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# **AMENDMENTS**

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**Draft report**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
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Arms export: implementation of Common Position 2008/944/CFSP  
(2020/2003(INI))



**Amendment 1**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

— having regard to the principles enshrined in Article 21 of the Treaty on European Union (TEU), notably the promotion of democracy and the rule of law, the preservation of peace, the prevention of conflicts and the strengthening of international security,

*Amendment*

— having regard to the principles enshrined **in Article 346.1 (b) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) on the production of or trade in arms, in Article 42.3 of the Treaty on European Union (TEU) on “defining a European capabilities and armaments policy”**, and in Article 21 of the Treaty on European Union (TEU), notably the promotion of democracy and the rule of law, the preservation of peace, the prevention of conflicts and the strengthening of international security,

Or. en

**Amendment 2**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

— having regard to the updated Common Military List of the European Union, adopted by the Council on **18** February **2019**<sup>7</sup>,

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<sup>7</sup> OJ C **95**, **12.3.2019**, p. 1.

*Amendment*

— having regard to the updated Common Military List of the European Union, adopted by the Council on **17** February **2020**<sup>7</sup>,

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<sup>7</sup> OJ C **85**, **13.3.2020**, p. 1.

Or. en

**Amendment 3**  
**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 7**

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<sup>7</sup> OJ C **85**, **13.3.2020**, p. 1

Or. en

**Amendment 4**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

— having regard to the updated Common Military List of the European Union, adopted by the Council on **18** February **2019**<sup>7</sup>,

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<sup>7</sup> OJ C **95**, **12.3.2019**, p. 1.

*Amendment*

— having regard to the updated Common Military List of the European Union, adopted by the Council on **17** February **2020**<sup>7</sup>,

Or. fr

**Amendment 5**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Citation 14**

*Motion for a resolution*

— having regard to the **Commission** proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 June

*Amendment*

— having regard to the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 June 2018 establishing

2018 establishing the European Defence Fund (EDF) (COM(2018)0476) *and to the common understanding reached between the co-legislators during negotiations,*

the European Defence Fund (EDF) (COM(2018)0476),

Or. fr

**Amendment 6**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Joachim Schuster**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 16 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to UN Resolution 2216 (2015) on arm embargo to Yemen and the OHCHR report A/HRC/39/43 on the Situation of human rights in Yemen, including violations and abuses since September 2014,*

Or. en

**Amendment 7**

**Nikos Androulakis, Demetris Papadakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 16 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to Council Decision (CFSP) 2020/472 of 31 March 2020 on a European Union military operation in the Mediterranean (EUNAVFOR MED IRINI)<sup>1a</sup>,*

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<sup>1a</sup> OJ L 101, 1.4.2020, p. 4

Or. en

**Amendment 8**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Joachim Schuster**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 16 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to UN Security Council resolution 2473 (2019) adopted on 10 June 2019 which renewed measures designed to implement the arms embargo against Libya and to the United Nations Support Mission in Libya (UNSMIL) statement of 25 January 2020 on continued violations of arm embargo in Libya,*

Or. en

**Amendment 9**

**Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 16 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1970 (2011) imposing the arms embargo in Libya and all its subsequent resolutions, as well as its Resolutions 2292 (2016), 2357 (2017), 2420 (2018) and 2473 (2019) on the strict implementation of the arms embargo,*

Or. en

**Amendment 10**

**Nikos Androulakis, Demetris Papadakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the Conclusions of European Council of 16 October 2019 on Turkey, which endorsed the Conclusions of the Foreign Affairs Council of 14 October 2019 on its illegal actions in Northern Syria and Eastern Mediterranean,*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 11**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Andrea Cozzolino, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the UN Sustainable Development Goal 16, aiming at the promotion of peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development <sup>14a</sup>*

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*<https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/sdg16>*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 12**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 21 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the NATO Industrial Advisory Group and the*

*existing commitments of Member States who are part of the Transatlantic Defence Technological and Industrial Cooperation (TADIC),*

Or. en

### **Amendment 13**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Joachim Schuster**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Citation 22**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

— having regard to its resolutions on the humanitarian situation in Yemen of 25 February 2016<sup>20</sup>, 15 June 2017<sup>21</sup> and 30 November 2017<sup>22</sup>,

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<sup>20</sup> OJ C 35, 31.1.2018, p. 142.

<sup>21</sup> OJ C 331, 18.9.2018, p. 146.

<sup>22</sup> OJ C 356, 4.10.2018, p. 104.

###### *Amendment*

— having regard to its resolutions on the humanitarian situation in Yemen of 25 February 2016<sup>20</sup>, 15 June 2017<sup>21</sup> and 30 November 2017<sup>22</sup>, ***on the killing of journalist Jamal Khashoggi in the Saudi consulate in Istanbul of 25 October 2018; on Egypt of 24 October 2019, on the UAE, notably the situation of human rights defender Ahmed Mansoor of 4 October 2018,***

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<sup>20</sup> OJ C 35, 31.1.2018, p. 142.

<sup>21</sup> OJ C 331, 18.9.2018, p. 146.

<sup>22</sup> OJ C 356, 4.10.2018, p. 104.

Or. en

### **Amendment 14**

**Michael Gahler**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Citation 27 a (new)**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

###### *Amendment*

- ***having regard to the Treaty between the Federal Republic of Germany***



*and the French Republic on Franco-German Cooperation and Integration of 22 January 2019 (Franco-German Treaty of Aachen),*

Or. en

**Amendment 15**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Joachim Schuster**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 27 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

- *having regard to the EU Foreign Affairs Council conclusions of 21 August 2013 on Egypt,*

Or. en

**Amendment 16**

**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

A. whereas the latest SIPRI figures<sup>24</sup> show that arms exports from the EU-28 amounted to some 26 % of the global total in 2015-2019, making the EU-28 collectively the second largest arms supplier in the world after the USA (36 %) and followed by Russia (21 %);

A. whereas the latest SIPRI figures<sup>24</sup> show that arms exports from the EU-28 amounted to some 26 % of the global total in 2015-2019, making the EU-28 collectively the second largest arms supplier in the world after the USA (36 %) and followed by Russia (21 %); ***questions the validity of this comparison because under Article 346 TEU the production of or trade in arms remain with member states and therefore the aggregated figures cannot be compared to unitary states like the USA or Russia;***

<sup>24</sup> Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI), fact sheet of March 2020 entitled ‘Trends in international arms transfers, 2019’.

<sup>24</sup> Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI), fact sheet of March 2020 entitled ‘Trends in international arms transfers, 2019’.

Or. en

### **Amendment 17**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Aa. whereas a large proportion of arms supplies continue to go to countries in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) region; whereas in 2018, arms to Saudi Arabia worth EUR 1.937 billion, to Egypt worth EUR 1.355 billion and to the United Arab Emirates worth EUR 292 million were exported; whereas these three states are part of the Saudi-led coalition in the Yemen conflict and these exports constitute a clear violation of the Common Position; whereas the current situation in Libya is similar since European arms exports are being authorised to states which are directly involved in the conflict and providing the conflict parties with arms;***

Or. en

### **Amendment 18**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Aa. whereas due to the sharp***

*difference in data formats, in particular as regards the different type of information that Member States use in order to generate data on the value of licences, the annual reports as tool for comparison between countries and destinations or developments over time is unfortunately very limited; whereas because of these shortcomings EU institutions and EU citizens need to rely on alternative sources of information in order to obtain objective information about the EU28 or EU27 exports to third countries;*

Or. en

**Amendment 19**

**Nikos Androulakis, Demetris Papadakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Aa. whereas Criterion Four of the Decision on Preservation of regional peace, security and stability clearly states as a reason of denying an export licence the possibility this military technology or equipment to be used “to assert by force a territorial claim”, including the existence “of a claim against the territory of a neighbouring country which the recipient has in the past tried or threatened to pursue by means of force”;*

Or. en

**Amendment 20**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Joachim Schuster**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Aa. whereas the latest SIPRI figures show that EU-28, is the second arm exporter to both Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates; whereas according to the UN Group of Regional and International Eminent Experts, parties to the armed conflict of Yemen have perpetrated, and continue to perpetrate, violations and crimes under international law;***

Or. en

**Amendment 21**

**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Aa. whereas arms, weapons and equipment exports enhance defence industry's ability to efficiently research and develop defensive technologies and therefore secure ability of the EU Member States to defend themselves and protect their citizens;***

Or. en

**Amendment 22**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Sven Mikser, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Aa. whereas a new arms race in the world is growing and the major military powers no longer rely on arms control and disarmament to reduce international tensions and improve the global security environment;*

Or. en

**Amendment 23**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Aa. whereas the Council's common position of 8 December 2008 is an essential instrument for enhanced cooperation and the closer alignment of Member States' export policies;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 24**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Aa. whereas Member States recognise the special responsibility that may derive from exporting military technology and equipment to third states in influencing or exacerbating existing tensions and conflicts;*

Or. en

**Amendment 25**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Aa. whereas the global crisis created by the COVID-19 pandemic could have significant geostrategic repercussions and strengthens the need to build a genuine European strategic autonomy;***

Or. en

**Amendment 26**  
**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ab. whereas the EU FAC conclusions of 21 August 2013 stated that ‘Member States also agreed to suspend export licenses to Egypt of any equipment which might be used for internal repression and to reassess export licenses of equipment covered by Common Position 2008/944/CFSP and review their security assistance with Egypt’; whereas companies based in several EU Member States have continued to export arms, surveillance technology and other security equipment to Egypt, thus facilitating hacking and malware as well as other forms of attacks on human rights defenders and civil society activists both physically and online; whereas this activity has led to the repression of freedom of expression online;***

Or. en

**Amendment 27**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution  
Recital A b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Ab. whereas in an increasingly unstable multipolar world, where nationalist, xenophobic and anti-democratic forces are on the rise, it is vital for the European Union to become an influential player on the world stage and to keep its leading role as a global “soft power” committed to the disarmament of conventional and nuclear weapons, investing in conflict prevention, crisis management and mediation before military options are considered;*

Or. en

**Amendment 28**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

**Motion for a resolution  
Recital A b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Ab. whereas arms exports and transfers have an undeniable impact on human rights and human security, on socio-economic development and on democracy; whereas arms exports also contribute to circumstances that force people to flee from their countries; whereas these are strong reasons for establishing a transparent, effective, commonly implemented and strictly defined arms control system;*

Or. en

**Amendment 29**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ab. whereas arms exports are essential when it comes to strengthening the industrial and technological base of the European defence industry, which is primarily committed to ensuring the protection and security of the EU Member States while contributing to CFSP implementation;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 30**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ab. whereas divergence in Member States arms export behaviour is sometimes weakening the EU ability to achieve its foreign policy objectives as well as undermining its credibility as an actor speaking with one voice in the international arena;***

Or. en

**Amendment 31**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A b (new)**



*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ab. whereas both the global and regional security environment has dramatically changed, especially with regard to the Union's southern and eastern neighbourhood;***

Or. en

**Amendment 32**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Joachim Schuster**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ac. whereas there is an international arms embargo in place against the Iranian-backed Houthi forces and, according to the 21st EU Annual Report on Arms Exports, EU Member States have continued to authorise transfers of arms to Saudi Arabia and UAE since the escalation of the conflict in Yemen, in violation of Council Common Position 2008/944/CFSP of 8 December 2008 on arms export control;***

Or. en

**Amendment 33**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Isabel Santos, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ac. whereas arms policy is not a tool***

*of economic policy but a matter of security and foreign policy, which must be closely linked to a stronger commitment to international disarmament and the defence of human rights; armaments are not a normal commercial product that can be exported on economic grounds;*

Or. en

**Amendment 34**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Ac. whereas the recent spat over arms exports to Saudi Arabia clearly shows how national arms export decisions are often driven by different political, economic and industrial concerns and how such disunity makes it harder for the EU to influence the behaviour of third countries;*

Or. en

**Amendment 35**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Recital A d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*Ad. whereas the absence of a truly coordinated arms export policy affects negatively the reliability and consistency needed for Member States to engage in joint capability development, ultimately hampering initiatives to improve European defence capabilities;*

**Amendment 36**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A d (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ad. whereas military transparency measures such as reporting on arms export contributes to cross-border trust-building;***

**Amendment 37**

**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A e (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ae. whereas EU final goal should be to go beyond the common position and put in place a common and enforceable EU arms export regime that includes a strong sanctionatory mechanism in case of non-compliance and a supervisory arms control body;***

**Amendment 38**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**

## Subheading 1

*Motion for a resolution*

The 20th and 21st annual reports

*Amendment*

The 20th and 21st *EU* annual reports *on arms exports*

Or. en

## Amendment 39

**Raphaël Glucksmann, Javi López, Tonino Picula, Attila Ara-Kovács, Nikos Androulakis**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph -1 (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**-1. Underlines that maintaining a defence industry serves as part of the self-defence of the Union and is a component of its strategic autonomy; notes that it is only possible if Member States give priority to European products in their equipment programs; stresses that a viable European market would reduce dependency on arms exports to third countries;**

Or. en

## Amendment 40

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

**1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; deplores the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;**

*Amendment*

*deleted*

Or. fr

#### Amendment 41

Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță

#### Motion for a resolution

##### Paragraph 1

###### *Motion for a resolution*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; ***deplores the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;***

###### *Amendment*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports, ***albeit with delay; believes that the publication of both reports represent a step forward towards a common EU position in the field of arms export, in the framework of an ever more challenging international context marked by increasing volumes of export and decreasing levels of transparency; considers both reports as valuable complements to the UN reports on global and regional arms export transparency;***

Or. en

#### Amendment 42

Hannah Neumann

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### Motion for a resolution

##### Paragraph 1

###### *Motion for a resolution*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; deplores the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;

###### *Amendment*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st ***EU*** annual reports ***on arms exports according to Article 8(2) of Council Common Position 2008/944/CFSP which is compiled by the Council Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM) and published in the EU Official Journal;*** deplores the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;

Or. en

**Amendment 43**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; deplores the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;

*Amendment*

1. ***Notes that the common position provides for a transparency procedure involving the publication of annual European Union reports on arms exports; welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; deplores the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 44**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 1**

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; deplores the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;

*Amendment*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; deplores the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018; ***welcomes Member States efforts to comply with Article 346.1 (b) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) on the production of or trade in arms;***

Or. en

**Amendment 45**  
**Urmas Paet**

**Motion for a resolution**

## Paragraph 1

*Motion for a resolution*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; **deplores** the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;

*Amendment*

1. Welcomes the publication of the 20th and 21st annual reports; **regrets** the late publication of information about exports during 2017 and 2018;

Or. en

## Amendment 46

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia**

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 1 a (new)

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**1a. Calls for an EU-wide ban on the export, sale, update and maintenance of any form of security equipment to Saudi Arabia, UAE and Egypt which can be or is used for internal repression, including internet surveillance technology; expresses its concern at the ever-increasing use of certain cybersurveillance dual-use technologies against activists and journalists; welcomes, in this regard, the EU institutions' ongoing efforts to update the dual-use export control regulation;**

Or. en

## Amendment 47

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Joachim Schuster**

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 1 b (new)

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**1b. Recalls its resolution on the**

*situation in Yemen of 4 October 2018; urges all EU Member States in this context to refrain from selling arms and any military equipment to Saudi Arabia, the UAE, and any member of the international coalition, as well as to the Yemeni Government and other parties to the conflict;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 48**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 2**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Notes that **ten** Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and **eleven** to the 21st; deplores **the fact that two** of the main exporting countries – **Germany and the UK** – did not make full submissions;

##### *Amendment*

2. Notes that **19** Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and **19** to the 21st; **underlines that full submission means to submit both the number and value of licences granted and the value of actual exports broken down by Military List category; equally** deplores **that for the 20th report, Belgium, Cyprus, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Malta and the United Kingdom, and for the 21th report Belgium, Cyprus, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Latvia, Malta and the United Kingdom did not report actual exports while, for both reports, France and Italy only submitted aggregated actual exports; states that for the 20th annual report 27 Member States, with the exception of Greece, made at least partial submissions, and for the 21th annual report all 28 Member States submitted data, while around a third of the countries were incomplete in their submissions; deeply** deplores that, with the exception of Spain, **the EU's main exporting countries which are also the countries with the biggest administrative capacities, did not manage to make full submissions; urges all**



*Member States to make full submissions to the 22nd report;*

Or. en

## **Amendment 49**

**Urmas Paet**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 2**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; *deplores* the fact that *two of the main exporting countries – Germany and the UK* – did not make full submissions;

##### *Amendment*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; *according to the Common Position all Member States are obliged to report on their arms exports, and urges all Member States to comply fully with their obligations, as set out in the Common Position; criticises* the fact that *a number of Member States* did not make full submissions *to the annual reports; reiterates its request that all Member States which have not made full submissions provide additional information regarding their past exports with a view to the next annual report;*

Or. en

## **Amendment 50**

**Michael Gahler**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 2**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; *deplores* the fact that *two of the main exporting countries – Germany and the UK* – did not make full submissions;

##### *Amendment*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; *notes* the fact that, *amongst others*, Germany and the UK did not make full submissions *as regards actual exports, a non-mandatory*

*requirement; welcomes however the additional information provided by the governments of Germany and the UK in the “reports by the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany on its Policy on exports of Conventional Military Equipment” 2017 and 2018, and the “UK Strategic Export Controls annual reports” 2017 and 2018;*

Or. en

### **Amendment 51**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 2**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; deplores the fact that two of the main exporting countries – Germany and the UK – did not make full submissions;

###### *Amendment*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; deplores the fact that two of the main exporting countries – Germany and the UK – did not make full submissions; *whereas, according to the Bonn International Centre for Conversion (BICC), Germany in 2018 issued 3.742 licences for the export of military equipment to 61 states which can be classified as problematic with regard to at least one of the eight criteria of the Common Position;*

Or. en

### **Amendment 52**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 2**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

###### *Amendment*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; ***deplores the fact that two of the main*** exporting countries – ***Germany and the UK – did not make full*** submissions;

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st, ***thereby showing an increased implementation of common rules at a time of decreasing global transparency in the arms trade, especially among several major arms*** exporting countries; ***calls on Member States to provide*** submissions for future annual reports with a view to further strengthening the EU's efforts to improve the transparency of the global arms trade;

Or. en

**Amendment 53**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; ***deplores the fact that two of the main exporting countries – Germany and the UK – did not make full*** submissions;

*Amendment*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st;

Or. fr

**Amendment 54**  
**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; ***deplores the fact that two of the main exporting countries – Germany and the UK – did not make full***

*Amendment*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st;

*submissions;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 55**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; *deplores* the fact that two of the main exporting countries – Germany and the UK – did not make full submissions;

*Amendment*

2. Notes that ten Member States made full submissions to the 20th annual report, and eleven to the 21st; *notes* the fact that two of the main exporting countries – Germany and the UK – did not make full submissions;

Or. en

**Amendment 56**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 2 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**2a. Welcomes the German government's decision to extend for the third time after the killing of Saudi dissident Jamal Khashoggi in 2018, the arms embargo on Saudi Arabia, which will now last until December 31, 2020;**

Or. en

**Amendment 57**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 2 b (new)**

**2b. Reiterates its calls on the EU Member States to follow up on their 21 August 2013 conclusions on Egypt announcing the suspension of export licences for any equipment which might be used for internal repression in line with Common Position 2008/944/CFSP, and condemns the persistent non-compliance of EU Member States with these commitments; calls on them therefore to halt exports to Egypt of arms, surveillance technology and other security equipment that can facilitate attacks on human rights defenders and civil society activists, including on social media, as well as any other kind of internal repression; calls on the VP/HR to report on the current state of military and security cooperation by Member States with Egypt; calls for the EU to implement in full its export controls vis-à-vis Egypt with regard to goods that could be used for repression, torture or capital punishment;**

Or. en

**Amendment 58**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

3. **Deplores** the fact that Member States **use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences**, which renders the annual report **considerably less usable** as a comparative data set **and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments; urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data**

3. **Notes** the fact that **the** Member States **have** different **national legislation**, which renders the annual report **difficult to use** as a comparative data set;

*on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 59**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. *Deplores the fact that* Member States *use very different information in order to generate* data on the value of licences, *which renders* the annual report considerably *less* usable as a comparative data set and *serves to diminish* its transparency and accountability *before citizens and parliaments; urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;*

*Amendment*

3. *Calls on* Member States *to use harmonised and EU-level standardised* data on the value of licences *and other arms transfers, with a view to make* the annual report considerably *more* usable as a comparative data set and *as a tool to increase* its transparency and accountability;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 60**

**Urmas Paet**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. *Deplores the fact that* Member States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, which renders the annual report considerably less usable as a comparative

*Amendment*

3. *Is concerned that* Member States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, which renders the annual report considerably less usable as a comparative

data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments; ***urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;***

data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments;

Or. en

**Amendment 61**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. ***Deplores the fact*** that Member States ***use very*** different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, ***which renders the annual report considerably less usable as a comparative data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments; urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;***

*Amendment*

3. ***Acknowledges*** that Member States ***may be forced to use*** different information in order to generate data on the value of licences; ***points out that Article 8 of the common position requires the national authorities to fully comply with their transparency obligations and provide detailed information to the EEAS and to other Member States each year regarding licences issued and consignments delivered;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 62**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

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*Amendment*

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States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, which renders the annual report considerably less usable as a comparative data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments; urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;

States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, which renders the annual report considerably less usable as a comparative data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments; urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report; ***stresses the importance to report actual arms exports including the value of actual exports under global and general licences;***

Or. en

### **Amendment 63**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 3**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

3. ***Deplores the fact*** that Member States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, ***which renders the annual report considerably less usable as a comparative data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments;*** urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;

###### *Amendment*

3. ***Acknowledges*** that Member States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, ***complicating the ability to use comparative data effectively;*** urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;

Or. en

### **Amendment 64**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**



**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. *Deplores the fact that Member States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, which renders the annual report considerably less usable as a comparative data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments; urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;*

*Amendment*

3. *Stresses that research, development, production, distribution and arms export policies must remain the discretion of the Member States as it is a strictly national prerogative; calls on the Commission, the High Representative for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and the European External Action Service to consider arms policy from the point of view of exports in particular and acknowledge that defence, in all its aspects, is exclusively the remit of the Member States;*

Or. fr

**Amendment 65**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3**

*Motion for a resolution*

3. Deplores the fact that Member States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, which renders the annual report considerably less usable as a comparative data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments; urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;

*Amendment*

3. Deplores the fact that Member States use very different information in order to generate data on the value of licences, which renders the annual report considerably less **consistent and** usable as a comparative data set and serves to diminish its transparency and accountability before citizens and parliaments; urges France, in particular, to refrain from submitting data on the value of licences at pre-contract stage and broad values for global licences, which undermines the comparability of the report;

Or. en

**Amendment 66**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**3a. Calls on Member States to increase their coordination and to define common best practices to collect and process information and data to produce more harmonized annual reports in order to improve transparency and usability of such reports;**

Or. en

**Amendment 67**  
**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;**

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 68**  
**Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**

## Paragraph 4

### *Motion for a resolution*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of **several armed** conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;

### *Amendment*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of **on-going sever alarmed conflicts and violations of international law and human rights** remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability **and promotion of international law respect for human rights; notes that in some cases, the arms exported to certain countries, for example to Saudi Arabia, UAE and members of the Saudi-led coalition, have been used in conflicts such as that in Yemen where 22 million people found themselves in need of humanitarian aid and protection; recalls that such exports clearly violate the Common Position;**

Or. en

## Amendment 69 Arnaud Danjean

### Motion for a resolution Paragraph 4

#### *Motion for a resolution*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; **is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;**

#### *Amendment*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports;

**Amendment 70**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; ***is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;***

*Amendment*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports;

Or. en

**Amendment 71**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;

*Amendment*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, ***an extreme volatility of the political landscape and a great permeability of national borders***, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;

Or. en

## Amendment 72

Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Javier Nart, Bernard Guetta

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 4

##### *Motion for a resolution*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; ***is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;***

##### *Amendment*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; ***notes that these regions face significant and continuing security challenges and that every export has to be assessed on a case by case basis, in the context of the wider CFSP and EU specific actions aimed at regional peace and stability;***

Or. en

## Amendment 73

Michael Gahler

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 4

##### *Motion for a resolution*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; ***is concerned that this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;***

##### *Amendment*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; ***welcomes these efforts because they are in line with the overall objectives of the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) set out in Article 21 and of the regional priorities set in the EU Global Strategy (2016);***

Or. en

**Amendment 74**  
**Susanna Ceccardi, Anna Bonfrisco**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; is concerned that ***this regional focus undermines the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and specific EU action aimed at regional peace and stability;***

*Amendment*

4. Notes that the countries of the Middle East and North Africa, a region of several armed conflicts, remain the foremost regional destination for exports according to the last two annual reports; is concerned that ***a number of EU Member States have been supplying arms to Islamic fundamentalists in Syria and are continuing to do so;***

Or. it

**Amendment 75**  
**Diana Riba i Giner**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 4 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

4a. Notes with concern that, since the start of the Yemeni War, Member States such as France and Spain are the third and fourth largest exporters to Saudi Arabia;

*Amendment*

4a. Notes with concern that, since the start of the Yemeni War, Member States such as France and Spain are the third and fourth largest exporters to Saudi Arabia;

Or. en

**Amendment 76**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

5. Recalls that the EU has ***been implementing*** a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ;

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*Amendment*

5. Recalls that the EU has ***decided*** a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ***on countries such as Belarus, Central African Republic, China, Iran, Libya, Myanmar, North Korea, Russian Federation, Somalia, South Sudan, Sudan, Syria, Venezuela, Yemen and Zimbabwe; is deeply worried about the non-respect of the arms embargo against Libya and calls on the EEAS to create and implement more robust procedures for monitoring the compliance of all Member States with EU arms embargos and make the findings public;***

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Or. en

**Amendment 77**  
**Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ;

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*Amendment*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ; ***through the promotion of the Common Position and its principles, not only in its immediate neighbourhood, but also on a global level through the Arms Trade Treaty (ATT) framework, the EU could contribute to its overarching foreign policy goals of preventing conflict and promoting respect for human rights and International humanitarian law;***

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Or. en

**Amendment 78**  
**Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ;

*Amendment*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms embargoes, ***notes that whereas these embargoes could deprive a country of military resources, in some cases they are essential for regional peace and stability and notes that such embargoes ensure that the EU does not contribute to humanitarian crises, human rights abuses and atrocities;***

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Or. en

**Amendment 79**  
**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ;

*Amendment*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ***in line with the objectives of the CFSP; notes that the EU undertakes missions in the framework of the CFSP,***



*including a mission enforcing an arms embargo in Libya, with the aim of strengthening regional peace stability;*

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Or. en

## **Amendment 80** **Michael Gahler**

### **Motion for a resolution** **Paragraph 5**

#### *Motion for a resolution*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ;

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#### *Amendment*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms embargoes<sup>25</sup> ; **welcomes the decisions of the governments of Belgium, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Greece, Italy, and the Netherlands adopting restrictions on their arms exports to countries involved in the Yemen war;**

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Or. en

## **Amendment 81** **Željana Zovko**

### **Motion for a resolution** **Paragraph 5**

#### *Motion for a resolution*

5. Recalls that the EU has been implementing a number of arms

embargoes<sup>25</sup> ;

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embargoes<sup>25</sup>, *including all UN embargos*;

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Or. en

### **Amendment 82**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Andrea Cozzolino, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Juozas Olekas, Nikos Androulakis**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 5 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**5a. Welcomes the renewed extension of the moratorium on arms exports towards Saudi Arabia by Germany until the end of 2020 as well as the decisions by several Member States to enforce full restrictions when it comes to arms exports towards Saudi Arabia; reiterates its call of 13 September 2017 regarding the urgent need to impose an arms embargo on Saudi Arabia;**

Or. en

### **Amendment 83**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 5 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**5a. Recalls that between the 25th February 2016 and the 14th February 2019 Parliament has, via plenary resolutions, called at least ten times on the**

*HR/VP to launch a process leading to an EU arms embargo against Saudi Arabia, the UAE or other members of the Saudi-led coalition in Yemen; reiterates this call once again;*

Or. en

**Amendment 84**  
**Urmas Paet**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*5a. Calls on the Member States, with regard to export controls, to pay greater attention to goods which may be used for both civilian and military purposes;*

Or. en

**Amendment 85**  
**David Lega**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*5a. Notes there are no sanction mechanisms in place, should a Member State engage in exports that are clearly not compatible with the eight criteria;*

Or. en

**Amendment 86**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Andrea Cozzolino, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**5b. Condemns the increasing arms race in the world and calls on the world major military powers, largest producers and exporters of weapons to foster dialogue, multilateralism and disarmament of conventional and nuclear weapons;**

Or. en

**Amendment 87**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**5b. Underlines that arms exporters that fuel conflicts like the one in Yemen, risk complicity in war crimes;**

Or. en

**Amendment 88**  
**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**5c. Recalls the EU ambition to be a global actor for peace; therefore calls for the EU to play an active role in the areas**

*of non-proliferation of arms and global disarmament, thus striving for the maintenance of international peace and security and respect for international humanitarian and human rights law;*

Or. en

**Amendment 89**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 5 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*5c. Reiterates recent calls of the European Parliament to stop the exports of surveillance technology and other equipment that can facilitate internal repression, to several countries including Egypt, Bahrain, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates and Vietnam;*

Or. en

**Amendment 90**  
**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 6**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*6. Welcomes the Council's intention to increase convergence and transparency – the main objectives of its last review of the Common Position;*

*deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 91**

**Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 6**

*Motion for a resolution*

6. Welcomes the Council's intention to increase convergence and transparency – the main objectives of its last review of the Common Position;

*Amendment*

6. Welcomes the Council's intention to increase convergence and transparency – the main objectives of its last review of the Common Position; ***and the Council conclusions on the review of the Common Position that “the strengthening of a European defence technological and industrial base should be accompanied by closer cooperation and convergence in the field of export control of military technology and equipment”<sup>1a</sup>***

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<sup>1a</sup> ***Conclusion 11 of the Council Conclusions on the review of Council Common Position 2008/944/CFSP of 8 December 2008 on the control of arms exports, as adopted by the Council (“General affairs”), Council of the European Union, 12195/19, COARM 154, Brussels, 16 September 2019***

Or. en

**Amendment 92**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 6 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***6a. Calls for the eight criteria to be extended and applied also to the transfer of military, security and police personnel, to arms-exports-related services, know-how and training, security technology and to private military and security services; calls further for an upgrade of criterion 8 by making denial of export licences***

*automatic if they are incompatible with development;*

Or. en

**Amendment 93**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 6 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**6a. Welcomes Member States' renewed commitment to the legally binding Common Position as amended by Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and stresses the importance of thoroughly assessing export licence applications for military technology and equipment according to the criteria stipulated therein;**

Or. en

**Amendment 94**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Javier Nart, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 6 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**6a. Welcomes the update of the EU common position of 2008 to take into account relevant developments, such as the adoption of the Arms trade treaty, to which all Member States are party;**

Or. en

**Amendment 95**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 6 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**6b. Supports Council's commitment to strengthening the control of export of military technology and equipment; notes the willingness of Member States to reinforce cooperation and promote convergence in this field, within the framework of the CFSP; in this regard, calls on Member States to develop, implement and uphold common standards of management of transfers of military technology and equipment;**

Or. en

**Amendment 96**

**David Lega**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to **ensure that** EU citizens **are furnished** with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments **in an area which directly affects their security and their countries' adherence to values and norms;**

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to **provide** EU citizens with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments;

Or. en

**Amendment 97**

**Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Özlem Demirel**



**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to ensure that EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments in an area which directly affects their security and their countries' adherence to values and norms;

*Amendment*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to ensure that EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments, ***as full transparency and information are still not available to citizens***, in an area which directly affects their security and their countries' adherence to values and norms;

Or. en

**Amendment 98**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Urmaz Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 7**

*Motion for a resolution*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to ensure that EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments ***in an area which directly affects their security and their countries' adherence to values and norms***;

*Amendment*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to ensure that EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments;

Or. en

**Amendment 99**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**

## Paragraph 7

### *Motion for a resolution*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to ensure that EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments ***in an area which directly affects their security and their countries' adherence to values and norms;***

### *Amendment*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to ensure that EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments;

Or. en

## Amendment 100

Michael Gahler

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 7

### *Motion for a resolution*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to ensure that EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments in an area which directly affects their security and their countries' adherence to values and norms;

### *Amendment*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 have the potential to ensure that ***national oversight bodies, parliaments, and*** EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments in an area which directly affects their security and their countries' adherence to values and norms;

Or. en

## Amendment 101

Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Nicolae Ștefănuță

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 7

### *Motion for a resolution*

### *Amendment*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 *have the potential to ensure that EU citizens are furnished with better information about the strategic choices made by their governments in an area which directly affects their security and their countries' adherence to values and norms;*

7. Points out that Council Decision (CFSP) 2019/1560 and the relevant conclusions of 16 September 2019 *reflect a growing awareness among Member States of the need for even greater national and EU-wide transparency and convergence in the area of arms export and the need to strengthen public oversight in this sensitive national security domain;*

Or. en

### **Amendment 102**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 7 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**7a. Calls on EU Member States exporting arms to regions with ongoing conflicts to adhere to the greatest possible extent to CFSP principles, objectives and trade regimes;**

Or. en

### **Amendment 103**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 7 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**7b. Supports Council's reaffirmation that military equipment and technology should be traded in a responsible and accountable way; welcomes Council's renewed commitment to further promoting cooperation and convergence in Member States' policies to prevent the export of military technology and equipment that might be used for internal**

*repression or international aggression, or contribute to regional instability;*

Or. en

**Amendment 104**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**8.** *Notes with concern the growing divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States and the failure to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area;* **deleted**

Or. fr

**Amendment 105**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**8.** *Notes with concern the growing divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States and the failure to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area;* **deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 106**

**Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

8. Notes with concern the growing divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States and the failure to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area;

*Amendment*

8. Notes with concern the growing divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States and the failure to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area; ***While the European Defence Fund (EDF) as part of the EU's industrial policy and a funding tool for joint defence R&D projects does not deal with arms transfers, yet future EDF-funded programmes will inevitably produce new and innovative military technologies and equipment that, given the strong export orientation of European defence companies, will also be exported to third countries;***

Or. en

**Amendment 107**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

8. Notes ***with concern the growing divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States and*** the failure to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area;

*Amendment*

8. Notes the failure to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area;

Or. fr

**Amendment 108**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

8. Notes ***with concern the growing*** divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States ***and the failure to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application*** of EU rules in this area;

*Amendment*

8. Notes ***that*** divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States ***can slow down the*** convergence of EU rules in this area;

Or. en

**Amendment 109  
Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

8. Notes with concern ***the*** growing divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States and ***the failure*** to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area;

*Amendment*

8. Notes with concern ***that there is no clear information of alleged*** growing divergences between the arms export policies and practices of the Member States and ***on possible attempts*** to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area;

Or. en

**Amendment 110  
Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 8**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

8. Notes *with concern the growing divergences between the arms export policies and practices* of the Member States *and the failure to introduce new instruments to promote convergence towards the strict application of EU rules in this area*;

8. Notes *the sale of arms is tied closely with issues related to national security; and recognises that the sale of arms remains in the sovereign control of the Member States for the purposes of national security*;

Or. en

**Amendment 111**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**8a.** *Notes with satisfaction that the Council acknowledges the importance of a consistent export control policy regarding defence-related materials and dual-use goods; believes that the EU should establish clear criteria and guidelines regarding the export of such goods;*

Or. en

**Amendment 112**  
**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**9.** *Supports the Council's decision to introduce a clear reporting deadline for national submissions; welcomes the steps taken towards the online approach and encourages the further development of the latter;*

*deleted*

Or. fr

### Amendment 113

Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius

#### Motion for a resolution

##### Paragraph 9

###### *Motion for a resolution*

9. Supports *the* Council's *decision to introduce a* clear reporting *deadline for national submissions; welcomes the steps taken towards the online approach and encourages the* further *development of the latter;*

###### *Amendment*

9. *Notes and fully* supports Council's *reaffirmed commitment to transparency in the international arms trade; welcomes in this regard the introduction of concrete measures intended to facilitate the correct, coherent and timely reporting of Member States' arms exports, such as the inclusion of* clear reporting *deadlines to the EU Annual Report and further guidelines on the substance and process of reporting;*

Or. en

### Amendment 114

Hannah Neumann

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### Motion for a resolution

##### Paragraph 9

###### *Motion for a resolution*

9. Supports the Council's decision to introduce a clear reporting deadline for national submissions; welcomes the steps taken towards the online approach and encourages the further development of the latter;

###### *Amendment*

9. Supports the Council's decision to introduce a clear reporting deadline for national submissions; *encourages the Member States to submit their data preferably in May after the reporting year in order to allow a timely public debate;* welcomes the steps taken towards the online approach and encourages the further development of the latter;

Or. en



**Amendment 115**  
**Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

9. Supports the Council's decision to introduce a clear reporting deadline for national submissions; welcomes the steps taken towards the online approach and encourages the further development of the latter;

*Amendment*

9. Supports the Council's decision to introduce a clear reporting deadline for national submissions, ***as well as clear standards for the report's format***; welcomes the steps taken towards the online approach and encourages the further development of the latter;

Or. en

**Amendment 116**  
**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 9**

*Motion for a resolution*

9. ***Supports*** the Council's decision to introduce a clear reporting deadline for national submissions; welcomes the steps taken towards the online approach and encourages the further development of the latter;

*Amendment*

9. ***Acknowledges*** the Council's decision to introduce a clear reporting deadline for national submissions; welcomes the steps taken towards the online approach and encourages the further development of the latter;

Or. en

**Amendment 117**  
**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 9 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***9a. Welcomes Council's support for***

*clear guidelines on information-sharing and exchange between Member States on their arms export policies; welcomes the steps taken towards the digital approach with the COARM Online System and encourages its further expansion;*

Or. en

**Amendment 118**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 9 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**9a. Calls on the Member States to follow the example of Germany, Finland and Denmark that after the killing of the journalist Jamal Khashoggi adopted restrictions on their arms exports to Saudi Arabia;**

Or. en

**Amendment 119**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 9 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**9a. Calls for the timely and complete transmission and publication of data, for which a strict deadline is set, to end no later than March following the year in which the export took place;**

Or. en

**Amendment 120**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Joachim Schuster**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 9 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**9b. Deeply regrets the continued blatant violations of the arms embargo in Libya, even after the commitments made in this regard by concerned countries during the International Conference on Libya in Berlin, held on 19 January 2020; Calls on all the Member States to halt all transfers of weapons, surveillance and intelligence equipment and material to all the parties involved in the Libyan conflict notably to Saudi Arabia, UAE and Egypt;**

Or. en

**Amendment 121**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 9 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**9b. Demands, that all Member States which have not provided complete information to provide additional information on their past exports for the next annual report;**

Or. en

**Amendment 122**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 9 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**9c. Suggests, further, that the COARM annual report should be completed by a summary containing, inter alia, comparative trends with previous years and aggregated figures;**

Or. en

### **Amendment 123**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**10. Notes that since the adoption of the legally binding Common Position in 2008, an increasing number of weapon systems produced in Europe are made up of components from multiple countries and involve bi- or multilateral cooperation for technological, industrial and political reasons;**

**deleted**

Or. fr

### **Amendment 124**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**10. Notes that since the adoption of the legally binding Common Position in 2008, an increasing number of weapon systems produced in Europe are made up of components from multiple countries and involve bi- or multilateral cooperation for technological, industrial and political**

**10. Welcomes that since the adoption of the legally binding Common Position in 2008, an increasing number of weapon systems produced in Europe are made up of components from multiple countries and involve bi- or multilateral cooperation; underlines the positive role of**

*reasons;*

technological, industrial and political  
*cooperation in promoting confidence  
building among Member States and third  
countries;*

Or. en

**Amendment 125**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

10. Notes that since the adoption of the legally binding Common Position in 2008, an increasing number of weapon systems produced in Europe are made up of components from multiple countries and involve bi- or multilateral cooperation for technological, industrial and political reasons;

*Amendment*

10. Notes that since the adoption of the legally binding Common Position in 2008, ***the Member States have stepped up their arms exports monitoring;*** an increasing number of weapon systems produced in Europe are made up of components from multiple ***European*** countries and involve bi- or multilateral cooperation for technological, industrial and political reasons;

Or. fr

**Amendment 126**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 10**

*Motion for a resolution*

10. ***Notes*** that since the adoption of the legally binding Common Position in 2008, an increasing number of weapon systems produced in Europe are made up of components from multiple ***countries*** and involve bi- or multilateral cooperation for technological, industrial and political reasons;

*Amendment*

10. ***Welcomes*** that since the adoption of the legally binding Common Position in 2008, an increasing number of weapon systems produced in Europe are made up of components from multiple ***EU member states*** and involve bi- or multilateral cooperation for technological, industrial and political reasons;

**Amendment 127**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 10 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***10a. Stresses that the ambition to increase the competitiveness of the European defence sector must not undermine the application of the Common Position's eight criteria as they take precedence over any economic social, commercial or industrial interests of Member States;***

**Amendment 128**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Juozas Olekas, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 10 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***10b. Emphasises that arms exports must not be carried out for economic reasons but for foreign and security policy objectives. Respect for human rights, good governance and the prohibition on supplying arms to conflict regions are essential in the case of granting export licences. Arms exports have to be assessed against the sustainable development of a country;***

**Amendment 129**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 11**

*Motion for a resolution*

11. Notes an increase in the transfer of knowledge and technology, which allows third countries to undertake licensed production of European military technology;

*Amendment*

11. Notes an increase in the transfer of knowledge and technology, which allows third countries to undertake licensed production of European military technology; ***believes that this process can foster the harmonisation of public oversight and transparency standards in defence production and accelerate the creation of internationally recognised and respected rules on arms production and export;***

**Amendment 130**

**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 11**

*Motion for a resolution*

11. Notes an increase in the transfer of knowledge and technology, which allows third countries to undertake licensed production of European military technology;

*Amendment*

11. Notes an increase in the transfer of knowledge and technology, which allows third countries to undertake licensed production of European military technology; ***highlights that this must not limit the EU's capacity to control weapons, arms and military equipment production;***

**Amendment 131**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 11**

*Motion for a resolution*

11. Notes **an** increase in the transfer of knowledge and technology, which allows third countries to undertake licensed production of European military technology;

*Amendment*

11. Notes ***the lack of information of an alleged*** increase in the transfer of knowledge and technology, which allows third countries to undertake licensed production of European military technology;

Or. en

**Amendment 132**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

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

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***11a. Notes that a growing number of components in weapon systems are of civilian origin or dual-use character which poses the question of which rules apply in inter-communal transfers and how to establish a coherent export control system between all Member States;***

Or. en

**Amendment 133**  
**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Bart Groothuis, Christophe Grudler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 12**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***12. Notes that most Member States***                      ***deleted***



*have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers has proven ill-equipped to achieve the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries;*

Or. en

**Amendment 134**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 12**

*Motion for a resolution*

12. Notes that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; *regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers has proven ill-equipped to achieve the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries;*

*Amendment*

12. Notes that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components;

Or. fr

**Amendment 135**  
**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 12**

*Motion for a resolution*

12. Notes that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; ***regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers has proven ill-equipped to achieve the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries;***

*Amendment*

12. Notes that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components;

Or. en

**Amendment 136**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 12**

*Motion for a resolution*

12. Notes that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; ***regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on***

*Amendment*

12. Notes that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; ***reminds that only a Member State can consider that the transfer of a component is sensitive and impose export limitations;***

*intra-Community transfers has proven ill-equipped to achieve the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 137**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Javier Nart, Bernard Guetta**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 12**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

12. Notes that **most** Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; **observes that** Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers **has proven ill-equipped to achieve** the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries;

###### *Amendment*

12. Notes that Member States have not outlined a **common** policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; **notes that some of them continue to consider intra-EU transfers of arms and defence-related products as exports operations;** regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; **calls the Commission to assess the effects of** Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers **and** the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 138**

**Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Özlem Demirel**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 12**

*Motion for a resolution*

12. **Notes** that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers has proven ill-equipped to achieve the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries;

*Amendment*

12. **Condemns** that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers has proven ill-equipped to achieve the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries;

Or. en

**Amendment 139**

**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 12**

*Motion for a resolution*

12. Notes that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the **increasing** divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers has proven ill-equipped to **achieve the stated goal of setting high common standards for exports to third countries**;

*Amendment*

12. Notes that most Member States have not outlined a policy regulating the transfer of weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; regards this as particularly problematic **because of a lack of information** in the context of the **alleged** divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers has proven ill-equipped to **facilitate the transfer in the European armaments market**;

Or. en

## Amendment 140

Hannah Neumann

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 12

##### *Motion for a resolution*

12. Notes that most Member States have not **outlined a policy regulating the transfer of** weapons components to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers **has proven ill-equipped** to achieve **the stated goal of setting high** common standards for exports to third countries;

##### *Amendment*

12. Notes that most Member States have not **developed an export policy for** weapons components **to be transferred** to another Member State which would ensure that any export to third countries from the Member State of assembly is consistent with the export policy of the Member State providing the components; regards this as particularly problematic in the context of the increasing divergences between licensing practices across the EU; observes that Directive 2009/43/EC on intra-Community transfers, **in its current form, is not designed** to achieve **highest** common standards for exports to third countries;

Or. en

## Amendment 141

Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 12 a (new)

##### *Motion for a resolution*

##### *Amendment*

**12a. Welcomes the EU activities aiming at supporting the universalisation of the Arms Trade Treaty(ATT), in particular the assistance to third countries in improving and implementing effective arms control systems in line with the**

***Common Position; calls the major arms exporting countries, such as the USA, China and Russia, to sign and ratify the Treaty;***

Or. en

**Amendment 142**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 12 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***12a. Notes that this problem is exacerbated where Member States have adopted a so called ‘de minimis’ rule where the Member State providing components below a certain threshold does refrain from assessing the decision to export the assembled weapon system to a third country;***

Or. en

**Amendment 143**  
**Klemen Grošelj, Nathalie Loiseau, Bart Groothuis**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 13**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***13. Observes a trend whereby the diverging export policies of the Member States are increasingly considered as obstacles to cooperation projects, which is giving rise to a multitude of bilateral and specific agreements on weapon systems that allow for exports to third countries based on the least restrictive standards, rather than a joint, EU-wide approach;***

***deleted***

**Amendment 144**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 13**

*Motion for a resolution*

13. Observes *a trend whereby the diverging export policies of the Member States are increasingly considered as obstacles to cooperation projects, which is giving rise to a multitude of bilateral and specific agreements on weapon systems that allow for exports to third countries based on the least restrictive standards, rather than a joint, EU-wide approach;*

*Amendment*

13. Observes *that the arms* policies of *each* Member *State may hamper* cooperation projects;

**Amendment 145**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 13**

*Motion for a resolution*

13. Observes *a trend whereby* the diverging export policies of the Member States *are increasingly considered as obstacles to cooperation projects, which is giving rise to a multitude of bilateral and specific agreements on weapon systems that allow for exports to third countries based on the least restrictive standards, rather than a joint, EU-wide approach;*

*Amendment*

13. Observes the *lack of clear information on alleged* diverging export policies of the Member States;

**Amendment 146**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 13**

*Motion for a resolution*

13. Observes a trend whereby the diverging export policies of the Member States are increasingly considered as obstacles to cooperation projects, which is giving rise to a multitude of bilateral and specific agreements on weapon systems that allow for exports to third countries based on the least restrictive standards, rather than a joint, EU-wide approach;

*Amendment*

13. Observes a trend whereby the diverging export policies of the Member States are increasingly considered as obstacles to cooperation projects, which is giving rise to a multitude of bilateral and specific agreements on weapon systems that allow for exports to third countries based on the least restrictive standards, rather than a joint, EU-wide approach; ***recalls that the purpose of the Council Common Position on arms exports was and is to prevent such divergences and to establish a coherent common arms export policy;***

Or. en

**Amendment 147**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 13**

*Motion for a resolution*

13. Observes a trend whereby the diverging export policies of the Member States are increasingly considered as obstacles to cooperation projects, ***which*** is giving rise to a multitude of bilateral and specific agreements on weapon systems ***that allow for exports to third countries based on the least restrictive standards, rather than a joint, EU-wide approach;***

*Amendment*

13. Observes a trend whereby the diverging export policies of the Member States are increasingly considered as obstacles to cooperation projects, ***however,*** ***notes that the varying range in technological sophistication across Europe's industrial base*** is giving rise to a multitude of bilateral and specific agreements on weapon systems, ***which in turn is encouraging members to institute modernisation reforms that keep arms production fit for purpose;***

Or. en



## Amendment 148

Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 13

##### *Motion for a resolution*

13. ***Observes a trend whereby the diverging export policies of the Member States are increasingly considered as obstacles to cooperation projects, which is giving rise to a multitude of bilateral and specific agreements on weapon systems that allow for exports to third countries based on the least restrictive standards, rather than a joint, EU-wide approach;***

##### *Amendment*

13. ***Affirms its preference for bilateral or multilateral cooperation between EU Member States for the programming of research, development and production in the arms sector; regrets that the cooperation projects proposed by the Commission exclude bilateral agreements on principle;***

Or. fr

## Amendment 149

Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Bernard Guetta

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 13 a (new)

##### *Motion for a resolution*

##### *Amendment*

13a. ***Notes that despite a correlation between divergences in export policies and difficulties of intra-UE cooperation, the sooner is the consequence of the weakness of the European defence spending, the persistent fragmentation of the internal market for defence-related products and the existence of industrial duplications; calls therefore the European Commission, the Council and Member States to fully implement the European Action Plan for Defence; calls in particular for a swift adoption of the European Defence Fund and for an adequate level of funding enabling the reduction of market fragmentation and***

*industrial consolidation while ensuring the EU and its Member States will dispose of military capabilities they need; calls the Commission to ensure the correct implementation of directive 2009/81/EC and Directive 2009/43/EC;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 150**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Javier Nart, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 13 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*13b. Notes that bilateral cooperation on industrial defence-related projects between Member States lead to export control agreements which can provide a baseline for the EU as a whole;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 151**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 14**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on human rights and international law, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;*

*deleted*

**Amendment 152****Klemen Grošelj, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 14***Motion for a resolution**Amendment*

**14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on human rights and international law, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;**

**deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 153****Traian Băsescu****Motion for a resolution****Paragraph 14***Motion for a resolution**Amendment*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further **reduce** convergence **at EU level** and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on human rights and international law, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further **facilitate the move towards a further convergence of member states' arms export policies through information sharing among member states, a shared interpretation of the common criteria, increased availability of qualitative information that could strengthen national export control practices; and the inclusion of additional grounds for the refusal of licences that would decrease the space for national interpretation;** and that

the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on human rights and international law, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 154**

**Arnaud Danjean**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 14**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on human rights and international law, ***generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;***

##### *Amendment*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries ***may*** have a negative impact on human rights and international law;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 155**

**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 14**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly

##### *Amendment*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly

between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on human rights and international law, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on ***the ability of the EU to speak with one voice and be influential in the international arena***, human rights and international law, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

Or. en

### **Amendment 156**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Bernard Guetta**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 14**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may ***further reduce*** convergence at EU level and that ***the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and*** the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries ***have a negative impact on human rights and international law***, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

###### *Amendment*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may ***pave the way towards*** convergence at EU level ***under certain conditions*** and that the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries ***may*** generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

Or. en

### **Amendment 157**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 14**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

14. Stresses that bilateral and

###### *Amendment*

14. Stresses that bilateral and

multilateral agreements *may further reduce convergence at EU level* and that *the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States* and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries *have a negative impact on human rights and international law, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;*

multilateral agreements *serve as the foundation for international practices in arms transfers* and that the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries *can only be overcome via furthering the best practices exhibited in the bilateral and multilateral agreements between Member States;*

Or. en

**Amendment 158**  
**Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 14**

*Motion for a resolution*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on human rights and international law, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

*Amendment*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence *and accountability* in export decisions to third countries have a negative impact on human rights and international law *and regional peace and stability*, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

Or. en

**Amendment 159**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 14**

*Motion for a resolution*

14. Stresses that bilateral and

*Amendment*

14. Stresses that bilateral and

multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries **have a negative impact on human rights and international law**, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

multilateral agreements may further reduce convergence at EU level and that the failure to regulate exports uniformly between the Member States and the lack of convergence in export decisions to third countries, generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field;

Or. en

**Amendment 160**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 14**

*Motion for a resolution*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral agreements may further **reduce** convergence **at EU level** and that the **failure** to regulate exports **uniformly** between the Member States and the **lack** of convergence in export decisions to third countries have a **negative** impact on **human rights and international law**, **generate market distortions, and hinder industrial strategic planning, economies of scale and a level playing field**;

*Amendment*

14. Stresses that bilateral and multilateral Agreements may further **improve** convergence **among Member States** and that the **achievement** to regulate exports **in harmony** between the Member States and the **improvement** of convergence in export decisions to third countries have an impact on **the European defence market; welcomes in this regard the Franco-German Treaty of Aachen and the provision on a common approach on arms exports with regard to joint projects**;

Or. en

**Amendment 161**  
**Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

The *Europeanisation* of cooperation *on arms production*

The *strengthening* of cooperation *at EU level on defence capability development, including through wide convergence*

Or. en

**Amendment 162**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 4**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*The Europeanisation of* cooperation on arms production

*Stepping up European* cooperation on arms production

Or. fr

**Amendment 163**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 14 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**14a. Stresses that the development of suitable equipment is an important means of underpinning the industrial and technological foundations of the European defence sector, which should be used as an instrument for the implementation of enhanced CFSP; recalls that, under the EU Global Strategy, ‘a sustainable, innovative and competitive European defence industry is essential for Europe’s strategic autonomy and for a credible CSDP’;**

Or. fr

**Amendment 164**



**Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Notes that EU funds such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are heralding an increasing Europeanisation of arms production and capability development;

*Amendment*

15. Notes ***that more restrictive export policies that continue to push for further European convergence, shall not result in the lowering of national standards; and*** that EU funds such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are heralding an increasing ***EU collaborative approach for an increasing Europeanisation of arms production and capability development; the existence of different national approaches should be taken into consideration when efforts are made to construct a consolidated European defence industrial base that should be spread around the EU to ensure additional cohesion within the Union;***

Or. en

**Amendment 165**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. ***Notes*** that EU funds such as the

*Amendment*

15. ***Welcomes*** that EU funds such as

Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are heralding an increasing Europeanisation of arms production and capability development;

the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are heralding an increasing Europeanisation of arms production and capability development ***as well as strengthening cooperation among Member States and enhancing common standards in the field of arms exports;***

Or. en

**Amendment 166**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Notes that EU funds such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are ***heralding an increasing***

*Amendment*

15. Notes that EU funds such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are ***leading towards the definition of a***

***Europeanisation of arms production and capability development;***

***“European capabilities and armaments policy” as foreseen in Article 42.3 of the Treaty on European Union (TEU);***

Or. en

**Amendment 167**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Notes that EU ***funds*** such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are ***heralding an increasing Europeanisation*** of arms production and capability development;

*Amendment*

15. Notes that EU ***initiatives*** such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are ***helping to enhance cooperation for the purposes*** of arms production and capability development ***at European level;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 168**  
**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15**

*Motion for a resolution*

15. Notes that EU funds such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research

*Amendment*

15. Notes ***and deplores the fact*** that EU funds such as the Preparatory Action

(PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are heralding an increasing Europeanisation of arms production and capability development;

on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are heralding an increasing Europeanisation of arms production and capability development;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 169**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Javier Nart, Bernard Guetta**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 15**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

15. Notes that EU funds such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are **heralding an** increasing Europeanisation of arms production and capability development;

###### *Amendment*

15. Notes that EU funds such as the Preparatory Action on Defence Research (PADR), the European Defence Industrial Development Programme (EDIDP) and the European Defence Fund (EDF), initiatives such as the Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), the Coordinated Annual Review on Defence (CARD) and the European Peace Facility (EPF), legislation such as the intra-Community transfers and defence procurement directives of 2009, and the creation of administrative capacities such as the Commission Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DG DEFIS) are **aiming at** increasing Europeanisation of arms production and capability development;

**Amendment 170**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 15 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**15a. Believes that the strengthening of the European Defence Technological and Industrial Base should be accompanied by closer cooperation and convergence in the control of exports of military technology and equipment, with the aim of improving the effectiveness of the CFSP and the CSDP in particular;**

**Amendment 171**

**Urmas Paet**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 15 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**15a. Calls on the Member States to overcome the current lack of efficiency in defence spending due to duplication, fragmentation and lack of interoperability, and to aim for the EU to become a security provider also by better controlling arms exports;**

**Amendment 172**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 15 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**15a.** *Notes that several Member States have expressed their intention to jointly develop main weapon systems such as battle tanks, fighter jets and armed drones;*

Or. en

**Amendment 173**  
**Susanna Ceccardi, Anna Bonfrisco**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**16.** *Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of control function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;*

*deleted*

Or. it

**Amendment 174**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. Underlines the fact that the ***interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of control function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;***

*Amendment*

16. Underlines the fact that the ***EU legislation of the EDF has not yet been finalized;***

Or. en

**Amendment 175**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF ***authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation*** establishes a specific type of ***control*** function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

*Amendment*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF establishes a specific type of ***assessment*** function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries ***without prejudice to the competences of EU Member States export control authorities to grant the authorization in this framework;***

Or. en

## **Amendment 176**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 16**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of control function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

##### *Amendment*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission, ***without infringing upon the primacy of Member State decisions***, to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of control function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries, ***while simultaneously respecting the independence and self-decision of the Member States***;

Or. en

## **Amendment 177**

**Arnaud Danjean**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 16**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the

##### *Amendment*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the



security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of **control** function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of **evaluation** function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries, **without prejudice to the competence of the EU Member State export control authorities to grant the necessary authorisation**;

Or. fr

### **Amendment 178**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 16**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

16. **Underlines** the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation **establishes a specific type** of control **function for** the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

###### *Amendment*

16. **Welcomes** the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation **is a clear commitment to a greater level** of control **and equips** the Commission **with additional powers of civilian oversight** with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries, **thereby further enhancing transparency and minimising the risk of a misuse of EU funds**;

Or. en

**Amendment 179**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of control function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

*Amendment*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of control function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries; ***suggests that the export of these EDF-co-funded technologies should also be closely monitored vis a vis the Common Position;***

Or. en

**Amendment 180**  
**Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 16**

*Motion for a resolution*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the

*Amendment*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence ***for research actions*** of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in

proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of control function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes a specific type of control function for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

Or. en

### **Amendment 181**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 16**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes ***a specific type of control function*** for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

##### *Amendment*

16. Underlines the fact that the interinstitutional agreement on the establishment of the EDF authorises the Commission to assess whether the transfer of ownership or the granting of an exclusive licence of EDF-co-funded military technology contravenes the security and defence interests of the EU and its Member States or the objectives of the fund as set out in Article 3 of the proposed regulation; notes that this new legislation establishes ***an active role*** for the Commission with regard to a specific category of exports of military technology to third countries;

Or. en

### **Amendment 182**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 17**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

##### *Amendment*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (*EEAS*) **will work on** creating an EU-level **system for arms transfers** to third countries;

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service(*EEAS*) **work towards** creating an EU-level **instrument that will allow the EU to provide military equipment to strengthen capacities of** third countries; **notes that current plans foresee that supplies will be subjected to relevant national and Union arms export control laws and rules, in particular as regards export licences for which exporting Member States retain exclusive authority;**

Or. en

**Amendment 183**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 17**

*Motion for a resolution*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will work **on creating** an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries;

*Amendment*

17. Notes that **the international commitments given by European partners extend to the supply of information regarding their national control schemes and arms transfers; notes that** under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will work **towards a number of objectives, including the creation of** an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries;

Or. fr

**Amendment 184**  
**Bart Groothuis, Klemen Grošelj, Petras Auštrevičius, Nathalie Loiseau, Urmaz Paet**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 17**

*Motion for a resolution*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member

*Amendment*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member

States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will work on creating an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries;

States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will work on creating an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries; ***Believes that for any future steps towards an EU-level system for arms transfers, in particular to a common denominator, the Schmidt-Debré harmonisation agreement with the ‘de Dinimis’ rule can already be handled as a framework;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 185**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Raphaël Glucksmann, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 17**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will work on creating an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries;

##### *Amendment*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will work on creating an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries; ***asks for a detailed list of equipment transferred to third countries under the Facility to be published;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 186**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Petras Auštrevičius, Bernard Guetta**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 17**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will work on ***creating an***

##### *Amendment*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will work on ***agreeing***

EU-level **system** for arms transfers to third countries;

EU-level **framing principles** for arms transfers to third countries;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 187**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 17**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will **work on creating an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries**;

###### *Amendment*

17. Notes that under the EPF, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) will **respect the right of Member States to determine whom it will sell arms to**;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 188**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 17**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

17. **Notes that under the EPF**, Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) **will work on creating** an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries;

###### *Amendment*

17. **Deplores moves by the** Member States and the European External Action Service (EEAS) **under the EPF to create** an EU-level system for arms transfers to third countries;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 189**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 17 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**17a.** *Stresses that in the context of EPF a new EU-level instrument would potentially deliver joint risk assessment prior to any decision to transfer arms and ammunitions to third countries in the context of the military capacity-building pillar of EPF, assess individual measures against the eight criteria of the Common Position, and establish safeguards and possible sanctions with a view on the end-user; is concerned about the potential effects of inadequate safeguards in this context;*

Or. en

**Amendment 190**

**Andrea Cozzolino, Maria Arena, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 17 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**17a.** *Calls on the Commission to keep Parliament properly informed about the use of EU funds for all research and development projects associated with the construction of drones; urges the VP/HR to ban the development, production and use of fully autonomous weapons, which enable strikes to be carried out without human intervention;*

Or. en

**Amendment 191**

**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 17 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**17a. Points out that the research and development of weapons, arms and defence equipment is important for securing means for the Member States to defend themselves and for defence industries to achieve technological advancement;**

Or. en

**Amendment 192**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

Implementing the Common Position in the light of *Europeanised* arms production

Implementing the Common Position in the light of *enhanced coordination on Europeanisation of* arms production *at EU level*

Or. en

**Amendment 193**

**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Subheading 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

Implementing the Common Position in the light of *Europeanised* arms production

Implementing the Common Position in the light of *enhanced European cooperation in the field of* arms production

Or. fr

**Amendment 194**



Traian Băsescu

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Subheading 5**

*Motion for a resolution*

Implementing the Common Position in the light of *Europeanised* arms production

*Amendment*

Implementing the Common Position in the light of *consolidating the EU cooperation on* arms production

Or. en

**Amendment 195**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

**18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing Europeanisation of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;**

*Amendment*

**deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 196**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Javier Nart, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

**18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing Europeanisation of arms production and**

*Amendment*

**18. Notes that the growing Europeanisation of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further will require in the long run a progressive convergence of national arms**

the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;

*export policies and decision-making; recalls the importance of the appropriation by Member States of such a process; regrets the current divergences between national arms export policies and decision-making; calls the Council to continue its efforts to favour the convergence of arms export policies and decision-making;*

Or. en

### **Amendment 197**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 18**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is *becoming increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing Europeanisation of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this* further;

###### *Amendment*

18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is *to be expected since the industrial capability, research and development capacities and overall quality of equipment produced to serve the armed forces of Member States is vastly different throughout Europe, forcing the Europeanisation of arms production to prioritize further the modernization and technological advancement within key EU policies such as the EDIDP, PADR and EDF;*

Or. en

### **Amendment 198**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 18**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

###### *Amendment*

18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing Europeanisation of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;

18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing Europeanisation of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further; ***thus potentially undermining human rights and international law, creating additional market distortions, and related obstacles for strategic planning of relevant companies and armed forces;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 199**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 18**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

18. ***Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing Europeanisation of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;***

###### *Amendment*

18. ***Calls for the continued development of cooperative projects between European countries on a bilateral or multilateral basis, independently of any supranational entity;***

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 200**

**Željana Zovko**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 18**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing

###### *Amendment*

18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing

**Europeanisation of** arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to **increase** this further;

**coherence and convergence of European** arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to **develop** this further;

Or. en

**Amendment 201**  
**Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of ***the prevailing Europeanisation*** of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;

*Amendment*

18. Notes that the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming increasingly untenable in the context of ***strengthening the EU cooperation*** of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;

Or. en

**Amendment 202**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Notes that the ***lack of convergence*** of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming ***increasingly untenable in the context of the prevailing Europeanisation of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;***

*Amendment*

18. Notes that the ***harmonization*** of national arms export policies and decision-making is becoming ***necessary in view of the definition of a “European capabilities and armaments policy” as foreseen in Article 42.3 of the Treaty on European Union (TEU);***

Or. en

**Amendment 203**

**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18**

*Motion for a resolution*

18. Notes **that** the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making **is becoming increasingly untenable** in the context of **the prevailing Europeanisation** of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;

*Amendment*

18. Notes the lack of convergence of national arms export policies and decision-making in the context of **enhanced European cooperation in the field** of arms production and the stated ambitions and plans to increase this further;

Or. fr

**Amendment 204**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18a. Rejects EU - funds for European arms production for political, ethical and legal (Article 41.2 TEU) reasons; notes that its objective of increasing the “competitiveness” of the European defence industry has a negative impact on the intention to pursue a restrictive arms export policy; is further concerned that the planned large-scale projects like the “Future Combat Air System” and the “Main Ground Combat System” will only be possible through large exports; is concerned, that this could lead to a further erosion of the eight criteria and to a convergence of national export practices to the lowest common denominator;**

Or. en

**Amendment 205**

**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18a. Suggests that exports of products financed under the EDIDP and/or the European Defence Fund (EDF) should be listed separately in the data submitted to COARM, in order to ensure a close monitoring of those products which have been financed from the European budget and to ensure the criteria of the Common Position are strictly applied at least to the products financed under EDIDP and EDF;**

Or. en

**Amendment 206**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 18 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**18a. Welcomes the strengthening of EU defence cooperation in the framework of the CSDP, resulting in increased convergence of common rules and standards of transparency of arms exports and technology and fostering confidence-building among Member States and third country partners;**

Or. en

**Amendment 207**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 19**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**19. Believes that the Europeanisation of arms production needs to go hand in hand with increased transparency; believes that there is still room for improvement in this area, particularly as regards the quality and uniformity of the data submitted by Member States; calls on the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM):**

**deleted**

**a) to add the following additional categories in a revised reporting template in order to implement the recent September 2019 Council conclusions: the exact type of weapon and the quantity exported, denomination of the munitions, the lot size and the specific end-user, revoked licences, and the value and duration of contracts regarding post-delivery services such as training and maintenance;**

**b) to disaggregate data with regard to denial information so as to facilitate the scrutiny of specific shipments or Member States;**

**c) to clarify definitions such as licensed value and actual exports so as to facilitate the comparability of data between Member States;**

Or. fr

**Amendment 208**

**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 19 – introductory part**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**19. Believes that the Europeanisation of arms production needs to go hand in hand with increased transparency; believes that there is still room for improvement in**

**19. Notes that enhanced European cooperation regarding arms production is being accompanied by increased transparency; believes that there is still**

this area, particularly as regards the quality and uniformity of the data submitted by Member States; ***calls on*** the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM):

room for improvement in this area, particularly as regards the quality and uniformity of the data submitted by Member States; ***welcomes the efforts of the COARM group, in particular the guide to implementation of the Common Position by the Member States in terms of cooperation, coordination and convergence; underlines the efforts of Member States to support the work of COARM in promoting exchanges of best practice; recommends to*** the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM):

Or. fr

**Amendment 209**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 – introductory part**

*Motion for a resolution*

19. Believes that the ***Europeanisation of arms production*** needs to ***go hand in hand with increased transparency; believes that there is still room for improvement in this area, particularly as regards the quality and uniformity of the data submitted by Member States; calls on the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM):***

*Amendment*

19. Believes that the ***definition of a “European capabilities and armaments policy” as foreseen in Article 42.3 of the Treaty on European Union (TEU)*** needs to ***be in line with the Common Position 2008/944/CFSP;***

Or. en

**Amendment 210**  
**Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 – introductory part**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*



19. Believes that ***the Europeanisation of arms production*** needs to go hand in hand with increased transparency; believes that there is still room for improvement in this area, particularly as regards the quality and uniformity of the data submitted by Member States; calls on the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM):

19. Believes that ***enhancing of cooperation at EU level on arms production*** needs to go hand in hand with increased transparency ***and coherence within the Euro-Atlantic area***; believes that there is still room for improvement in this area, particularly as regards the quality and uniformity of the data submitted by Member States; calls on the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM);

Or. en

#### **Amendment 211**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Bart Groothuis, Bernard Guetta**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 19 – introductory part**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

19. Believes that the ***Europeanisation of arms production*** needs to go hand in hand with ***increased*** transparency; ***believes that there is still room for improvement in this area, particularly as regards the quality and uniformity of the data submitted by Member States; calls on the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM):***

##### *Amendment*

19. Believes that the ***enhanced coordination on arms production at EU level*** needs to go hand in hand with transparency; ***notes that the COARM information exchange system and the guide to the implementation of the Common Position are useful day-to-day tools for control authorities;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 212**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 19 – introductory part**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

19. Believes that the Europeanisation of arms production needs to go hand in hand with ***increased transparency;***

##### *Amendment*

19. Believes that the Europeanisation of arms production needs to go hand in hand with ***a clear goal of modernisation***

believes that there is still room for improvement in this area, *particularly as regards the quality and uniformity of the data submitted by Member States*; calls on the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM):

*towards a qualitative advantage in the arms production of Member States*; believes that there is still room for improvement in this area, calls on the Working Party on Conventional Arms Exports (COARM):

Or. en

**Amendment 213**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 – point a**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

a) *to add the following additional categories in a revised reporting template in order to implement the recent September 2019 Council conclusions: the exact type of weapon and the quantity exported, denomination of the munitions, the lot size and the specific end-user, revoked licences, and the value and duration of contracts regarding post-delivery services such as training and maintenance;*

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 214**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Christophe Grudler, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 – point a**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

a) to add *the following* additional categories in a revised reporting template in order to implement the recent September 2019 Council conclusions: *the exact type of weapon and the quantity exported,*

a) to add additional categories in a revised reporting template, *in line with internationally recognized standards*, in order to implement the recent September 2019 Council conclusions;

*denomination of the munitions, the lot size and the specific end-user, revoked licences, and the value and duration of contracts regarding post-delivery services such as training and maintenance;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 215**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 19 – point a**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

a) to add the following additional categories in a revised reporting template in order to implement the recent September 2019 Council conclusions: the exact type of weapon and the quantity exported, denomination of the munitions, the lot size and the specific end-user, revoked licences, and the value and duration of contracts regarding post-delivery services such as training and maintenance;

##### *Amendment*

a) to add the following additional categories in a revised reporting template in order to implement the recent September 2019 Council conclusions: the exact type of weapon and the quantity exported, denomination of the munitions, the lot size and the specific end-user, revoked licences, and the value and duration of contracts regarding post-delivery services such as training and maintenance; *recognises, however, that Member States may not always be able to give full submissions due to the commercial sensitivity and security risks surrounding such information;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 216**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 19 – point a**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

##### *Amendment*

a) to add the following additional categories in a revised reporting template in order to implement the recent September 2019 Council conclusions: the exact type of weapon and the quantity exported, denomination of the munitions, the lot size and the specific end-user, revoked licences, and the value and duration of contracts regarding post-delivery services such as training and maintenance;

a) to add the following additional categories in a revised reporting template in order to implement the recent September 2019 Council conclusions: the exact type of weapon and the quantity exported, denomination of the munitions, the lot size and the specific end-user, revoked licences, and the value and duration of contracts regarding post-delivery services such as training and maintenance; *to align the EU definition of small arms with the broader UN definition so that, for example, pistols and sniper rifles are also included in this category;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 217**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bernard Guetta**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 19 – point b**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*b) to disaggregate data with regard to denial information so as to facilitate the scrutiny of specific shipments or Member States;*

*deleted*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 218**

**Michael Gahler**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 19 – point b**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*b) to disaggregate data with regard to denial information so as to facilitate the scrutiny of specific shipments or Member States;*

*deleted*

**Amendment 219**  
**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 – point b**

*Motion for a resolution*

b) to disaggregate data with regard to denial information so as to facilitate the scrutiny of specific shipments or Member States;

*Amendment*

b) to disaggregate data with regard to denial information so as to facilitate the scrutiny of specific shipments or Member States *within the limits of commercial sensitivity, national security and with every effort taken to avoid inadvertently aiding industrial espionage*;

Or. en

**Amendment 220**  
**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 – point b**

*Motion for a resolution*

b) to *disaggregate data with regard to denial information so as to facilitate the* scrutiny of specific shipments or Member States;

*Amendment*

b) to *collect and present data in a way that would enable, if required, the necessary* scrutiny of specific shipments or Member States;

Or. en

**Amendment 221**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 19 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*c) to clarify definitions such as licensed value and actual exports so as to facilitate the comparability of data between Member States;*

*deleted*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 222**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 19 – point c**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

c) to clarify definitions such as licensed value and actual exports so as to facilitate the comparability of data between Member States;

##### *Amendment*

c) to clarify definitions such as licensed value and actual exports so as to facilitate the comparability of data between Member States; ***Licences for production in third countries should no longer be granted if this would allow the eight criteria of the Common Position or other EU arms export directives to be circumvented;***

Or. en

#### **Amendment 223**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution Paragraph 19 – point c**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

c) to clarify definitions such as licensed value and actual exports so as to facilitate the comparability of data between Member States;

##### *Amendment*

c) to clarify definitions such as licensed value and actual exports so as to facilitate the comparability of data between Member States ***within the limits of commercial sensitivity, national security and with every effort taken to avoid inadvertently aiding industrial espionage;***

**Amendment 224**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Christophe Grudler, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 19 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

c) to *clarify* definitions such as licensed value and actual exports so as to facilitate the comparability of data between Member States;

*Amendment*

c) to *develop EU and internationally recognized* definitions such as licensed value and actual exports so as to facilitate the comparability of data between Member States *and at international level*;

**Amendment 225**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 19 – point c a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*c a) to extend the post-shipment controls to all arms exports, including large military equipment; Member States are to submit a regular post-shipment report;*

*Amendment*

**Amendment 226**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to chose a solution that enables data to be exported in a structured format;**

*deleted*

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 227**

**Arnaud Danjean**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; ***calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to chose a solution that enables data to be exported in a structured format;***

20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 228**

**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*



20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to **chose** a solution that enables data to be exported in a structured format;

20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to **choose** a solution that **is user-friendly and easily accessible by European citizens and civil society and that** enables data to be exported in a structured format;

Or. en

**Amendment 229**  
**Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to **chose** a solution that enables data to be exported in a structured format;

*Amendment*

20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive, **reliable** and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to **choose** a solution that enables data to be exported in a structured format;

Or. en

**Amendment 230**  
**David Lega**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

20. **Welcomes** the decision to transform

*Amendment*

20. **Notes** the decision to transform the

the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to **chose** a solution that enables data to be exported in a structured format;

annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to **choose** a solution that enables data to be exported in a **safe and** structured format;

Or. en

### **Amendment 231**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Christophe Grudler**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 20**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to **chose** a solution that enables data to be exported in a structured format;

###### *Amendment*

20. Welcomes the decision to transform the annual report into an interactive and searchable online database and expects it to be up and running before publication of the export data for 2019; calls on the EEAS to inform Parliament about the precise date on which this database will go online; urges COARM to **apply** a solution that enables data to be exported in a structured format;

Or. en

### **Amendment 232**

**Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Özlem Demirel**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 20 a (new)**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

###### *Amendment*

**20a. Calls on the EEAS to ask Member States for a list of arms buyers, to monitor the use of military equipment sold by them and to provide information on where and**

*against whom the weapons have been used; this information will be included in the annual report on arms exports;*

Or. en

**Amendment 233**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – introductory part**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. Calls on COARM to *work towards amending Article 7 of the Common Position, by calling for an improved exchange* of ‘relevant information, including information on denial notifications and arms export policies’ and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’; *stresses the need*, to this end:

*Amendment*

21. Calls on COARM to *persevere with its efforts to introduce a notification and exchange hub for Member States to share policy information regarding exports to third countries and their decisions to reject applications for the necessary licences; recalls that the decision on whether or not to issue export authorisation remains the sole responsibility of each Member State in accordance with the criteria set out in the common position; Recommends that COARM improve exchanges* of ‘relevant information, including information on denial notifications and arms export policies’ and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’; *points out that information exchange must be compatible with the national laws and administrative procedures in each country; proposes* to this end:

Or. fr

**Amendment 234**  
**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – introductory part**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. ***Calls on COARM to work towards amending Article 7 of the Common Position, by calling for an improved exchange of ‘relevant information, including information on denial notifications and arms export policies’ and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’; stresses the need, to this end:***

*Amendment*

21. ***Recognizes COARM’s potential to add value in coordinating and consolidating areas of Member States’ industrial bases so as to ensure that technologically sophisticated and rapidly deployable equipment are more easily produced in multinational efforts that incorporate willing engagement from small and medium enterprises operating in both the military and civilian technology spaces; stresses the need, to this end:***

Or. en

**Amendment 235**

**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 – introductory part**

*Motion for a resolution*

21. ***Calls on COARM to work towards amending Article 7 of the Common Position, by calling for an improved exchange of ‘relevant information, including information on denial notifications and arms export policies’ and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’; stresses the need, to this end:***

*Amendment*

21. ***Calls on Member States to use COARM to implement better Article 346.1 (b) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) on the production of or trade in arms:***

Or. en

**Amendment 236**

**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 – introductory part**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

21. Calls on COARM *to work towards amending* Article 7 of the Common Position, *by calling for an* improved exchange of ‘relevant information, including information on denial notifications and arms export policies’ *and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’; stresses the need, to this end:*

21. Calls on COARM, *as stated under* Article 7 of the Common Position, *to work towards* improved exchange of ‘relevant information, including information on denial notifications and arms export policies’:

Or. en

#### **Amendment 237**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Petras Auštrevičius, Christophe Grudler**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 21 – introductory part**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

21. Calls on COARM to work towards amending Article 7 of the Common Position, by calling for an improved exchange of ‘relevant information, *including information on denial notifications and arms export policies*’ and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’; stresses the need, to this end:

###### *Amendment*

21. Calls on COARM to work towards amending Article 7 of the Common Position, by calling for an improved exchange of relevant information and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’; stresses the need, to this end:

Or. en

#### **Amendment 238**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 21 – introductory part**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

21. Calls on COARM to work towards amending Article 7 of the Common Position, by calling for an improved exchange of ‘relevant information,

###### *Amendment*

21. Calls on COARM to work towards amending Article 7 of the Common Position, by calling for an improved exchange of ‘relevant information,

including information on denial notifications and arms export policies’ and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’; *stresses the need, to this end:*

including information on denial notifications and arms export policies’ and other ‘measures to further increase convergence’;

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 239**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 21 – point a**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**a) to systematically discuss individual licence requests within COARM, where the receiving destination or recipient has been identified as a risk by one or several Member States or the EEAS; calls on Member States to provide a justification if they decide to grant exports to such destinations;**

*deleted*

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 240**

**Arnaud Danjean**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 21 – point a**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**a) to systematically discuss individual licence requests within COARM, where the receiving destination or recipient has been identified as a risk by one or several Member States or the EEAS; calls on Member States to provide a justification if they decide to grant exports to such destinations;**

*deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 241**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point a**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**a) to systematically discuss individual licence requests within COARM, where the receiving destination or recipient has been identified as a risk by one or several Member States or the EEAS; calls on Member States to provide a justification if they decide to grant exports to such destinations;** **deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 242**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point a**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**a) to systematically discuss individual licence requests within COARM, where the receiving destination or recipient has been identified as a risk by one or several Member States or the EEAS; calls on Member States to provide a justification if they decide to grant exports to such destinations;** **deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 243**  
**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point a**

*Motion for a resolution*

a) to **systematically discuss individual licence requests within COARM, where the receiving destination or recipient has been identified as a risk by one or several Member States or the EEAS; calls on Member States to provide a justification if they decide to grant exports to such destinations;**

*Amendment*

a) to **utilize COARM in a manner based upon the successes of the NATO Industrial Advisory Group and be complementary to the existing commitments of Member States who are part of the Transatlantic Defence Technological and Industrial Cooperation (TADIC);**

Or. en

**Amendment 244**  
**Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point a**

*Motion for a resolution*

a) to systematically discuss individual licence requests within COARM, where the receiving destination or recipient has been identified as a risk by one or several Member States or the EEAS; calls on Member States to provide a justification if they decide to grant exports to such destinations;

*Amendment*

a) to systematically discuss individual licence requests within COARM, where the receiving destination or recipient has been identified as a risk by one or several Member States or the EEAS; calls on Member States to provide a **realistic** justification if they decide to grant exports to such destinations;

Or. en

**Amendment 245**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point b**

*Motion for a resolution*

b) **to follow the example of the UK in this regard by publishing risk assessments in the annual reports;**

*Amendment*

**deleted**



**Amendment 246**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point b**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**b) to follow the example of the UK in this regard by publishing risk assessments in the annual reports;** **deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 247**  
**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point b**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**b) to follow the example of the UK in this regard by publishing risk assessments in the annual reports;** **deleted**

Or. en

**Amendment 248**  
**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point b**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**b) to follow the example of the UK in this regard by publishing risk assessments**

**b) to follow the example of the UK in this regard by publishing risk assessments in the annual reports; *and to publish all***

in the annual reports;

*final arms export licences on the Internet;  
the validity of export licences should be  
limited to two years in order to be able to  
react to changing political situations;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 249**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 21 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*c) to undertake a joint assessment of country situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;* *deleted*

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 250**

**Michael Gahler**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 21 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*c) to undertake a joint assessment of country situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;* *deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 251**

**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

c) *to undertake a joint assessment of country situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;*

*deleted*

Or. en

**Amendment 252**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

c) to undertake a joint assessment of country situations or potential export recipients in *the* light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;

c) to undertake a joint assessment of country situations or potential export recipients in light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament *within the limits of commercial sensitivity, national security and with every effort taken to avoid inadvertently aiding industrial espionage;*

Or. en

**Amendment 253**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Raphaël Glucksmann, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

c) to undertake a joint assessment of country situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;

*Amendment*

c) to undertake a joint assessment of country situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament; ***to regularly update list of third countries complying with the criteria as led down in the Common Position;***

Or. en

**Amendment 254**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Klemen Grošelj, Petras Auštrevičius, Bernard Guetta**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

c) to ***undertake a joint assessment*** of country situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;

*Amendment*

c) to ***share assessments*** of country situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;

Or. en

**Amendment 255**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 21 – point c**

*Motion for a resolution*

c) ***to undertake a joint assessment*** of

*Amendment*

(c) ***to share assessments*** of country

country situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;

situations or potential export recipients in the light of the principles and criteria of the Common Position within the framework of the CFSP and in consultation with external stakeholders, including Parliament;

Or. fr

**Amendment 256**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 – point c a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*ca) to hold biannual joint meetings between COARM and COHOM to discuss implementation of the human rights criteria of the Common Position;*

Or. en

**Amendment 257**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*21a. Calls for an assessment of Member States ‘compliance with the eight criteria of the Common Position by an independent group of experts from member states/ Council, Commission and civil society on a parity basis; calls for the publication in the COARM report, by name and on a case-by-case basis, of the States which, according to the group of experts, have violated the Common Position; calls for the introduction of sanctions against those States which,*

*according to the group of experts, have violated the Common Position;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 258**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**22. Believes that the EU institutions should organise peer reviews with a view to encouraging authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways to improve harmonisation;**

**deleted**

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 259**

**Arnaud Danjean**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**22. Believes that the EU institutions should *organise peer reviews with a view to encouraging authorities to share* best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, *and discussing ways to improve harmonisation;***

**22. Believes that the EU institutions should *continue to share experiences and* best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria;**

Or. fr

## Amendment 260

Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 22

##### *Motion for a resolution*

22. Believes that the EU institutions should organise peer reviews with a view to encouraging authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways to improve harmonisation;

##### *Amendment*

22. Believes that the EU institutions should organise peer reviews with a view to encouraging authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways to improve harmonisation **and consistency**;

Or. en

## Amendment 261

Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Nathalie Loiseau, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Christophe Grudler, Nicolae Ștefănuță

### Motion for a resolution

#### Paragraph 22

##### *Motion for a resolution*

22. Believes that **the** EU institutions should **organise peer reviews with a view to encouraging** authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying **differences** as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways to improve harmonisation;

##### *Amendment*

22. Believes that EU institutions should **encourage** authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying **national peculiarities** as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways **and means** to improve harmonisation **and convergence among Member States**;

Or. en

**Amendment 262**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

22. Believes that the EU institutions should organise peer reviews with a view to encouraging authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways to improve harmonisation;

*Amendment*

22. Believes that the EU institutions should organise peer reviews with a view to encouraging ***national*** authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways to improve harmonisation;

Or. en

**Amendment 263**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

22. Believes that the EU institutions should ***organise*** peer reviews with a view to encouraging authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways to improve harmonisation;

*Amendment*

22. Believes that the EU institutions should ***propose*** peer reviews with a view to encouraging authorities to share best practices on the collection and processing of data, fostering a better understanding of different national approaches, identifying differences as regards the interpretation of the eight criteria, and discussing ways to improve harmonisation;

Or. en

**Amendment 264**  
**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**



**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

23. ***Strongly believes that a much higher level of convergence as regards the strict application of the criteria will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;***

***deleted***

Or. fr

**Amendment 265**  
**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

23. Strongly believes that ***a much higher level of convergence as regards the strict application of the criteria*** will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

23. Strongly believes that ***arms exports remain the core responsibility of Member States, notes that convergence can benefit multinational development and procurement initiatives that would ensure a qualitative edge in military hardware throughout Europe which*** will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

Or. en

**Amendment 266**  
**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

23. Strongly believes that a much higher level of convergence as regards the strict application of the criteria will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

*Amendment*

23. Strongly believes that a **more consistent implementation of the EU Common Position is essential for the EU credibility as a value-based global actor and that** much higher level of convergence as regards the strict application of the criteria will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

Or. en

**Amendment 267**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

23. **Strongly** believes that a much higher level of convergence as regards the **strict** application of the criteria will **strengthen** human rights, international law **and the CFSP**, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

*Amendment*

23. Believes that a much higher level of convergence as regards the **full** application of the criteria will **more effectively ensure the respect for** human rights **and** international law **by all parties involved in the arms trade** and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy, **in accordance with the goals and ambitions of the CFSP**;

Or. en

**Amendment 268**

**Nicolae Ștefănuță**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

23. Strongly believes that a much

*Amendment*

23. Strongly believes that a much

higher level of convergence as regards the strict application of the criteria will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

higher level of convergence as regards the strict application of the criteria will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, ***will contribute to the promotion of peace and stability*** and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

Or. en

**Amendment 269**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

23. Strongly believes that a ***much*** higher level of convergence as regards ***the strict application*** of the criteria will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

*Amendment*

23. Strongly believes that a higher level of convergence as regards ***assessment*** of the criteria will strengthen human rights, international law and the CFSP, and bolster the EU's strategic security interests and strategic autonomy;

Or. fr

**Amendment 270**  
**Nikos Androulakis, Demetris Papadakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 23 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***23a. Notes with great concern that some Member States continues to export military equipment to Turkey despite the illegal actions of the latter; Recalls Turkey's violations of Greek airspace and territorial waters, the casus belli threat declared by the Grand National Assembly of Turkey in 1995 against Greece which has not yet been withdrawn and it is***

*repeated occasionally by Turkish Officials, and its illegal drilling actions inside the Exclusive Economic Zone/continental shelf of the Republic of Cyprus which constitute clear violations of criteria 4 and 5 of the Common Position; Calls on all Member States to halt all transfers and sales of military technology and equipment, weapons, surveillance and intelligence equipment and material to Turkey until it complies with the International law and the criteria set out in the Common Position;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 271**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;**

**deleted**

Or. fr

**Amendment 272**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS **and the Commission** to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

*Amendment*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; **strongly welcomes the EU funded iTrace project in this respect and demands its continuation and broadening**; calls on the Council, the Member States, **and** the EEAS to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls **with a strong focus on building mutual understanding of the eight criteria, joint risk assessments, setting up of safeguards, and pre- and post-licensing verification**; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

Or. en

**Amendment 273**

**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of

*Amendment*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of

diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; ***encourages Member States governments to take steps in order to ensure better compliance with its end-use regulations, including the implementation of the practice of post-shipment controls, particularly for small arms and light weapons***; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 274**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 24**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; ***calls on*** the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission ***to*** set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export ***controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use*** controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion

###### *Amendment*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; ***recommends that*** the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 275**

**Klemen Grošelj, Nathalie Loiseau, Petras Auštrevičius, Christophe Grudler, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 24**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls **are crucial for a** responsible export policy and **for lowering** the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a **large-scale** training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that **sufficient** staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

###### *Amendment*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls **could result in a more** responsible export policy and **could lower** the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a **comprehensive** training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use **and adequate amount of** EU funding to ensure that **the necessary** staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls **of all aspects of the global arms trade**; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 276**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

*Amendment*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable **risk assessments**, end-use controls **and post-shipment verifications**; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

Or. en

**Amendment 277**

**David Lega**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to **use EU** funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on

*Amendment*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are crucial for a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS and the Commission to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to **provide sufficient** funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and



iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

Or. en

**Amendment 278**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are **crucial for** a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States, the EEAS **and the Commission** to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

*Amendment*

24. Stresses that effective end-use controls are **part of** a responsible export policy and for lowering the risk of diversion in particular; calls on the Council, the Member States **and** the EEAS to set up a large-scale training and capacity-building programme for national and EU officials on arms export controls; stresses the need to use EU funding to ensure that sufficient staff resources are available at national and EU levels and at delegations and embassies in importing countries for the purposes of implementing viable end-use controls; calls on the EEAS and COARM to report on iTrace any identified diversion of EU-origin goods as part of the annual report;

Or. en

**Amendment 279**  
**Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Özlem Demirel**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 24 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

***24a. Insists that the reduction of arms exports must be a pillar of European foreign policy in the interests of***

*Amendment*

*progressing towards a culture of peace and that progress in convergence between Member States must aim at the non-use of arms exports as a foreign policy tool while strengthening the protection of human rights as the defining axis of European external action;*

Or. en

#### **Amendment 280**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;**

*deleted*

Or. fr

#### **Amendment 281**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Bernard Guetta**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;**

*deleted*

**Amendment 282**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;

*Amendment*

25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria; ***regrets the lack of provisions on sanctions to be imposed on Member States that fail to check compliance with the eight criteria in advance of granting licences;***

**Amendment 283**  
**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;

*Amendment*

25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria ***within the limits of commercial sensitivity, national security and with every effort taken to avoid inadvertently aiding industrial espionage;***

**Amendment 284**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Raphaël Glucksmann, Andrea Cozzolino, Isabel Santos, Juozas Olekas, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;

*Amendment*

25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria; ***calls on steps to be taken for the setting-up of an EU mechanism of sanctions for Member States infringing the Common Position;***

**Amendment 285  
Traian Băsescu**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Believes that the increasing ***Europeanisation of*** arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by ***a mechanism for EU-level*** monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;

*Amendment*

25. Believes that the increasing ***EU cooperation for*** arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by ***promoting the quality of policy*** monitoring and ***evaluation, through developing guidelines, investing in capacity building, and ex post review and*** control ***mechanisms*** based on strict compliance

with the eight criteria;

Or. en

**Amendment 286**  
**Michael Gahler**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Believes that the ***increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF*** should be complemented by ***a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;***

*Amendment*

25. Believes that the ***definition of a “European capabilities and armaments policy” as foreseen in Article 42.3 of the Treaty on European Union (TEU)*** should be complemented by ***national oversight mechanisms in line with Article 346.1 b of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU) on the production of or trade in arms;***

Or. en

**Amendment 287**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Believes that ***the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;***

*Amendment*

25. Believes that ***enhanced European cooperation in the field of arms production, together with the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports are conducive to the thorough and coordinated evaluation of arms exports;***

Or. fr

**Amendment 288**  
**Željana Zovko**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Believes that the increasing **Europeanisation of** arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;

*Amendment*

25. Believes that the increasing **coherence and convergence of European** arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on strict compliance with the eight criteria;

Or. en

**Amendment 289**  
**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on **strict** compliance with the eight criteria;

*Amendment*

25. Believes that the increasing Europeanisation of arms production, the recent Council conclusions on convergence in arms exports and the establishment of the EPF should be complemented by a mechanism for EU-level monitoring and control based on compliance with the eight criteria;

Or. en

**Amendment 290**  
**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Andrea Cozzolino, Isabel Santos, Juozas Olekas, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25a. Believes that “pooling and sharing” and more cooperation in arms policy and procurement policy are only possible if strict export controls, mutual information and regular parliamentary scrutiny, as well as strong sanction mechanisms in the event of non-compliance with common rules, are binding. Further demands that the European Parliament - alongside the national parliaments - be able to guarantee parliamentary control over the EU’s common security and defence policy and its budget;**

Or. en

**Amendment 291**

**Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides, Demetris Papadakis**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 25 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25a. Welcomes the adoption of Council’s Decision to launch Operation EUNAVFOR MED IRINI aiming in the strict implementation of the UN arms embargo through the use of aerial, satellite and maritime assets by carrying out inspections of vessels on the high seas off the coast of Libya suspected to be carrying arms or related material to and from Libya in accordance with United Nations Security Council Resolutions 2292 (2016), 2357(2017), 2420(2018) and 2473 (2019);**

Or. en

**Amendment 292**

**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 25 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25a. Believes that it is time to launch a process leading to a mechanism which sanctions those Member States which do not comply with the Common Position; believes the EU final goal should be to go beyond the Common Position and put in place a common and enforceable EU arms export regime that includes a common monitoring system, a strong sanctions mechanism and a supervisory arms control body;**

Or. en

**Amendment 293**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 25 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25a. Promotes the transformation of the eight criteria of the Common Position into Community law;**

Or. en

**Amendment 294**

**Nikos Androulakis, Demetris Papadakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 25 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25b. Strongly condemns the signature**



*of the two Memorandums of Understanding between Turkey and Libya on the delimitation of maritime zones and on comprehensive security and military cooperation which are interconnected and in clear violation of International Law and the UN Security Council Resolution imposing the arms embargo in Libya; Calls therefore all Member States to halt all transfers and sales of weapons, military technology and equipment, surveillance and intelligence equipment and material to Turkey due to his active involvement in the Libyan conflict, namely the transfer of arms and fighters to Libya;*

Or. en

**Amendment 295**  
**Fabio Massimo Castaldo**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

*25b. Believes that the increasing control over the trade of dual-use goods by the Commission should be balanced by a greater participation and overview from the European Parliament and the civil society in order to restore accountability; calls again on the EU to establish clear criteria and guidelines for assessing whether to export dual-use goods and encourage information exchange between Member States;*

Or. en

**Amendment 296**  
**Hannah Neumann**  
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 25 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25b.** *Calls on COARM to examine the issue of transparency in arms exports alongside the issue of transparency in dual-use export licensing and to consider pursuit of common approaches to transparency across both instruments;*

Or. en

**Amendment 297**

**Jérôme Rivière, Thierry Mariani, Lars Patrick Berg, Susanna Ceccardi**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**26.** *Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means;*

*deleted*

Or. fr

**Amendment 298**

**Joachim Schuster, Robert Biedroń, Pierfrancesco Majorino, Giuliano Pisapia, Andreas Schieder, Maria Arena, Dietmar Köster, Monika Beňová, Miroslav Číž, Robert Hajšel, Raphaël Glucksmann, Andrea Cozzolino, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Attila Ara-Kovács, Isabel Santos, Sven Mikser, Juozas Olekas, Javi López, Nikos Androulakis, Costas Mavrides**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means;

*Amendment*

26. Considers that regular consultations with ***the European Parliament***, national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; ***calls on national parliaments to exchange best reporting and oversight practices in order to enhance the scrutinising role of all national parliaments in the decisions on arms control exports***; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means;

Or. en

**Amendment 299**  
**Arnaud Danjean**

**Motion for a resolution**  
**Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are ***central*** to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to ***enhance*** dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; ***encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including***

*Amendment*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are ***conducive*** to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to ***continue*** dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities;

*by financial means;*

Or. fr

### **Amendment 300**

**Nathalie Loiseau, Christophe Grudler, Urmas Paet, Petras Auštrevičius, Bart Groothuis, Bernard Guetta**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 26**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to *enhance* dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; *encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means;*

###### *Amendment*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to *continue its* dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities;

Or. en

### **Amendment 301**

**Klemen Grošelj, Urmas Paet, Bart Groothuis, Petras Auštrevičius, Nicolae Ștefănuță**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 26**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are *central to* meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; *encourages civil*

###### *Amendment*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are *needed to enhance* meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and *industries, as well as* consultations with Parliament and arms export control

*society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means;*

authorities;

Or. en

### **Amendment 302**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 26**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means;

##### *Amendment*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and ***security technology transfers from and to third countries and*** calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by ***increasing*** financial means, ***notably under the future NDICI***;

Or. en

### **Amendment 303**

**David Lega**

### **Motion for a resolution**

#### **Paragraph 26**

##### *Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export

##### *Amendment*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export

control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the **arms trade** and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means;

control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the **exports of defence technology and equipment** and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 304**

**Željana Zovko**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 26**

###### *Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are **central to meaningful** transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, **including** by financial means;

###### *Amendment*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are **one of the ways to reach** transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities **with advice, and possibly** by financial means;

Or. en

#### **Amendment 305**

**Assita Kanko, Alexandr Vondra**

#### **Motion for a resolution**

##### **Paragraph 26**

*Motion for a resolution*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to ***exercise independent scrutiny of the arms trade and calls on the Member States and the EEAS to support such activities, including by financial means***;

*Amendment*

26. Considers that regular consultations with national parliaments, arms export control authorities, industry associations, ***small and medium enterprises*** and civil society are central to meaningful transparency; calls on COARM to enhance dialogue with civil society and consultations with Parliament and arms export control authorities; encourages civil society and academia to ***increase their engagement and dialogue with COARM in order to remain fully informed regarding arms production and exports***;

Or. en

**Amendment 306**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 26 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

**Amendment 307**

**Özlem Demirel, Idoia Villanueva Ruiz, Mick Wallace, Manu Pineda**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 26 a (new)**

*Amendment*

***26a. Stresses the need, in the spirit of the 16 September 2019 Council conclusions, for meaningful parliamentary oversight; stresses the need to respond to the annual report of COARM annually by a European Parliament report in order to ensure a minimum of parliamentary scrutiny;***

Or. en

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**26a.** *Calls for the establishment of a Subcommittee on Arms Exports and Conversion to monitor compliance with the Common Position and address issues relating to the conversion of defence-related industries to the production of civilian goods;*

Or. en

**Amendment 308**

**Urmas Paet**

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 26 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**26a.** *Encourages Member States to help third countries in the creation, improvement and application of arms checking systems in compliance with the Common Position;*

Or. en

**Amendment 309**

**Hannah Neumann**

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution  
Paragraph 26 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**26b.** *Reiterates the detrimental effect that the uncontrolled export of cyber-surveillance technologies by EU companies can have on the security of the EU's digital infrastructure and on human rights; expresses its concern about the ever-increasing use of certain cyber-surveillance dual-use technologies against*



*politicians, activists and journalists;  
strongly condemns the increasing number  
of human rights defenders facing digital  
threats, including compromised data  
through confiscation of equipment,  
remote surveillance and data leakages;  
stresses, in this regard, the importance of  
a rapid, effective and comprehensive  
update of the EU's Dual-Use Regulation;*

Or. en