Amendment 10

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on behalf of The Left Group

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Motion for a resolution Recital -A

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

-A. Expresses its concern about the record-breaking USD 2.2 trillion in global defence spending in 2023, the subventions for the military-industrial complex, and the lack of efforts to achieve diplomatic solutions;

Or. en

Amendment 11

Marc Botenga, Mick Wallace, Clare Daly, Manu Pineda, Manon Aubry, Leila Chaibi, Marina Mesure, Younous Omarjee, Özlem Demirel, Dimitrios Papadimoulis, Stelios Kouloglou, Giorgos Georgiou, Nikolaj Villumsen, Malin Björk on behalf of The Left Group

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3

Motion for a resolution

3. Condemns, in the strongest possible terms, the despicable terrorist attacks committed by the terrorist group Hamas against Israel, including the taking of hostages, and expresses its support for the State of Israel and its people; calls for the immediate and unconditional release of all hostages who have been taken by the terrorist group Hamas and for the bodies of deceased hostages to be returned; emphasises Israel's right to defend itself in line with international law and international humanitarian law; calls for continued, rapid, safe and unhindered humanitarian access and aid to reach those in need through all necessary measures including humanitarian corridors and pauses for humanitarian needs; expresses its deepest sorrow and full solidarity with the innocent victims on both sides, their families and loved ones: calls for those responsible for terrorist acts and for violations of international law to be held to account;

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Or. en

Amendment 12

Manon Aubry, Leila Chaibi, Marina Mesure, Younous Omarjee, Özlem Demirel, Dimitrios Papadimoulis, Stelios Kouloglou, Nikolaj Villumsen, Malin Björk on behalf of The Left Group

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3a. Condemns the blockade of Gaza by Israel, which prevents civilians from accessing water, food and medication and is causing immense suffering among the civilian population; urges its immediate lifting;

Or. en

Amendment 13

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3b. Underlines that the blockade and bombing of Gaza and other attacks by Israeli forces on civilian populations are collective punishments and indiscriminate and disproportionate attacks that could amount to war crimes;

Or. en

Amendment 14

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3c. Stresses that the interim ruling issued by the International Court of Justice (ICJ) – the highest UN court – states that there is plausible evidence to investigate Israel for genocide and calls on Israel to take steps to prevent this genocide; calls on the EU Member States to support the ICJ and to demand that Israel immediately comply with the legally binding orders issued by the ICJ;

Or. en

Amendment 15

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3d. Notes that Israel stands accused of genocide and that the ICJ has ordered Israel to prevent acts of genocide; calls, therefore, for the immediate termination of the EU-Israel Association Agreement, as the EU and its Member States cannot be complicit in Israeli war crimes in Gaza;

Or. en

Amendment 16

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3e. Call for the Member States to immediately stop arms exports to Israel in line with Common Position 2008/944/CFSP; warns that countries that support Israel with arms shipments can now be sued in the ICJ for aiding and abetting genocide against Palestinians in violation of Article 3e of the Genocide Convention, which criminalises complicity;

Or. en

Amendment 17

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 3 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

3f. Calls for an immediate ceasefire in Gaza;

Or. en

Amendment 18

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 14 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14a. Calls for the EU to launch an ambitious diplomatic initiative to secure an immediate ceasefire in Ukraine and end the war;

Or. en

Amendment 19

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Motion for a resolution Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Calls for the appointment of a Defence Union Commissioner (DUC), within the next Commission who is responsible for the finalisation of a true European Defence Union and all defencerelated matters, including CSDP, following a clear division of tasks with the VP/HR; believes that, together with the tobe-established fully-fledged Security and Defence Committee in the Parliament, the DUC should jointly oversee a dedicated and substantial Defence Union budget;

Amendment

18. Recalls that according to Article 41.2 TEU, expenditure arising from operations having military or defence implications must not be charged to the Union budget;

Or. en