AMENDMENT 15
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Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

13. Is of the view that the European Union should play a more active role in non-proliferation and disarmament policies, and therefore seeks the establishment of a European conversion and disarmament agency and of a European agency for monitoring the prohibition of arms exports;

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Paragraph 34

34. Takes note that the (deletion) threat of the use of force by the US has played an important role in putting the disarmament work of UNSCOM and UNMOVIC at risk and that the false allegation by the US that Iraq possessed weapons of mass destruction has done untold damage to future UN disarmament initiatives;
Paragraph 35

35. Considers that linking disarmament initiatives with allegations of threats of war in the work carried out by international verification teams - as in the case of the Iraq war - leads to such work being discredited and adds to the promotion of an arbitrary situation in international politics, the violation of international law and consequently the use of military force;
Paragraph 38

38. Stresses the importance of the adoption of measures aimed at discouraging States from withdrawal from the NPT; supports the efforts by some EU Member States which are NPT signatories to examine Article X on withdrawal from the Treaty and to facilitate referral to the UN Security Council in the event of withdrawal; *considers that making Europe a nuclear-weapon-free zone would be a confidence-building step; calls therefore for the withdrawal of US nuclear weapons from Europe, for an end to plans for "European nuclear arms" to be included in European defence as mentioned in the European Defence Paper and for the abolition of British and French nuclear weapons;*
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Paragraph 39

39. Calls on the Nuclear-Weapons States under the NPT - with particular emphasis on NATO members UK, France and USA, strengthening their moral authority and credibility - to pursue timely, progressive and significant steps towards the elimination of their nuclear arsenals in accordance with the undertakings contained in legally binding treaties and agreements; **and calls on the Federal Republic of Germany to eliminate its uranium enrichment potential in the research reactor at Garching near Munich;**

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