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COP15 to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) - Kunming (2020)
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Amendment 1

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Citation 4 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Having regard to the Marine Strategy Framework Directive (Directive 2008/56/EC);*

Or. en

Amendment 2

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Citation 4 b (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Having regard to the Framework Directive for water (Directive 2000/60/EC);*

Or. en

Amendment 3

Alexandr Vondra

Draft motion for a resolution

Citation 5 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the International Union for Conservation of Nature's Red List of Threatened Species;*

Or. en

Amendment 4

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Nils Torvalds

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Citation 6 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the IPCC special report on the Ocean and Cryosphere in a Changing Climate of 25 September 2019,*

Or. en

Amendment 5

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

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Citation 7

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Amendment

— having regard to the United Nations 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs),

— having regard to the United Nations 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) *as well as to the Commission Reflection Paper of 30 January 2019 entitled “Towards A Sustainable Europe by 2030”*,

Or. en

Amendment 6

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

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Citation 8 a (new)

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Amendment

- *having regard to the European*

Commission Communication on Stepping up EU Action to Protect and Restore the World's Forests of 23 July 2019 and the EU Forest Strategy of 20 September 2013;

Or. en

Amendment 7

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

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Citation 8 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Commission communication of 23 July 2019 entitled “Protecting and restoring the world’s forests: stepping up EU action to halt deforestation and forest degradation”;*

Or. en

Amendment 8

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

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Citation 9 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the 2019 Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations report entitled “The State of the World’s Biodiversity for Food and Agriculture”;*

Or. en

Amendment 9

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley,

Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

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Citation 10 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Statement by the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights at the Third Committee of the UN General Assembly in New York on 15 October 2019;*

Or. en

Amendment 10

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

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Citation 11 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Beijing Call for Biodiversity Conservation and Climate Change of 6 November 2019;*

Or. en

Amendment 11

Tudor Ciuhodaru

Draft motion for a resolution

Recital A

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

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variety of life, and contributing to human well-being, and poverty eradication;

the planet's variety of life, and contributing to human well-being, and poverty eradication;

Or. ro

Amendment 12

Radan Kanev, Agnès Evren

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Recital B

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B. whereas the 2050 Vision adopted under the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) is “Living in harmony with nature” where “by 2050, biodiversity is valued, conserved, restored and wisely used, maintaining ecosystem services, sustaining a healthy planet and delivering benefits essential for all people”;

Amendment

B. whereas the 2050 Vision adopted under the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) is “Living in harmony with nature” where “by 2050, biodiversity is valued, conserved, restored and wisely used, maintaining ecosystem services, sustaining a healthy planet and delivering benefits essential for all people”, ***and for our future generations***;

Or. en

Amendment 13

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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Recital C a (new)

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Amendment

C a. whereas as highlighted in the IPBES Global assessment report on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services, current negative trends in biodiversity and ecosystems will undermine progress towards 80% of the assessed targets of Sustainable Development Goals related to poverty, hunger, health, water, cities, climate, oceans and land; whereas indigenous peoples and many of the world's poorest communities are projected

to be primarily and more severely affected; whereas therefore loss and degradation of biodiversity must be considered not only as environmental issues but also developmental, economic, social and as moral ones;

Or. en

Amendment 14
Alexandr Vondra

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Recital C a (new)

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Amendment

C a. whereas the Nagoya Protocol on Access and Benefit Sharing (ABS) provides a transparent legal framework for the fair and equitable sharing of benefits arising from the utilisation of genetic resources and associated traditional knowledge;

Or. en

Amendment 15
Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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Recital C b (new)

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Amendment

C b. whereas three-quarters of the land-based environment and about 66% of the marine environment have been significantly altered by human actions; whereas more than a third of the world's land surface and nearly 75% of freshwater resources are now devoted to crop or livestock production; whereas 23% of global greenhouse gas emissions are caused by crop production,

fertilisation, forestry and other land use, with animal-based food contributing 75% to that figure;

Or. en

Amendment 16

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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Recital C c (new)

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Amendment

C c. whereas fossil fuel subsidies at global level remained large at 5.2 trillion USD, equal to 6.5 percent of the global GDP in 2017, thus contributing to further deteriorating biodiversity and natural ecosystems; whereas the Commission estimated that fossil fuel subsidies provided by EU governments remained overall stable between 2008 and 2016, and in 2017 stood at 289 billion USD per annum; whereas such subsidies did not decrease in spite of the EU international commitments to phase out fossil fuels in the medium term, notably to phase out environmentally harmful subsidies, including those for fossil fuels, by 2020;

Or. en

Amendment 17

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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Recital C d (new)

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Amendment

C d. whereas according to the IPCC's and the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services' latest scientific knowledge, no

lasting solutions exist to address climate change without a greater implementation of coherent and effective nature-based solutions;

Or. en

Amendment 18
Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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Recital C e (new)

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Amendment

C e. whereas as resulted from thorough analyses conducted at international level, changes in land and sea use, direct exploitation of organisms, climate change, pollution and invasive alien species are considered to be the direct drivers having the largest relative global impacts on biodiversity loss and deterioration;

Or. en

Amendment 19
Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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Recital C f (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

C f. whereas since 1980 greenhouse gas emissions have doubled, raising average global temperatures by 1 degree Celsius; whereas climate change has already had devastating impacts on nature, from the level of ecosystems to that of genetics;

Or. en

Amendment 20

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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Recital C g (new)

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Amendment

C g. whereas at global level urban areas have more than doubled since 1992; whereas plastic pollution has increased tenfold since 1980; whereas around 400 million tons of heavy metals, solvents, toxic sludge and other wastes from industrial facilities are dumped annually into the world's waters, and fertilisers entering coastal ecosystems produced more than 400 ocean dead zones;

Or. en

Amendment 21

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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Recital C h (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

C h. whereas data available since 1961 shows that per capita supply of meat and vegetable oils has more than doubled and the supply of food calories per capita has increased by about one third; whereas these changes in consumption patterns have contributed to about 2 billion adults now being overweight or obese; whereas currently around 30% of total food produced is lost or wasted despite 821 million people being undernourished according to the most recent estimations; whereas these changes, based on resource-intensive consumption and production patterns, are associated with additional GHG emissions and very

damaging impacts on biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 22
Alexandr Vondra

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Recital D a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

D a. whereas the EU and the Member States have adopted the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and its seventeen Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and are fully committed to their implementation;

Or. en

Amendment 23
Michal Wiezik

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Recital D a (new)

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Amendment

D a. whereas the ambition of the Political Guidelines for the next European Commission 2019-2024 is for Europe to work with its global partners to curtail biodiversity loss within the next five years;

Or. en

Amendment 24
Mick Wallace

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Recital D a (new)

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Amendment

D a. whereas the global biodiversity crisis is inextricably linked with climate breakdown, meaning nature based solutions are the most effective joint solution for this joint crisis;

Or. en

Amendment 25

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

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Recital D a (new)

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Amendment

D a. whereas forest are indispensable to worldwide subsistence and while covering 30% of the Earth's land area, they host 80% of its biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 26

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin

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Paragraph 1

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Amendment

1. Notes with concern that ***as indicated in*** the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report, nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history and the rate of species extinctions is accelerating, with grave impacts on people around the world now likely; ***expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a***

1. Notes with concern that the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report ***clearly underlines the state of the ecological emergency, since*** nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history and the rate of species extinctions is accelerating, with grave impacts on people around the world now likely; ***however the report also stresses the possibility to halt***

changing climate, on the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as well as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs;

and reverse this trend by implementing a strong and ambitious nature and biodiversity protection strategy;

Or. en

Amendment 27

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

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Amendment

1. Notes with **grave** concern that as indicated in the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report, nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history and the rate of species extinctions is accelerating, with grave impacts on people around the world now likely; expresses its deep concern **about the additional stresses for biodiversity by climate change on land as laid out in the IPCC special report of 8 August 2019; as well as about the decline of marine mammals and fisheries and the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs as documented in the IPCC special report of 24 September 2019;**

Or. en

Amendment 28

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

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on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report, nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history **and** the rate of species extinctions is accelerating, with grave impacts on people around the world now likely; expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate, on the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as wells as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs;

on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report, nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history, the rate of species extinctions is accelerating **and around one million animal and plant species are threatened with extinction**, with grave impacts on people around the world now likely; expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate, on the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as wells as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs;

Or. en

Amendment 29
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Ville Niinistö

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1. Notes with concern that as indicated in the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report, nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history and the rate of species extinctions is accelerating, with grave impacts on people around the world **now likely**; expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate, on the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as wells as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs;

Amendment

1. Notes with concern that as indicated in the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report, nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history and the rate of species extinctions is accelerating, with grave impacts on people around the world; **stresses that biodiversity loss is the most critical and acute crisis we are facing**; expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate, on the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as wells as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs;

Or. en

Amendment 30
Radan Kanev, Agnès Evren

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Amendment

1. Notes with concern that as indicated in the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report, nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history and the rate of species extinctions is accelerating, with grave impacts on people around the world now likely, ***that will affect the life of our future generations***; expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate, on the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as well as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs;

Or. en

Amendment 31
Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig

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Or. en

Amendment 32
Alexandr Vondra

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Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

1. Notes with concern that as indicated in the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services report, nature is declining globally at rates unprecedented in human history and the rate of species extinctions is accelerating, with grave impacts on people around the world now likely; expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate, on the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as well as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs; ***notes with regret that only seven percent of oceans are formally protected; urges the Commission and the Member States to insist on a review of Aichi Target 11 and SDG target 14.5 and increase the conservation coverage of coastal and marine areas;***

Or. en

Amendment 33
Mick Wallace

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with grave impacts on people around the world now likely; expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate, on the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as well as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs; ***underlines the severity of the findings in the IPCC Special Report on Global Warming of 1.5°C, particularly that more than 99% of coral reefs are projected to decline under a 2°C scenario;***

Or. en

Amendment 34

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin

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Paragraph 1 a (new)

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Amendment

1 a. Expresses its deep concern after the publication of the IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate, which recognise climate change as one of the main direct drivers of biodiversity loss and underlines that its negative effects on nature and biodiversity, eco-systems services, oceans and food security are projected to become increasingly important in the next decades;

underlines that the IPCC also stresses that the health of the ocean and marine ecosystems are currently affected by global warming, pollution, overexploitation of marine biodiversity, rising sea levels, acidification, deoxygenation, marine heatwaves, unprecedented glaciers and sea ice melting, and coastal erosion, more frequent natural disasters, which are affecting marine and coastal ecosystems by altering their functioning and

accelerating the decline of marine mammals and fisheries as well as on the dramatic disappearance of coral reefs and mangroves;

recalls that the ocean is part of the solution to mitigate and adapt to the effects of climate change; calls therefore the EU to put the ocean high on the agenda of the biodiversity strategy, and calls on all Parties to recognise the ocean as a common good of humanity, to develop a new approach that places individual and collective responsibilities well above the traditional principles of freedom and ownership of the ocean to ensure its preservation;

Or. en

Amendment 35

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Manuel Pizarro, Jytte Guteland, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

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Paragraph 1 a (new)

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Amendment

1 a. Considers that we are facing an ecological emergency, which requires significant actions in Europe and beyond; calls on the Commission to place nature protection and restoration as a top priority in the European Green Deal alongside climate change;

Or. en

Amendment 36

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin, Nils Torvalds

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2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; urges the Commission and Member States to commit to immediate, substantial and additional efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets;

Amendment

2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; urges the Commission and Member States to ***adopt a new approach for ecosystems preservation and restoration to*** commit to immediate, substantial and additional ***mandatory*** efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets; ***considers that in this new strategy, special attention should be paid to the restoration of ecosystems, habitats and species, notably through research and innovation to foster the deployment of nature-based economies in all sectors, which is a key tool to reach biodiversity targets;***

Or. en

Amendment 37 Tudor Ciuhodaru

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2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; urges the Commission and Member States to commit to immediate, substantial and additional efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets;

Amendment

2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; urges the Commission and Member States to commit to immediate, substantial and additional efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets, ***for example by providing more comprehensive information and seeking closer involvement of civil society and members of the public from different age groups and social backgrounds;***

Amendment 38
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Ville Niinistö

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2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; urges the Commission and Member States to commit to immediate, substantial and additional efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets;

Amendment

2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; ***notes that the aims of the EU 2020 biodiversity strategy will not be met***; urges the Commission and Member States to commit to immediate, substantial and additional efforts ***with concrete actions*** on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the ***global and*** EU targets;

Amendment 39
César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

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Amendment

2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; ***regrets that the EU is not on track to achieve its headline target of halting biodiversity loss and ecosystem degradation by 2020***; urges the Commission and Member States to commit

to immediate, substantial and additional efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets;

Or. en

Amendment 40
Petros Kokkalis

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2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; **urges the** Commission and Member States **to** commit to immediate, substantial and additional efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets;

Amendment

2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to step up their efforts; **demands that** the Commission and Member States commit to immediate, substantial and additional efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets;

Or. el

Amendment 41
María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

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Amendment

2. Expresses its concern that the 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets will not be met with the current trajectory of biodiversity loss, and reiterates its calls on all Parties to **urgently** step up their efforts; **urges the** Commission and Member States to commit to immediate, substantial and additional efforts on biodiversity conservation and restoration so as to meet the EU targets **and contribute to meeting the Aichi**

targets;

Or. en

Amendment 42

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

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3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to better integrate biodiversity into its climate policies *and ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving climate mitigation and adaptation;*

Amendment

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Or. en

Amendment 43

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

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strengthen EU's resilience **and adaptive** capacities **to** climate change; recalls the importance of **developing and implementing** nature based solutions for **preserving biodiversity while mitigating and adapting to** climate change; asks therefore for more coherence **and integration** between the **UN** CBD and UNFCCC **under the Agenda 2030**; calls on the Commission to better integrate biodiversity into its climate policies **but also to mainstream biodiversity into other sectorial policies; also calls on the Commission to** ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving **co-benefits between biodiversity and** climate mitigation and adaptation;

Or. en

Amendment 44

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Nils Torvalds

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3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to better integrate biodiversity into its climate policies and ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving climate mitigation and adaptation;

Amendment

3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems, **including the oceans, which absorb more than 25% of CO2 emissions and are the main supplier of oxygen**, are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving **terrestrial, coastal and marine** biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to better integrate biodiversity into its climate policies and ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving

climate mitigation and adaptation;

Or. en

Amendment 45

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Draft motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to **better** integrate biodiversity into its climate policies **and** ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving climate mitigation and adaptation;

Amendment

3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to **fully** integrate biodiversity into its climate policies **as it is of paramount importance to guarantee full consistency and mutual support across all climate and biodiversity policies; calls on the Commission to** ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving climate mitigation and adaptation;

Or. en

Amendment 46

Alexandr Vondra

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Draft motion for a resolution

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strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence **and synergies** between the **three Rio Conventions**; calls on the Commission to better integrate biodiversity into its climate policies and ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving climate mitigation and adaptation;

Or. en

Amendment 47

Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 3

Draft motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to better integrate biodiversity into its climate policies and ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving climate mitigation and adaptation;

Amendment

3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and **using** nature based solutions for climate change mitigation, **especially for carbon absorption**; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to better integrate biodiversity into its climate policies and ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving climate mitigation and adaptation;

Or. en

Amendment 48

Mick Wallace

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3

Draft motion for a resolution

3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to better *integrate* biodiversity into its climate policies and ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a *way of achieving* climate mitigation and adaptation;

Amendment

3. Recalls that biodiversity and healthy ecosystems are key for achieving the objectives of the Paris Agreement and strengthen EU's resilience capacities toward climate change; recalls the importance of preserving biodiversity and nature based solutions for climate change mitigation; asks therefore for more coherence between the CBD and UNFCCC; calls on the Commission to *ensure* better *integration of* biodiversity into its climate policies and ensure that EU climate funding is also used to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a *key part of the Union's* climate mitigation and adaptation *policy*;

Or. en

Amendment 49

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

3 a. Highlights that, according to scientific research^{1a}, natural climate solutions (NCS) can provide over one-third of the cost-effective climate mitigation needed between now and 2030 to stabilise warming to below 2 °C; regrets, however, that despite the potential of NCS, land-based sequestration efforts receive only about 2.5% of the global climate mitigation budget; calls for an increased use of EU and international climate funding to protect and restore natural ecosystems as a way of achieving

climate mitigation and adaptation;

1a

<https://www.pnas.org/content/114/44/11645>

Or. en

Amendment 50
Ulrike Müller

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

3 a. Stresses that there are trade-offs between protecting the climate and protecting biodiversity in the bio-economy sector, which plays a central role in the transition towards a climate-neutral economy; expresses its concern that this trade-off has not been sufficiently addressed in recent policy discussions; calls on all stakeholders to develop a coherent approach to bring together biodiversity protection and climate protection in a thriving bio-economy;

Or. en

Amendment 51
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Ville Niinistö

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

3 a. stresses the need for a mosaic masterplan to protect biodiversity and healthy ecosystems from global to local level, entailing the concept of leaving 1/3 of all green areas at local, regional and

*EU levels in their natural state, to
complement the Natura 2000 network;*

Or. en

Amendment 52
Tudor Ciuhodaru

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

3a. Stresses that biodiversity is not only indispensable for the production of food, fuel and medicines but also, together with a healthy natural environment, important for long-term economic development;

Or. ro

Amendment 53
**Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries,
Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds**

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 3 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

3 a. Welcomes the Beijing Call for Biodiversity Conservation and Climate Change of 6 November 2019;

Or. en

Amendment 54
Edina Tóth

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Draft motion for a resolution

4. Welcomes, in this regard, the commitments, made by Ursula von der Leyen in the political guidelines for the next European Commission 2019-2024 and in the mission letter to the Commissioner for Environment and Oceans, to present a Biodiversity Strategy for 2030 as part of the European Green Deal, and her intention for the EU to lead the world at the 2020 Conference of the Parties to the ***CBD, as it did at the 2015 Paris Climate Conference;***

Amendment

4. Welcomes, in this regard, the commitments, made by Ursula von der Leyen in the political guidelines for the next European Commission 2019-2024 and in the mission letter to the Commissioner for Environment and Oceans, to present a Biodiversity Strategy for 2030 as part of the European Green Deal, and her intention for the EU to lead the world at the 2020 Conference of the Parties to the ***Convention on Biological Diversity;***

Or. en

Amendment 55

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4**

Draft motion for a resolution

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Or. en

Amendment 56

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

4 a. Calls on the Commission, in view of the global biodiversity crisis highlighted by the recent IPBES report, to move away from voluntary commitments and introduce legally binding targets for the Union and its Member States as part of the EU 2030 Biodiversity Strategy to be presented in the first 100 days of the new Commission;

Or. en

Amendment 57

Mick Wallace

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

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Or. en

Amendment 58
Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

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Or. en

Amendment 59
Petros Kokkalis

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4

Draft motion for a resolution

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Or. el

Amendment 60

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4

Draft motion for a resolution

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Or. en

Amendment 61

Edina Tóth

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Draft motion for a resolution

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external instruments, with third countries to promote and strengthen biodiversity conservation and restoration measures and governance, ***in particular in all multilateral agreements***;

Amendment

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external instruments, with third countries to promote and strengthen biodiversity conservation and restoration measures and governance;

Or. en

Amendment 62

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

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Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external instruments ***such as the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI)***, with third countries to promote and strengthen biodiversity conservation and restoration measures and governance, in particular in all multilateral agreements;

Or. en

Amendment 63

Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Draft motion for a resolution

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the ***Commission and*** Member States to ***actively engage, particularly through their external instruments,*** with third countries to promote and ***strengthen biodiversity conservation and restoration measures and governance, in particular in all*** multilateral agreements;

Amendment

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Member States to engage with third countries to promote and ***share best available practices and to attach biodiversity conservation and restoration measures to*** multilateral agreements;

Or. fr

Amendment 64

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external instruments, with third countries to promote and strengthen biodiversity conservation and restoration measures and governance, in particular in all multilateral agreements; ***as a consequence, calls on the Commission to include binding and enforceable Trade and Sustainable Development Chapters in all future trade agreements;***

Or. en

Amendment 65

Fredrick Federley

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external instruments, with third countries to promote and ***set targets for*** biodiversity conservation and restoration measures and governance, in particular in

agreements;

all multilateral *and trade* agreements, *as well as measures against non-compliance*;

Or. en

Amendment 66
Petros Kokkalis

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Draft motion for a resolution

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is *an essential* challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external instruments, with third countries to promote and strengthen biodiversity conservation and restoration measures and governance, in particular in all multilateral agreements;

Amendment

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is *a crucial* challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external instruments, with third countries to promote and strengthen biodiversity conservation and restoration measures and governance, in particular in all multilateral agreements;

Or. el

Amendment 67
María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Draft motion for a resolution

5. Stresses that the protection of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external instruments, with third countries to promote and strengthen biodiversity

Amendment

5. Stresses that the protection *and conservation* of global biodiversity is an essential challenge and thus a strategic EU interest that should receive the highest political attention; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively engage, particularly through their external *action* instruments, with third countries to

conservation and restoration measures and governance, in particular in all multilateral agreements;

promote and strengthen biodiversity **protection**, conservation and restoration measures and governance, in particular in all multilateral **and trade** agreements;

Or. en

Amendment 68

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

5 a. Calls on the Commission and Member States to provide substantial and increased support to partner countries and scale-up its financial assistance, as part of a global resource mobilisation effort to tackle the global climate and biodiversity crises; considers that this needs to be taken into account in the ongoing negotiations on the MFF 2021-2027, notably the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI); considers that the NDICI should allocate 45% of its funds to investments that contribute to climate objectives, environmental management and protection, biodiversity, and combatting desertification;

Or. en

Amendment 69

Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

6. Stresses the need for a

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comprehensive governance regime addressing the conservation, restoration and sustainable use of biodiversity and ecosystem services; calls on the EU and the Member States to remain strongly committed to further strengthening the CBD and to take a leading role in the preparation for the post-2020 framework, in particular in the run up to the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, to commit on a biodiversity equivalent of the 1.5 °C target of the Paris Climate Agreement and to transparently set out their visions and priorities for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework;

Or. fr

Amendment 70
Alexandr Vondra

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Draft motion for a resolution

6. Stresses the need for a comprehensive governance regime addressing the conservation, restoration and sustainable use of biodiversity and ecosystem services; calls on the EU and the Member States to remain strongly committed to further strengthening the CBD and to take a leading role in the preparation for the post-2020 framework, in particular in the run up to the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, to commit *on* a biodiversity equivalent of the **1.5 °C target** of the Paris Climate Agreement and to transparently set out their visions and priorities for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework;

Amendment

6. Stresses the need for a comprehensive governance regime addressing the conservation, restoration and sustainable use of biodiversity and ecosystem services; calls on the EU and the Member States to remain strongly committed to further strengthening the CBD and to take a leading role in the preparation for the post-2020 framework, in particular in the run up to the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, to commit *to* a biodiversity equivalent of the **long-term temperature targets** of the Paris Climate Agreement and to transparently set out their visions and priorities for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework;

Or. en

Amendment 71

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Draft motion for a resolution

6. Stresses the need for a comprehensive governance **regime** addressing the conservation, restoration and sustainable use of biodiversity and ecosystem services; calls on the EU and the Member States to remain strongly committed to further strengthening the CBD and to take a leading role in the preparation for the post-2020 framework, in particular in the run up to the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, to commit **on** a biodiversity equivalent of the 1.5 °C target of the Paris Climate Agreement and to transparently set out their visions and priorities for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework;

Amendment

6. Stresses the need for a comprehensive **multi-level** governance **approach** addressing the conservation, restoration and sustainable use of biodiversity and ecosystem services; calls on the EU and the Member States to remain strongly committed to further strengthening the CBD and to take a leading role in the preparation for the post-2020 framework, in particular in the run up to the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, to commit **to** a biodiversity equivalent of the 1.5 °C target of the Paris Climate Agreement and to transparently set out their visions and priorities for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework;

Or. en

Amendment 72

Petros Kokkalis

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Draft motion for a resolution

6. Stresses the need for a comprehensive governance regime addressing the conservation, restoration and sustainable use of biodiversity and ecosystem services; calls on the EU and the Member States to remain strongly committed to further strengthening the CBD and to take a leading role in the preparation for the post-2020 framework, in particular in the run up to the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, to

Amendment

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commit on a biodiversity equivalent of the 1.5 °C target of the Paris Climate Agreement and to transparently set out their visions and priorities for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework;

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Or. el

Amendment 73

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Draft motion for a resolution

7. Recalls that biodiversity and ecosystem preservation is inherently synergistic and fundamental to the achievement of the UN Sustainable Development Goals; stresses the need and calls on the Commission and Member States to implement effective biodiversity mainstreaming and improved environmental policy coherence in all internal and external policies of the EU;

Amendment

7. Recalls that biodiversity and ecosystem preservation is inherently synergistic and fundamental to the achievement of the UN Sustainable Development Goals; stresses the need and calls on the Commission and Member States to implement effective ***nature and biodiversity mainstreaming with biodiversity targets across sectors, to change the economic model towards more sustainability taking into account the EU footprint***, and improved environmental policy coherence in all internal and external policies of the EU, ***including in agriculture, fishery, renewable energy, transport, trade and the Multiannual Financial Framework for 2021 - 2027; considers that an increased collaboration across all sectors is needed to better integrate biodiversity conservation and restoration; stresses that special attention should be paid to the lifecycle of traded goods from conception to consumption, to protect natural resources and biodiversity, and to take into account the cumulated impacts including transport***;

Or. en

Amendment 74

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

7. Recalls that biodiversity and ecosystem preservation is inherently synergistic and fundamental to the achievement of the UN Sustainable Development Goals; stresses the need and calls on the Commission and Member States to implement effective biodiversity mainstreaming and improved environmental policy coherence in all internal and external policies of the EU; ***calls on the Commission to adopt targeted legislative measures aimed at stopping products that lead to deforestation and ecosystem destruction from being placed on the EU market;***

Or. en

Amendment 75

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8

Draft motion for a resolution

8. Believes it to be critical to address key drivers of biodiversity loss with a long-term strategic approach and to urgently identify and safeguard the most critical and strategic ***areas*** and high integrity ecosystems based on the sensitivity of an area, the presence of endangered species, knowledge gaps and/or effective management, and the presence of common species that are fundamental to ecological processes, and to limit losses of biodiversity and negative impacts on

Amendment

8. Believes it to be critical to address key drivers of biodiversity loss with a long-term strategic approach and to urgently identify and safeguard the most critical and strategic ***biodiversity and ecosystem services hotspots*** and high integrity ecosystems based on the sensitivity of an area, the presence of endangered species, knowledge gaps and/or effective management, and the presence of common species that are fundamental to ecological processes, and to limit losses of

indigenous and local communities'
territories and livelihoods;

biodiversity and negative impacts on
indigenous and local communities'
territories and livelihoods;

Or. en

Amendment 76

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 a (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 a. Stresses that the climate emergency and the consequences of mass biodiversity loss constitute a grave threat to human rights; recalls that fundamental human rights to life, health, food and safe water are at risk without a healthy environment; calls on the Commission and the External Action Service to work towards an EU strategy to protect the right to a healthy environment, by working closely with third countries and international organisations such as UNHCR that has recently launched a joint strategy with the UN Environment Programme (UNEP);

Or. en

Amendment 77

Michal Wiezik

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 a (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 a. Reiterates that despite the importance of restoration, it remains virtually ignored by EU Member States in the context of the Bonn Challenge;

Amendment 78
Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 8 b (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

8 b. Believes that for the EU to appear credible both at international level and internally for its citizens, any future EU Strategy must set binding goals given that voluntary targets simply did not work in a majority of areas; considers deplorable that in particular areas (e.g forest biodiversity) "zero progress to target" was achieved;

Or. en

Amendment 79
Maria Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

9. Welcomes the decision taken at the COP14 in Egypt, which urges parties to, inter alia, significantly accelerate their efforts to implement the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020 and to consider undertaking national assessments of biodiversity and ecosystem functions and services; considers of the utmost importance to step up the efforts on the implementation of the current Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020, focus on the achievement of the Aichi Biodiversity targets and to work on an ambitious post 2020 strategic plan and implementation

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mechanism, with regards to a 2050 scenario which takes into account new challenges in the field of biodiversity in line with the 2030 Agenda of the Sustainable Development Goals;

mechanism *that formally includes the sub-national level - local and regional authorities -* , with regards to a 2050 scenario which takes into account new challenges in the field of biodiversity in line with the 2030 Agenda of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Or. en

Amendment 80
Alexandr Vondra

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 9

Draft motion for a resolution

9. Welcomes the decision taken at the COP14 in Egypt, which urges parties to, inter alia, significantly accelerate their efforts to implement the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020 and to consider undertaking national assessments of biodiversity and ecosystem functions and services; considers of the utmost importance to step up the efforts on the implementation of the current Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020, focus on the achievement of the Aichi Biodiversity targets and to work on an ambitious post 2020 strategic plan and implementation mechanism, with regards to a 2050 scenario which takes into account new challenges in the field of biodiversity in line with the 2030 Agenda of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Amendment

9. Welcomes the decision taken at the COP14 in Egypt, which urges parties to, inter alia, significantly accelerate their efforts to implement the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020 and to consider undertaking national assessments of biodiversity and ecosystem functions and services; considers of the utmost importance to step up the efforts on the implementation of the current Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020, focus on the achievement of the Aichi Biodiversity targets, *the Nagoya Protocol on Access and Benefit Sharing*, and to work on an ambitious post 2020 strategic plan and implementation mechanism, with regards to a 2050 scenario which takes into account new challenges in the field of biodiversity in line with the 2030 Agenda of the Sustainable Development Goals;

Or. en

Amendment 81
Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Draft motion for a resolution

11. Welcomes the progress made at COP14 on ***a comprehensive and participatory*** process to develop a post-2020 global biodiversity framework; supports the Metz Biodiversity Charter adopted by the G7;

Amendment

11. Welcomes the progress made at COP14 on ***an international*** process to develop a post-2020 global biodiversity framework; supports the Metz Biodiversity Charter adopted by the G7;

Or. fr

Amendment 82

Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Draft motion for a resolution

12. Underlines the need to ***increase ambition and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework***; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms to improve the transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Amendment

12. Underlines the need to ***pursue realistic and achievable biodiversity targets beyond 2020***; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms to improve the transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Or. fr

Amendment 83

Maria Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

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Draft motion for a resolution

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ambition, ***inclusiveness*** and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms - ***ideally in cooperation with sub-national governments*** - to improve the transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Or. en

Amendment 84
Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

12a. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the definition of a new global target to reverse the global biodiversity loss curve from 2030, setting nature on course for regeneration for the benefit of all and of the planet, including by restoring at least 30% of degraded ecosystems in which that is possible, so as to contribute to the protection of biodiversity and to mitigation of and adaptation to climate change, to help combat desertification and land degradation, and to increase food security;

Or. fr

Amendment 85
Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

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Draft motion for a resolution

12. Underlines the need to increase ambition and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms to improve the transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Amendment

12. Underlines the need to increase ambition and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; calls on the Commission and ***the Member States to promote the definition of a new global target to reverse the global biodiversity loss curve from 2030***; calls on the ***Commission and*** Member States to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms to improve the transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Or. fr

Amendment 86

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Draft motion for a resolution

12. Underlines the need to increase ambition and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms to ***improve the*** transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Amendment

12. Underlines the need to increase ambition and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively pursue the development of ***a roadmap with ambitious legally-binding targets, detailed timelines***, clear performance indicators ***and benchmarks***, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms to ***ensure full*** transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Or. en

Amendment 87

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

12. Underlines the need to increase ambition and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; calls on the Commission and Member States **to strengthen the implementation mechanisms of the CBD**, to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms to improve the transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Or. en

Amendment 88
Petros Kokkalis

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 12

Draft motion for a resolution

12. Underlines the need to increase ambition and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms to improve the transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Amendment

12. Underlines the need to increase ambition and functioning for the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; calls on the Commission and Member States to actively pursue the development of clear performance indicators, tracking instruments and peer review/reporting mechanisms **based on common standards** to improve the transparency and accountability for Parties and the overall effectiveness of the next **global** Biodiversity Strategy Plan;

Or. el

Amendment 89

Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Draft motion for a resolution

13. Highlights that **an international framework in the form of a binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework should be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of Nationally Determined Contributions and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition**; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Amendment

13. highlights that **firm international commitments are needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; such commitments should be based on specific, measurable, quantifiable, realistic and time-bound targets, Nationally Determined Contributions, capacity building and an annual monitoring and review mechanism**; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Or. fr

Amendment 90

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

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to restore all aspects of biodiversity; ***is of the opinion that a clear global conservation objective of at least 30% for natural areas should be enshrined in the post-2020 framework and that the EU should set a similar objective domestically***; believes that such a framework should be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic, ***sectorial*** and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of Nationally Determined Contributions and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Or. en

Amendment 91
Alexandr Vondra

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Draft motion for a resolution

13. Highlights that an international framework in the form of a binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework should be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of ***Nationally Determined Contributions*** and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review

Amendment

13. Highlights that an international framework in the form of a binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework should be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of ***reinforced National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plans (NBSAPs)*** and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as

mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Or. en

Amendment 92

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

13. Highlights that an international framework in the form of a **legally** binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework should **have a clear goal and** be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of Nationally Determined Contributions **for Biodiversity (NDCBs)** and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for **regular reporting by the Parties and** a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Or. en

Amendment 93

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Draft motion for a resolution

13. Highlights that an international framework in the form of a binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework *should* be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, *realistic* and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of Nationally Determined Contributions and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

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13. Highlights that an international framework in the form of a *legally* binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework *must* be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of Nationally Determined Contributions and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Or. en

Amendment 94

Jessica Polfjärd

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

13. Highlights that an international framework in the form of a *global* binding agreement is needed to protect biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework should be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic and time-

bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of Nationally Determined Contributions and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

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Or. en

Amendment 95
Petros Kokkalis

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13

Draft motion for a resolution

13. Highlights that **an** international framework in the form of a binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework should be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising **of Nationally** Determined Contributions and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Amendment

13. Highlights that **a more robust** international framework in the form of a binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework should be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising **Nationally and Regionally** Determined Contributions and other appropriate instruments, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition **for the proper management of protected regions** and highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Or. el

Amendment 96

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Draft motion for a resolution

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Amendment

13. Highlights that an international framework in the form of a binding agreement is needed to protect global biodiversity, to stop its current decline and to restore all aspects of biodiversity; believes that such a framework should be based on specific, measurable including quantifiable, ambitious, realistic and time-bound targets and firm commitments, comprising of Nationally Determined Contributions and other appropriate instruments ***such as sub-national action plans***, financial commitments and improved capacity building assurances, as well as a 5-yearly monitoring and review mechanism, with an emphasis on an upward trajectory of ambition; highlights the need for a harmonised collection and treatment of comparable and consistent data and indicators for a good monitoring process;

Or. en

Amendment 97

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsík, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 a. Underlines that international efforts and agreements will be met only if

there is a strong involvement of all stakeholders; calls for the creation of a coalition of stakeholders, both from private and public sectors, to deliver the post-2020 global biodiversity framework; points out the usefulness of the “Agenda of Solutions” developed under the Paris Agreement to develop a positive agenda for all stakeholders relevant to the UNFCCC and calls for similar actions to be included in the post-2020 framework;

Or. en

Amendment 98
César Luena

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 a. Stresses the need to move away from voluntary commitments to mandatory targets; calls therefore on the Commission to set out legally binding targets for the EU and Member States in the coming EU 2030 Biodiversity Strategy and to set up legally binding National Biodiversity Strategies and Action Plans (NBSAPs);

Or. en

Amendment 99
María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

14. Highlights the importance of minimising time lags that may arise

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between the adoption of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework and its translation into national biodiversity targets to avoid delays in taking concrete actions to stem biodiversity loss;

between the adoption of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework and its translation into national biodiversity targets **and sub-national action plans** to avoid delays in taking concrete actions to stem biodiversity loss;

Or. en

Amendment 100
Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Draft motion for a resolution

15. Welcomes the agreement reached at COP14 by 196 governments to scale up investments in nature and people towards 2020 and beyond; underlines that economic growth can facilitate sustainable development only if it is decoupled from the degradation of biodiversity **and** nature's capacity to contribute to people;

Amendment

15. Welcomes the agreement reached at COP14 by 196 governments to scale up investments in nature and people towards 2020 and beyond; underlines that economic growth can facilitate sustainable development only if it is decoupled from the degradation of biodiversity, nature's capacity to contribute to people **and the ability of humankind to preserve and respect it**;

Or. fr

Amendment 101
María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution
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the degradation of biodiversity and nature's capacity to contribute to *people*;

entirely from the degradation of biodiversity and nature's capacity to contribute to *people's well-being*;

Or. en

Amendment 102

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Draft motion for a resolution

15. Welcomes the agreement reached at COP14 by 196 governments to scale up investments in nature and people towards 2020 and beyond; underlines that economic growth can facilitate sustainable development only if it is decoupled from the degradation of biodiversity and nature's capacity to contribute to people;

Amendment

15. Welcomes the agreement reached at COP14 by 196 governments to scale up investments in nature and people towards 2020 and beyond; underlines that economic growth can facilitate sustainable development *in all sectors* only if it is decoupled from the degradation of biodiversity and nature's capacity to contribute to people;

Or. en

Amendment 103

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution

Subheading 4 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

EU Biodiversity Strategy for 2030

Or. en

Amendment 104

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 a. Welcomes the commitments of President Ursula von der Leyen to present a Biodiversity Strategy for 2030 as part of the Green Deal; calls for the Commission to present this strategy before COP15 as it will be a key component of the EU's capacity to raise ambition at the COP15;

Or. en

Amendment 105

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 b (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 b. Urges the Commission to design a strategy that will address the main drivers of biodiversity loss, domestically and worldwide, and which will include legally binding targets for biodiversity protection and restoration;

Or. en

Amendment 106

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 c (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 c. Calls on the Commission and

Member States to ensure the consistency of the “Farm to Fork Initiative” and the “Zero Pollution Ambition” with the Common Agricultural Policy post 2020, particularly to address the reduction of the use of pesticides, with policy options such as the reduction of dependency on pesticides or the definition of an EU-wide reduction target for the use of pesticides;

Or. en

Amendment 107

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 d (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 d. Calls on the Commission and the EIB to include biodiversity-proofing components in their financial instruments in order to avoid adverse effects on biodiversity; invites the EIB to update its Environmental and Social Standards accordingly with the provisions of the future Biodiversity Strategy for 2030;

Or. en

Amendment 108

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 e (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 e. Calls for an EU-wide legally binding target to restore degraded habitats

by 2030, through restoration of natural forests, peatlands, floodplains, wetlands, biodiversity rich grasslands, coastal zones and marine areas; regrets that the 2020 Biodiversity Strategy failed to deliver on the target to restore 15% of degraded ecosystems;

Or. en

Amendment 109

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsík, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 f (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 f. Urges the Commission and the EIB to include biodiversity-proofing in its external action, particularly in its external financial instrument, in order to ensure that no EU funds or financing scheme contribute to net biodiversity loss;

Or. en

Amendment 110

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsík, Irena Joveva, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 g (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 g. Recalls its position on the next MFF's external action instrument stating that 45% of the funds in the new instrument should support climate and environmental objectives related to climate, environmental management and protection, biodiversity and combating desertification;

Amendment 111

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15 i (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 i. Welcomes the Commission's commitment, included in the Commissioner-designate for the Environment and Oceans' mission letter, stating that Europe should lead the way to an ambitious agreement at the 2020 Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity and lead global efforts to curtail biodiversity loss; is of the opinion that the EU's global ambition will have to be consistent with its domestic action, in the framework of the EU Biodiversity Strategy 2030;

Or. en

Amendment 112

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15 j (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 j. Invites the Commission to include the reduction of the EU's global footprint as an important focus of the EU Biodiversity Strategy 2030 in order to avoid inconsistency between its domestic and international actions;

Amendment 113

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Draft motion for a resolution

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies;

Amendment

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to ***set up a clear target for biodiversity mainstreaming of minimum 10% in the MFF that is additional to the spending on climate mainstreaming; emphasises also the need to establish a more transparent, comprehensive and stringent methodology for the tracking of biodiversity and climate expenditure; reiterates its calls to at least double the current funding of LIFE Programme; calls also for the phase out of harmful subsidies;***

Amendment 114

Pascal Canfin, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution

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underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; ***points out that traceable resources are necessary to ensure the transparency and the effectiveness of financing for biodiversity***; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies ***such as subsidies for fossil fuels, unsustainable fisheries or unsustainable irrigation***; ***insists that, for the sake of consistency, the Commission should maintain LIFE's financial envelope***; ***stresses that the future Sustainable Finance Plan will have to help financial market participants understand their biodiversity loss-related risks by including biodiversity in financial disclosure requirements***;

Or. en

Amendment 115

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Draft motion for a resolution

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; ***underlines that*** biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and ***mainstreaming*** biodiversity across policy areas ***will*** have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies;

Amendment

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; ***calls for improving*** biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and ***increasing*** biodiversity ***mainstreaming*** across policy areas ***so as to*** have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the ***budget for the LIFE Programme to be increased to at least 1% of the next MFF***; ***calls on the*** Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies ***and to ensure coherence in all EU funds and programmes so that no expenditure under the EU budget can contribute to***

biodiversity loss;

Or. en

Amendment 116

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Draft motion for a resolution

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to *phase out* harmful subsidies;

Amendment

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to *take urgent action to remove fossil fuel subsidies by 2020 as well as environmentally harmful subsidies in order to improve consistency and credibility of the EU in preserving biodiversity and natural ecosystems and to boost the transition towards clean energy systems and a climate neutral and circular economy;*

Or. en

Amendment 117

Martin Hojsik, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Draft motion for a resolution

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate *financing* for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy

Amendment

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate *resources allocation* for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming

areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies;

biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies **and to set a new general biodiversity expenditure target for the following programming period**;

Or. en

Amendment 118
Stanislav Polčák

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Draft motion for a resolution

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out ***harmful subsidies***;

Amendment

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out ***subsidies that harm biological diversity***;

Or. cs

Amendment 119
Fredrick Federley

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Draft motion for a resolution

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive

Amendment

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate ***and sufficient*** financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a

effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies;

significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies;

Or. en

Amendment 120

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16

Draft motion for a resolution

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies;

Amendment

16. Highlights the necessity of appropriate financing for biodiversity; underlines that biodiversity *and climate* proofing in the next Multiannual Financial Framework and mainstreaming biodiversity across policy areas will have a significant and positive effect on reaching the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to phase out harmful subsidies;

Or. en

Amendment 121

Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 16 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

16 a. Stresses that biodiversity mainstreaming needs to be accompanied with data collection; notes with concern that basic research, including taxonomy, which is crucial for this purpose, is heavily under-resourced and lacks support in policy and research funding; calls for adequate funding to be allocated

from Horizon Europe for basic research projects and capacity building, and for also using the technical assistance axis of other EU funds for this purpose;

Or. en

Amendment 122
Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 b (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

16 b. Underlines that according to the tracking exercise of biodiversity related expenditure, the Common Agricultural Policy provides approximately 75% of total contribution of all the EU instruments^{2a}; recalls, however that environmentally-harmful subsidies, which is called to phase out in its Resolution on the Mid-term Review of the EU Biodiversity Strategy, are still part of this policy; underlines the incoherence; calls therefore for an ambitious framework with specific, measureable indicators and ambitious targets with no financing for adverse policy instruments within the CAP;

^{2a} Draft General Budget of the European Union for the financial year 2019; out of EUR85 billion, the CAP allegedly provides EUR68 billion, mentioned also here
https://www.eca.europa.eu/lists/ecadocuments/ap19_09/ap_biodiversity_en.pdf

Or. en

Amendment 123
Alexandr Vondra

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Draft motion for a resolution

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new ***international financial mechanisms*** for biodiversity conservation ***linked to the CBD***; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; ***regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;***

Amendment

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new financial ***instruments to leverage funding*** for biodiversity conservation ***under the Global Environment Facility (GEF)***; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard;

Or. en

Amendment 124
Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Draft motion for a resolution

17. Calls on ***the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD***; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come

Amendment

17. calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

Or. fr

Amendment 125

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsík, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17

Draft motion for a resolution

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

Amendment

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform; ***calls therefore on the Commission, Member States and the EIB to develop tangible standards on data set on finance flows for biodiversity;***

Or. en

Amendment 126

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Draft motion for a resolution

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

Amendment

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD; ***notes that economic activities can be important drivers of global biodiversity decline and loss of natural capital***; calls ***therefore*** on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

Or. en

Amendment 127

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 17

Draft motion for a resolution

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging

Amendment

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of new international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD ***while making all efforts for mainstreaming biodiversity into existing funds***; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by

private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

Or. en

Amendment 128

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17

Draft motion for a resolution

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of *new* international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

Amendment

17. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the establishment of *additional* international financial mechanisms for biodiversity conservation linked to the CBD; calls on businesses and financial organisations to make and share strong commitments and contributions to biodiversity, including by biodiversity-proofing their activities, and highlights the importance of leveraging private financing initiatives in this regard; regrets the inconsistency of data set on finance flows for biodiversity that come from domestic and international public and private sources, that puts at risk the tracking and reporting systems and negatively affects any potential reform;

Or. en

Amendment 129

Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments to achieve the Paris Agreement commitments in order to reduce impacts of climate change on biodiversity;

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 130

Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments to achieve the Paris Agreement commitments in order to reduce impacts of climate change on biodiversity;

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments to achieve the Paris Agreement commitments in order to reduce impacts of climate change on biodiversity; ***recalls that a significant part of investments made in the framework of the Paris Agreement has to be used for preserving and restoring biodiversity;***

Or. en

Amendment 131

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments ***to achieve the Paris Agreement commitments in order to*** reduce impacts of climate change on biodiversity;

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments, ***including in nature-based solutions and corresponding initiatives, that result in co-benefits for biodiversity and climate action that in turn will*** reduce impacts of climate change

on biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 132

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsík, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Draft motion for a resolution

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments to achieve the Paris Agreement commitments in order to reduce impacts of climate change on biodiversity;

Amendment

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments to achieve the Paris Agreement commitments in order to reduce impacts of climate change on biodiversity, ***and to take advantage of the potential of nature-based solutions for climate mitigation;***

Or. en

Amendment 133

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18

Draft motion for a resolution

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments to achieve the Paris Agreement commitments in order to reduce impacts of climate change on biodiversity;

Amendment

18. Stresses the importance of increasing investments to achieve the Paris Agreement commitments ***and of phasing out environmentally harmful investments*** in order to reduce impacts of climate change on biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 134

Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Draft motion for a resolution

19. ***Welcomes the decision of the EIB Group to align all its financing activities with the goals of the Paris Agreement and to delivering at least 50% of EIB finance for climate action;*** calls on the Commission to engage with Member States and the financial sector to ***align their activities with the Paris Agreement and consider the protection of biodiversity in financial transactions and investments at EU level and beyond;***

Amendment

19. Calls on the Commission to engage with Member States and the financial sector to consider the protection of biodiversity in financial transactions and investments at EU level and beyond;

Or. fr

Amendment 135

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Draft motion for a resolution

19. Welcomes the decision of the EIB Group to align all its financing activities with the goals of the Paris Agreement and to delivering at least 50% of EIB finance for climate action; calls on the Commission to engage with Member States and the financial sector to align their activities with the Paris Agreement and consider the protection of biodiversity in financial transactions and investments at EU level and beyond;

Amendment

19. Welcomes the decision of the EIB Group to align all its financing activities with the goals of the Paris Agreement and to delivering at least 50% of EIB finance for climate action; ***calls on the EIB to continue expanding biodiversity protection and conservation within its financial envelope;*** calls on the Commission to engage with Member States and the financial sector to align their activities with the Paris Agreement and consider the protection of biodiversity in financial transactions and investments at EU level and beyond;

Or. en

Amendment 136

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Draft motion for a resolution

19. Welcomes the decision of the EIB Group to align all its financing activities with the goals of the Paris Agreement and to delivering at least 50% of EIB finance for climate action; calls on the Commission to engage with Member States and the financial sector to align their activities with the Paris Agreement and ***consider the protection of biodiversity in financial transactions and investments at EU level and beyond;***

Amendment

19. Welcomes the decision of the EIB Group to align all its financing activities with the goals of the Paris Agreement and to delivering at least 50% of EIB finance for climate action; calls on the Commission to engage with Member States and the financial sector to align their activities with the Paris Agreement and ***to ensure climate and biodiversity proofing of transactions and investments EU level and beyond;***

Or. en

Amendment 137

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 a. Points out that international organisations such as the International Monetary Fund (IMF), the UN Environment Program and the OECD agree that environmental taxation is an essential tool in addressing environmental challenges such as biodiversity loss; welcomes initiatives such as the Green Fiscal Policy Network of the UN Environment Programme and the International Monetary Fund (IMF) to facilitate knowledge sharing and dialogue on green fiscal reform; draws attention to the Aichi target 3 and the need of positive incentives for the conservation and

sustainable use of biodiversity as well as on SDG 15 and the need to mobilise and significantly increase financial resources from all sources to conserve and sustainably use biodiversity and ecosystems; highlights therefore the potential of fair environmental taxation that is in line with the polluter pays principle as a way to reduce damage to the environment and generate financial resources for nature protection; calls on the EU and its Member States to increase the use of environmental taxation;

Or. en

Amendment 138

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 a. Notes with concern that only 8,3 % of total financial commitments are related to reversing the decline in biodiversity, which is the lowest ratio since 2015, despite the unprecedented and accelerating species extinction rate observed; calls on the Commission to increase the allocation of resources to ensure the long-term and coherent protection of biodiversity across the Union; insists that the next MFF should rely on a robust methodology in order to track biodiversity and avoid the risk of overestimation of action towards biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 139

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 a. Calls on the Commission to analyse and assess whether the establishment of a « price on nature », which takes into account nature's contribution to economic growth, would enable to limit and rationalise the exploitation and impact on species and ecosystems and therefore contribute to halt biodiversity loss;

Or. en

Amendment 140

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution
Subheading 5

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

Forestry *and* agriculture and soils

Forestry, agriculture, **fisheries** and soils

Or. en

Amendment 141

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution
Subheading 5

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

Forestry and agriculture and soils

Forestry and agriculture and soils *and*
fisheries

Or. en

Amendment 142
Martin Hojsik, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution
Subheading 5

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

Forestry *and* agriculture and soils

Forestry, agriculture and soils

Or. en

Amendment 143
Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

20. Underlines that agricultural activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that sustainable agriculture and forestry contribute greatly to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and reduces the effects of climate change;

20. Underlines that agricultural activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that sustainable agriculture and forestry contribute greatly to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and reduces the effects of climate change, *especially through carbon absorption and sequestration; notes the key role played by biodiversity for the preservation of agricultural production and food safety, notably the one played by pollinators;*

Or. en

Amendment 144
Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

20. Underlines that agricultural

20. Underlines that agricultural

activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that **sustainable** agriculture and forestry **contribute greatly** to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and **reduces the** effects of climate change;

activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that agriculture and forestry **practices must be improved and made sustainable so as to minimise the negative effects they currently have on** the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and **to reduce their** effects on climate change;

Or. en

Amendment 145
Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Draft motion for a resolution

20. Underlines that agricultural activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that **sustainable agriculture and forestry** contribute greatly to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and reduces the effects of climate change;

Amendment

20. Underlines that agricultural activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that **traditional land use forms, extensive and close-to-nature management**, contribute greatly to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and reduces the effects of climate change;

Or. en

Amendment 146
Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Draft motion for a resolution

20. Underlines that agricultural activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that sustainable **agriculture and forestry** contribute greatly

Amendment

20. Underlines that agricultural activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that **agro-ecological practices, forestry and** sustainable

to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and reduces the effects of climate change;

fisheries contribute greatly to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and reduces the effects of climate change;

Or. en

Amendment 147

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Draft motion for a resolution

20. Underlines that agricultural activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that sustainable agriculture and forestry contribute greatly to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and reduces the effects of climate change;

Amendment

20. Underlines that agricultural *and fisheries* activities, healthy soils, and the preservation of biodiversity are closely linked; emphasises that sustainable agriculture and forestry contribute greatly to the variety of species, habitats and ecosystems, and reduces the effects of climate change;

Or. en

Amendment 148

Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. Stresses that no substitution effect of forest based products can compensate for loss of old-growth and primary forests, which are recognised as irreplaceable^{3a} and should be protected through legal and incentivising instruments targeting their complexity, connectivity and representativeness;

^{3a} Communication on Stepping up EU Action to Protect and Restore the World's

Amendment 149

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture **and forestry**, including requirements **for the sustainable** use of plant protection products **and strategies to ensure the** protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to **increase** support **to the** agriculture and forestry **sectors in the transition to sustainable practices**;

Amendment

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; **points out that intensive livestock farming accounts for 78% of agriculture's total negative impact on biodiversity according to estimates by the Commission; underlines that biodiversity generally decreases when the intensity of farming increases and that farming has become ever more industrial and much more focused on single high-output species or varieties resulting, inter alia, in an increased use of chemicals;** calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards **forestry and sustainable and biological** agriculture, including **the adoption of strategies and major improvement of existing laws and requirements to enhance the application of the most effective agronomic management practices aimed at excluding the** use of **harmful** plant protection products, **thereby ensuring full** protection of **human health, soil and habitats;** calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to **stop funding intensive livestock farming and monoculture farming, increasing the support for sustainable practices in** agriculture and forestry **as well as promoting healthy lifestyles and dietary choices based on less consumption of animal-based products;**

Amendment 150

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture **and** forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products **and** strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture **and** forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Amendment

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture **and intensive fishing** on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture, forestry **and fishery**, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products, strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats, **and increased selectivity to reduce the cumulated impacts on marine and coastal ecosystems and to participate to fish stock recovery in sensible and overfishing areas**; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture, forestry **and fishery** sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Or. en

Amendment 151

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls **on** Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of

Amendment

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture **and pesticide use** on biodiversity; calls **therefore on the Commission and the** Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including

plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and *their reduction as well as* strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls *on the Commission to propose an ambitious EU-wide binding target for the reduction of pesticide use and* on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Or. en

Amendment 152

Pascal Canfin, Susana Solís Pérez

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Amendment

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products *as well as reduction of the use of pesticides*, and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices *in order to halt the EU's negative impact on primary forests loss and degradation*;

Or. en

Amendment 153

Martin Hojsík, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and **strategies to ensure** the protection of soil **and** habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Amendment

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements **and strategies** for the sustainable use of plant protection products and **nutrients and** the protection of soil, habitats **and species providing key ecosystem services such as pollination**; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Or. en

Amendment 154

Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards **sustainable** agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Amendment

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture **and forestry** on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products **and organic and mineral fertilisers**, and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Or. en

Amendment 155
Jessica Polfjärd

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture **and** forestry **sectors** in the transition to sustainable practices;

Amendment

21. Notes however the negative impact of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture **sector, and where relevant, the forestry sector** in the transition to sustainable practices;

Or. en

Amendment 156
Fredrick Federley

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes however the negative impact of **intensive** agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Amendment

21. Notes however the negative impact of **unsustainable** agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to increase support to the agriculture and forestry sectors in the transition to sustainable practices;

Or. en

Amendment 157

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Draft motion for a resolution

21. Notes **however** the negative **impact** of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to **increase** support to **the** agriculture and forestry **sectors in the transition** to sustainable practices;

Amendment

21. Notes the negative **impacts** of intensive agriculture on biodiversity; calls on Parties to undertake strong commitments towards sustainable **food systems**, agriculture and forestry, including requirements for the sustainable use of plant protection products and strategies to ensure the protection of soil and habitats; calls on the Commission, Member States and regional governments to **direct** support **allocated** to agriculture and forestry to sustainable practices **and eco-schemes**;

Or. en

Amendment 158

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Stresses that in the communication on "Stepping up EU Action to protect and restore the world's forests", the Commission recognised that EU consumption represents around 10% of the global share of deforestation embodied in total final consumption; calls on the Commission to ensure a common understanding of deforestation-free supply chains, in order to increase supply chain transparency and minimise the risk of deforestation and forest degradation associated with commodity imports in the

EU; calls therefore on the Commission to adopt new legislation ensuring that commodities and products placed on the EU market are sustainable, traceable back to source and do not cause adverse environmental and social impacts such as deforestation, forest degradation, the conversion or degradation of natural ecosystems or violation of human rights, considers that such legislation should be based on due diligence in order to identify, prevent and mitigate environmental, social and human rights risks and impacts;

Or. en

Amendment 159

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 h (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 h. Calls on the Commission to press ahead with developing an EU action plan against deforestation and forest degradation which would include concrete regulatory measures to ensure that no supply chains and financial transactions linked to the EU result in deforestation and forest degradation, as well as an EU action plan on palm oil; is of the opinion that EU action against deforestation should tackle its main drivers, such as palm oil, soja, beef and cocoa; asks the Commission to phase out as soon as possible all ILUC - risk biofuels used in Europe; calls on the Commission to adopt a single unified definition of ‘deforestation-free’; underlines the commitments taken by Executive Vice President Frans Timmermans and Commissioner Virginus Sinkevicius in their respective

*hearings to deliver on imported
deforestation and deforestation-free
supply chains;*

Or. en

Amendment 160

**César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis,
Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara
Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi
López, Sylwia Spurek**

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

*21 a. Recalls that according to the
Communication of the Commission on
Stepping up EU Action to Protect and
Restore the World's Forests, forests are
indispensable for our Planet's life-support
systems, covering 30% of the Earth's land
area and hosting 80% of its biodiversity;
stresses that deforestation is a major
cause of biodiversity decline; expresses its
concern on the impact of EU
consumption on deforestation as the EU
is the final consumer of 10% of the
products associated with deforestation;
calls on the Commission to propose a
comprehensive set of measures to reduce
the EU consumption footprint on land,
including legislation that ensures
deforestation-free supply chains;*

Or. en

Amendment 161

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 b (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 b. Calls on the Commission to make proposals for regulatory measures, including due diligence requirements on companies and financial institutions, to ensure sustainable and deforestation-free agricultural and forest product supply-chains for products placed on the EU market;

Or. en

Amendment 162

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to financially support farming and forestry practices which are coherently in line with the biodiversity targets, such as integrated pest and nutrient management, organic agriculture, agro-ecological practices, soil and water conservation practices, conservation agriculture, agroforestry, silvopastoral systems, irrigation management, small or patch systems, and practices to improve animal welfare;

Or. en

Amendment 163

Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Recalls the scientific consensus^{5a}

behind the fact that the Common Agricultural Policy led to intensification of agricultural practices and catastrophic declines of wildlife, and the call on the European institutions to undertake a far-reaching reform of the Common Agricultural Policy without delay;

^{5a} expressed in the Open letter (approx 2500 scientists) jointly sent by European Ornithologists Union, European Mammal Foundation, Societas Europaea Herpetologica, Societas Europaea Lepidopterologica, Butterfly Conservation Europe, European Bird Census Council.

Or. en

Amendment 164

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. calls on the Commission to adopt targeted legislative measures aimed at stopping soil consumption and degradation in order to enhance the Union's action towards domestic and international climate change and biodiversity goals;

Or. en

Amendment 165

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of restoring forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs;

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of restoring forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs, ***and to adopt legally binding restoration targets for 2030***;

Or. en

Amendment 166

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution Paragraph 22

Draft motion for a resolution

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the ***Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of restoring forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs***;

Amendment

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; ***notes however that increasing biodiversity loss puts food security and nutrition at risk***; calls on the ***Parties to promote the sustainable use of biodiversity in programmes contributing to food security and improved human nutrition while contributing to achieving the SDG goals, with special attention to SDG 2 - Zero Hunger***;

Or. en

Amendment 167

Michal Wiezik

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22**

Draft motion for a resolution

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of **restoring** forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs;

Amendment

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of **conservation of forests, wetlands, peatlands and grasslands and of restoration of degraded** forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs;

Or. en

Amendment 168

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22**

Draft motion for a resolution

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of restoring forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs;

Amendment

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land **and sea** use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of restoring forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation **and halt overfishing** in all

relevant EU policies and programs;

Or. en

Amendment 169

Jessica Polfjärd

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Draft motion for a resolution

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of restoring forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs;

Amendment

22. Points out that, according to the World Population Prospects of June 2019, the world's population is expected to increase by 2 billion persons in the next 30 years, increasing the impacts of land use on biodiversity and carbon sequestration; calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of restoring forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems ***primarily outside of the EU*** and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs;

Or. en

Amendment 170

Mick Wallace

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Underlines that, to date, many climate mitigation policies across the EU, particularly in the area of carbon sequestration through commercial forestry, have had an adverse effect on biodiversity; notes that these policies have also had social impacts, affecting local communities and people's relationships with the natural environment; stresses

that nature based solutions are the most important tool for both climate adaptation and mitigation as well as promoting biodiversity, and that these solutions must promote healthy ecosystems respecting native species;

Or. en

Amendment 171

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Stresses that deforestation is a major cause of biodiversity loss globally and that LULUCF-emissions due to deforestation are a significant cause of climate change; emphasises that forest policies must be coherent, combat biodiversity loss and climate-change impacts equally, and increase the EU's natural sinks while protecting, conserving and enhancing biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 172

Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Calls for strict protection of primary, complex and old-growth forests, wetlands, species-rich grasslands, coastal ecosystems, biodiversity hotspots and high carbon reservoirs at a level of at least 5% of the EU territory as part of the EU Biodiversity Strategy;

Amendment 173

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Calls on the Commission to urgently use the mitigation and adaptation potential of restoring forests, wetlands, peatlands, grasslands and coastal ecosystems and integrate nature conservation in all relevant EU policies and programs;

Amendment 174

Mick Wallace

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 b (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 b. Underlines the adverse effects that intensive agriculture has on biodiversity, particularly the use of pesticides and herbicides, GMOs and monocultures, all of which adversely affect wildlife, the genetic diversity of plants, soil micro-organisms, birds, and insects, especially bees; notes that 1 in 10 bee species in Europe face extinction;

Amendment 175

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley,

Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23

Draft motion for a resolution

23. Notes that pollution, urban expansion, soil sealing and the destruction of habitats are other major causes of biodiversity destruction; recall that the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services shows that the surface of urban areas has doubled since 1992; calls for a better assessment of the role of urban areas and cities in the preservation of biodiversity and a better implication of cities and local authorities in the definition of policies for the protection of biodiversity;

Amendment

23. Notes that pollution, urban expansion, soil sealing and the destruction of habitats are other major causes of biodiversity destruction; recall that the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services shows that the surface of urban areas has doubled since 1992; calls for a better assessment of the role of urban areas and cities in the preservation of biodiversity and a better implication of cities and local authorities in the definition of policies for the protection **and conservation** of biodiversity **and ecosystem services as well as monitoring, reporting, and verification**;

Or. en

Amendment 176

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23

Draft motion for a resolution

23. Notes that pollution, urban expansion, soil sealing and the destruction of habitats are other major causes of biodiversity destruction; recall that the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services shows that the surface of urban areas has doubled since 1992; calls for a better assessment of the role of urban areas and cities in the preservation of biodiversity and a better implication of cities and local authorities in the definition of policies for the protection of biodiversity;

Amendment

23. Notes that pollution, urban expansion, soil sealing and the destruction of habitats are other major causes of biodiversity destruction; recall that the IPBES Global Assessment on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services shows that the surface of urban areas has doubled since 1992 **and that 2 out of 3 EU citizens live in large urban areas**; calls for a better assessment of the role of urban areas and cities in the preservation of biodiversity and a better implication of cities and local authorities in the definition of policies for

the protection of biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 177

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Insists that the potential of cities to help protect biodiversity and ecosystem services is underestimated; recalls that enhancing benefits from biodiversity, ecosystem services and urban green infrastructure in cities and peri-urban areas improves human health; calls on the Commission and the Member States to promote the incorporation and further integration of biodiversity and ecosystem functions in urban design, policy and planning while reducing carbon emissions and enhancing adaptation to climate change;

Or. en

Amendment 178

Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsík, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Notes that urban areas can play a transformative role within the EU in terms of biodiversity; stresses that plastic and water pollution are important drivers of biodiversity loss; believes that a strong

circular economy, in the context of the new Circular Economy Action Plan, could be instrumental in the EU's efforts towards biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 179

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Deplores that plastic and diffuse pollution, for example from water treatment plants, pharmacological products and unsustainable agriculture practices such as intensive nutrients use, deeply affects the health of ecosystems in the oceans;

Or. en

Amendment 180

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements and/or extension of these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements and/or extension of these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed; ***calls meanwhile for increasing the current target of 10% of Marine Protected Areas to at least 30% by 2030 and increasing terrestrial protected areas to at least 30%;***

Amendment 181
Mick Wallace

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Draft motion for a resolution

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements and/or extension of these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

Amendment

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements and/or extension of these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed; ***urges the Commission to increase Natura 2000 sites to cover at least 30% of the Union's land, freshwater and marine areas;***

Amendment 182
Radan Kanev, Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Draft motion for a resolution

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the ***need for improvements and/or extension of these areas***; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

Amendment

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas: ***for improving the management and protection of the Natura 2000 network, good quality monitoring (ensuring sound scientific research including field work) of the conservation status of habitats and species under the EU nature conservation Directives, strengthening the legal grounds for protecting the connectivity of the network, and improve the efficiency of EU funded projects on the topic in the Member States;*** stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC

report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

Or. en

Amendment 183

César Luena, Delara Burkhardt

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Draft motion for a resolution

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas ***on the need for improvements and/or extension of*** these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

Amendment

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas ***and to improve, better connect and extend*** these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed; ***stresses that besides the quantity also the quality of protected areas is essential to stop biodiversity loss and that therefore more emphasis needs to be placed on their good and sustainable management;***

Or. en

Amendment 184

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Draft motion for a resolution

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements ***and/or extension of these areas***; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is

Amendment

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements ***of their governance and the introduction of legally binding targets to reach 30 % of the EU's land and marine area by 2030***; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and

needed;

cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas **and their governance** is needed; ***calls for the extension of EU marine protected areas to include more offshore waters;***

Or. en

Amendment 185
Fredrick Federley

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Draft motion for a resolution

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements and/or extension of these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

Amendment

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements and/or extension of these areas; ***underlines the need for a standardised method for calculating protected areas in the EU and a clear definition of what constitutes a ‘protected area’***; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

Or. en

Amendment 186
Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Draft motion for a resolution

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements and/or extension of these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere

Amendment

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in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment *and extension* of EU marine protected areas is needed; *notes that educational marine protected areas are a relevant and efficient tool to raise public awareness and enhance preservation;*

Or. en

Amendment 187

Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24

Draft motion for a resolution

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements *and/or* extension of these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment of EU marine protected areas is needed;

Amendment

24. Calls for an in-depth analysis of all EU protected areas on the need for improvements *and* extension of these areas; stresses that in the light of the recent IPCC report on the ocean and cryosphere in a changing climate a comprehensive assessment *and a significant increase* of EU marine protected areas is needed;

Or. en

Amendment 188

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Points out that conservation and protected areas are necessary to safeguard biodiversity, and the benefits that humans derive from nature as well as for combatting climate change; calls on the EU to push during the negotiations for an increased level of ambition with 30

percent of the planet to be protected by 2030 and potentially having half the planet protected by 2050, thereby going beyond the Aichi Biodiversity Targets of protecting 17 percent of terrestrial and inland water areas and 10 percent of coastal and marine areas by 2020;

Or. en

Amendment 189

Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Calls on the Commission to live up to its commitment on zero tolerance to non-compliance in nature protection; points out that lengthy procedures and prolonged dialogues with Member States are an issue in the field of environmental infringements due to the risk of irreversible damage to the environment;

Or. en

Amendment 190

Ville Niinistö, Silvia Modig, Sirpa Pietikäinen, Eleonora Evi

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Highlights that it is necessary to urgently ensure the proper enforcement of the Nature Directives and follow up on complaints about breaches of the legislation in a transparent way; stresses that connectivity between Natura 2000 sites must be improved;

Amendment 191
Sirpa Pietikäinen, Ville Niinistö

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Highlights that green infrastructure provides ecosystem services that support biodiversity, by for example increasing the quantity of ecological corridors in urban environments;

Or. en

Amendment 192
Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 b (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. Notes that the nature conservation framework could, subject to weak implementation, potentially create a hostile environment for activists and conservationists and lead directly or indirectly to endangering their lives; underlines that murders of environmental activists and conservationists should be actively condemned by the EU and that also any bilateral or multilateral agreement should demand justice for transgressors and request objective investigation of environmental killings as a crime category of its own;

Or. en

Amendment 193

Catherine Chabaud, María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Pascal Canfin, Nils Torvalds

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Draft motion for a resolution

25. Recalls the importance of innovation, research and development in order to achieve the objectives of the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to increase the budget allocation for Horizon Europe to 120 billion, to benefit in particular the cluster on natural resources; calls on the Parties to focus in particular on the links between biodiversity preservation and benefits to human health and economic well-being, and to coordinate data collection measures;

Amendment

25. Recalls the importance of innovation, research and development in order to achieve the objectives of the 2050 Vision; ***underlines the importance of supporting research and participative sciences to reinforce knowledge, in particular regarding oceans, of which only 5% has been explored until today***; calls on the Commission and the Council to increase the budget allocation for Horizon Europe to 120 billion, to benefit in particular the cluster on natural resources; calls on the Parties to focus in particular on the links between biodiversity preservation and benefits to human health and economic well-being, and to coordinate data collection measures;

Or. en

Amendment 194

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Draft motion for a resolution

25. Recalls the importance of innovation, research and development in order to achieve the objectives of the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to increase the budget allocation for Horizon Europe to 120 billion, to benefit in particular the cluster on natural resources; calls on the Parties to focus in particular on the links between biodiversity

Amendment

25. Recalls the importance of innovation, research and development in order to achieve the objectives of the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to increase the budget allocation for Horizon Europe to 120 billion ***in the next MFF***, to benefit in particular the cluster on natural resources, ***and to launch a mission on protection and restoration of***

preservation and benefits to human health and economic well-being, and to coordinate data collection measures;

biodiversity within Horizon Europe; calls on the Parties to focus in particular on the links between biodiversity preservation and benefits to human health and economic well-being, and to coordinate data collection measures;

Or. en

Amendment 195
Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Draft motion for a resolution

25. Recalls the importance of innovation, research and development in order to achieve the objectives of the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to increase the budget allocation for Horizon Europe to 120 billion, to benefit in particular the cluster on natural resources; calls on the Parties to focus in particular on the links between biodiversity preservation and benefits to human health and economic well-being, and to coordinate data collection measures;

Amendment

25. Recalls the importance of innovation, research and development in order to achieve the objectives of the 2050 Vision; calls on the Commission and the Council to increase the budget allocation for Horizon Europe to 120 billion, to benefit in particular the cluster on natural resources, *and including next to the applied also the basic research, for example in the field of taxonomy*; calls on the Parties to focus in particular on the links between biodiversity preservation and benefits to human health and economic well-being, and to coordinate data collection measures;

Or. en

Amendment 196
Fredrick Federley

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Draft motion for a resolution

26. Calls on the Commission to support further research into the effects of land use

Amendment

26. Calls on the Commission to support further research into the effects of land use

change, including *deforestation and bioenergy production, on GHG emissions* and take the results into account in future policy making;

change, including *looking into different actions and their effects on both biodiversity and climate* and take the results into account in future policy making;

Or. en

Amendment 197

Petros Kokkalis

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Draft motion for a resolution

26. Calls on the Commission to support further research into the effects of land use change, including deforestation and bioenergy production, on GHG emissions and take the results into account in future policy making;

Amendment

26. Calls on the Commission to support further research into the effects of land use change, *desertification*, including deforestation and bioenergy production, on GHG emissions and take the results into account in future policy making;

Or. el

Amendment 198

Jessica Polfjärd

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Draft motion for a resolution

26. Calls on the Commission to support further research into the effects of land use change, *including deforestation and bioenergy production*, on GHG emissions and take the results into account in future policy making;

Amendment

26. Calls on the Commission to support further research into the effects of land use *and land use* change on GHG emissions and take the results into account in future policy making;

Or. en

Amendment 199

Agnès Evren

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. Notes that, according to the Strategy for Plastics adopted on 16 January 2018, the 150 million tonnes of plastic that have accumulated in the world's oceans could double by 2030, endangering more than 660 species and damaging our environment; calls on the Commission to deliver flagship initiatives against plastic pollution and its effect on biodiversity; underlines the specific case of microplastics, that account for more than 80% of marine litter items collected, endangering marine biodiversity; welcomes therefore Ursula von der Leyen's commitment to open a new front in our fight against plastic waste by tackling microplastics; stresses the need for a circular economy approach that puts an emphasis on research and innovation for sustainable products;

Or. en

**Amendment 200
Radan Kanev, Agnès Evren**

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

27. Stresses the importance of education **to raise awareness** on biodiversity;

27. Stresses the importance of education on biodiversity **as a part of a broader concept of an active and creative educational process, designed as an important tool in making sense and increasing awareness of the complex interconnections and interdependencies in the globalised world;**

Amendment 201
Mick Wallace

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Draft motion for a resolution

27. Stresses the importance of education to raise awareness on biodiversity;

Amendment

27. Stresses the importance of education to raise awareness on biodiversity *and the effects of intensive agriculture on the environment*;

Amendment 202
César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Draft motion for a resolution

27. Stresses the importance of education to raise awareness on biodiversity;

Amendment

27. Stresses the importance of education to raise awareness on biodiversity *and the protection of the environment*;

Amendment 203
Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

27a. *Stresses the absolute need to take into account the multiple consequences of the current global population explosion, including the pressure that it exerts on the natural environment; urges the EU to put an end to its ambition to promote a global framework for managing climate-driven migration associated with the false concept of refugees;*

Or. fr

Amendment 204

Catherine Griset, Aurelia Beigneux

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Draft motion for a resolution

28. Stresses that capacity building and awareness-raising are key for a successful implementation; therefore welcomes the COP14 decision which invites parties, other governments, and donors in a position to do so, to provide financial resources for capacity building, technical assistance, and technology transfer;

Amendment

28. Stresses that capacity building and awareness-raising are key for a successful implementation; therefore welcomes the COP14 decision which invites parties, other governments, and donors in a position to do so, to provide financial resources for capacity building, technical assistance, and technology transfer; ***these must be accompanied by strong guarantees of good use by third countries and strict annual monitoring in the light of the stated objectives;***

Or. fr

Amendment 205

César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Draft motion for a resolution

28. Stresses that capacity building and awareness-raising are key for a successful implementation; therefore welcomes the COP14 decision which invites parties, other governments, and donors in a position to do so, to provide financial resources for capacity building, technical assistance, and technology transfer;

Amendment

28. Stresses that capacity building and awareness-raising are key for a successful implementation **and to create greater understanding of the importance of biodiversity**; therefore welcomes the COP14 decision which invites parties, other governments, and donors in a position to do so, to provide financial resources for capacity building, technical assistance, and technology transfer;

Or. en

Amendment 206
Michal Wiezik

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

28. Stresses that capacity building and awareness-raising are key for a successful implementation; therefore welcomes the COP14 decision which invites parties, other governments, and donors in a position to do so, to provide financial resources for capacity building, technical assistance, and technology transfer;

Amendment

28 a. Notes with concern that the leading Directorate-General for Environment still faces the challenge of staff reductions not proportionate to the Commission overall cut over the same period; recalls that the redeployment of staff to priority tasks flexibly happened inter alia for the migration crisis, Brexit, the Defence Action Plan^{4a}, and it is time for the Commission to properly equip DG Environment for the Green Deal, including for work related to the Biodiversity Strategy;

^{4a} Since 2014, it has lost 69 job quotas (from 466 to 397 representing a decrease of 15 %) and a similar reduction in terms of external staff (-12%), source: https://ec.europa.eu/info/sites/info/files/about_the_european_commission/departments_and_executive_agencies/documents/general-activity-report-2017-human-resources-and-security_en.pdf

Amendment 207
Stanislav Polčák

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Draft motion for a resolution

29. Calls on the Parties to promote public awareness and **multi-stakeholder-involvement** to ensure tailor-made solutions with local communities and indigenous people to foster the sustainable use of lands for more biodiversity **so that** regional differences in landscapes and habitats **are fully respected**;

Amendment

29. Calls on the Parties to promote public awareness and **greater stakeholder involvement** to ensure tailor-made solutions with local communities and indigenous people to foster the sustainable use of lands for more biodiversity, **whilst fully respecting** regional differences in landscapes and habitats;

Or. cs

Amendment 208
Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries, Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Draft motion for a resolution

30. Welcomes the intention to actively pursue a multi-stakeholder approach which is fundamental to value, protect, conserve, sustainably use and restore biodiversity and underlines that improved engagement with and between governance levels and sectors will create opportunities for mainstreaming biodiversity objectives into other policies; believes it to be critical to involve business and financial organisations and, in this regard, welcomes the Commission's efforts to engage the private sector in the preservation of biodiversity especially under the EU Business and Biodiversity Platform;

Amendment

30. Welcomes the intention to actively pursue a multi-stakeholder approach which is fundamental to value, protect, conserve, sustainably use and restore biodiversity and underlines that improved engagement with and between governance levels and sectors will create opportunities for mainstreaming biodiversity objectives into other policies; believes it to be critical to involve business and financial organisations and, in this regard, welcomes the Commission's efforts to engage the private sector in the preservation of biodiversity especially under the EU Business and Biodiversity Platform; **in this perspective, welcomes the**

launch of the “One Planet Business for Biodiversity” at the UN Climate Action Summit in New York;

Or. en

Amendment 209
Fredrick Federley

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Draft motion for a resolution

30. Welcomes the intention to actively pursue a multi-stakeholder approach which is fundamental to value, protect, conserve, sustainably use and restore biodiversity and underlines that improved engagement with and between governance levels *and* sectors will create opportunities for mainstreaming biodiversity objectives into other policies; believes it to be critical to involve business and financial organisations and, in this regard, welcomes the Commission’s efforts to engage the private sector in the preservation of biodiversity especially under the EU Business and Biodiversity Platform;

Amendment

30. Welcomes the intention to actively pursue a multi-stakeholder approach which is fundamental to value, protect, conserve, sustainably use and restore biodiversity and underlines that improved engagement with and between governance levels, sectors *and private actors* will create opportunities for mainstreaming biodiversity objectives into other policies; believes it to be critical to involve business and financial organisations and, in this regard, welcomes the Commission’s efforts to engage the private sector in the preservation of biodiversity especially under the EU Business and Biodiversity Platform;

Or. en

Amendment 210
César Luena, Eric Andrieu, Simona Bonafè, Alessandra Moretti, Demetris Papadakis, Jytte Guteland, Manuel Pizarro, Mohammed Chahim, Monika Beňová, Delara Burkhardt, Cristina Maestre Martín De Almagro, Nicolás González Casares, Javi López, Sylwia Spurek

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

30 a. Considers that transformative changes in societies are needed to tackle

climate change, degradation of the environment and loss of biodiversity; stresses the importance of following the principle of a just transition ensuring that the process is inclusive and equitable;

Or. en

Amendment 211
Fredrick Federley

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

30 a. Calls on the Commission to consider a harmonised methodology for calculating the ecological footprint of EU companies as well as their impact on biodiversity;

Or. en

Amendment 212
Radan Kanev, Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

31. Insists that public awareness and therefore access to comprehensive information are vital for consumers to make informed decisions; calls on the Commission and Member States to improve the traceability and control of products through their value chains thereby increasing transparency also for consumers;

31. Insists that public awareness and therefore access to comprehensive information are vital for consumers to make informed decisions, ***in particular concerning the products that lead to deforestation, ecosystem destruction and human rights violations***; calls on the Commission and Member States to improve the traceability and control of products through their value chains thereby increasing transparency also for consumers;

Amendment 213
Alexandr Vondra

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31

Draft motion for a resolution

31. Insists that public awareness and therefore access to comprehensive information are vital **for consumers to make informed decisions**; calls on the Commission and Member States to improve the traceability and control of products through their value chains thereby increasing transparency also for consumers;

Amendment

31. Insists that public awareness and therefore access to comprehensive information are vital **to inform consumer purchasing choices and promote sustainable consumption patterns**; calls on the Commission and Member States to improve the traceability and control of products through their value chains thereby increasing transparency also for consumers;

Amendment 214

María Soraya Rodríguez Ramos, Susana Solís Pérez, Martin Hojsík, Fredrick Federley, Caroline Voaden, Nils Torvalds, Pascal Canfin

Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31

Draft motion for a resolution

31. Insists that public awareness and therefore access to comprehensive information are vital for consumers to make informed decisions; calls on the Commission and Member States to improve the traceability and control of products through their value chains thereby increasing transparency also for consumers;

Amendment

31. Insists that public awareness and therefore access to comprehensive **and easily understandable** information are vital for consumers to make informed decisions; calls on the Commission and Member States to improve the traceability and control of products through their value **and supply** chains thereby increasing transparency also for consumers;

Amendment 215

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Daniela Rondinelli

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31

Draft motion for a resolution

31. Insists that public awareness and therefore access to comprehensive information are vital for consumers to make informed decisions; calls on the Commission and Member States to improve the traceability and control of products through their value chains thereby **increasing** transparency also for consumers;

Amendment

31. Insists that public awareness and therefore access to comprehensive information are vital for consumers to make informed decisions; calls on the Commission and Member States to improve the traceability and control of products through their value chains thereby **ensuring full** transparency also for consumers;

Or. en

Amendment 216

Agnès Evren

Draft motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31 a (new)

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

31 a. Underlines the impact of the import of certain products in the EU on biodiversity loss and deforestation in third countries; calls for greater awareness raising in this regard; emphasises the need to better develop eco-labelling and anti-deforestation certification; calls for every commercial agreement concluded with third countries or organisations to contain legally binding clauses on biodiversity preservation, the fight against deforestation and the respect of the Paris Agreement;

Or. en

Amendment 217

**Pascal Canfin, Martin Hojsik, Irena Joveva, Catherine Chabaud, Frédérique Ries,
Susana Solís Pérez, Nils Torvalds, Véronique Trillet-Lenoir**

**Draft motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31 a (new)**

Draft motion for a resolution

Amendment

***31 a. Welcomes the IUCN meeting in
Marseille in 2020; invites the Commission
to send strong signals on its commitments
towards biodiversity in this forum;***

Or. en