that business has an important role to play in enhancing women's rights; calls in this

context for increased support to be given to local SMEs, especially to female entrepreneurs, so as to enable them to gain from private-sector-led growth;

Or. en

Amendment 70
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4 c. Stresses the need to empower rural women by improving their access to land, water, education, training, markets and financial services;

Or. en

Amendment 71
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4 e. Calls on the EU to promote increased participation of women in peacekeeping, peacebuilding processes and EU military and civil crisis management missions;

Or. en

Amendment 72
Doru-Claudian Frunzulică

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the expansion of the gender action plan to all EU external services and to the member states and notes the important progress in shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels; reiterates however the need for continued improvements in coherence and coordination among EU institutions and member states while using the existing structures and budget;

Amendment

5. Welcomes the expansion of the gender action plan to all EU external services and to the member states and notes the important progress in shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels; reiterates however the need for ***strengthened leadership and for*** continued improvements in coherence and coordination among EU institutions and member states while using the existing structures and budget;

Or. en

Amendment 73
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the expansion of the gender action plan to all EU external services and to the member states and notes the important progress in shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels; reiterates however the need for continued improvements in coherence and coordination among EU institutions and member states while using the existing structures and budget;

Amendment

5. Welcomes the expansion of the gender action plan to all EU external services and to the member states and notes the important progress in shifting EU institutional culture at headquarters and delegation levels; reiterates however the need for continued improvements in coherence and coordination among EU institutions and member states while using the existing structures and budget ***in place***;

Or. en

Amendment 74
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Welcomes the expansion of the gender action plan to all EU external

Amendment

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services and to the member states and notes *the important* progress *in shifting EU institutional culture* at headquarters and delegation levels; reiterates however the need for continued improvements in coherence and coordination among EU institutions and member states while using the existing structures and budget;

services and to the member states and notes *a certain* progress *achieved* at headquarters and delegation levels; reiterates however the need for continued improvements in coherence and coordination among EU institutions and member states while using the existing structures and budget;

Or. en

Amendment 75
Doru-Claudian Frunzulică

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5 a. *Welcomes the compulsory requirement introduced by GAP II for all EU actors to submit an annual reporting on the progress delivered in at least one thematic area and on shifting institutional culture, which is key to strengthening effectiveness of EU initiatives and their impact on gender equality and key to improving accountability of EU initiatives to EU institutions and citizens, and finally to beneficiaries;*

Or. en

Amendment 76
Doru-Claudian Frunzulică

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. Welcomes the fact that the Commission services and EEAS as well as 81% of EU delegations and 22 member states submitted gender reports for 2016; while there might be justified circumstances for delegations not

6. Welcomes the fact that the Commission services and EEAS as well as 81% of EU delegations and 22 member states submitted gender reports for 2016; while there might be justified circumstances for delegations not

reporting, the European Parliament expects to see continued progress year on year towards all reports by EU delegations and member states being submitted;

reporting, the European Parliament expects to see continued progress year on year towards all reports by EU delegations and member states being submitted; ***recalls that full compliance in GAP reporting and implementation will be key in attaining the GAP II target to mainstream gender actions across 85% of all new initiatives by 2020;***

Or. en

Amendment 77

Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Welcomes the fact that the Commission services and EEAS as well as 81% of EU delegations and 22 ***member states*** submitted gender reports for 2016; while there might be justified circumstances for delegations not reporting, the European Parliament expects to see continued progress year on year towards all reports by EU delegations and ***member states*** being submitted;

Amendment

6. Welcomes the fact that the Commission services and EEAS as well as 81% of EU delegations and 22 ***Member States*** submitted gender reports for 2016; while there might be justified circumstances for delegations not reporting, the European Parliament expects to see continued progress year on year towards all reports by EU delegations and ***Member States*** being submitted; ***notes that there are still significant disparities between Member States;***

Or. fr

Amendment 78

Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. ***Welcomes*** the fact that the Commission services and EEAS as well as 81% of EU delegations and 22 member states submitted gender reports for 2016;

Amendment

6. ***Notes*** the fact that the Commission services and EEAS as well as 81% of EU delegations and 22 member states submitted gender reports for 2016; while

while there *might be* justified circumstances for delegations not reporting, the European Parliament *expects to see continued progress year on year towards all* reports by EU delegations and member states being submitted;

there *are* justified circumstances for delegations not reporting, the European Parliament *does not insist* reports by EU delegations and member states being submitted;

Or. en

Amendment 79

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Welcomes the fact that the Commission services and EEAS as well as 81% of EU delegations and 22 member states submitted gender reports for 2016; *while there might be justified circumstances for delegations not reporting, the European Parliament expects to see* continued progress year on year towards all reports by EU delegations and member states being submitted;

Amendment

6. Welcomes the fact that the Commission services and EEAS as well as 81% of EU delegations and 22 member states submitted gender reports for 2016; *urges the Member States who have so far not reported, to step up efforts and calls for* continued progress year on year towards all reports by EU delegations and member states being submitted;

Or. en

Amendment 80

Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. *Positively* notes the *practical* steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP lying with the head of delegation, an increased number of high level staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II *and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender*

Amendment

7. Notes the steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP lying with the head of delegation, an increased number of high level staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II;

focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 81

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP lying with the head of delegation, an increased number of high level staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Amendment

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP lying with the head of delegation, an increased number of high level staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations; ***regrets however that only 20% of the gender focal point positions are covered and that no gender champions have been reported from fragile and conflict states***; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 82

Mylène Troszczynski, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP *lying* with the head of delegation, an increased number of *high level* staff *involved* in the implementation of the GAP II *and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations*; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Amendment

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP with the head of delegation, *and involving* an increased number of *high-level* staff in the implementation of the GAP II; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Or. fr

Amendment 83

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP lying with the head of delegation, an increased number of high level staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Amendment

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change *and the introduction of a mandatory gender analysis for all new external actions undertaken, thus* placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP lying with the head of delegation, an increased number of high level staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 84

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. **Positively notes** the practical steps towards **culture** change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP lying with the head of delegation, an increased number of high level staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the **remaining** delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Amendment

7. **Welcomes** the practical steps towards **cultural** change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP lying with the head of delegation, an increased number of high level staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations, **although still only half of the EUDs have a gender focal point**; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender **issues** and for the delegations **who haven't so far done so**, to appoint their gender focal points; **stresses that** all gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Or. en

Amendment 85

Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP **lying** with the head of delegation, an increased number of **high level** staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of **gender champions and** gender focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be

Amendment

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP with the head of delegation, an increased number of **high-level** staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of **champions for equality of rights between women and men, as well as** gender focal points in EU delegations; calls for more

dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Or. fr

Amendment 86
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP *with* the head of delegation, an increased number of *high level* staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender *champions and gender* focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Amendment

7. Positively notes the practical steps towards culture change: placing the overall responsibility for reporting on the GAP with the head of delegation, an increased number of *high-level* staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of *champions for gender equality and focal points for equality of rights between women and men* in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to gender and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Or. fr

Amendment 87
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

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GAP *lying* with the head of delegation, an increased number of *high level* staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to *gender* and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

with the head of delegation, an increased number of *high-level* staff involved in the implementation of the GAP II and the appointment of an increasing number of gender champions and gender focal points in EU delegations; calls for more management level time to be dedicated to *equality of rights between women and men* and for the remaining delegations to appoint their gender focal points. All gender focal points should be given sufficient time and capacity to carry out their tasks;

Or. fr

Amendment 88
Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. *Welcomes* the increased number of actions with a gender dimension (G1 & G2 markers), and the requirement for delegations to justify projects with no gender dimension; *underscores that overall increases in such projects should not come at the expense of specific gender targeted projects (G2 marker), recommends therefore a specific target for G2 projects;*

Amendment

8. *Notes* the increased number of actions with a gender dimension (G1 & G2 markers), and the requirement for delegations to justify projects with no gender dimension;

Or. en

Amendment 89
Mylène Troszczynski, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8

Motion for a resolution

8. Welcomes the increased number of actions with a gender dimension (G1 & G2

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markers), **and the requirement for delegations to justify projects with no gender dimension**; underscores that overall increases in such projects should not come at the expense of specific gender targeted projects (G2 marker), recommends therefore a specific target for G2 projects;

markers); underscores that overall increases in such projects should not come at the expense of specific gender targeted projects (G2 marker), recommends therefore a specific target for G2 projects;

Or. fr

Amendment 90 **Dubravka Šuica**

Motion for a resolution **Paragraph 8**

Motion for a resolution

8. Welcomes the increased number of actions with a gender **dimension** (G1 & G2 markers), and the requirement for delegations to justify projects with no **gender dimension**; underscores that overall increases in such projects should not come at the expense of specific gender targeted projects (G2 marker), recommends therefore a specific target for G2 projects;

Amendment

8. Welcomes the increased number of actions with a gender **equality focus** (G1 & G2 markers), and the requirement for delegations to justify projects with no **such focus**; underscores that overall increases in such projects should not come at the expense of specific gender targeted projects (G2 marker), recommends therefore a specific target for G2 projects;

Or. en

Amendment 91 **Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey**

Motion for a resolution **Paragraph 8 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 a. Condemns all forms of violence against women and girls, and all forms of gender-based violence, including trafficking in human beings, sexual exploitation, forced marriage, honour crimes, female genital mutilation and the use of sexual violence as a weapon of war; calls on the EU and all Member States to ratify the Istanbul Convention,

the first legally binding international instrument seeking to prevent and combat violence against women;

Or. en

Amendment 92

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 a. Notes that it is unclear how targeted (G2) and mainstreamed actions (G1) complement each other; calls for further efforts to clarify gender mainstreaming and to increase targeted actions with more significant financial envelopes;

Or. en

Amendment 93

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 a. Notes that it is unclear how targeted (G2) and mainstreamed actions (G1) complement each other; calls for further efforts to clarify gender mainstreaming and to increase targeted actions with more significant financial envelopes;

Or. en

Amendment 94

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 a. *Notes that only a few recurrent components of gender equality are applied in programming and project selection; calls on implementing actors to use the whole scope of gender equality;*

Or. en

Amendment 95
Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 b. *Regrets that women, who have experienced or are experiencing violence, are unequally supported against male violence, in terms of information on, access to and provision of shelters, support services and rights, helplines, rape crisis centres, etc.; emphasises that the Istanbul Convention should place male violence against women as a core focus on the Convention, while also addressing all gender-based violence by tackling violence motivated by an intersection of various grounds, including sexual orientation, gender identity and gender expression; underlines the importance of strategic measures to proactively combat gender stereotypes and counter patterns of patriarchy, racism, sexism, homophobia and transphobia, as well as gender normativity and heteronormativity;*

Or. en

Amendment 96

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Liliana Rodrigues, Iratxe García Pérez

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 b. Strongly regrets that, as per the European Parliament's study assessment on the implementation of the GAP II, current programming appears to side-line the gender dimension in situations of crisis or difficult conflicts; and that, among other outcomes, this has meant that girls and women victims of war rape do not have access to non-discriminatory care, specifically comprehensive medical care, including abortion, despite the GAP II aiming to empower women to have control over their sexual and reproductive life;

Or. en

**Amendment 97
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 b. Notes that the report shows the need for stronger support to sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR) as a pre-condition for gender equality and women's empowerment, and the necessity for appropriate tools to measure progress with regards to ensure universal access to SRHR; we recall, in this regard, EU commitment to the Programme of Action of the ICPD and the Beijing Platform for Action and the outcome documents of their review conferences; and the Sustainable Development Goals 3.7., 5.3 and 5.6;

Amendment 98

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Thierry Cornillet, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 b. Welcomes the evidence in the report for the need for stronger support for sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR) as a pre-condition for gender equality and the necessity for appropriate tools to measure progress with regards to ensure universal access to SRHR as agreed in accordance with the Programme of Action of the ICPD and the Beijing Platform for Action and the outcome documents of their review conferences as per the Sustainable Development Goal 5.6;

Or. en

Amendment 99

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 c. Regrets that in a context of shrinking civil society space Objective 18 focusing on women's rights organisations and women's human rights defenders is receiving little attention; is concerned that the thematic priority on political and civil rights, specifically the participation of women and girls in political and civil rights, has been given little priority in GAP II implementation;

Or. en

Amendment 100

Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. *Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice;*

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deleted

Or. en

Amendment 101

Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice;

Amendment

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice; *points out the strikingly low presence of women in the highest academic and decision-making positions, which indicates the existence of invisible barriers based on prejudices which stand in the way of women accessing positions of responsibility;*

Or. en

Amendment 102

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender *mainstreaming* between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice;

Amendment

9. Calls on the Commission *and EEAS* to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in *improving* gender *equality* between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice, *and to ensure that the gender analyses effectively impact the programmes implemented by the EUDs*;

Or. en

Amendment 103
Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice;

Amendment

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice, *including but not limited to program formulation, implementation and systemic gender analysis*;

Or. en

Amendment 104
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice;

Amendment

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender **equality** **and** mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of gender focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice;

Or. en

Amendment 105
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of **gender** focal points and sharing more positive examples of successful practice;

Amendment

9. Calls on the Commission to take further steps to facilitate exchange of best practice in gender mainstreaming between delegations and units such as establishing and promoting a network of focal points **for equality of rights between women and men** and sharing more positive examples of successful practice;

Or. fr

Amendment 106
Sophia in 't Veld, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

9 a. Strongly condemns the reinstatement and expansion of the Mexico City Policy (so-called Global Gag Rule) by the United States in January 2017 and its impact on women's and girls' global health care and rights; Reiterates its call on the EU and Member States to

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proactively support women's rights worldwide and to reduce the financing gap left by the United States in the area of sexual and reproductive health and rights, and particularly access to safe, affordable and legal abortion, without discrimination, using both national and EU development funding;

Or. en

Amendment 107
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3 a. Points out that significant progress has been made in different priority areas, however, with some recording slower advancement than might have been expected; calls on the Commission to examine through a study the reasons why certain thematic objectives are more often taken into consideration by the EU delegations;

Or. en

Amendment 108
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9 a. Points out that significant progress has been made in different priority areas, with some recording slower advancement than might have been expected; calls on the Commission to examine through a study the reasons why certain priority areas are more often taken into consideration by the EU delegations with

a greater progress achieved;

Or. en

Amendment 109

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9 a. *Calls on the Commission and EEAS to ensure that the gender analyses effectively impact the programmes implemented by the EUDs, as well as their political dialogue; stresses therefore the importance of consulting widely with civil society for this gender analysis;*

Or. en

Amendment 110

Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. *Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training and rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units;*

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Or. en

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Mylène Troszczynski, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

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Motion for a resolution

10. ***Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training and rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would*** better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units;

Amendment

10. ***Considers that more awareness-raising among staff could*** better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units;

Or. fr

Amendment 112
Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training and rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units;

Amendment

10. Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training and rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units; ***improvements and further specialization in training on gender equality issues should also be made available to local partners at government and among non state actors, including NGOs;***

Or. en

Amendment 113
Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training and rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units;

Amendment

10. Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training and rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training, ***aimed especially at senior officials in management roles and including specific training on gender issues within more vulnerable groups***, as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units;

Or. pt

Amendment 114
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training and rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would better help to mainstream ***gender*** across the external policy units;

Amendment

10. Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training and rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would better help to mainstream ***equality of rights between women and men*** across the external policy units;

Or. fr

Amendment 115

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

10. Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training **and** rearrangement of the existing structures; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR and the EEAS would better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units;

Amendment

10. Calls for strengthening human resource capacity dedicated to gender mainstreaming within the Commission services through tailored training, rearrangement of the existing structures **and additional staff**; suggests that increased staff training as well as a gender focal point per unit and a gender coordination group across units in DG DEVCO, DG NEAR, **DGECHO** and the EEAS would better help to mainstream gender across the external policy units;

Or. en

Amendment 116

Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10 a. Notes that the EU's potential in fragile and conflict countries is not sufficiently highlighted in the GAP II, neglecting women's key role as positive agents in fragile, post conflict and emergency environments as well as the role of women in mediation and peace building; encourages, therefore, embedding gender equality in a broader and more comprehensive human rights and good governance context and practice;

Or. en

Amendment 117
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10 a. Stresses the need to ensure coherence and complementarity amongst all existing EU external instruments and policies in their relation to gender mainstreaming, including the new Consensus on Development, the EU resource package on gender mainstreaming in development cooperation and the EU Action Plan on Human Rights and Democracy;

Or. en

Amendment 118
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10 a. Welcomes the guidance note of 8 March 2016 that outlines the resources and tools for the implementation of GAP II that applies to DG DEVCO and EEAS and calls for the implementation of a guidance note for all the European services involved in the implementation of GAP II;

Or. en

Amendment 119
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Sophia in 't Veld, Angelika Mlinar, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Liliana Rodrigues, Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 10 b (new)

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10 b. *Calls on the Commission to systematically implement the GAP II, including in humanitarian settings where it must provide non-discriminatory access to medical services, in line with international humanitarian law; calls once again on the Commission to actively inform its humanitarian partners that the Commission's policy foresees that, in cases where the pregnancy threatens a woman's or a girl's life or causes unbearable suffering, international humanitarian law and/or international human rights law may justify offering a safe abortion rather than perpetuating what amounts to inhumane treatment;*

Or. en

Amendment 120

Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is *not sufficiently* addressed in the GAP II; *recalls in this respect* that negotiation of trade agreements *could be* used as *an effective* tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality;

Amendment

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is addressed in the GAP II; *notes* that negotiation of trade agreements *is* used as *a* tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality;

Or. en

Amendment 121

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality ***between women and men*** and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality;

Amendment

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II ***and more generally that gender mainstreaming remains a challenge beyond social sectors***; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing ***gender*** equality and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality; ***Acknowledges that the EU's Generalised Scheme of Preferences (GSP) and GSP+ systems need to be improved by linking economic incentives to the effective adoption and constant monitoring of core human, gender and labour rights conventions***;

Or. en

Amendment 122

Mylène Troszczynski, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. ***Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality***;

Amendment

11. ***Points out that the negotiation of certain trade agreements, which may lend themselves to such a purpose, could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men***;

Or. fr

Amendment 123

Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution

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Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that the link between trade and **gender** is not **sufficiently addressed** in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for **all** EU trade agreements to include **references** to women's rights and gender equality;

Amendment

11. Notes that the link between trade and **principle of equality between women and men** is not **explicitly enclosed** in the GAP II; **stresses however that this principle must be promoted and mainstreamed by the EU also in external relations**; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for EU trade agreements to include **a reference** to women's rights and gender equality, **possibly in a form of a chapter in the agreements in question**;

Or. en

Amendment 124

Linda McAvan

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements **could be used as an effective tool** for advancing equality **between women and men and** calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality;

Amendment

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements, **especially the negotiation of labour rights chapters, are important tools** for advancing gender equality **in third countries**; calls **therefore for DG Trade to take steps to implement the GAP II in its work and** for all EU trade agreements to include references to **girls' and** women's rights and gender equality **to respect ILO core conventions on gender and labour rights**;

Or. en

Amendment 125

Doru-Claudian Frunzulică

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the *GAP II*; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality;

Amendment

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the *GAPII*; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality; ***recalls the need to monitor the impact of trade agreements on women's empowerment and gender equality during their implementation;***

Or. en

Amendment 126
Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality;

Amendment

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and ***women's empowerment, and*** calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to women's rights and gender equality ***as drivers of economic growth;***

Or. fr

Amendment 127
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11

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Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that the link between trade and **gender** is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to **women's** rights and **gender** equality;

Amendment

11. Notes that the link between trade and **equality of rights between women and men** is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality **of rights** between women and men, and calls for all EU trade agreements to include references to rights and **to equality of rights between women and men**;

Or. fr

Amendment 128

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11**

Motion for a resolution

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include **references to** women's rights and gender equality;

Amendment

11. Notes that the link between trade and gender is not sufficiently addressed in the GAP II; recalls in this respect that negotiation of trade agreements could be used as an effective tool for advancing equality between women and men and calls for all EU trade agreements to include **labour rights chapters and specific clauses on** women's rights and gender equality;

Or. en

Amendment 129

Barbara Matera

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11 a. Recalls its request, in respect of

trade negotiations with Chile, for the inclusion of a specific chapter on trade, gender equality and the empowerment of women; emphasises that the proposal to include such a dedicated chapter in a trade agreement is now becoming reality for the first time; stresses the need to be informed of the content of this chapter and evaluate it with a view to subsequently taking decisions at a more general level; urges the EU to introduce cross-cutting measures in trade agreements in order to promote gender equality, exchange best practices and enable women to derive greater benefit from trade agreements;

Or. en

Amendment 130
Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11a. Calls for sex-disaggregated data to be gathered in the key sectors most affected by trade agreements in order to provide a useful tool for predicting as accurately as possible how women's lives might be affected and counteracting any adverse impacts; also calls for a mechanism to be set up expressly for the purpose of monitoring and strengthening gender policy under trade agreements;

Or. pt

Amendment 131
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11 a. Calls on the EEAS to promote the role of women as peace-builders, to encourage women's participation in leadership and decision-making process, and to place these tasks at the core of the EU Global Strategy and Political Dialogues, particularly when it comes to conflict prevention and promoting human rights and democratic reform in post-conflict reconstruction;

Or. en

Amendment 132

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

11 b. Welcomes the thematic priority on economic and social Empowerment and the analysis of barriers in accessing productive resources including land and the corresponding activities; reiterates that while the EU has committed to investing in gender equality in agriculture, women farmers are not primary targets of agricultural ODA and calls on the EU and its Member States to allocate more resources to women farmers, in line with Objective 5 of the GAP II;

Or. en

Amendment 133

Mylène Troszczynski, André Elissen, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12. Strongly encourages the

deleted

institutions to substantially improve the ratio of women Heads of Delegations, which is now 28 women out of 138 EU delegations;

Or. fr

Amendment 134
Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Strongly encourages the institutions to substantially improve the ratio of women Heads of Delegations, which is now 28 women out of 138 EU delegations;

Amendment

12. Strongly encourages the institutions to substantially improve the ratio of women Heads of Delegations, which is now 28 women out of 138 EU delegations; ***and calls on the Commission and EEAS to efficiently implement targeted policies to facilitate women's access to leadership and managerial posts;***

Or. en

Amendment 135
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Strongly encourages the institutions to substantially improve the ratio of women Heads of Delegations, which is now 28 women out of 138 EU delegations;

Amendment

12. Strongly encourages the institutions to substantially improve the ratio of women Heads of Delegations, which is now 28 women out of 138 EU delegations, ***and the ratio of women Heads of Missions, which is now 5 out of 17;***

Or. en

Amendment 136
Louis Michel

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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Strongly encourages the institutions to substantially improve the ratio of women Heads of Delegations, *which is now* 28 women out of 138 EU delegations;

Amendment

12. Strongly encourages the institutions to substantially improve the ratio of women *as delegation members and particularly as* Heads of Delegations, *the latter now being* 28 women out of 138 EU delegations;

Or. fr

Amendment 137
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Strongly encourages the institutions to *substantially improve the ratio* of women Heads of Delegations, *which is now 28 women out of* 138 EU delegations;

Amendment

12. Strongly encourages the institutions to *eliminate the obstacles and prejudices that could impede the appointment* of women Heads of Delegations, *only 28 of the* 138 EU delegations *currently being headed by a woman*;

Or. fr

Amendment 138
Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. *Stresses* that the success of the GAP II will ultimately depend *on long term and consistent* engagement of high level political and senior leadership across all EU actors; welcomes in this regard the positive engagement from the Commissioner for International

Amendment

13. *Notes* that the success of the GAP II will ultimately depend engagement of high level political and senior leadership across all EU actors; welcomes in this regard the positive engagement from the Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development and

Cooperation and Development and encourages more commitment from other Commissioners; notes the special responsibility of the High Representative to coordinate and strengthen this engagement in the coming years;

encourages more commitment from other Commissioners; notes the special responsibility of the High Representative to coordinate and strengthen this engagement in the coming years;

Or. en

Amendment 139

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Stresses that the success of the GAP II will ultimately depend on long term and consistent engagement of high level political and senior leadership across all EU actors; welcomes in this regard the positive engagement from the Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development and encourages more commitment from other Commissioners; notes the special responsibility of the High Representative to coordinate and strengthen this engagement in the coming years;

Amendment

13. Stresses that the success of the GAP II will ultimately depend on long term and consistent engagement of high level political and senior leadership across all EU actors ***as well as in the availability of sufficient human and financial resources for its implementation;*** welcomes in this regard the positive engagement from the Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development and encourages more commitment from other Commissioners; notes the special responsibility of the High Representative to coordinate and strengthen this engagement in the coming years; ***calls for all EU actors to make use of the Gender Resource Package to ensure that gender mainstreaming is consistently applied to realise the ambitious goals of the GAP II;***

Or. en

Amendment 140

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 e. Urges the EU to take advantage of the mid-term review of its international cooperation programmes to increase funding for gender overall in bilateral cooperation and through thematic programmes;

Or. en

Amendment 141

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 f. Welcomes, in this regard, the launching of the joint EU-UN global gender initiative so-called Spotlight Initiative in line with the objective of the GAP II to address sexual and gender-based violence and harmful practices such as female genital mutilation (FGM), early forced marriage, or human trafficking; stresses that recognising and enforcing SRHR are preconditions to end violence against women and girls and calls for the Spotlight Initiative to be resourced with additional funds not already earmarked to gender equality; notes, however, that the Spotlight Initiative addresses mainly elements of the agenda which are already a shared concern globally, as proven by the implementation report and underlines, therefore, the need to advance gender equality in a more comprehensive way, through an adequate mix of programmes and modalities;

Or. en

Amendment 142

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 a. *Calls for increased funding of the Gender Resource Package to realise the ambitious goals of the GAP II; urges the Commission to use the mid term review of its international cooperation programmes to increase funding for streamlining gender into bilateral cooperation and through thematic programmes; welcomes in this regard the launch of the joint EU-UN global "Spotlight Initiative", in line with the objectives of the GAP, to eliminate all forms of gender-based violence and harmful practices such as female genital mutilation, early forced marriage, or human trafficking; stresses that recognising and enforcing SRHR are preconditions to end gender-based violence and calls for the Spotlight Initiative to be resourced with additional funds not already earmarked to gender equality;*

Or. en

Amendment 143
Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13. Stresses that the success of the GAP II will ultimately depend on long term and consistent engagement of high level political and senior leadership across all EU actors; welcomes in this regard the positive engagement from the Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development and encourages more commitment from other

13. Stresses that the success of the GAP II will ultimately depend on long term and consistent engagement of high level political and senior leadership across all EU actors **and by adapting EU efforts to local realities in the recipient countries;** welcomes in this regard the positive engagement from the Commissioner for International Cooperation and

Commissioners; notes the special responsibility of the High Representative to coordinate and strengthen this engagement in the coming years;

Development and encourages more commitment from other Commissioners; notes the special responsibility of the High Representative to coordinate and strengthen this engagement in the coming years;

Or. en

Amendment 144

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Stresses that the success of the GAP II will ultimately depend on long term and consistent engagement of high level political and senior leadership across all EU actors; welcomes in this regard the positive engagement from the Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development and encourages more commitment from other Commissioners; notes *the special responsibility of* the High Representative to coordinate and strengthen this engagement in the coming years;

Amendment

13. Stresses that the success of the GAP II will ultimately depend on long term and consistent engagement of high level political and senior leadership across all EU actors; welcomes in this regard the positive engagement from the Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development and encourages more commitment from other Commissioners; notes *that more political leadership rom the High Representative and managers is needed to increase resources and accountability and* to coordinate and strengthen this engagement in the coming years;

Or. en

Amendment 145

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 a. Emphasises that universal respect for and access to SRHR contributes to the achievement of all the health-related

development goals; prenatal care and the ability to avoid high-risk births, reduce infant and child mortality; points out that family planning, maternal health and safe and free abortion services are important elements to save women's lives;

Or. en

Amendment 146

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 a. Calls for the establishment of a sanction system for EU delegations lacking commitment in the GAP implementation;

Or. en

Amendment 147

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 b. Strongly condemns the Global Gag Rule and its impact on girls access to comprehensive sexuality education, sexual and reproductive health and rights services, including safe and legal abortions; Calls on the EU and the Member States to counter the impact of the gag rule by significantly increasing financing for sexual and reproductive health and rights, in particular funding explicitly destined to ensure access to birth control and safe and legal abortion, using both national as well as EU development funding, in order to fill the financing gap left after the Trump

administration's moves to crease funding all overseas aid organisations that provide sexual and reproductive health and rights services;emphasises that universal respect for and access to sexual and reproductive health and rights contributes to prenatal care and the ability to avoid high-risk birth, such as in the case of child pregnancies, and reduce infant and child mortality;points out that family planning, maternal health and safe abortion services are fundamental elements to save girls' and women's lives;

Or. en

Amendment 148
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 b. Calls on the EEAS to improve the implementation of the EU LGBTI Guidelines and to ensure that EUDs consult regularly with LGBTI organisations and inform them on what is being done on LGBTI rights, to ensure that the level of engagement and the actions taken depend on the needs of the LGBTI community in a country, not on the personal commitment of Delegation staff and to coordinate strategy and action not only with National Embassies of EU Member States, but also with Embassies of third countries and with international organisations such as the UN;

Or. en

Amendment 149
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13 b (new)

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Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 b. *Notes that adequate funding on gender equality in external relations will be necessary to sustain political commitment to this goal; stresses that current funding for gender equality and women's empowerment actions remain inadequate and urges to reverse this situation in the next MFF;*

Or. en

Amendment 150

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellési, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 c. *Strongly condemns the reinstatement and expansion of the Global Gag Rule and its impact on women's and girls' global health care and rights; reiterates its call on the EU, together with its Member States, to fill the financing gap left by the US in the area of sexual and reproductive health and rights, using EU development funding;*

Or. en

Amendment 151

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 c. *Urges that the provision of humanitarian aid by the EU and the Member States should not be subject to restrictions imposed by other partner donors regarding necessary medical*

treatment, including access to safe abortion for women and girls who are victims of rape in armed conflicts, and should instead follow international humanitarian law;

Or. en

Amendment 152

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 d. Acknowledges the fact that the growing trend of liberalisation, privatisation and reduction of basic social services, and the weakening of governments to ensure equitable access to social protection, which increase feminisation of poverty, has brought into sharp relief the need to find systemic solutions to the serious lack of social protection affecting women workers; calls for the promotion of Gender-Responsive Social protection by including the issue of women's and men's roles in care economies;

Or. en

Amendment 153

Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context; recommends nonetheless that delegations should be encouraged to have shown progress on at least one priority per

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context; *this way addressing particular challenge for enhancing women's rights and their economic empowerment*; recommends

thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of *the* different thematic areas;

nonetheless that delegations should be encouraged to have shown progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of different thematic areas *such as strengthening policies and measures promoting education for girls and their implications in terms of health and economic empowerment; urges to focus on the situation of women and girls in conflict-affected areas, together with gender violence, and most particularly the use of rape as a weapon of war;*

Or. en

Amendment 154

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context; recommends nonetheless that delegations should be encouraged to have shown progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of the different thematic areas;

Amendment

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context; recommends nonetheless that delegations should be encouraged to have shown progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of the different thematic areas; *further recalls that EU funded actions and projects should systematically aim to tackle gender inequalities and discrimination;*

Or. en

Amendment 155

Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context; recommends nonetheless that delegations should *be encouraged* to have shown progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of the different thematic areas;

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context, *since this makes for case-by-case analysis and assessment of the specific needs of each country or region*; recommends nonetheless that delegations should *have* to have shown progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of the different thematic areas;

Or. pt

Amendment 156

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context; recommends nonetheless that delegations *should be encouraged to have shown* progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of the different thematic areas;

Amendment

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context; recommends nonetheless that delegations *must report* progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II, *as per the requirements enshrined in GAP II*, to ensure a more even coverage of the different thematic areas;

Or. en

Amendment 157

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14

Motion for a resolution

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context;

Amendment

14. Welcomes the flexibility the GAP II gives delegations to choose priorities according to their country context; *stresses*

recommends nonetheless that delegations **should be encouraged to have shown** progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of the different thematic areas;

nonetheless that delegations **must report** progress on at least one priority per thematic pillar, **as required by GAP II**, by the end of the GAP II to ensure a more even coverage of the different thematic areas;

Or. en

Amendment 158
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Recalls the importance of using gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Amendment

15. Recalls the importance of using gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues; ***insists that gender mainstreaming should be integrated in national plans and policy frameworks in order to ensure the ownership and responsibility of partner countries;***

Or. en

Amendment 159
Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. ***Recalls the importance of using*** gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Amendment

15. ***Notes the use of*** gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Or. en

Amendment 160
Linda McAvan

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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Recalls the importance of using gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Amendment

15. Recalls the importance of using ***systematically including*** gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across ***all*** sectorial policy dialogues, ***including in areas such as energy, agriculture, transport, education, and public administration which have so far received less attention;***

Or. en

Amendment 161
Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Recalls the importance of using gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Amendment

15. Recalls the importance of using gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues, ***including in areas such as energy, agriculture, transport, education, and public services, which have received less attention to date; and points to the importance of working with partner countries on gender-sensitive national budgeting;***

Or. pt

Amendment 162
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Recalls the importance of using

Amendment

15. Recalls the importance of using

gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

gender mainstreaming, *when possible*, in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues, *with the aim of enhancing equality between women and man as well as women's economic empowerment in a more structural way*;

Or. en

Amendment 163

Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Recalls the importance of using gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Amendment

15. Recalls the importance of using gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues; *and of supporting development projects promoted by women from the countries in question*;

Or. fr

Amendment 164

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Recalls the *importance of using* gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Amendment

15. Recalls the *obligation under the treaties to apply* gender mainstreaming in *all EU activities, including* political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Or. en

Amendment 165

Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Recalls the importance of **using gender mainstreaming** in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Amendment

15. Recalls the importance of **mainstreaming equality of rights between women and men** in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Or. fr

Amendment 166
Jana Žitňanská

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Recalls the importance of **using** gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Amendment

15. Recalls the importance of **taking into account** gender mainstreaming in political dialogues and across sectorial policy dialogues;

Or. sk

Amendment 167
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 a. Notes that gender mainstreaming training is taking place only in some delegations and that large parts of the staff trained had contractual status with temporary assignments; calls on the EU delegations to fix this situation;

Or. en

Amendment 168

Jana Žitňanská

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15a. Stresses the importance, during political dialogue, of improving women's participation in education, economic activities, employment and business as a priority means of improving women's position in society;

Or. sk

Amendment 169

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using sex-disaggregated data, with the participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing and managing gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using sex-disaggregated data, with the participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries **and a far higher use of gender equality criteria in programme and project monitoring systems and evaluation processes and for gender analysis to play a role in defining country strategy objectives, programmes, projects and dialogue**; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing and managing gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination **and not to limit gender analysis to obvious policy fields like education and maternal health, but to consider as well policy fields, which are currently wrongly considered to be gender neutral notably agriculture, climate or energy**;

Or. en

Amendment 170

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using *sex-disaggregated* data, with the participation of local CSOs and *women's* groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing *and* managing gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

Amendment

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using *sex and age-disaggregated* data, *in consultation and* with the participation of local CSOs and *women and feminist* groups, *human rights organisations and local and regional authorities for the selection and assessment of the choice of objectives, the means of implementation and monitoring sources, and the efficacy and sustainability of the outcomes*; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing, managing *and updating* gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

Or. en

Amendment 171

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using *sex-disaggregated* data, *with the* participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore

Amendment

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using *gender-disaggregated* data, *in consultation with and* participation of local CSOs and women's groups, *human rights' organisations and local and regional authorities for the selection and assessment of the choice of objectives, the*

possibilities for sharing *and* managing gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

means of implementation and available sources, and the efficacy and sustainability of the outcomes; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing, managing *and updating* gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

Or. en

Amendment 172
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using sex-disaggregated data, with the participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing and managing *gender* analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

Amendment

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using *objective* sex-disaggregated data, with the participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes *the fact* that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing and managing *the analysis of equality of rights between women and men* in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

Or. fr

Amendment 173
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis,

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16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic *and evidence-based*

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using sex-disaggregated data, with the participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing and managing gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

gender analysis, using sex-disaggregated data, with the participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing and managing gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

Or. en

Amendment 174
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using sex-disaggregated data, with the participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing and managing gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

Amendment

16. Underlines the importance of conducting systematic gender analysis, using *when possible*, sex-disaggregated data, with the participation of local CSOs and women's groups; welcomes that 42 country gender analyses have been completed and encourages rapid completion for all other countries; encourages the EU to explore possibilities for sharing and managing gender analysis in a more systematic manner to help improve coordination;

Or. en

Amendment 175
Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16 a. Welcomes the fact that several EU Delegations have organised staff trainings on gender analysis for gender focal

persons, Political Section staffs and Programme Managers; calls on more EU Delegations to organise gender mainstreaming trainings for management level staffs and to exchange the best practices among EU Delegations and Missions in this respect;

Or. en

Amendment 176
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16 a. *Stresses the need to further improve data collection at national level, develop specific indicators with targets set based on those indicators as well as the importance of their monitoring aligned with SDG framework;*

Or. en

Amendment 177
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys

and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men; ***stresses that social norms with regards to women's and men's roles place women in a situation of greater vulnerability, particularly in relation to their sexual and reproductive health, and leading to harmful practices such as Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) or child, early and forced marriages;***

Or. en

Amendment 178
Eleni Theocharous

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; ***stresses the need for a growing role of women in local communities and NGOs in monitoring and holding local authorities accountable;*** notes that girls and women are agents of change ***and development*** and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men; ***encourages, thus, a broad based education for behavioral change regarding gender based violence, engaging all men and boys and communities;***

Or. en

Amendment 179
Jana Žitňanská

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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further ***work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or*** developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; ***notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;***

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible;

Or. sk

Amendment 180
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men; ***stresses that social norms with regards to women's and men's roles place women in a situation of greater vulnerability, particularly in relation to their sexual and reproductive health, concerning harmful***

practices such as FGM or child, early and forced marriages;

Or. en

Amendment 181
Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; ***notes that girls and women are*** agents of change and ***that*** inclusion of boys and men ***is*** necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; ***maintains that rather than representing women and girls as 'vulnerable', emphasis should be laid on their role as*** agents of change and ***development and as agents for peace in conflict resolution; stresses that that the inclusion and active involvement*** of boys and men ***are*** necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Or. pt

Amendment 182
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with ***regards*** to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with ***regard*** to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with

civil society, *grass roots* organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

civil society, *grass-roots* organisations advocating women's rights, ***provided that such organisations are not politicised and are working to promote harmony rather than opposition between men and women***, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Or. fr

Amendment 183
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, ***and involvement of*** the private sector, ***if possible***; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social ***and cultural*** norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, grass roots organisations advocating women's rights ***and empowerment, in particular in context of state fragility and conflict and emergency situation; believes that*** , creating new or developing existing networks ***and involving all key actors, including*** the private sector, ***is essential***; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Or. en

Amendment 184
Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution

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Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, **grass roots** organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, **grass-roots** organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector **and development of public-private partnerships**, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Or. fr

Amendment 185 Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that women's rights are human rights and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, **grass roots** organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Amendment

17. Recalls that women's rights are **consistent with** human rights **as a whole** and encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater cooperation with civil society, **grass-roots** organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Or. fr

Amendment 186

Mylène Troszczynski, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17

Motion for a resolution

17. Recalls that **women's rights are human** rights and **encourages further work to be undertaken with regards to addressing social norms and gender stereotypes in societies through greater** cooperation with civil society, **grass roots** organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Amendment

17. Recalls that **women and men have equal** rights and **that, bearing this in mind, anything impinging on those rights should be deplored and condemned; points out that awareness raising about threats to women's rights in the EU can be carried out in** cooperation with civil society **and grass-roots** organisations advocating women's rights, creating new or developing existing networks, and involvement of the private sector, if possible; notes that girls and women are agents of change and that inclusion of boys and men is necessary to ensure real equality between women and men;

Or. fr

Amendment 187

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Thierry Cornillet, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 a. Strongly regrets that indicators related to family planning or reproductive health are neglected both in terms of funding and programmes, and is concerned that according to the report no EUDs in the Middle East and North Africa and the Europe and Central Asia regions choose any SRHR-related indicator, given the important needs regarding SRHR in these regions; calls on the EU delegations in these regions to re-evaluate whether this is linked to reporting issues or if there is a need to complement current programmes with

targeted actions on SRHR, taking advantage of the mid term review of the programming;

Or. en

Amendment 188
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 a. Calls on the EU to promote legal frameworks and strategies that encourage a greater and more effective participation of women in peacekeeping, peace building and mediation processes and EU military and civil crisis management missions, in accordance with the UNSCR 1325 on Women and Peace and Security, with a particular focus on conflict-related sexual violence; to this end, considers that gender-sensitive conflict analysis, in consultation with community based actors and women's organisations, may allow a better understanding of the role of women in conflict;

Or. en

Amendment 189
Viorica Dăncilă

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 a. Calls on the EU Delegations and Missions to support women's participation in conflict prevention and resolution, peacebuilding, peace negotiations and post-conflict reconstruction process in partner countries, such as the provision of support to the development and review of

National Action Plans on UN Security Council resolution 1325; Strongly encourages the EU Delegations and Missions to ensure the integration of gender analysis to aid projects and programmes in partner countries affected by conflict;

Or. en

Amendment 190

Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza, Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 a. Stresses the need of budgetary allocations for child marriage prevention programmes that aim to create an environment where girls can achieve their full potential, including by means of education, social and economic programmes for out-of-school girls, child protection schemes, girls' and women's shelters, legal counselling, and psychological support;

Or. en

Amendment 191

Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

4 d. Welcomes that many EU Delegations focused on combatting violence against women; insists in this context on the need to ensure the protection of the right to life and dignity of all women and girls by actively combating harmful practices such as gendercide; highlights the fact that the use

of rape as a weapon of war and oppression must be eliminated, and that the EU must bring pressure to bear on third-country governments and all stakeholders implicated in regions where such gender-based violence takes place, in order to bring the practice to an end, bring perpetrators to justice and work with survivors, affected women and communities to help them heal and recover;

Or. en

Amendment 192
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 b. Welcomes that many EU Delegations focused on combatting violence against women; insists in this context on the need to ensure the protection of the right to life and dignity of all women and girls by actively combating harmful practices such as gendercide, female genital mutilation and forced marriage; highlights the fact that the use of rape as a weapon of war and oppression must be eliminated, and that the EU must bring pressure to bear on third-country governments and all stakeholders implicated in regions where such gender-based violence takes place, in order to bring these practices to an end, bring perpetrators to justice and work with survivors, affected women and communities to help them heal and recover;

Or. en

Amendment 193
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 b. Notes that priorities related to family planning or reproductive health are neglected both in terms of funding and programmes; regrets that no EUDs in the Middle East and North Africa and the Europe and Central Asia regions chose any SRHR-related indicator despite the great need regarding SRHR in these regions; calls on EUDs in these regions to re-evaluate these worrying figures to determine whether they may be linked to misreporting or if there is a need to complement current programmes with targeted actions on SRHR, taking advantage of the mid-term review of the programming;

Or. en

Amendment 194

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 b. Stresses the importance of increasing involvement, by regular dialogue and coordination, of Civil Society Organisations and other stakeholders such as human rights, health, or environmental actors with EUD's, as such cooperation will contribute to improving the visibility and implementation of the GAPII, thereby increasing public accountability to progress on gender equality;

Or. en

Amendment 195

Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 c. Is concerned that insufficient attention is being given to the protection of women's rights defenders and women's rights organisations, considering that they are currently under huge pressure due to the shrinking civic space in many regions; is equally concerned that the thematic priority on political and civil rights, specifically the participation of women and girls in political and civil rights, has been given little priority in GAP II implementation;

Or. en

Amendment 196

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

17 c. Calls on the EU Delegations to ensure effective and regular data collection on violence against women and girls, to elaborate country-specific recommendations, and to promote the establishment of protective mechanisms and adequate support structures for victims;

Or. en

Amendment 197

Arne Gericke

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire systematically about gender programming and work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

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Or. en

Amendment 198

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire systematically about gender programming and work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire systematically about gender programming and work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment **and to include meetings with women organisations (women business organisations, organisations representing female workers, organisations defending human and women rights, etc.) in the mission programmes;**

Or. en

Amendment 199

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire systematically about

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire systematically about

gender programming and work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

gender programming and *the results of gender analysis, and* work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

Or. en

Amendment 200
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire systematically about *gender* programming and work *on promoting gender* equality as well as *women's empowerment*;

Amendment

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire systematically about programming and work *in relation to the promotion of equality of rights between men and women and fundamental freedoms*;

Or. fr

Amendment 201
Jana Žitňanská

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations *in their work with their partner countries to enquire* systematically *about gender programming and work on promoting* gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

Amendment

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations *to make efforts to* systematically *promote* gender equality as well as women's empowerment, *where necessary*;

Or. sk

Amendment 202
Dubravka Šuica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to *enquire* systematically about gender programming and work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

Amendment

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to systematically *enquire* about gender programming and work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

Or. en

Amendment 203
Mylène Troszczynski, Jean-Luc Schaffhauser

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire *systematically* about gender programming and work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

Amendment

18. Encourages European Parliament delegations in their work with their partner countries to enquire, *if necessary*, about gender programming and work on promoting gender equality as well as women's empowerment;

Or. fr

Amendment 204
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18a. Advises the European Parliament to ensure that sexual harassment within the institution is outlawed, thereby enhancing its credibility when it passes judgment on or assesses the action of other institutions or other countries with regard to respect for equality of rights between men and

women;

Or. fr

Amendment 205

Linda McAvan

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18 a. Calls for country gender analysis reports to be made available by the Commission and included in the background briefings for all European Parliament delegations to third countries;

Or. en

Amendment 206

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18 a. Calls on the European Parliament to ensure a better gender-balanced composition of members taking part in its delegations;

Or. en

Amendment 207

Jana Žitňanská

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19. Recommends that the European Parliament should examine future GAP II

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implementation reports *periodically and possibly every two years*;

implementation reports;

Or. sk

Amendment 208
Jana Žitňanská

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19a. *Stresses that, despite the different views on the way in which individual policies are implemented, it supports efforts and programmes contributing to the improvement of the position of women and the principle of gender equality;*

Or. sk

Amendment 209
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20. Underlines the need for a simplified method of reporting which keeps bureaucracy to a minimum; calls for the development of online reporting, clear templates and the issuing of a guidebook to facilitate the work of the delegations;

20. Underlines the need for a simplified method of reporting which keeps bureaucracy to a minimum;***call for future implementation reports to be finalised and released in a shorter timeframe***; calls for the development of online reporting, clear templates and the issuing of a guidebook to facilitate the work of the delegations;

Or. en

Amendment 210
Mireille D'Ornano

Motion for a resolution

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Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Underlines the need for a simplified method of reporting which keeps bureaucracy to a minimum; calls for the development of online reporting, clear templates and the issuing of a guidebook to facilitate the work of the delegations;

Amendment

20. Underlines the need for a simplified method of reporting which keeps bureaucracy to a minimum; calls for the development, ***on a fixed budget***, of online reporting, clear templates and the issuing of a guidebook to facilitate the work of the delegations;

Or. fr

Amendment 211 Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20a. Points to the need for tangible goals and activities linked to clear, specific reference points and a strict schedule, and for qualitative assessment of data showing the real impact that measures implemented have had on recipient countries, the object being to ensure that the GAP II serves as a genuine prioritising and policy implementation mechanism, as opposed to a mere in-house reporting tool;

Or. pt

Amendment 212 Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. Stresses the need to support the strengthening of national statistical capacities and mechanisms in partner

countries, effectively coordinating financial and technical assistance in order to allow a better measurement, monitoring and management of the results obtained in the field of gender mainstreaming;

Or. en

Amendment 213

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. Calls on the Commission to collect gender-disaggregated data in the implementation of EU financed programmes on women's empowerment;

Or. en

Amendment 214

Liliana Rodrigues

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20b. Points to the need not just for sound gender mainstreaming policies, but also for reports on specific practical actions – particularly in sensitive areas such as sexual and reproductive health – with which to gauge the real impact on the lives of women and girls, and of men and boys as well;

Or. pt

Amendment 215

Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 b. Recalls, however, that engendering data is more than collecting gender-disaggregated data and calls for the improvement of data collection in order to be able to make a qualitative analysis of women's situation, for example, regarding working conditions;

Or. en

Amendment 216
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 c. Stresses the need to improve the reliability of the gender analysis by harmonising the data collected by EU delegations in a manner to make it comparable;

Or. en

Amendment 217
Jordi Solé, Florent Marcellesi, Heidi Hautala, Maria Heubuch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Points that international and national partners, academia, think tanks, and women's organisations should not only be consulted but their input and expertise should also feed into the monitoring of EU financed activities and programmes on gender equality;

Amendment 218
Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. Underlines that the dedicated chapter on SRHR must be kept in the annual report in order to truly assess the transformative impact of the GAP II, and to ensure that SRHR progress is appropriately captured by the methodological approach of the report;

Or. en

Amendment 219
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Catherine Bearder, Thierry Cornillet, Sophia in 't Veld

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Underlines that the dedicated chapter on SRHR should be maintained in the annual report to ensure that SRHR progress is appropriately and systematically documented by the methodological approach of the report;

Or. en