

17.1.2011

B7-0031/1

**Amendment 1**

**Simon Busuttil, Véronique Mathieu**  
on behalf of the PPE Group

**Motion for a resolution**

**B7-0031/2011**

**ALDE, Verts/ALE, S&D, GUE/NGL**

Violation of freedom of expression and discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation in Lithuania

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital A**

*Motion for a resolution*

A. whereas on 16 December 2010, the Seimas postponed a vote on draft legislation that would amend the Code of Administrative Offences to punish the ‘public promotion of homosexual relations’ with a fine of between LTL 2 000 and 10 000 (€580–2 900),

*Amendment*

A. whereas on 16 December 2010, the Seimas postponed a vote on draft legislation that would amend the Code of Administrative Offences to punish the ‘public promotion of homosexual relations’ with a fine of between LTL 2 000 and 10 000 (€580 – 2 900), ***because the amendments had not yet been examined by the relevant parliamentary committees and are still under review by the Lithuanian national authorities,***

Or. en

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**Amendment 2**

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**Paragraph -1 (new)**

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*Amendment*

***-1. Upholds the values and principles upon which the Union is founded, in particular the respect for human rights, including the rights of all minorities;***

Or. en

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**Amendment 3**

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**Paragraph 2 a (new)**

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*Amendment*

***2a. Points out that the proposed amendments have not yet been voted by the plenary of the Lithuanian Parliament and are still under review by the Lithuanian national authorities;***

Or. en

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**Amendment 4**

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**Paragraph 5 a (new)**

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*Amendment*

***5a. Welcomes the plan by the Lithuanian authorities to review the proposed amendments that have been deemed to be in conflict with European law, notably in relation to the principle of non-discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation;***

Or. en

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**Amendment 5**

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**Paragraph 5 b (new)**

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*Amendment*

***5b. Reiterates the importance of respecting the right of any democracy - in full compliance with human rights and the principle of non-discrimination - to discuss, amend and adopt national laws and provisions, without interference in the debates of national parliaments;***

Or. en