Amendment 1
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

2a. Recalls that the enforcement of austerity policies and the recession felt in many Member States impedes them from enjoying the economic advantages of the Services Directive;

Or. en

Amendment 2
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 4 a (new)

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Amendment

4a. Recalls that the Services Directive must be interpreted in the light of the new Treaty provisions, in particular Article 3 of the Treaty on European Union, the horizontal social clause in Article 9 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU), Article 14 TFEU, Protocol No 26 annexed to the Treaties, and the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union;

Or. en

Amendment 3
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

5a. Reiterates the need to take account of the medium- and long-term effects, as well as the impact – both quantitatively (job creation, job destruction) and qualitatively (job quality, working conditions) – of the Services Directive on employment in the EU;

Or. en

Amendment 4
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 8 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

8a. Notes the new Commission communication entitled 'Single Market Act II – Together for new growth', which aims to enhance the integration of the Single Market within the EU, stimulate growth and foster the creation of high-quality jobs, particularly for young people; welcomes the support offered by the communication to social entrepreneurship; calls for this initiative to be followed by others in support of SMEs as a whole;

Or. en

Amendment 5
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12a. Notes that all main stakeholders have to commit themselves to properly enforcing the full implementation of Single Market legislation, whilst also ensuring that its social dimension is taken into account; recalls that the directive does not apply to labour law, nor does it affect Member States' social security legislation; considers that the deepening of the internal market in services should be seen as an opportunity to strengthen social welfare, workers' rights and decent working conditions for all EU citizens, including implementation of the principle of equal pay for equal work enshrined in Article 157 TFEU; considers as well that provisions on social protection and health and safety at work cannot be viewed as constituting disproportionate restrictions;

Or. en

Amendment 6
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15a. Welcomes the efforts to provide legal certainty to business and consumers with tools such as the Consumers Rights Directive, the Alternative Dispute Resolution Directive and the Online Dispute Resolution Regulation; recalls the need for establishing a coherent, EUwide collective redress mechanism in the field of consumer protection, to serve as a crucial instrument for supporting healthy competition;

Or. en

Amendment 7
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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 33 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33a. Recommends proceeding to an ex post evaluation of the impact of the liberalisation of services on consumer rights, employment and living and working conditions, and evaluating this impact in relation to the expected effects at the time of adoption of the directive;

Or. en