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2025 Commission report on Türkiye
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Amendment 403
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Notes that the continued erosion of the rule of law and legal certainty will inevitably have **an** impact on investor confidence and on the economy;

Amendment

18. Notes that the continued erosion of the rule of law and legal certainty will inevitably have **a negative** impact on investor confidence and on the economy;

Or. en

Amendment 404
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18 a. Acknowledges the recent important discovery by the Turkish government of large reserves of rare earth elements (REEs) in Eskişehir province, which could position Türkiye as an important actor in a global strategic market; highlights the potential of this discovery in contributing to diversification and resilience in global REE supply chains as well as the major challenges it implies, including the access to advanced extraction and processing technologies and the need to ensure high standards of environmental protection and sustainable resource management;

Or. en

Amendment 405
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Calls on Turkish authorities to implement Türkiye's international obligations in relation to the fight against corruption, in particular the UN Convention Against Corruption and the relevant Council of Europe conventions;

Amendment

19. Calls on Turkish authorities to implement Türkiye's international obligations in relation to the fight against corruption, in particular the UN Convention Against Corruption and the relevant Council of Europe conventions, ***and to ensure effective follow-up to the recommendations issued by GRECO, including by adopting the necessary legislation, which is one of the remaining benchmarks for the visa liberalisation; stresses the need to improve the integrity of public procurement processes, political party financing, the judiciary, the public administration, and the construction sector, which remain particularly vulnerable to corruption; deeply regrets that the recent high-level corruption cases launched by the authorities have been targeted exclusively on opposition-elected mayors and municipalities, further diminishing the trust in the effectiveness and real will of the authorities in fighting against corruption; urges the Turkish authorities to ensure impartiality and transparency in their anti-corruption efforts; calls on Turkish authorities to enhance the fight against counterfeiting and to restore property rights regime according to international standards;***

Or. en

Amendment 406

Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

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Amendment

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corruption, in particular the UN Convention Against Corruption and the relevant Council of Europe conventions;

corruption, in particular the UN Convention Against Corruption and the relevant Council of Europe conventions; *emphasises preventing corruption effectively as an additional way to increase economic activity while the investment environment improves as a result of reducing corruption;*

Or. fi

Amendment 407

Silvia Sardone, Susanna Ceccardi, Jaroslav Bžoch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. ***Calls on*** Turkish authorities to implement Türkiye's international obligations in relation to the fight against corruption, in particular the UN Convention Against Corruption and the relevant Council of Europe conventions;

Amendment

19. ***Urges*** Turkish authorities to implement Türkiye's international obligations in relation to the fight against corruption, in particular the UN Convention Against Corruption and the relevant Council of Europe conventions;

Or. en

Amendment 408

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 a. Takes note of the recent judicial developments in the United States concerning Halk Bankası A.Ş. (Halkbank), including proceedings related to sanctions' evasion and money laundering schemes; recalls that Turkey was placed on the Financial Action Task Force (FATF) grey list in 2021 due to serious strategic deficiencies in its anti-

money laundering and counter-terrorist financing (AML/CFT) framework and was removed in 2024 following legislative and regulatory adjustments; underlines, however, that legislative amendments alone do not constitute sufficient proof of sustainable progress where concerns persist regarding the effective, independent and impartial enforcement of financial supervision, prosecutorial action and judicial oversight; expresses concern about credible reports pointing to structural weaknesses, political interference and corruption risks within state-linked financial institutions and supervisory authorities; calls on the Commission to conduct a thorough assessment of the extent that corruption, lack of institutional independence or selective enforcement practices may undermine effective scrutiny of politically exposed persons and state-affiliated entities, thereby hindering compliance with international financial transparency standards; stresses that demonstrable, consistent and independently verifiable enforcement, including effective investigations, prosecutions and sanctions, must be a prerequisite for any discussion concerning EU–Turkey financial and trade relations.

Or. en

Amendment 409
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 a. Points out that a number of critical challenges concerning the labour market remain unaddressed, such as informal employment, the gender gap, and income inequality; continues to be worried about the low coverage of

collective bargaining and the serious impediments to unionisation in the private sector; believes that more efforts are needed to enhance social dialogue mechanisms and address emerging occupational safety challenges; recalls that trade union freedom and social dialogue are crucial to the development and prosperity of a pluralistic society; calls on Turkish authorities to remove obstacles that limit the unionisation and collective bargaining rights by using social dialogue mechanisms effectively, and to recognise the right to strike for civil servants;

Or. en

Amendment 410
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 a. Deplores that Türkiye's remains a very low performer in the field of climate mitigation and calls on Ankara to work on a credible legal emissions reduction framework; highlights that the plan by the Ministry of Energy and Natural resources to uphold subsidies for domestic coal generation and carbon-intensive electricity generation slows down the progress in the rollout of renewables; calls on the Turkish government, also in the light of its hosting of the 31st UN Climate Conference in 2026, to decide a coal phase-out pathway and pull forward its CO2 peak from 2038;

Or. en

Amendment 411
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 a. *Recalls concerns raised by international partners regarding the use of the Russian Mir payment system in Türkiye after the imposition of financial sanctions against Russian banks; stresses that such developments highlight the broader challenges related to financial cooperation with sanctioned Russian entities and calls on Türkiye to ensure full compliance with international financial safeguards.*

Or. en

Amendment 412
Sebastian Everding
on behalf of The Left Group
Pernando Barrena Arza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 a. *Expresses concern over animal welfare in transports from and through the Republic of Türkiye; calls for compliance with international standards and prevention of overcrowding and heat stress;*

Or. en

Amendment 413
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 b. *Deeply regrets that Türkiye continues to refuse the entry of goods originating from the Republic of Cyprus into its market, in violation of its obligations under the Additional Protocol to the Ankara Agreement; underlines that such discriminatory practices create conditions of unfair competition, particularly in the fields of maritime transport, trade and customs arrangements, and undermine the integrity of the EU–Türkiye customs relationship;*

Or. en

Amendment 414
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 b. *Takes note of Türkiye's new 2025 Climate Law that went into effect in July 2025 and welcomes the inclusion of an Emissions Trading System, while some improvements, such as on certificate caps, need to be addressed;*

Or. en

Amendment 415
Sebastian Everding
on behalf of The Left Group
Pernando Barrena Arza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 b. *Condemns the reported killing and*

mistreatment of stray dogs and cats; calls for humane population control in line with international standards;

Or. en

Amendment 416
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 c. Calls on the EU and Turkish authorities to deepen and prioritise cooperation on the Green Deal, notably carbon pricing in the context of the Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (CBAM), address implications for Turkish exporters, support industrial decarbonisation financing and grid modernisation as well as policies of just transition;

Or. en

Amendment 417
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 c. Expresses deep concern that, despite certain reforms linked to Türkiye's removal from the FATF grey list, the Commission underlines that Türkiye still needs to align more closely with the EU acquis and FATF recommendations to further strengthen its anti-money laundering and counter-terrorist financing (AML/CFT) framework;

Or. en

Amendment 418

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 d. Notes that in 2025 Türkiye entered the fifth round of mutual evaluation under the revised FATF standards; stresses, in particular, the need for a sustained track record of effective investigations, prosecutions and convictions; calls on Türkiye to fully align its AML/CFT framework with EU standards, including on the traceability of transfers and the prevention of misuse of new payment and crypto-asset channels for illicit finance;

Or. en

Amendment 419

Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 19 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19 e. Notes with concern that the Republic of Türkiye has applied to become a member of BRICS+, whereas it currently has partner status, and is considering doing likewise with regard to the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO); is deeply concerned about the fundamental incompatibility of the Republic of Türkiye's possible full membership of BRICS with the EU accession process;

Or. en

Amendment 420
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection ***in January 2026; reiterates the importance of Türkiye's collaboration for the effective and orderly management of migration flows; further welcomes the fact that since 2011 the EU has contributed close to EUR 12,5 billion to assist Türkiye in supporting refugees and host communities; notes that some EU funding has been allocated to strengthening Turkish border control and containment capabilities; supports the continuation of the EU funding to further sustain the healthcare, education, protection and integration of refugees in Türkiye; calls on the Commission to ensure utmost transparency and accuracy in the allocation of funds and that EU-funded projects, particularly those related to removal centres and border control, comply with all relevant human rights standards; is alarmed by credible reports uncovering grave human rights violations at EU-funded removal centres in Türkiye and calls on the Commission to launch a transparent and independent review into the matter; calls on Türkiye to ensure the full and non-discriminatory implementation of the EU-Turkey Statement of 2016 and the EU-Türkiye Readmission Agreement vis-à-vis all Member States;***

Or. en

Amendment 421
Geadis Gadi, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection; *notes that in recent years there has been a significant rise in anti-Syrian rhetoric and violent attacks against refugees, fuelled by economic pressures and polarising political discourse; further notes that major incidents of mob violence have been reported, including the attacks against Syrian homes, businesses and vehicles in Kayseri in June–July 2024 and the subsequent spread of violence to other cities such as Istanbul, Konya, Hatay and Gaziantep, as well as earlier large-scale attacks against Syrian residents in Ankara’s Altındağ district in August 2021; notes that human rights organisations have documented cases of ill-treatment and abuse in removal centres, reports of refugees being coerced into signing “voluntary return” documents, and allegations of excessive use of force by border guards against asylum seekers attempting to cross from Syria; further notes that these developments raise serious concerns regarding the protection of refugees and compliance with international human rights and refugee law;*

Or. en

Amendment 422

Giorgos Georgiou, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero
on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. ***Continues to commend*** Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. ***Takes note of the fact that*** Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection; ***calls on the EU not to remain complacent and rely on the 2016 EU-Turkey statement, which should be terminated; instead, a change in its immigration policy must be based on real solidarity, respect of the core principles of asylum and migration international law vis-à-vis everyone refraining from double standards;***

Or. en

Amendment 423

Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. ***Continues to commend*** Türkiye ***for hosting*** around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. ***Notes that*** Türkiye, ***as a safe third country, hosts*** around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection; ***notes, however, persistent concerns regarding the instrumentalisation of migration for political leverage; recalls in particular the events at the EU's external borders in 2020, when migrants were encouraged to move towards the Greek border; stresses that migration cooperation must fully respect the principles of international law and the integrity of the EU's external borders;***

Or. en

Amendment 424

Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection; ***notes that following the fall of the Bashar al-Assad regime, the pace of voluntary returns increased significantly, with over 550,000 to 560,000 Syrians returning between December 2024 and late 2025; supports Türkiye's policy of facilitating these returns and encourages EU Member States to follow the Turkish example;***

Or. en

Amendment 425

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection; ***notes that, according to Frontex reporting in January 2025, irregular migration along the Türkiye–EU border declined by approximately one quarter in absolute numbers; underlines the importance of Türkiye's continued efforts in managing migration in close cooperation with the EU;***

Or. en

Amendment 426

Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Continues to **commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;**

Amendment

20. **Acknowledges that Turkey continues to host a large migrant population; emphasizes that protection in the region must remain the primary solution for migration flows; insists, however, that this responsibility must not be used by the Turkish government to weaponise migration in order to extract financial concessions or political favours from the European Union;**

Or. en

Amendment 427

Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Continues to **commend Türkiye for** hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. Continues to **support Türkiye's efforts** hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection; **reaffirms that neighbourhood relations between Türkiye and the EU are incompatible with any attempt to weaponize migration;**

Or. en

Amendment 428

Danilo Della Valle, Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under

Amendment

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under

temporary protection;

temporary protection; *stresses, however, that migration must not be instrumentalised for political purposes against the European Union or its Member States*

Or. en

Amendment 429
Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection; *notes that EU continues its substantial financial support to Türkiye with approximately €10 billion mobilised since 2016;*

Or. en

Amendment 430
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. *Continues to commend Türkiye for hosting* around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Amendment

20. *Notes that Türkiye has hosted* around 2.7 million refugees, including 2.3 million Syrians under temporary protection;

Or. fi

Amendment 431
Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. *Remains deeply concerned about Türkiye being considered by the Union as a "safe country of origin" in light of wide evidence of persecution and serious harm of its citizens. Highlights that this represents a breach of article 61.1 of the Asylum Procedure Regulation that states that a third country may only be designated as a safe country of origin where, on the basis of the legal situation, the application of the law within a democratic system and the general political circumstances, it can be shown that there is no persecution as defined in Article 9 of Regulation (EU) 2024/1347 and no real risk of serious harm as defined in Article 15 of that Regulation;*

Or. en

Amendment 432
Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. *Welcomes the fact that Türkiye is building an 8.5 kilometre security wall along its western border with Greece in Edirne province to prevent illegal migration into the EU; notes that Türkiye has already constructed a 828 kilometre wall along its entire Syrian border and that a similar shorter wall exists along the Iranian border; calls on the EU and its Member States to learn from the Turkish example in order to combat illegal migration and human smuggling;*

Amendment 433
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20a. Stresses that Türkiye has been a significant source of instability in the region in recent years; stresses that its unjustified intervention in the Syrian civil war was unilateral and had no mandate from the UN or NATO; recalls that Türkiye, the armed groups that it supports, and the new Syrian Government have fought against the Syrian Democratic Forces (SDF), who have been the closest ally to the West in the fight against ISIS;

Or. fi

Amendment 434
Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. Notes with concern that the military operations against the Iranian regime will have implications for Türkiye, due to its geographic proximity, including through spill-over effects, in particular with regard to renewed migration pressures; underlines the importance of regional coordination and close cooperation with Türkiye and other international partners in this context;

Or. en

Amendment 435
Arkadiusz Mularczyk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. Commends Türkiye's support for Ukraine amid Russia's ongoing war of aggression, including through the provision of military assistance, and reiterates the importance of continued support for Ukraine's sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity within its internationally recognised borders;

Or. en

Amendment 436
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. Expresses serious concern about the deterioration of the protection environment for Syrians in Türkiye, including the suspension of health insurances, the closure of refugee camps without adequate alternatives, and the downscaling of international non-governmental organisation and UN services;

Or. en

Amendment 437
Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. *Expresses its strong disappointment at attempts to exploit the migration issue, particularly to the detriment of the Republic of Cyprus and calls on Turkey to implement the EU-Turkey readmission agreement with all Member States;*

Or. en

Amendment 438

Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Loucas Furlas, Michalis Hadjipantela, Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. *Denounces the lack of initiatives to prevent Turkish aggression against the Republic of Cyprus, Greece, Syria, Iraq and Armenia, as well as Turkey's ongoing genocidal acts against 18 million Kurds in Turkey, Syria and Iraq;*

Or. en

Amendment 439

Kinga Gál

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. *Recognizes Türkiye's key role in the fight against illegal migration affecting Europe;*

Or. en

Amendment 440
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 b. *Highlights that as Syria is not a safe country, many Syrian refugees will not be able to return in the short-to medium term, and that protection obligations in Türkiye must not be sidelined in favour of return programming; urges Türkiye to maintain the necessary protection space, legal status, and access to services for Syrian refugees and calls on the EU to advocate for a comprehensive approach that links continued protection in refugee-hosting countries with intensified reconstruction support in Syria, in order to create the conditions for large-scale sustainable, safe, voluntary and dignified returns;*

Or. en

Amendment 441
Geadis Gead, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 b. *Expresses deep concern over Türkiye's continued military occupation in northern Syria; recalls that the Turkish military invasion into Syrian territory has caused serious issues regarding respect for international law and the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Syria; condemns the establishment of long-term military infrastructure and administrative structures in occupied areas under Turkish control;*

Amendment 442
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20b. Condemns in the strongest possible terms the aggressive action taken by Türkiye; emphasises that the sovereignty of states and respect for territorial integrity are key principles of international law;

Or. fi

Amendment 443
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 c. Calls on the EU and Member States to maintain and, where possible, scale up financial support for the humanitarian and protection space in Türkiye and increase efforts around localisation of aid and provide financial and political support to refugee-led organizations (RLOs), Turkish civil society organizations and RLO-led consortia that provide protection to refugees and migrants in Türkiye;

Or. en

Amendment 444
Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 c. calls on Türkiye to withdraw all its troops from Syria and to respect international law and the sovereignty of Syria;

Or. en

Amendment 445
Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 d. Regrets that for more than two decades Türkiye has refused to fully implement the obligations it assumed towards the European Union, including those relating to the Republic of Cyprus; recalls in particular the Council Declaration of 21 September 2005, which clarified that Türkiye's recognition of all Member States is a necessary component of the accession process;

Or. en

Amendment 446
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 d. Calls on Turkish authorities to reinstate 'go-and-see' visits or equivalent mechanisms enabling informed return decisions, and to ensure gender-sensitive return programmes that are developed in

*genuine consultation with refugees and
refugee-led organisations;*

Or. en

Amendment 447

Geadis Gadi, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 e. Reiterates that Türkiye's continued refusal to recognise the Republic of Cyprus and open its ports and airports to Cypriot vessels and aircraft constitutes a persistent breach of its commitments towards the European Union;

Or. en

Amendment 448

Geadis Gadi, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 f. Condemns the continued usurpation, sale and illegal development of properties belonging to Greek Cypriots in the occupied areas of the Republic of Cyprus; expresses serious concern over increasing attempts to promote and exploit such properties; calls on Türkiye to halt these practices and to respect the property rights of the lawful owners in accordance with international law and the relevant judgments of the European Court of Human Rights;

Or. en

Amendment 449

Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Fourlas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; ***deplores the fact that Türkiye continues to violate the sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States, such as Greece and the Republic of Cyprus, including through the promotion of the Blue Homeland doctrine, the so called “grey zones” narrative and by linking the demilitarisation of Greek islands in the Eastern Aegean to Greece’s sovereignty over them; underlines that, although Turkish violations of Greek airspace remain at relatively low levels, a significant increase has been recorded compared to 2024; similarly, violations of Greek territorial waters and systematic illegal fishing activities by Turkish vessels within Greek territorial waters, in breach of the relevant EU legal framework on IUU fishing, have risen considerably compared to 2024; expresses its deep concern that Türkiye objected to Greece’s establishment of a marine park in the Aegean entirely within Greek territorial waters, announced the establishment of two marine parks extending into areas under Greek jurisdiction, rejected the publication of the Greek Maritime Spatial Planning under the relevant EU directive and presented its Maritime Spatial Planning challenging Greece’s sovereignty, sovereign rights and jurisdiction; also regrets that Türkiye persists in instrumentalising the NAVTEX system to advance unfounded political claims related to sovereignty and***

sovereign rights of EU Member States; expresses its deep concern that Türkiye continues to uphold a formal threat of war against Greece (casus belli), should the latter exercise its lawful right to extend its territorial waters up to 12 nautical miles into the Aegean Sea, in accordance with Article 3 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea; calls on Türkiye to fully respect the sovereignty of all EU Member States over their territorial sea and airspace, and their sovereign rights, including the right to explore and exploit natural resources in accordance with EU and international law, including the Law of the Sea as reflected in the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), which is part of the EU acquis; reiterates its view that the memorandum of understanding between Türkiye and Libya on delimitation of the maritime jurisdiction areas in the Mediterranean infringes upon the sovereign rights of third States, does not comply with the Law of the Sea and cannot produce any legal consequences for third States;

Or. en

Amendment 450

Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment **and further de-escalation** in the Eastern Mediterranean;

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment in the Eastern Mediterranean **but regrets that these efforts have not been translated in a serious and real de-escalation; expresses its serious concern about the introduction of revisionist ideas, such as the “Blue Homeland” doctrine which directly**

dispute the Greek sovereign rights and sovereignty in the Aegean Sea and the Eastern Mediterranean, as well as the “National Oath” in Turkish school curricula; regrets the fact that Türkiye continues to dispute the sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States such as Greece and the Republic of Cyprus; regrets that the Turkish violations of the Greek airspace including with armed military airplanes and drones have increased; expresses its concern for the increase of military presence and of offensive equipment in the coastline opposite the Greek islands; deplores the fact that the Turkish violations of Greek territorial waters continue to rise; notes the systematic illegal fishing activities which have been conducted by Turkish vessels within Greek territorial waters, in breach of the European legislation related to Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated fisheries (IUU); expresses its deep concern that Türkiye objected to Greece’s establishment of a marine park in the Aegean entirely within Greek territorial waters, announced the establishment of two marine parks extending into areas under Greek jurisdiction, rejected the publication of the Greek Maritime Spatial Planning under the relevant EU directive and presented its Maritime Spatial Planning challenging Greece’s sovereignty, sovereign rights and jurisdiction;

Or. en

Amendment 451
Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. *Welcomes* the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, *which can*

Amendment

21. *Regrets that* the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, *has not*

foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

fostered a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; *regrets also that despite a partial de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean and the Aegean, Türkiye continues its unilateral illegal actions and aggressive rhetoric and to unfoundedly dispute the sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States, including by expressing its determination to continue its illegal activities in the Eastern Mediterranean and to impose the so called ‘Blue Homeland’ doctrine; calls on Türkiye to respect the sovereignty of all EU Member States over their territorial sea and airspace, as well as their sovereign rights, including, inter alia, the right to explore and exploit natural resources, in accordance with EU and international law, including the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), which is part of the EU; acquiesces; stresses that all delimitation agreements must fully abide by the International Law of the Sea as reflected in UNCLOS and not encroach neighbouring state’s rights on their maritime zones; continues to call Turkey to show genuine collective engagement to the settlement of the delimitation of exclusive economic zones (EEZs) and the continental shelf in both the Aegean Sea and the Eastern Mediterranean, in good faith and in line with international law and the principle of good neighbourly relations, and to refrain from any unilateral illegal actions or threats; ; reiterates its view that the memorandum of understanding between Türkiye and Libya Government of National Accord (GNA) on the delimitation of the maritime jurisdiction areas in the Mediterranean infringes upon the sovereign rights of third States, does not comply with the Law of the Sea and cannot produce any legal consequences for third States and condemns all recent activities towards its implementation; condemns Türkiye’s continued attempts to impede the implementation of the Great Sea*

Interconnector, an EU project of common interest, and regrets that it has persisted in its plans for an illegal electricity interconnector with the occupied area of Cyprus; reiterates the EU's readiness to use all instruments and options at its disposal, including those under Article 29 TEU and Article 215 TFEU, in order to defend its interests and those of its Member States, as well as to uphold regional stability;

Or. en

Amendment 452
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, *including high-level meetings such as the summit between Prime Minister Mitsotakis and President Erdoğan in February 2026*, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; *reiterates its strong interest in the stability and security in the region and encourages all sides to further advance in this line of dialogue and cooperation with an aim at resolving any pending dispute and difference in the framework of international law; expresses its deep concern that Türkiye continues to uphold a formal threat of war against Greece (casus belli) which is inconceivable among allies and good neighbours; reiterates its call on Türkiye to fully respect the sovereignty of all EU Member States over their territorial sea and airspace in accordance with EU and international law, including the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS); reiterates its view that the memorandum of understanding between*

Türkiye and Libya on delimitation of the maritime jurisdiction areas in the Mediterranean infringes upon the sovereign rights of third States, does not comply with the Law of the Sea and cannot produce any legal consequences for third States;

Or. en

Amendment 453
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; *deplores the fact that Türkiye continues to violate the sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States, such as Greece and the Republic of Cyprus, including through the promotion of the "Blue Homeland doctrine", the so called "grey zones" narrative and by linking the demilitarisation of Greek islands in the Eastern Aegean to Greece's sovereignty over them;*

Or. en

Amendment 454
Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero
on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; *reiterates its view that the memorandum of understanding between Türkiye and Libya on delimitation of the maritime jurisdiction areas in the Mediterranean infringes upon the sovereign rights of third States, does not comply with the Law of the Sea and cannot produce any legal consequences for third States;*

Or. en

Amendment 455
Danilo Della Valle, Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; *stresses that genuine de-escalation requires full respect for international law, including the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), and respect for the sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States;*

Or. en

Amendment 456
Jordan Bardella, Pierre-Romain Thionnet, Matthieu Valet, Silvia Sardone, Jaroslav Bžoch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; ***stresses, however, that deep and recurring disagreements persist, notably with regard to maritime boundary delimitations, Cyprus, and respect for international law in the Eastern Mediterranean;***

Or. en

Amendment 457

Geadis Gadi, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. ***Welcomes*** the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

Amendment

21. ***Notes*** the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; ***stresses, however, that Türkiye still maintains the casus belli threat against Greece, which remains incompatible with good neighbourly relations and regional stability;***

Or. en

Amendment 458

Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment and

further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean;

further de-escalation in the Eastern Mediterranean; *stresses its support for Greece, an EU Member State, in the face of all kinds of provocation by Türkiye;*

Or. fi

Amendment 459

Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment *and further de-escalation* in the *Eastern Mediterranean*;

Amendment

21. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, which can foster a constructive environment *that is of paramount importance amidst the dangerous escalation of conflict* in the *wider region*

Or. en

Amendment 460

Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Deplores the fact that Türkiye persists in instrumentalising the NAVTEX system to advance unfounded political claims related to sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States, including the call for demilitarisation of several Greek islands, by simultaneously disputing Greek sovereignty over them; condemns Türkiye's provocative actions and threats, violating the Greek Exclusive Economic Zone by impeding survey activities for the Great Sea

Interconnector, an EU Project of Common Interest and one of the Energy Highway initiatives identified in the European Grids Package; notes that Türkiye bases its provocative actions, which dispute Greek Exclusive Economic Zone and territorial rights, to the illegal 2019 memorandum of understanding (MoU) on the delimitation of maritime jurisdiction areas between Türkiye and the Libyan Government of National Accord (GNA); recalls that this text has been deemed by the European Council (December 2019) as “infringing upon the sovereign rights of third States, not complying with the Law of the Sea, and not producing any legal consequences for third States”; deplores that Türkiye also continues to uphold a formal threat of war against Greece (Casus Belli) since 1995, should the latter exercise its lawful right to extend its territorial waters up to 12 nautical miles, in accordance with Article 3 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, violating criteria 4 and 5 of the Council Common Position 2008/944/CFSP;

Or. en

Amendment 461

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Welcomes the continued dialogue between Greece and Türkiye, including high-level meetings such as the summit between Prime Minister Mitsotakis and President Erdoğan in February 2026. Reiterates its strong interest in the stability and security in the Eastern Mediterranean and encourages Türkiye to engage in dialogue with Greece and

Cyprus with an aim at resolving any pending dispute and difference in line with international law; expresses its deep concern that Türkiye continues to uphold a formal threat of war against Greece (casus belli) which is inconceivable among allies and good neighbours; deplores the fact that Türkiye continues to violate the sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States, such as Greece and the Republic of Cyprus, including through the promotion of the Blue Homeland doctrine; reiterates its call on Türkiye to fully respect the sovereignty of all EU Member States over their territorial sea and airspace in accordance with EU and international law, including the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS); reiterates its view that the memorandum of understanding between Türkiye and Libya on delimitation of the maritime jurisdiction areas in the Mediterranean infringes upon the sovereign rights of third States, does not comply with the Law of the Sea and cannot produce any legal consequences for third States and condemns all recent activities towards its implementation ;

Or. en

Amendment 462

Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Fourlas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Welcomes the steps taken by the UNSG towards a resumption of comprehensive settlement talks, including his appointment of a Personal Envoy on Cyprus, as well as the appointment of the European Commission's Special Envoy for Cyprus; welcomes the two informal meetings in a broader format under the

auspices of the UNSG held in Geneva (March 2025) and New York (July 2025) and the agreement on trust-building initiatives, the meeting of President Mr Christodoulides, Turkish Cypriot leader Mr Erhürman (in the presence of the UNSG's Personal Envoy Ms Holguin) on 11.12.2025 in Cyprus and their agreement which stated that "the real aim is the solution of the Cyprus problem with political equality as described in the UNSC Resolutions", stressing the importance to use this momentum to move towards the resumption of formal negotiations in a broader format under the auspices of the UNSG from the point at which they were interrupted in Crans Montana in 2017;

Or. en

Amendment 463

Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Reiterates its call on Türkiye to refrain from all kinds of provocative rhetoric and actions, fully respect the sovereignty of all EU Member States over their territorial sea and airspace, as well as all sovereign rights exercised in accordance with international law, the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) and the EU acquis including the lawful right of the Republic of Cyprus to enter into bilateral agreements concerning its exclusive economic zone (EEZ) and explore and exploit natural resources within its lawfully delimited EEZ

Or. en

Amendment 464

Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Notes that the EU must act in accordance with international law, in particular with regard to the protection of its Member States; calls, accordingly, for the full implementation of the Treaty of Lausanne; calls, more specifically, for the return of property to the Greeks of Constantinople, Imvros and Tenedos and the payment of compensation for the appalling persecutions by Turkey over the last 60 years;

Or. en

Amendment 465

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Reiterates its strong interest in stability and security in the Eastern Mediterranean; strongly condemns the continued violations by Türkiye of the sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States, notably Greece and the Republic of Cyprus, including through the promotion of the revisionist “Blue Homeland (Mavi Vatan)” doctrine and through persistent maritime and aerial infringements;

Or. en

Amendment 466
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Underlines that violations of Greek territorial waters and systematic illegal fishing activities by Turkish vessels within Greek territorial waters, in breach of the relevant EU legal framework on IUU fishing, have risen considerably compared to 2024;

Or. en

Amendment 467
Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 a. Is worried about the recent letter of Türkiye to the United Nations targeting Greece, Cyprus and Egypt over maritime boundaries in the Eastern Mediterranean;

Or. en

Amendment 468
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 b. Reminds that the respect of the sovereignty and the sovereign rights of all EU Member States which are inextricably linked to the integrity of the Union as a

whole, in accordance with European and International Law, including the Law of the Sea, as reflected in the UNCLOS, as well as the principles of Good Neighbourly Relations is core part of the accession process and a precondition for any future EU – Türkiye relations; reiterates EU readiness to use all instruments and options in its disposal, including those under article 29 TEU and article 215 TFEU, in order to defend its interests and those of its Member States, as well as to uphold regional stability;

Or. en

Amendment 469

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 b. Reiterates that the memorandum of understanding between Türkiye and Libya on the delimitation of maritime jurisdiction areas in the Mediterranean is illegal, violates the sovereign rights of third States, including those of an EU Member State, Greece, does not comply with the Law of the Sea and cannot produce any legal consequences for third States or the European Union;

Or. en

Amendment 470

Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 b. Deplores the complete absence of initiatives to compensate the Greeks of Constantinople, Imvros and Tenedos who were driven from their ancestral homes by the turkish government and the "deep state" during the events of September 1955 and thereafter;

Or. en

Amendment 471

Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 c. Notes that the EU must act in accordance with international law, in particular with regard to the protection of its Member States; accordingly, calls for the literal implementation of the Treaty of Lausanne; in particular, calls for the return of property to the Greeks of Constantinople, Imvros and Tenedos and for compensations for the atrocious persecutions by the Turkish "deep state"; furthermore, calls for diplomatic and military measures to be taken to address the illegal occupation by the turkish army in the lands of the Republic of Cyprus, Syria and Iraq;

Or. en

Amendment 472

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 c. Calls on Türkiye to fully respect

the implementation of the Great Sea Interconnector and East Med Pipeline, both recognised by the European Union as Projects of Common Interest (PCI), and to refrain from any actions that could obstruct or undermine the development of this strategic energy infrastructure connecting the electricity systems of Greece, Cyprus and Israel, which contributes to the energy security and the diversification of the Union's energy supply.

Or. en

Amendment 473

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 d. Condemns the systematic illegal fishing activities by Turkish vessels within Greek territorial waters in the Aegean sea and in maritime areas around the Tillyria region of the Republic of Cyprus;

Or. en

Amendment 474

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 e. Expresses its serious concern that Türkiye continues to maintain a formal threat of war (casus belli) against Greece should it exercise its legitimate right under international law to extend its territorial waters to 12 nautical miles in accordance with Article 3 of the United

Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS); considers such a threat incompatible with the principles of good neighbourly relations and with the obligations of a candidate country to the European Union;

Or. en

Amendment 475

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 f. calls on Türkiye to immediately withdraw the casus belli decision adopted by the Turkish Grand National Assembly in 1995 and to fully respect the sovereignty, sovereign rights and jurisdiction of all EU Member States over their territorial sea, airspace and maritime zones, including their rights to explore and exploit natural resources in accordance with international law and the EU acquis;

Or. en

Amendment 476

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 21 g (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21 g. Strongly condemns the illegal visit by Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan to the occupied part of the Republic of Cyprus in July 2025, which constitutes a blatant violation of the sovereignty and territorial integrity of the Republic of Cyprus; further condemns his

participation in celebrations marking 51 years from the 1974 Turkish invasion and ongoing occupation of Cyprus, which demonstrates profound disrespect for international law, the sovereignty of an EU Member State and the suffering of the victims of the Turkish invasion and occupation;

Or. en

Amendment 477
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Amendment

22. ***Reiterates its call on Türkiye to work on a constructive, and not assertive nor aggressive, approach in its neighbourhood; regrets that Türkiye continues to dispute the sovereignty and sovereign rights of an EU Member State; recalls that Türkiye's accession process is contingent on its full compliance with the Copenhagen criteria and on its normalisation of relations with all EU Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus; calls for the status of the buffer zone and the mandate of the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus to be respected; urges Türkiye and the Turkish Cypriot leadership to cease and reverse all such unilateral activities and refrain from any further actions; calls for engagement in peaceful UN-led negotiations and for real progress to be made in the Cyprus settlement talks;*** strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political

equality;

Or. en

Amendment 478

Sebastian Tynkkynen, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. ***Strongly*** reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and *political* equality;

Amendment

22. ***Highlights the deterioration in European security and the ongoing illegal occupation in Cyprus; stresses that this situation demands that the EU step up its defence capacities and show greater willingness to act in order to deliver the security expected by the EU's citizens; underlines the need to ensure the defence, territorial integrity and sovereignty of every EU Member State; calls on the EU to provide a timeline of one year for the complete withdrawal of Turkey's troops from the Republic of Cyprus, before the activation of Article 42(7) TEU, aiming to provide military assistance to the Republic of Cyprus in order to liberate its occupied northern part; moreover, calls on the EU to sustain its efforts to strengthen the EU security and defence capabilities; trongly*** reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and equality;

Or. en

Amendment 479

Yannis Maniatis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality ***as set out in the relevant UNSC including Resolution 2815 of 30 January 2026, in accordance with international law and values on which the Union is founded and calls on Türkiye to abandon the unacceptable proposal for a two state – solution in Cyprus, return to the agreed UN Framework and encourage the Turkish Cypriot leader to participate in the UN led process with the active participation of the EU;***

Or. en

Amendment 480
Costas Mavrides, Yannis Maniatis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Amendment

22. ***Regrets the fact that the Cyprus problem remains unresolved and reiterates its call on Türkiye, to commit and contribute to a comprehensive settlement in line with United Nations Security Council relevant resolutions; calls, as a matter of urgency, for negotiations on the reunification of Cyprus to be resumed under the auspices of the UN Secretary-General as soon as possible;*** strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is

a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality *and in accordance with the relevant UNSC resolutions, international law, EU acquis and the principles on which the Union is founded; calls on Türkiye and its subordinate Turkish Cypriot leadership to abandon the unacceptable proposal for a two-state solution in Cyprus and to return to the agreed basis of a solution and the UN framework; strongly condemns all efforts by Türkiye to upgrade the status of the secessionist illegal entity in occupied Cyprus, including in the context of the Organisation of Turkic States and calls all states to respect sovereignty and territorial integrity of the Republic of Cyprus and not to recognise, facilitate or in any way assist the international recognition of the aforementioned secessionist entity in line with the relevant UNSC resolutions; welcomes and supports the proposals of the President of the Republic of Cyprus which aim at breaking the stalemate in the settlement process and stresses the importance of EU's active engagement in supporting all stages of the UN-led process, with all appropriate means at its disposal; further calls on Türkiye to withdraw its troops from Cyprus and refrain from any unilateral action which would entrench the permanent division of the island and to refrain from action altering the demographic balance on the island through a policy of illegal settlements; strongly condemns the ongoing efforts by Türkiye to "open" and settle Varosha by people other than its inhabitants in violation on UN SC Resolutions; calls on Türkiye to reverse its illegal actions and to transfer the area of Varosha to its lawful inhabitants under the temporary administration of the UN as called for by UN Security Council resolutions*

550(1984) and 789(1992); strongly condemns the efforts to turn Varosha into a dark- tourism attraction which sensationalizes tragedy insulting the dignity and rights of the lawful inhabitants; takes the view that those illegal actions undermine mutual trust and hence the prospect of a resumption of talks on a comprehensive solution to the Cyprus problem and calls on Türkiye to reverse these actions and avoid any other unilateral and illegal actions that could raise further tensions on the island;

Or. en

Amendment 481

Michalis Hadjipantela, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. ***Strongly*** reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a ***bi-communal, bi-zonal*** federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and ***political*** equality;

Amendment

22. ***calls for progressively increasing measures to be taken every year that Turkey fails to comply, in order to press Turkey to withdraw its troops from the island of Cyprus and to reverse its policies altering the demographic balance on the island; strongly*** reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the ***possible*** basis of a federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and equality, ***if the citizens of the Republic of Cyprus decide it;***

Or. en

Amendment 482

Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Fourlas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality; ***as set out in the relevant UNSC including Resolution 2815 of 30 January 2026, in accordance with international law and values on which the Union is founded and calls on Türkiye to abandon the unacceptable proposal for a two state – solution in Cyprus, return to the agreed UN Framework and encourage the Turkish Cypriot leader to participate in the UN led process;***

Or. en

Amendment 483
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality, ***as set out in the relevant UN Security Council resolutions, the agreed areas of convergence and the Framework of the UN Secretary General, as well as in accordance with international law and the principles and values on which the Union***

is founded;

Or. en

Amendment 484
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality; **welcomes recent developments signalling political willingness to revive the stalled UN-brokered talks to unify Cyprus and calls on the EU to seize the opportunity and use all its diplomatic channels to advocate for the resumption of negotiations;**

Or. en

Amendment 485
Geadis Gadi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the **agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and**

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the **UN Charter, leading to the liberation of the island and the reintegration of the occupied areas under the effective control of the Republic of Cyprus, without territorial, religious,**

political equality;

racial, ethnic or other distinctions, in full respect of international and European law, with the complete withdrawal of Turkish occupation troops and settlers;

Or. en

Amendment 486

Giorgos Georgiou, Danilo Della Valle, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Fernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality *as set out in the relevant UN Security Council resolutions, in accordance with international law and the principles and values on which the Union is founded and the agreed convergences and the Framework of the UN Secretary General;*

Or. en

Amendment 487

Giorgos Georgiou, Danilo Della Valle, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Fernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Amendment

22. ***Reiterates its strong support for the resumption of substantive negotiations for the comprehensive solution of the Cyprus problem and encourages all parties involved to step up efforts in this direction;*** Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Or. en

Amendment 488
Christophe Gomart

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. ***Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;***

Amendment

22. ***Urges Türkiye to end its military presence in the northern part of the Republic of Cyprus, an EU Member State;***

Or. fr

Amendment 489
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of ***a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality***;

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, ***requiring the withdrawal of Türkiye's occupying forces and*** on the basis of ***the Republic of Cyprus having complete sovereign control of the entire territory***;

Or. fi

Amendment 490

Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, ***within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality***;

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, ***aiming not to justify the results of the illegal Turkish invasion against the Republic of Cyprus and illegal occupation of 37% of its territory***;

Or. en

Amendment 491

Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22

Motion for a resolution

22. Strongly reaffirms ***its view*** that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable ***and***

Amendment

22. Strongly reaffirms that the only ***acceptable*** solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive ***and*** viable

democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, *on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;*

settlement within the agreed UN framework; *unequivocally condemns any actions undermining the sovereignty and territorial integrity of the Republic of Cyprus, an EU Member State;*

Or. en

Amendment 492

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Strongly reaffirms its view that the only solution to the Cyprus problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within the agreed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality, as set out in the relevant UN Security Council resolutions, the agreed areas of convergence and the Framework of the UN Secretary General, as well as in accordance with international law and the principles and values on which the Union is founded; strongly condemns Türkiye's attempts to upgrade the status of the secessionist entity in occupied Cyprus, including via the Organisation of Turkic States and the Organisation of Islamic States and calls on all states to respect Cyprus' sovereignty according to UNSC resolutions and to fully respect UNSC resolutions 541 and 550; calls, as a matter of urgency, for the resumption of negotiations on the reunification of Cyprus under the auspices of the UN Secretary-General as soon as possible, from the point at which they were interrupted in Crans-Montana in 2017;

calls on Türkiye to abandon the unacceptable proposal for a two-state solution in Cyprus and to return to the agreed basis for a solution and the UN framework; further calls on Türkiye to withdraw its troops from Cyprus and refrain from any unilateral action which would entrench the permanent division of the island and from action altering the demographic balance;

Or. en

Amendment 493

Giorgos Georgiou, Danilo Della Valle, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Fernando Barrera Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero
on behalf of The Left Group
Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Welcomes the support of the new leader of the Turkish Cypriot community to the resumption of the negotiations from where they left off in Crans-Montana in 2017 and considers the joint statement of the two leaders on 11 December 2026 as a positive step; calls on all sides to use this momentum to strengthen the renewed hope for settlement negotiations in concrete terms; warmly welcomes the resumption of direct meetings between both communities' leaders and the agreement on further confidence-building measures as a positive and relevant step and encourages them to advance in their implementation; strongly supports the continuation of the contacts between both sides under the auspices of the UN Secretary-General and the work of his Personal Envoy for Cyprus, María Ángela Holguín Cuéllar; calls on the EU and its Member States to firmly support the continuation of this dialogue and to stand ready to support, in any way needed, the

*potential success of this process;
encourages all sides to use this
momentum to move towards the
resumption of negotiations and not to
miss this window of opportunity;
welcomes the designation of Johannes
Hahn as EU Special Envoy for the Cyprus
issue by the European Commission and
calls for the EU to use its diplomatic
influence effectively to contribute to this
process;*

Or. en

Amendment 494
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*22 a. Welcomes the stance of the newly
elected Turkish Cypriot leader, and the
renewed hope for creating a conducive
environment for the resumption of
settlement negotiations; warmly welcomes
the resumption of informal meetings
between both communities' leaders and
the agreement on further confidence-
building measures as a positive and
relevant step; strongly supports the
continuation of the contacts between both
sides under the auspices of the UN
Secretary-General and the work of his
Personal Envoy for Cyprus, María Ángela
Holguín Cuéllar; calls on the EU and its
Member States to firmly support the
continuation of this dialogue and to stand
ready to support, in any way needed, the
potential success of this process;
encourages all sides to use this
momentum to move towards the
resumption of negotiations and not to
miss this window of opportunity;*

Or. en

Amendment 495
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Strongly condemns the continued unilateral actions by Türkiye and the illegal regime in the occupied areas of the Republic of Cyprus regarding the fenced area of Varosha; recalls the European Parliament resolution of 8 July 2021 on the situation in Varosha, which condemned the partial reopening of the area; reiterates that any attempt to reopen or settle Varosha is contrary to international law and the relevant United Nations Security Council resolutions, in particular Resolutions 550 (1984) and 789 (1992); calls on Türkiye to immediately reverse these actions and return the enclosed Famagusta to its lawful inhabitants;

Or. en

Amendment 496
Costas Mavrides, Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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22 a. Calls on Türkiye to respect the status of the buffer zone and the mandate of the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP); urges Türkiye to cease and reverse all unilateral actions and violations within and in the vicinity of the buffer zone and refrain from any further such actions and provocations; reiterates its call on Türkiye to implement concrete measures for demilitarisation along the

Turkish Forces ceasefire line and beyond in Cyprus in order to reduce tensions and contribute to a conducive environment for the resumption of the UN-led negotiations; calls on Türkiye to withdraw from Strovilia and facilitate the full implementation of the Pyla Understanding;

Or. en

Amendment 497
Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Reaffirms that the Republic of Cyprus is the sole legitimate authority on the island of Cyprus and strongly rejects the Turkish position in favour of "two state entities with legal status"; emphasises that the EU and the international community only recognise the Republic of Cyprus; considers that the agreements between Türkiye and the self-declared Turkish Cypriot administration on continental shelf delimitation and joint resource exploitation are a violation of international public law;

Or. en

Amendment 498
Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Furlas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Strongly condemns the efforts of Türkiye to upgrade the secessionist entity's status in occupied Cyprus,

including via the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation and the Organisation of Turkic States, and calls upon all states to respect the sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity of the Republic of Cyprus, as the sole legitimate and recognized Government on the island and not to recognize, facilitate or in any way assist the illegal secessionist entity;

Or. en

Amendment 499
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Expresses its deep concern that Türkiye objected to Greece's establishment of a marine park in the Aegean entirely within Greek territorial waters, announced the establishment of two marine parks extending into areas under Greek jurisdiction, rejected the publication of the Greek Maritime Spatial Planning under the relevant EU directive and presented its Maritime Spatial Planning challenging Greece's sovereignty, sovereign rights and jurisdiction;

Or. en

Amendment 500
Geadis Gadi, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Strongly reaffirms its view that the

only solution to the Kurdish problem is a fair, comprehensive, viable and democratic settlement, within a proposed UN framework, on the basis of a bi-communal, bi-zonal federation with a single international legal personality, single sovereignty, single citizenship and political equality;

Or. en

Amendment 501
Marion Maréchal

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22a. Strongly condemns the invasion of Cyprus by Turkish troops in 1974 and the occupation of the northern part of the island since then; urges the Turkish Government to withdraw them without delay and to recognise the full sovereignty of the Republic of Cyprus over the entire island;

Or. fr

Amendment 502
Silvia Sardone, Susanna Ceccardi, Jaroslav Bžoch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Strongly condemns the rise of antisemitism and anti-Armenian sentiment in Turkey, as well as the strong hate-rhetoric against the state of Israel;

Or. en

Amendment 503
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 b. Reiterates its call on Türkiye to give the Turkish Cypriot community the necessary space to act in accordance with its role as a legitimate community of the island, which is a right guaranteed by the constitution of the Republic of Cyprus; reiterates its call on the Commission to step up its efforts to engage with the Turkish Cypriot community, with a view to facilitating the resolution of the Cyprus problem and recalling that its place is in the European Union; calls for all parties involved to demonstrate a more courageous approach to bringing the communities together; stresses the need for the EU body of law to be implemented across the entire island following a comprehensive resolution of the Cyprus problem; remains concerned by restrictions on freedom of expression and media freedom, including violence or threats of violence against Turkish Cypriot human rights activists and particularly journalists; takes note of the significant work of the Committee on Missing Persons in Cyprus (CMP) and calls for improved access to occupied military zones by the Turkish army, access to its military archives and information as to the relocation of remains from former to subsequent burial sites;

Or. en

Amendment 504
Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)

22 b. *Notes the different stance of the new Turkish Cypriot leader, calls on him to engage constructively with a view to reaching a settlement within the UN-agreed framework irrespective of Türkiye's positions; welcomes the renewed hope for settlement negotiations and the resumption of direct meetings between both communities' leaders and the agreement on further confidence-building measures as a positive and relevant step; strongly supports the continuation of the contacts between both sides under the auspices of the UN Secretary-General and the work of his Personal Envoy for Cyprus, María Ángela Holguín Cuéllar; calls on the EU and its Member states to firmly support the continuation of this dialogue and to stand ready to support, in any way needed, the potential success of this process; calls on Türkiye to engage with the EU's Special Envoy for Cyprus; encourages all sides to use this momentum to move towards the resumption of negotiations and not to miss this window of opportunity;*

Or. en

Amendment 505

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 b (new)

22 b. *Notes with concern statements by the new occupation leader in Cyprus, Tufan Erhürman, indicating that he will conduct negotiations and political activities in close consultation with the Government of Türkiye; recalls his public remarks that no Turkish Cypriot leader has negotiated without coordination with*

Ankara; underlines that such statements highlight the decisive control exercised by Türkiye over the political process in the occupied areas of the Republic of Cyprus; notes with deep concern his repeated statements presenting the concept of “political equality” in Cyprus, as implying sovereign equality between two separate founding states on the island and calling for joint decision-making mechanisms over issues such as maritime zones, hydrocarbons, energy and security; stresses that such positions risk undermining the sovereignty of the Republic of Cyprus and are incompatible with a democratic settlement of the Cyprus problem;

Or. en

Amendment 506

Giorgos Georgiou, Danilo Della Valle, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Fernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero
on behalf of The Left Group
Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 b. Deplores the official position of Türkiye for a two-states solution in Cyprus and reiterates its call to abandon this and return to the agreed basis for a solution and the UN framework; calls, as a matter of urgency, for the resumption of negotiations on the reunification of Cyprus under the auspices of the UN Secretary-General as soon as possible, from the point at which they were interrupted in Crans-Montana in 2017; regrets that despite repeated calls for a constructive approach to facilitate the prospects of the reunification of Cyprus, Türkiye continues its unlawful attempts to nurture secessionism, including via the Organisation of Turkic

States;

Or. en

Amendment 507

Geadis Gadi, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay, Michalis Hadjipantela

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 b. Regrets the complete absence of initiatives to support Cypriot citizens such as Titina Loizidou, who have been displaced from the occupied territories of the Republic of Cyprus by the Turkish occupying army, whose cases have been repeatedly, and rightfully, upheld by the courts;

Or. en

Amendment 508

Geadis Gadi, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 b. Reiterates its call on Turkey to respect the role of the Ecumenical Patriarchate for Orthodox Christians throughout the world and to recognize its legal personality and the public use of the ecclesiastical title of Ecumenical Patriarch;

Or. en

Amendment 509
Costas Mavrides, Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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22 b. Takes note of the significant work of the Committee on Missing Persons in Cyprus (CMP) and calls on Türkiye to give the CMP unrestricted access to all areas, as well as to all information necessary for its work, including information from its military archives and information on the relocation of remains; calls on Türkiye to account for the fate of those persons still missing; further calls for the continuation and the increase of the CMP EU funding also in light of the new MFF; remains deeply concerned about the education and religious restrictions and impediments faced by the enclaved Greek Cypriots in the occupied areas; calls on Türkiye to fully implement the ECtHR judgements with respect to Cyprus and to respect the rights of the Cypriot citizens guaranteed by the European Convention of Human Rights and the Charter of Fundamental rights of the EU including property right, respecting the freedom of religion and the freedom of opinion and expression, and the right to access and enjoy cultural heritage, and to stop the deliberate destruction of cultural and religious heritage; condemns the repeated attempts by Türkiye to intimidate and silence Turkish Cypriot journalists, trade unionists, human rights defenders and progressive citizens in the Turkish Cypriot community, thus violating their right to freedom of opinion and expression; strongly condemns the unlawful and politically motivated detention of Greek Cypriots by the Turkish military, including recent abductions in the buffer zone;

Or. en

Amendment 510
Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Fourlas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 b. Calls on Türkiye to withdraw its troops from Cyprus and refrain from any unilateral action, that would threaten the sovereignty of Cyprus, as well as from any action altering the demographic balance of the island;

Or. en

Amendment 511
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 b. Regrets that Türkiye persists in instrumentalising the NAVTEX system to advance unfounded political claims related to sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member States;

Or. en

Amendment 512
Giorgos Georgiou, Danilo Della Valle, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Fernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero
on behalf of The Left Group
Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 c. Urges Türkiye to refrain from any unilateral action which would entrench the permanent division of Cyprus and from actions altering the demographic balance; calls on Türkiye to respect the status of the buffer zone and the mandate of the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP) and reverse all unilateral actions and violations within and in the vicinity of the buffer zone and refrain from any further such actions and provocations; condemns the ongoing 'opening' of Varosha by Türkiye, as this negatively alters the situation on the ground, undermines mutual trust and negatively impacts the prospects for the resumption of direct talks on the comprehensive solution of the Cyprus problem; calls on Türkiye to reverse its illegal actions in violation of UN Security Council resolutions 550(1984) and 789(1992) on Varosha, which call on Türkiye to transfer the area of Varosha to its lawful inhabitants under the temporary administration of the UN, and to withdraw from Strovilia and facilitate the full implementation of the Pyla Understanding;

Or. en

Amendment 513
Costas Mavrides, Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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22 c. Calls on Türkiye to halt its proclaimed aggressive policy of the sale and exploitation of Greek Cypriot properties in the occupied areas, a policy designed to create irreversible effects on the ground and in complete disregard of the European Code of Human Rights ruling on this issue; deeply regrets about the active involvement of European

citizens in this illegal and fraudulent economic chain that has been set up by Türkiye and its subordinate authorities; is also extremely concerned that this policy is inextricably linked with sanction evasion and money laundering as per media reports; stresses that any tolerance to individuals or companies facilitating, by any means, the sale or exploitation of Greek Cypriot properties, within Cyprus' national territory, is in direct violation of public international law as well as European Union law; asks the European Commission and the Member States to actively support the Republic of Cyprus's effort to eliminate this blatant violation of human rights as well as to bring to justice those who usurp the properties of Cyprus citizens;

Or. en

Amendment 514
Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Furlas

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 c. Calls on Türkiye to respect the status of the buffer zone and the mandate of UNFICYP; urges Türkiye and Turkish Cypriot leadership to reverse and refrain from any kind of unilateral actions, violations and provocations against the buffer zone's status; recalls the important status of Varosha, condemns all Türkiye's unilateral actions that run contrary to UN Security Council Resolutions, reiterates its call for their immediate reversal and calls on Türkiye to respect all relevant UN Security Council Resolutions, to withdraw from Strovilia and to facilitate the full implementation of the 2023 UN Understanding, on Pyla;

Or. en

Amendment 515

Giorgos Georgiou, Danilo Della Valle, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Fernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 d. Takes note of the significant work of the Committee on Missing Persons in Cyprus (CMP) and calls for improved access to occupied military zones by the Turkish army, access to its military archives and information as to the relocation of remains from former to subsequent burial sites; condemns the repeated attempts by Türkiye to intimidate and silence Turkish Cypriot journalists, trade unionists, human rights defenders and progressive citizens in the Turkish Cypriot community, thus violating their right to freedom of opinion and expression; calls on Türkiye to halt its proclaimed illegal policy of the sale and exploitation of Greek Cypriot properties, aimed at creating new fait accompli and additional obstacles to the settlement of the property issue in the context of the comprehensive solution;

Or. en

Amendment 516

Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Fourlas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 d. Takes note of the significant work of the Committee on Missing Persons (CMP) function and calls on Türkiye to

intensify its efforts, by cooperating with the CMP and providing access to relevant information from its military archives and unhindered access to all the military areas in Cyprus, take concrete measures to protect known burial sites and avert any future relocation of remains and disturbance of burial sites;

Or. en

Amendment 517

Costas Mavrides, Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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22 d. Reiterates its call on Türkiye to comply with the EU declaration issued on September 21, 2005 and to fulfil its obligation of full, non-discriminatory implementation of the Additional Protocol to the EC-Turkey Association Agreement vis-a-vis all Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus; regrets that Türkiye has still not made progress towards the normalisation of its relations with the Republic of Cyprus; reiterates that recognition of all Member States is a necessary component of the accession process, of Customs Union and every agreement between the EU and Türkiye and calls for progress without any further delay; stresses that Türkiye's own constructive engagement across the cross the board of EU-Türkiye relations, including in relation to the resumption of and progress in the Cyprus settlement talks within the UN-agreed framework, remains indispensable in advancing the various areas of cooperation with Türkiye; underlines the fact that cooperation remains essential in areas such as justice and home affairs with all EU Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus; Regrets Türkiye's

continuing refusal to comply with international civil aviation law and establish a channel of communication between air traffic control centres in Türkiye and the Republic of Cyprus, the absence of which entails real safety risks and dangers as identified by the European Aviation Safety Agency and the International Federation of Air Line Pilots' Associations; takes the view that this could be an area where Türkiye could prove its commitment to confidence building measures and calls on Türkiye to collaborate by fully implementing EU aviation law;

Or. en

Amendment 518

Michalis Hadjipantela, Loucas Fourlas, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 d (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 d. Regrets the complete absence of initiatives to support Cypriot citizens such as Titina Loizidou, who have been displaced from the occupied territories of the Republic of Cyprus by the Turkish occupying army, whose cases have been repeatedly, and rightfully, upheld by the courts;

Or. en

Amendment 519

Geadis Geadis

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 22 d (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 d. Condemns the fact that Türkiye

continues to be a gateway for Russian capital and tourists to the world; recalls that Türkiye remains only one of two places in Europe, which still facilitate air connectivity with Russia;

Or. en

Amendment 520

Giorgos Georgiou, Danilo Della Valle, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Fernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 e. Regrets that for 20 years Türkiye has refused to implement the obligations assumed towards the EU, including those in relation to Cyprus, as per the Negotiating Framework of October 2005; stresses that recognition of all Member States is a necessary component of the accession process; reiterates its call on Türkiye to fulfil its obligation of full, non-discriminatory implementation of the Additional Protocol to the Ankara Agreement in relation to all Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus; further calls on Türkiye to ensure that the human and political rights of all Cypriots are fully respected and that compliance with the fundamental principles of the European Union and the European acquis is guaranteed;

Or. en

Amendment 521

Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Furlas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 e. *Remains deeply concerned about the condition of the enclaved Greek Cypriots in the occupied territories of Cyprus due to the severe restrictions and pressure imposed by Türkiye hindering their freedom of religion, education, opinion, expression access to cultural heritage and medical care;*

Or. en

Amendment 522

Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Furlas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 f. *Calls on Türkiye to halt the usurpation of Greek Cypriot properties in the occupied territories of Cyprus, a policy designed to create irreversible effects on the ground and which completely disregards the rules of the ECHR and the respective judgements of the ECtHR;*

Or. en

Amendment 523

Vangelis Meimarakis, Loucas Furlas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 g (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 g. *Regrets that Türkiye has refused to implement the obligations assumed towards the EU, including those in relation to Cyprus, as per the Negotiating Framework of October 2005; stresses that recognition of all Member States is a*

necessary component of the accession process; reiterates its call on Türkiye to fulfill its obligation of full, non-discriminatory implementation of the Additional Protocol to the Ankara Agreement in relation to all Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus;

Or. en

Amendment 524
Mieke Andriese, Geadis Gadi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy;

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Or. en

Amendment 525
Geadis Gadi, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Ivaylo Valchev

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy;

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape, regrets therefore the fact that Türkiye refuses to align with EU's restrictive measures against Russia in relation to Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine; recalls that Türkiye continues to allow Russian military and

civilian aircraft to use its airspace in stark contrast to other EU and NATO allies ; regrets the decision of the authorities of Türkiye to acquire Russian S-400 missile system;

Or. en

Amendment 526
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in **global** security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy;

Amendment

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in **regional** security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy; **reaffirms, in this context, the strategic and geopolitical importance of Türkiye, also as an ally in NATO, and its increasing presence, influence and mediation role in areas critical to international security and EU strategic interest, such as the Black Sea region, including Ukraine, the South Caucasus, and the Middle East;**

Or. en

Amendment 527
Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Stresses **the key relevance of** reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy;

Amendment

23. Stresses **that** reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy, **shall**

be based on strict conditionalities, including the respect of the security and defence interests of the Union and its Member States and of international law;

Or. en

Amendment 528
Andrey Kovatchev

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy;

Amendment

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy; ***recognises Türkiye's strategic importance as a NATO ally located at the crossroads of Europe and the Middle East, and underlines the importance of enhanced EU-Türkiye cooperation on defence, security and regional stability in an increasingly fragile Middle East security environment;***

Or. en

Amendment 529
Mika Aaltola

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy;

Amendment

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy; ***notes with concern reports that Türkiye is not doing enough to prevent Russia's***

circumvention of EU sanctions.

Or. en

Amendment 530
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Stresses the *key relevance of reinforcing* EU-Türkiye cooperation in *global* security matters, *particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy*;

Amendment

23. Stresses the *importance of* EU-Türkiye cooperation *on* security matters;

Or. en

Amendment 531
Silvia Sardone, Susanna Ceccardi, Jaroslav Bžoch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, *particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and potential shifts in US foreign policy*;

Amendment

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters;

Or. en

Amendment 532
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape **and potential shifts in US foreign policy;**

Amendment

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape;

Or. fi

Amendment 533

Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero
on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and **potential** shifts in US foreign policy;

Amendment

23. Stresses the key relevance of reinforcing EU-Türkiye cooperation in global security matters, particularly in the light of the changing geopolitical landscape and **dangerous** shifts in US foreign policy;

Or. en

Amendment 534

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Welcomes the steps taken by the UNSG towards a resumption of comprehensive settlement talks, including his appointment of a Personal Envoy on Cyprus, as well as the appointment of the European Commission's Special Envoy for Cyprus; welcomes the two informal meetings in a broader format under the auspices of the UNSG held in Geneva

(March 2025) and New York (July 2025) and the agreement on trust-building initiatives; the meeting of President Mr Christodoulides, Turkish Cypriot leader Mr Erhürman (in the presence of the UNSG's Personal Envoy Ms Holguin) on 11.12.2025 in Cyprus and their agreement which stated that "the real aim is the solution of the Cyprus problem with political equality as described in the UNSC Resolutions"; stresses the importance to use this momentum to move towards the resumption of formal negotiations in a bi-zonal, bi-communal federation under the auspices of the UNSG from the point at which they were interrupted in Crans Montana in 2017;

Or. en

Amendment 535
Christophe Gomart

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23a. Condemns Türkiye's military operations against Kurdish forces in Syria and Iraq, including against groups that played a decisive role in the international fight against the Islamic State terrorist organisation; stresses that the Syrian Democratic Forces are currently guarding detention centres and camps holding thousands of IS fighters and members; warns that any destabilisation of these forces could lead to a serious deterioration in regional security and promote a resurgence of the terrorist organisation; recalls that the management of these detainees is also directly linked to the security of European democracies, and calls on Türkiye to exercise restraint, respect international humanitarian law and prioritise political

solutions to the Kurdish question;

Or. fr

Amendment 536
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. *Expresses deep concern over the continued close political engagement between President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan and President Vladimir Putin despite Russia's ongoing war of aggression against Ukraine; stresses that sustained strategic cooperation between Russia and Türkiye risks undermining the unity of the international response to Russia's aggression. Notes with concern investigations and monitoring activities by European and international authorities regarding the circumvention of sanctions through the re-export of Russian energy products and other goods via third countries, including Türkiye; stresses that such practices undermine the EU's sanctions regime adopted in response to Russia's aggression against Ukraine.*

Or. en

Amendment 537
Andrey Kovatchev, Miriam Lexmann, Rasa Juknevičienė

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. *Strongly encourages progress towards the opening of land border crossings and the full normalization of relations between Türkiye and Armenia;*

welcomes the dialogue between the two countries towards the full opening of the border and the recent simplification of visa procedures for diplomatic, special, and service passport holders as of January 1, 2026; calls on both countries to continue to work towards better connectivity in order to facilitate the land connection between Europe and Asia, promote historical reconciliation, improved business climate, and stronger people-to-people contacts;

Or. en

Amendment 538
Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Notes that Türkiye has established itself as a leading international mediator, utilising its foreign policy to mediate regional conflicts and facilitate dialogue; welcomes, in this regard, that Türkiye has positioned itself as a key mediator in the Russia-Ukraine war, maintaining strong ties with both sides; notes that these mediation efforts, driven by a desire for regional stability and economic interests, have led to brokering the 2022 Black Sea Grain Initiative and negotiating prisoner exchanges;

Or. en

Amendment 539
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. *Expresses its strong concern about the continuation of military aggression by the Türkiye-Syrian National Army alliance in northeast Syria, including deadly attacks on civilians and civilian infrastructure, causing new displacement and putting further strain on a peaceful transition; denounces Türkiye's unlawful military incursions and occupation of parts of Syria urges Türkiye to respect Syria's territorial integrity and comply with international humanitarian law;*

Or. en

Amendment 540
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. *Expresses its deep concern that Türkiye continues to uphold a formal threat of war against Greece (casus belli), should the latter exercise its lawful right to extend its territorial waters up to 12 nautical miles into the Aegean Sea, in accordance with Article 3 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea;*

Or. en

Amendment 541
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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23 a. *Notes with concern that Türkiye*

has applied to be a member of BRICS+ while it currently holds a partnership status, and is considering the same for the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO); expresses serious concern about the fundamental incompatibility of Türkiye's potential full BRICS membership with the EU accession process; notes also that Türkiye continued to seek opportunities to strengthen links with China, through various initiatives (Belt and Road Initiative, Middle Corridor, etc.);

Or. en

Amendment 542
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Underlines Türkiye's strategic and geopolitical significance within the broader regional context in addressing pressing regional challenges, including the stability of the Black Sea region, migration management, counterterrorism, and energy security;

Or. en

Amendment 543
Davor Ivo Stier

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Acknowledges the strategic and geopolitical importance of Türkiye and takes note of its increasing political, economic, and military presence and

influence in areas critical to international security;

Or. en

Amendment 544

Jordan Bardella, Pierre-Romain Thionnet, Matthieu Valet, Silvia Sardone, Jaroslav Bžoch

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Notes that Turkish foreign policy is increasingly framed within a logic of regional power projection, often described as “neo-Ottoman.”

Or. en

Amendment 545

Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 b. Calls on Türkiye to fully respect the sovereignty of all EU Member States over their territorial sea and airspace, and their sovereign rights, including the right to explore and exploit natural resources in accordance with EU and international law, including the Law of the Sea as reflected in the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), which is part of the EU acquis;

Or. en

Amendment 546

Davor Ivo Stier

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 b. Takes note of the growing anti-Western position of the Turkish authorities; expresses concern about its possible implications for the EU's interests in the Western Balkans, the Black Sea region, the South Caucasus, the Mediterranean, and the Middle East; but remains open to exploring avenues for improved security cooperation in all these areas;

Or. en

Amendment 547

Geadis Geadí, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 b. Expresses concern regarding Türkiye's continued energy cooperation with Russia, including the construction of the Akkuyu Nuclear Power Plant by the Russian state corporation Rosatom; stresses that this arrangement creates long-term strategic energy dependence and raises concerns regarding energy security and geopolitical influence.

Or. en

Amendment 548

Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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23 b. *Reaffirms its call expressed in its resolution of 15 April 2015, and once again encourages Turkey to recognise the Armenian Genocide, thus paving the way for a genuine reconciliation between the Turkish and Armenian peoples; calls on Türkiye, in this regard, to refrain from any anti-Armenian propaganda and hate speech, and to fully respect its obligations to protect Armenian and other cultural heritage; warns Türkiye to refrain from fuelling bellicose behaviour from Baku as well as from participating in any potential military adventurism carried out by the Aliyev regime against Armenia; strongly encourages Türkiye to further advance on the normalization of its relations with Armenia and exert pressure on Azerbaijan to do the same;*

Or. en

Amendment 549
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 b. *Calls on Türkiye to refrain from any military action across north-east and north-west Syria, particularly in Kurdish-majority areas; calls on the Government of Türkiye to engage constructively with the Syrian authorities and contribute to ensuring that a diverse and inclusive political structure can flourish within Syria;*

Or. en

Amendment 550

Vladimir Prebilič

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 b. Regrets that Türkiye has not undertaken any steps to align with EU sanctions against Russia and is complicit in Russian sanction evasion; welcomes, at the same time, that Türkiye hosts negotiations between Ukraine and Russia, invests in reconstruction projects in Ukraine, and provides Ukraine with military support;

Or. en

Amendment 551

Jordan Bardella, Pierre-Romain Thionnet, Matthieu Valet, Silvia Sardone, Jaroslav Bžoch

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 b. Stresses that the expansion of Turkish influence in certain regions of the Union's wider neighbourhood, notably in Africa, through a combination of humanitarian, religious, economic and security instruments, may generate divergences in strategic interests with the European Union and its Member States.

Or. en

Amendment 552

Vladimir Prebilič

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 c (new)**

23 c. *Reiterates its concern about Türkiye's close cooperation with Russia on the development of large nuclear power plants, including Akkuyu Nuclear Power Plant, which is expected to become operational in 2026, and which is owned and will be operated by Russia's State Atomic Energy Corporation Rosatom; notes that a number of accidents and fire explosions have already occurred during the construction of the plant; warns that the impact of a failure in the safety systems or an earthquake poses a high risk with inevitably catastrophic consequences for the region; expresses its concern about Türkiye's growing energy dependence on Russia and highlights comments by Energy Minister Alparslan Bayraktar that Türkiye relies entirely on Russia's state-owned Rosatom for the uranium that will power its first nuclear plant; calls on the Turkish Government to stop the construction plans for the Akkuyu nuclear power plant; regrets reports of plans for the construction of more foreign-owned nuclear power-plants in Türkiye, including in Sinop along the northern Black Sea and Thrace in the northwest;*

Or. en

Amendment 553
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 c (new)

23 c. *Regrets Türkiye's continued engagement policy vis-a-vis Russia, its reliance on Russian energy supplies, that Türkiye neither aligns on EU's sanctions against Russia nor gives support to their implementation and fails to restrict the*

operations of Russian state-controlled media outlets in the context of Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine; acknowledges Türkiye's efforts to facilitate talks between Russia and Ukraine;

Or. en

Amendment 554
Davor Ivo Stier

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 c. Stresses that pragmatic cooperation with Türkiye on security and defence can be strengthened where it serves mutual strategic interests; reiterates, however, that progress towards EU membership remains strictly merit-based and conditional on full compliance with the Copenhagen criteria, in particular democracy, the rule of law and fundamental rights, and cannot be subject to transactional trade-offs;

Or. en

Amendment 555
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 c. Is deeply concerned over ongoing discussions between Türkiye and Russia regarding the establishment of a regional gas trading hub in Türkiye, which could enable Russian gas to be redirected to international markets under alternative branding; stresses that such initiatives

undermine European efforts to reduce dependence on Russian energy;

Or. en

Amendment 556
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 c. Reiterates its view that the memorandum of understanding between Türkiye and Libya on delimitation of the maritime jurisdiction areas in the Mediterranean infringes upon the sovereign rights of third States, does not comply with the Law of the Sea and cannot produce any legal consequences for third States;

Or. en

Amendment 557
Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 d. Expresses deep concern over repeated inflammatory statements by senior Turkish officials, including statements by President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan, that contribute to the spread of antisemitism and hatred, as well as threats directed against the State of Israel; stresses that such rhetoric risks further destabilising an already fragile regional environment and undermines efforts aimed at de-escalation and diplomatic engagement in the Middle East; calls on Türkiye to cease such rhetoric and to

align with international efforts to combat antisemitism and all forms of religious hatred;

Or. en

Amendment 558
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 d. Expresses its deep concern that Türkiye continues to uphold a formal threat of war against Greece (casus belli), should the latter exercise its lawful right to extend its territorial waters up to 12 nautical miles into the Aegean Sea, in accordance with Article 3 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea; calls on Türkiye to cease all threats and intimidatory actions against Greece and return to full compliance with the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS);

Or. en

Amendment 559
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 d. Welcomes, after a confrontational period, Türkiye's recent steps towards normalising relations with several countries, such as Armenia; encourages Türkiye to maintain this positive trend and open its land border with Armenia; stresses such a step is likely to have significant benefits to the normalisation

of relations, cross border people-to-people contacts as well as regional economic development;

Or. en

Amendment 560

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Galato Alexandraki, Marion Maréchal, Guillaume Peltier, Nicolas Bay

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 23 f (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 f. *Calls on the Republic of Türkiye to fully comply with the judgment of the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR) of 10 May 2001, by taking all effective measures to resolve the humanitarian problem of missing persons in Cyprus which, unfortunately, has still not been resolved 50 years after the invasion; reiterates its call on Türkiye, regarding the missing persons cluster, to provide all necessary information from its military archives, as well as unrestricted access to witnesses to the burial sites in areas under its military control;*

Or. en

Amendment 561

Arkadiusz Mularczyk

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24. *Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;*

deleted

Amendment 562
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***notes however that this indicator, based on mechanic statistics on the alignment to the statements by the HR/VP and Council decisions on sanctions, might not fully capture all levels of engagement and dialogue in the framework of foreign and security cooperation; welcomes, in this sense, the recently increased level of dialogue with the EU and the active participation and substantial contribution to EU crisis management missions and operations under the CSDP; believes that, in the current geopolitical landscape, it is important to explore the possibilities for the cooperation with Türkiye in the context of current and future EU policies in the field of security and defence, such as SAFE; urges Turkish authorities, nevertheless, to urgently address the extremely low level of alignment in CFSP and to remove other key obstacles in ensuring the necessary trust among partners and allies, such as maintaining a casus belli against one EU Member state or keeping the Russian-made S-400 air defence system;***

Amendment 563
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***calls on Türkiye to make significant steps in aligning with the EU's CFSP, including on sanctions and on respecting the sovereignty of its Member States; underscores that circumvention of EU sanctions undermines its collective efforts; reiterates that as Türkiye continues to violates the sovereign rights of EU Member States in Aegean and Eastern Mediterranean, including the right to explore and exploit natural resources in accordance with EU and international law and the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), which is part of the EU acquis, it cannot be part of any EU initiative in the areas of CFSP or defence industry cooperation, as it would go against the security and defence interests of the Union and its Member States;***

Or. en

Amendment 564
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***deplores, in this respect, Türkiye's overall destabilising***

role in many areas of concern for the EU and in its neighbourhoods (such as in the Eastern Mediterranean, Middle East and South Caucasus and its role in conflicts in Syria, Iraq and Libya), which threatens regional peace, security and stability;

Or. en

Amendment 565
Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***calls on Türkiye to make significant steps in aligning with the EU's CFSP, including on sanctions and against their circumvention; underscores that circumvention of EU sanctions undermines its collective efforts; remains duly concerned that Türkiye continues to exclude a Member State from cooperation with NATO, posing a continued obstacle to the enhancement of a genuine relationship between the EU and NATO;***

Or. en

Amendment 566
Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius, Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign

Amendment

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign

and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***expresses concern over activities linked to the Russian “shadow fleet” that undermine the enforcement of EU restrictive measures and pose risks to maritime security; urgently calls on Türkiye to intensify efforts to prevent sanctions circumvention and to align more closely with the EU sanctions framework against Russia;***

Or. en

Amendment 567
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU’s common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU’s common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***regrets, in particular, how Türkiye continues to refrain from aligning with the EU’s restrictive measures against Russia in relation to the latter’s war of aggression against Ukraine and Türkiye’s overall reluctance to support the EU Global Human Rights Sanctions regime;***

Or. en

Amendment 568
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

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Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***takes the view that this means Türkiye has, in practice, ceased its endeavours to become a member of the EU; calls on the EU to make decisions on this point and terminate Türkiye's status as a candidate country;***

Or. fi

Amendment 569
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Regrets the **low** alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment

24. Regrets the **historic low rate of** alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***reiterates that full and unwavering alignment with CFSP for any country willing to engage with the EU;***

Or. en

Amendment 570
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment

24. Regrets the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025; ***calls on Türkiye to make significant steps in aligning with the***

Amendment 571
Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24

Motion for a resolution

24. **Regrets** the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment

24. **Notes** the low alignment of Türkiye with the EU's common foreign and security policy (CFSP), which has decreased from 6 % in 2024 to a record low of 4 % in 2025;

Amendment 572
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Recognizes, as regards Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine, Türkiye's efforts in having a facilitation and potential mediation role, as underpinned by hosting several direct talks between both sides in Istanbul; acknowledges that Türkiye has traditionally maintained a position of not supporting sanctions adopted outside the UN framework; continues to regret, nevertheless, that Türkiye does not align with the EU's restrictive measures against Russia, but welcomes the measures it has taken to prevent the circumvention of sanctions via Turkish territory, such as to prevent the re-export of Common High Priority Items, delivering some results; urges Turkish authorities to increase their

efforts to detect and prevent circumvention of restrictive measures, in particular on advanced technology items used for military purposes by Russia, to prevent the “false transit” of these items to Russia via Central Asia, to extend these measures to other economically critical goods, and to address the risks linked with Russia’s ‘Shadow Fleet’ in terms of maritime and environmental safety;

Or. en

Amendment 573

Geadis Gadi, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Expresses serious concern over repeated contacts between senior Turkish officials and representatives of Hamas, an organisation designated as a terrorist organisation by the European Union; recalls that several Hamas political figures have reportedly been hosted in Türkiye and have held meetings with high-ranking Turkish authorities; stresses that such engagement risks undermining international counter-terrorism efforts and raises serious questions regarding Türkiye’s alignment with the EU’s Common Foreign and Security Policy; calls on Türkiye to refrain from providing political legitimacy, logistical support or safe haven to members of organisations listed as terrorist by the European Union.

Or. en

Amendment 574

Geadis Gadi, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Malika Sorel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. *Expresses its concern about Turkey's presence in Africa, including in the fields of warfare and strategic infrastructure; expresses concern that this engagement conflicts with EU objectives, notably regarding the implementation of UN frameworks, maritime security and regional stabilisation efforts; notes that such policies have often been described by observers as reflecting a neo-colonial approach, raising concerns about long-term dependency dynamics; calls for actions aiming to greater transparency and alignment with international law and multilateral commitments in order to prevent tensions with EU strategic interests in Africa;*

Or. en

Amendment 575

Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. *Rejects the use of Article 122 TFEU as the legal basis for the SAFE initiative, emphasizing that this provision, intended for exceptional financial assistance in the event of serious difficulties, is not appropriate for a common security and defence instrument; underlines that participation of third countries with which the Union has established a Security and Defence Partnership within the framework of SAFE must be based on unanimity among Member States and contingent upon the*

*strict fulfilment of conditions
safeguarding the security and defence
interests of the all its Member states
indiscriminately;*

Or. en

Amendment 576

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Calls on Türkiye to respect the European Court of Human Rights decision of 24 January 2008, which found Türkiye guilty of breaching Article 2 of the European Convention on Human Rights, due to its failure to locate and prosecute those responsible in the case of the murders of Tassos Isaak and Solomos Solomou, which were committed in Cyprus in 1996; calls on the Turkish authorities to enforce the international arrest warrants against the murder suspects, and hand them over to the Republic of Cyprus;

Or. en

Amendment 577

Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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24 a. Recalls its position, as expressed in previous resolutions, on the introduction of an initiative in the Council for all EU Member States to halt the licensing of arms exports to Türkiye in accordance

Amendment 578

Željana Zovko

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Expresses concern that Türkiye has not restricted the operations of Russian state-controlled media in the context of Russia’s war of aggression against Ukraine; notes the widespread presence of pro-Russian narratives and Russia-linked disinformation in the Turkish information space, particularly on Ukraine, NATO and energy security; calls on Türkiye to align with the EU’s restrictive measures and strengthen efforts to counter foreign information manipulation and disinformation;

Amendment 579

Davor Ivo Stier

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Calls on Türkiye to increase its alignment with EU CFSP positions and to step up structured cooperation with the EU to prevent and detect the circumvention of EU restrictive measures, including with regard to advanced technology items used for military purposes and activities linked to Russia’s “shadow fleet”;

Amendment 580
Mieke Andriese, Geadis Gadi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. Stresses that high-level political engagement with Hamas is incompatible with the EU's counter-terrorism policies; calls on the Commission to address Turkey's support to Hamas as well as Muslim Brotherhood associated organisations in Europe, which seek to undermine European social cohesion;

Or. en

Amendment 581
Danilo Della Valle, Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. calls on the Grand National Assembly of Türkiye to revoke the 1995 resolution threatening casus belli against Greece, recalling that the threat or use of force is prohibited under Article 2(4) of the United Nations Charter.

Or. en

Amendment 582
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24a. *Takes the view that historical responsibility and open dialogue about crimes committed in the past are key requirements for reconciliation, regional stability and genuine neighbourly relations;*

Or. fi

Amendment 583

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius, Nathalie Loiseau

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. *Notes with concern that, through the TurkStream and Blue Stream pipelines, Türkiye is Russia's major customer of natural gas, as well as a major source of oil and petroleum products;*

Or. en

**Amendment 584
Nathalie Loiseau**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 a. *Expresses deep concern about Türkiye's continued military presence and support for armed militias in Syria; urges Türkiye to respect Syria's sovereignty and territorial integrity;*

Or. en

Amendment 585

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. Condemns the continued violations and provocations by Turkish occupation forces within the United Nations buffer zone in Cyprus, including recent incidents reported on 8 November 2025, 30 December 2025 and 5 January 2026 in the areas of Deneia, Mammari and Avlona, where Turkish soldiers confronted and intimidated Greek Cypriot farmers cultivating their land; notes with concern reports that Turkish settlers cultivate land belonging to Greek Cypriot owners within the buffer zone under the protection of the Turkish military; calls on Türkiye to respect the status of the buffer zone and the mandate of the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP); urges Türkiye and the Turkish Cypriot leadership to reverse all unilateral actions and violations within and in the vicinity of the buffer zone and to refrain from any interference with civilians lawfully accessing and cultivating land within the buffer zone;

Or. en

Amendment 586

Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. Welcomes Türkiye's long-standing position in favour of a two-state solution for the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, which aligns with the EU's position, and its

active participation in the ‘Global Coalition’ for its implementation; welcomes Türkiye’s contribution to mediation efforts in the Gaza ceasefire and with regard to the Gaza peace summit of October 2025 in Sharm El-Sheikh; deeply regrets, at the same time, the Turkish authorities’ active support for the EU-listed terror group Hamas; takes notes of Türkiye’s adherence to the so-called “Board of Peace” launched by US President Trump, which has not been endorsed by the EU; calls on Türkiye to remain firmly anchored in the multilateral system, with the United Nations at its core, as the essential framework to advance a comprehensive, just and lasting solution to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict;

Or. en

Amendment 587
Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to strengthen transparency requirements regarding foreign state financing of religious institutions within Member States; urges enhanced scrutiny of third-country governmental influence, including through religious networks, consular structures or state-linked organisations and stresses that all such activities must respect Member States’ sovereignty, integration policies and public order, and must not seek to undermine the social cohesion within a Member State;

Or. en

Amendment 588
Danilo Della Valle, Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. Calls on the Turkish Government to sign and ratify the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), which has been signed and ratified by the EU and its Member States, without further delay; calls on Türkiye to respect international law and the sovereign rights of the Republic of Cyprus and Greece in their Exclusive Economic Zone; condemns violations of the airspace and territorial waters of EU Member States in the Aegean Sea;

Or. en

Amendment 589
Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. Stresses that any transfers or releases of adult Daesh fighters and suspects to third countries, including Türkiye, must remain subject to effective custody, monitoring and information-sharing arrangements, including in any cross-border transfers, to prevent escape or unmonitored movement, and that accountability must be ensured through evidence preservation and prosecution, in line with international standards and fair-trial guarantees;

Or. en

Amendment 590

Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Fernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. Supports the efforts made towards the normalisation of relations between Türkiye and Armenia; Reiterates that the recognition of the Armenian Genocide as a genuine gesture for reconciliation can further enhance this effort; calls on Türkiye to fully respect its obligations to protect Armenian cultural heritage;

Or. en

Amendment 591

Geadis Geadis, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Marion Maréchal, Ivaylo Valchev, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Galato Alexandraki, Guillaume Peltier, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. Expresses serious concern over Türkiye's continued political engagement with networks and organisations affiliated with the Muslim Brotherhood, which several EU Member States consider a source of ideological support for radical Islam and terrorism;

Or. en

Amendment 592

Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

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24 b. *Reiterates its regret that Türkiye intensified its energy ties with Russia especially in the nuclear power sector and the construction of the Akkuyu Nuclear Power Plant, which will be built, operated and owned by Russia's State Atomic Energy Corporation Rosatom; reiterates its call on the Turkish Government to halt its plans for the Akkuyu Nuclear Power Plant, which is located in a region prone to severe earthquakes, therefore posing a major threat not only to Türkiye, but also to the Mediterranean region;*

Or. en

Amendment 593

Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24b. *Calls on Türkiye again to acknowledge the genocide of Christians (Armenians, Greeks and Assyrians); recalls that the European Parliament recognised the Armenian Genocide as far back as 1987;*

Or. fi

Amendment 594

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. *Warns against Türkiye's engagement with regional actors*

associated with extremist agendas, noting that such ties could complicate EU-Türkiye relations and affect regional stability;

Or. en

Amendment 595
Željana Zovko

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 b. *Points out that Türkiye's open support to Hamas and refusal to designate it as a terrorist organization is not compatible with the EU's foreign and security policy;*

Or. en

Amendment 596
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. *Notes Türkiye's increased leverage over developments in Syria following the fall of the Assad regime, heavily engaging with the current Syrian Transitional Authorities including providing it with military training and advisory support; remains concerned about the continued presence of Turkish forces in the country and about the involvement of Turkish-backed armed groups in the latest episodes of violence in the north and north-east of Syria; calls on Türkiye to address its security concerns in full accordance with international law and ensuring that all Syrians, including*

Kurds, can enjoy security and fundamental rights, and to refrain from any interference in Syria's internal processes; condemns the attacks on the civilian population during the last episode of violence between the Syrian army and the Kurdish-led SDF, causing numerous deaths and the displacement of large numbers of civilians, as well as the lack of access to humanitarian aid; expresses its hope that the latest agreement between the Syrian transitional government and the SDF, which foresees the gradual integration of Kurdish forces and institutions into the state and the historic recognition of Kurdish cultural, linguistic and civil rights, will allow for the stability of the North East region of Syria, key for the success of an inclusive political transition in the country;

Or. en

Amendment 597

Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero

on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. Reiterates its call on the Turkish Government to halt its plans for the functioning of the Akkuyu nuclear power plant, located in a region prone to severe earthquakes as the recent devastating experience underlines, hence posing a major threat not only to Türkiye, but also to the entire Mediterranean region; requests, accordingly, that the Turkish Government join the Espoo Convention, which commits its parties to notifying and consulting each other on major projects under consideration that are likely to have a significant adverse environmental impact across boundaries; asks, to this

end, the Turkish Government to involve, or at least consult, the governments of its neighboring countries in relation to any further developments in the Akkuyu venture;

Or. en

Amendment 598

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius, Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. Notes Türkiye's increased influence on developments in Syria in the context of the post-Assad transition; notes that Türkiye's continued military presence in northern Syria carries risks of further regional destabilisation, heightened tensions and challenges to efforts towards a sustainable political settlement, as well as to the effectiveness of the continued fight against Daesh; recalls the importance of full respect for Syria's territorial integrity and sovereignty; notes the significant investment required for the reconstruction of Syria's economy and acknowledges Türkiye's interest in contributing to these efforts; expresses its support for close and constructive cooperation between the EU and Türkiye in this regard;

Or. en

Amendment 599

Geadis Geadis, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Ivaylo Valchev

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. *Is deeply concerned over Türkiye's close diplomatic, economic and energy relations with the Islamic Republic of Iran, including regular high-level contacts, sustained trade relations and the continued import of Iranian gas; stresses that this raises serious concerns regarding Türkiye's alignment with the EU's Common Foreign and Security Policy and with international efforts aimed at addressing Iran's destabilising regional activities, including its nuclear, ballistic missile and drone programmes;*

Or. en

Amendment 600

Danilo Della Valle, Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. *Recalls that the status and rights of the Muslim minority in Western Thrace are governed by the Treaty of Lausanne of 1923; stresses that the protection of minorities within EU Member States is ensured under EU law and international human rights law; calls on Türkiye to refrain from any statements or actions that could be interpreted as interference in the internal affairs of EU Member States.*

Or. en

Amendment 601

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. Condemns the unacceptable conditions and restrictions affecting enclaved Greek Cypriot students and teachers at the school in Rizokarpaso in the occupied areas of the Republic of Cyprus, including obstacles to the proper functioning and maintenance of the school since 2021; stresses that such practices undermine the fundamental right to education and the human dignity of EU citizens;

Or. en

Amendment 602

Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. Expresses concern over reported efforts by Turkish authorities, including President Erdoğan, to encourage political mobilisation of Turkish citizens and dual nationals residing in EU Member States during Turkish elections and referenda; underlines that such activities must fully respect the sovereignty, democratic order and legal frameworks of the Member States concerned;

Or. en

Amendment 603

Željana Zovko

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. Regrets the lack of Türkiye's alignment with the EU's reaction to the Iranian crackdown on protesters, including restrictive measures related to the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC); calls on Türkiye to progressively align with the EU's Common Foreign and Security Policy positions and sanctions regime;

Or. en

Amendment 604
Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 c. Encourages Türkiye to support the peace process between Armenia and Azerbaijan and to engage in the normalisation of its relations with Armenia, beginning with the opening of the border; believes that peace and normalisation in the region are beneficial to Türkiye and to Europe;

Or. en

Amendment 605
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24c. Calls on Türkiye to normalise its relations with Armenia and to use its influence to put pressure on Azerbaijan to do the same;

Or. fi

Amendment 606
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 d. Reaffirms its support to the normalisation of relations between Armenia and Türkiye in the interests of reconciliation, good neighbourly relations, regional stability and security and socio-economic development, and welcomes the progress achieved so far, including the easing of certain visa procedures, the preparations for the upcoming opening of the border for third-country nationals and holders of diplomatic passports and the resumption of Turkish Airlines direct flights; encourages Türkiye to firmly advance in this process on its own merits without making it dependant on its relations with a third country; supports the Commission's efforts in bringing forward a EU Cross-Regional Connectivity Agenda involving Türkiye, Armenia and Azerbaijan -including projects such as the Kars-Tbilisi-Baku railway line- with great potential in contributing to regional stability and economic and social development;

Or. en

Amendment 607
Loucas Furlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 d. Condemns the crimes and serious

and systematic violations of international humanitarian and human rights law committed by the armed forces of Türkiye during and following the 1974 illegal invasion and ongoing occupation of the Republic of Cyprus, including widespread acts of sexual violence perpetrated against Cypriot women and girls; stresses that such crimes have had long-lasting social, psychological and economic consequences and constitute a serious violation of human dignity and gender equality; Takes note also the findings of the report of the European Parliament's official mission and of the FEMM Committee to Cyprus on 26–28 May 2025 concerning the impact of conflict and post-conflict trauma on communities and particularly on women and girls;

Or. en

Amendment 608
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24d. Expresses its concern that, although Türkiye has taken limited and selective action, as a result of external pressure, to prevent the circumvention of sanctions, it has not adapted to the restrictive measures imposed on Russia by the EU, and continues to be a significant source of trade for Russia;

Or. fi

Amendment 609
Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 d. *expresses concern that Türkiye's continued political and military support for Azerbaijan, including during and after the conflicts in Nagorno-Karabakh and the subsequent displacement of the Armenian population of the region, has contributed to tensions in the South Caucasus;*

Or. en

Amendment 610

Željana Zovko

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 d. *Notes that Türkiye continues to play a significant role by hosting a large number of refugees and by providing military support in regions where the EU has limited operational presence; acknowledges the strategic relevance of this engagement for regional stability;*

Or. en

Amendment 611

Danilo Della Valle, Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 d. *Stresses that any deepening in EU–Türkiye relations must remain conditional on respect for international law, democratic standards, the rule of law, fundamental rights and the sovereignty of EU Member States*

Amendment 612

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius, Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 d. Welcomes the steps taken toward the normalisation of relations between Armenia and Türkiye with a view to strengthening regional stability and security, and welcomes the progress achieved thus far;

Or. en

Amendment 613

Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero
on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 d. Calls on all EU Member States, in view of Türkiye's militarized foreign policy, to stop all arms exports to Türkiye

Or. en

Amendment 614

Loucas Furlas

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 e. Condemns the unacceptable conditions and restrictions affecting enclaved Greek Cypriot students and teachers at the school in Rizokarpaso in the occupied areas of the Republic of Cyprus, including obstacles to the proper functioning and maintenance of the school since 2021; stresses that such practices undermine the fundamental right to education and the human dignity of EU citizens; takes notes the hearing of the Minister of Education of the Republic of Cyprus, held in CULT committee of the European Parliament on the situation regarding Greek-speaking schools for the enclaved in Turkish occupied Rizokarpaso in February 2024;

Or. en

Amendment 615

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 e. Notes with concern Türkiye's pursuit of alternative partnership frameworks, including the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO), its designation as a "partner country" of the BRICS bloc and its stated intention to seek full membership; underlines that such engagement reflecting a non-liberal model of global and regional governance could complicate efforts for a more comprehensive EU-Türkiye partnership;

Or. en

Amendment 616

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 e. *calls on Türkiye to fully respect the rights and security of the Armenian people, to protect Armenian cultural and religious heritage, and to take meaningful steps towards historical reconciliation, including by recognising the Armenian genocide;*

Or. en

Amendment 617

Željana Zovko

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 e. *Acknowledges that Türkiye continues to actively participate in and contribute substantially to EU crisis management missions and operations;*

Or. en

Amendment 618

Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 f. *Expresses deep concern over persistent manifestations of anti-Armenian rhetoric and Armenophobia in political discourse, media narratives and public statements in Türkiye;*

Or. en

Amendment 619

Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 g (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 g. *Regrets that Türkiye has hosted and supported individuals and media platforms linked to the Muslim Brotherhood following the organisation's designation as a terrorist organisation in Egypt in 2013 and the restrictions imposed on its activities in several countries in the region; underlines that such support, risks facilitating the transnational influence of Islamist movements and may have implications for security and social cohesion in parts of the Middle East and Europe;*

Or. en

Amendment 620

Geadis Geadis, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Ivaylo Valchev, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 24 h (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 h. *Expresses serious concern that weapons and military equipment of Turkish origin have been found among material seized from members of terrorist organisations such as Hamas and Hezbollah; stresses that such findings raise serious concerns regarding the diversion of defence equipment and the effectiveness of export controls;*

Or. en

Amendment 621

Geadis Geadis

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 i (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 i. Deplores the fact that Türkiye did not condemn the 7 October attack against Israel conducted by Hamas; recalls that Türkiye continues to support Hamas, which is designated by the EU as a terrorist organisation;

Or. en

**Amendment 622
Geadis Geadis**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 24 j (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

24 j. Strongly condemns Türkiye's continuing illegal activities within the Republic of Cyprus's Flight Information Region (FIR) and Exclusive Economic Zone and calls on Türkiye to fully respect Cyprus's sovereign rights in accordance with international law and the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea;

Or. en

**Amendment 623
Yannis Maniatis**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is

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currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

currently at a standstill because of the ***serious violations from Türkiye of the Copenhagen criteria, including the lack of democratic reforms and the non-respect of the good neighbourly relations and international law***, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest ***under strong conditionalities***;

Or. en

Amendment 624
Željana Zovko

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest; ***recalls in this regard that Türkiye bears a key responsibility in fostering stability at both regional and global levels, especially given the current geopolitical upheavals; calls on Türkiye to refrain from using its NATO membership to block cooperation between the EU and NATO***;

Or. en

Amendment 625
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest; ***reaffirms that the EU continues to be committed to pursuing the best possible relations with Türkiye, based on dialogue, respect and mutual trust, in line with international law and good neighbourly relations;***

Or. en

Amendment 626

Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. ***Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;***

Amendment

25. ***Notes that the accession process cannot continue under the present circumstances due to Türkiye's persistent backsliding on democracy, the rule of law and fundamental rights, freedoms, and the illegal occupation of part of the Republic of Cyprus; regrets the continued lack of meaningful reforms by the Turkish authorities and stresses that any further engagement with Türkiye must be conditional on tangible improvements in these areas;***

Or. en

Amendment 627

Sebastian Tynkkynen, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of *strategic* relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and *deepening* cooperation in areas of *mutual strategic* interest;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of *aggression against its EU member states neighbours, the disrespect of international law and* the lack of democratic reforms *internally*, Türkiye is a country of *geographic* relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and *principled* cooperation in areas of *common* interest;

Or. en

Amendment 628

Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; *stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;*

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance;

Or. en

Amendment 629

Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that,

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beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack *of* democratic reforms, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the *serious violations from Türkiye of the Copenhagen criteria, including the lack of democratic reforms, respect of rule of law, the recognition of and normalisation of relations with all EU Member States and the respect of international law*, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest *based on strong conditionalities, including in relation to Cyprus and in a phased proportionate and reversible manner and in line with the EUCO Conclusions of April 2024*;

Or. en

Amendment 630

Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, *beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms*, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Or. en

Amendment 631

Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, ***beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms***, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Or. en

Amendment 632
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of ***the lack of democratic reforms***, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill ***and the requirements for acceding to the EU are not met*** because of ***the considerable decline in democracy***, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Or. fi

Amendment 633
Arkadiusz Mularczyk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill ***because of the lack of democratic reforms***, Türkiye is a

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill, Türkiye is a country of strategic relevance; stresses the

country of strategic relevance; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

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Or. en

Amendment 634
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a **country of strategic relevance**; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Amendment

25. Reiterates its firm conviction that, beyond the accession process, which is currently at a standstill because of the lack of democratic reforms, Türkiye is a strategic **partner**; stresses the importance of maintaining constructive dialogue and deepening cooperation in areas of mutual strategic interest;

Or. en

Amendment 635
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25 a. Welcomes, in this view, the enhancing of EU-Türkiye relations beyond the accession process in areas of mutual interest in line with the recommendations of the Joint Communication on EU-Türkiye relations of 23 November 2023, in a phased proportionate and reversible manner; further welcomes the recent high-level dialogues on trade and economy, migration and security, climate, and science, research, technology and

innovation; calls again for the resumption of all relevant High Level Dialogues (HLD) and for the establishment of structured HLDs on sectoral cooperation if needed to address other common challenges;

Or. en

Amendment 636
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25 a. Highlights the allegations commonly referred to as “Turkeygate”, relating to possible attempts by actors linked to the Turkish authorities to exert undue influence within European political institutions; calls for thorough, transparent and independent investigations into these allegations, including potential influence networks affecting the European Parliament and other EU institutions;

Or. en

Amendment 637
Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius, Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25 a. Condemns Türkiye’s past activities that have undermined European social cohesion, security, and democratic processes, including interference in Member States’ internal affairs through diaspora communities; condemns the

targeting of Turkish nationals abroad through harassment, forced returns and substantive surveillance;

Or. en

Amendment 638

Jordan Bardella, Pierre-Romain Thionnet, Matthieu Valet, Silvia Sardone, Jaroslav Bžoch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25 a. Expresses concern about the rise of nationalist currents in Turkish political life, which fuel a growing discourse of distrust towards Europe and are likely to increase tensions in relations between the Union and Turkey.

Or. en

Amendment 639

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25 b. Calls on the Commission and the Council to assess, in light of credible evidence of violent activities and transnational intimidation campaigns, the possibility of including the organisation known as the “Grey Wolves” (Bozkurtlar), affiliated with the Turkish extremist movement, in the EU list of terrorist organisations; expresses concern over the activities of this network within several EU Member States and their links to extremist violence.

Or. en

Amendment 640
Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. *Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;*

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 641
Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;

Amendment

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts ***with respect for sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member states as enshrined under EU and international law, including the UNCLOS***, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region; ***notes, however, with regret that Türkiye continues to impede the progress of significant projects for EU connectivity, such as the Great Sea Interconnector which has been designated as a EU project of Common Interest. Also recalls, that democratic backsliding and non-alignment with the CFSP are not conducive to significant progress being***

made in that regard; reaffirms that the EU is committed to pursuing the best possible relations with Türkiye, based on dialogue, respect and mutual trust, in line with international law and good neighbourly relations;

Or. en

Amendment 642
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;

Amendment

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts *with respect for sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member states as enshrined under EU and international law, including the UNCLOS*, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region; *recalls that Türkiye continues to impede the progress of significant projects for EU connectivity, such as the Great Sea Interconnector which has been designated as a EU project of Common Interest; strongly condemns the plans by the Turkish Authorities to set up a two-way electricity link between Türkiye and the secessionist entity in occupied Cyprus and to even ask for European funding for its implementation;*

Or. en

Amendment 643
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;

Amendment

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region; ***calls on the Commission, following the successful experience with other candidate countries, to undertake the necessary arrangements in order to extend as soon as possible the programme ‘Roam Like at Home’ also to Türkiye; calls on the Commission to consider working towards the extension of the Single Euro Payments Area (SEPA) and other relevant programmes so as to enhance people-to-people contacts; welcomes the good progress in the reporting period on science and research cooperation, in particular linked to participation in Horizon Europe;***

Or. en

Amendment 644 **Andrey Kovatchev**

Motion for a resolution **Paragraph 26**

Motion for a resolution

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;

Amendment

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region; ***stresses the strategic importance of accelerating the completion of key infrastructure projects improving the connectivity between the EU and Türkiye in line with the extended Trans-European Networks;***

urges the timely development of the Black Sea Ring Highway and railroad connections; welcomes Türkiye's readiness to invest in the construction of a Black Sea Highway connecting Türkiye, Bulgaria and Romania;

Or. en

Amendment 645
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;

Amendment

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, *with respect for sovereignty and sovereign rights of EU Member states as enshrined under EU and international law, including the UNCLOS* as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 646
Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Supports *deepening* the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of *energy*, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of *good pragmatic* and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster

Amendment

26. Supports *further exploring* the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of *principled* and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster

peace and stability in the region;

peace and stability in the region; *deplores the fact that Turkey uses military aggression and threats, in order to prevent EU Projects of Common Interest (PCIs);*

Or. en

Amendment 647

Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Supports deepening the connectivity agenda *with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;*

Amendment

26. Supports deepening the *regional* connectivity agenda, *when needed*, with the *conditional engagement of Türkiye;*

Or. en

Amendment 648

Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. *Supports deepening the connectivity agenda with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts, as an example of good pragmatic and mutually beneficial cooperation with the potential to foster peace and stability in the region;*

Amendment

26. *Expresses reservations about collaboration with Türkiye in the fields of energy, transport, digital and people-to-people contacts;*

Or. fi

Amendment 649

Geadis Geadis, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. Expresses deep concern over Türkiye's expanding military, economic and security presence in Somalia, including the establishment of its largest overseas military base in Mogadishu, extensive training and financing of Somali security forces, and recent agreements granting Türkiye a significant role in maritime security and hydrocarbon exploration along Somalia's coastline; underlines that such arrangements provide Türkiye with long-term strategic leverage over key security and economic sectors of a fragile state;

Or. en

**Amendment 650
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. notes with regret that Türkiye continues to impede the progress of significant projects for EU connectivity, such as the Great Sea Interconnector which has been designated as a EU Project of Common Interest. Also recalls, that democratic backsliding and non-alignment with the CFSP are not conducive to significant progress being made in that regard;

Or. en

Amendment 651

Vladimir Prebilič

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. Supports Türkiye's participation in the EU Civil Protection Mechanism and calls on the deepening of EU-Turkey cooperation in the fields of civil protection and resilient infrastructure putting emphasis on the need to strengthen decentralised municipal capacity, civil society participation, better coordination and public communication;

Or. en

Amendment 652

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. Condemns the illegal military Turkish invasion in 1974 and the ongoing illegal occupation of over 36% of the territory of the Republic of Cyprus ever since; calls on Türkiye to withdraw its troops from Cyprus and refrain from unilateral actions threatening Cyprus' sovereignty or altering the island's demographic balance;

Or. en

Amendment 653

Tomasz Froelich

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 a. Notes the increase of investments by Türkiye in the development of the Middle Corridor;

Or. en

Amendment 654

Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 b. Notes with concern Türkiye's expanding political, economic and military presence across parts of Africa, including Somalia and the Sahel region; underlines that this growing engagement increasingly intersects with the strategic interests of EU Member States, particularly France, and risks contributing to geopolitical competition and instability in regions where European partners have longstanding security and development commitments;

Or. en

Amendment 655

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 b. Condemns Türkiye's efforts to upgrade the status of the secessionist entity in occupied Cyprus and calls on all states to respect the sovereignty and territorial integrity of the Republic of Cyprus and not recognise or assist the

illegal entity;

Or. en

Amendment 656
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 b. reaffirms that the EU is committed to pursuing the best possible relations with Türkiye, based on dialogue, respect and mutual trust, in line with international law and good neighbourly relations;

Or. en

Amendment 657
Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26 b. Stresses the need to strengthen the EU-Türkiye partnership by prioritizing the modernization and enhancement of the current Association Agreement;

Or. en

Amendment 658
Silvia Sardone, Susanna Ceccardi, Jaroslav Bžoch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

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Or. en

Amendment 659
Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

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Or. en

Amendment 660
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is

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needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; ***is aware of the importance that large sectors of the EU and Turkish economies attach to the updating of this instrument that has been in force for more than 30 years; stands ready to support an upgraded customs union with a broader, mutually beneficial scope, which could encompass a wide range of areas of common interest, including digital and green transition, public procurement, sustainable development commitments, contributing to the economic security of both the EU and Türkiye;*** underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations, ***including Türkiye's full implementation of the Additional Protocol on extending the Ankara Agreement to all Member States without exception and in a non-discriminatory fashion; welcomes positive steps, including the decrease in trade barriers, observed in the last period following also the holding of the high-level dialogue on trade;***

Or. en

Amendment 661

Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Loucas Fourlas, Michalis Hadjipantela, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay, Malika Sorel, Volker Schnurrbusch

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. ***Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at***

Amendment

27. ***Underlines that any discussions concerning the EU–Turkey trade relations, must be strictly conditional upon full respect for fair competition rules, transparency and the absence of***

the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality *related to* human rights and fundamental freedoms, *respect for* international law and good neighbourly relations;

distortive state aid, for instance concerning the Turkish airlines, or dumping practices, for instance concerning fishery exports, cold-rolled flat steel, ceramic tiles, textiles, glass fibre fabrics; condemns persistent practices that risk undermining World Trade Organization (WTO) rules and the level playing field; stresses that Parliament's position concerning trade relations with Turkey must be based on strong and measurable conditionality, including respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, *compliance with* international law and good neighbourly relations, *by first and foremost withdrawing its illegal troops from the Republic of Cyprus; considers that the EU should diversify its trade partners, in order to avoid dependence on Turkey in any sector;*

Or. en

Amendment 662
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union *is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape*; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union *could be envisaged provided that Türkiye fully and effectively implements the Additional Protocol in relation to all Member States including the Republic of Cyprus without reserve and in a non-discriminatory manner, which is a prerequisite for the opening of the negotiations for the upgrading*; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations; *regrets that the current customs*

union will not achieve its full potential until Türkiye fully and effectively implements the Additional Protocol in relation to all Member States in a non-discriminatory manner;

Or. en

Amendment 663
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality ***and automated sanctions*** related to human rights and fundamental freedoms ***violations***, respect for international law, ***including UNCLOS*** and good neighbourly relations; ***recalls that a precondition for the negotiations to start are the improvement of human rights situation inside the country, the abandonment of its provocative and revisionist foreign policy and the full, unconditional implementation of Ankara Protocol towards all Member States, without exceptions and in a non-discriminatory fashion, including towards the Republic of Cyprus;***

Or. en

Amendment 664
Danilo Della Valle, Maria Zacharia

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that *while the* modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, *this cannot proceed when Türkiye has not fully and effectively implemented the existing Customs Union towards all member states in a non-discriminatory manner*; particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality *and measurable progress* related *to democracy, the rule of law*, to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Or. en

Amendment 665
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations; *including Türkiye's full implementation of the Additional Protocol on extending the Ankara Agreement to all Member States without exception and in a non-discriminatory fashion*;

Or. en

Amendment 666
Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations, ***including Türkiye's full implementation of the Additional Protocol on extending the Ankara Agreement to all Member States without exception and in a non-discriminatory fashion***;

Or. en

Amendment 667
Andrey Kovatchev

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; ***underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation*** would need to be based on ***strong*** conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; ***stresses that additionally to the geopolitical aspect, an updated framework would unlock substantial economic and strategic benefits for both partners, strengthening trade, investment and supply chain resilience, while recalling that Parliament's consent at the end of the process would need to be based on***

conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Or. en

Amendment 668
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations ***and include measures to support the green transition and help SME adjustment*** ;

Or. en

Amendment 669
Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong

conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law, *adherence to the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP)*, and good neighbourly relations;

Or. en

Amendment 670
Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that *full implementation and* modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be *mutually beneficial*, based on strong conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Or. en

Amendment 671
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be based on *strong*

Amendment

27. Reiterates its view that modernisation of the EU customs union is needed, particularly given the current geopolitical landscape; underlines, *however*, the fact that for Parliament to give its consent at the end of the process, such a modernisation would need to be

conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

based on conditionality related to human rights and fundamental freedoms, respect for international law and good neighbourly relations;

Or. en

Amendment 672
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. Underlines the relevance for EU-Türkiye trade of upcoming initiatives from the Commission such as the Industrial Accelerator Act and the “Made in Europe” approach, with possible strong requirements that could eventually require an overhaul of EU procurement rules and severely affect the already outdated customs union between the EU and Türkiye; welcomes the fact that the Commission’s proposal for the Industrial Accelerator Act already provides that content from partners with which the Union has concluded an agreement establishing a free trade area or a customs union -such as Türkiye- shall be deemed to be of Union origin; supports this approach and calls for any other relevant legislation to be proposed in the same vein in the future to keep taking into account the importance of further integrating the markets and economies of the candidate countries, particularly those having a customs union with the EU;

Or. en

Amendment 673
Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Marion Maréchal, Malika Sorel, Volker Schnurrbusch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. *Expresses concern about persistent allegations of distortive state support granted by the Turkish authorities to strategic sectors, including aviation, as well as instances of dumping practices affecting EU undertakings; stresses that such practices undermine fair competition and reciprocity in EU–Turkey economic relations; calls on the Commission to closely monitor these developments and, where appropriate, to make full use of the Union’s trade defence instruments, including anti-dumping and anti-subsidy measures, as well as Regulation (EU) 2022/2560 on foreign subsidies, in order to safeguard the integrity of the internal market and ensure a level playing field.*

Or. en

Amendment 674

Lucia Yar, Hilde Vautmans, Dan Barna, Petras Auštrevičius, Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. *Calls on Türkiye to refrain from any military action in Syria, or support to armed groups operating there, that risks undermining the protection of civilians, including Kurdish civilians and other minorities, as well as ceasefire arrangements and prospects for an inclusive and sustainable political settlement; stresses that any security arrangements and stabilisation measures supported by Türkiye must comply with international law, including international humanitarian law and human rights law, and must not result in forced displacement or demographic*

engineering;

Or. en

Amendment 675

Cristian Terheş

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. Reiterates the strategic importance of the EU–Türkiye Customs Union and underlines the mutual economic benefits derived from it; stresses the need to modernise and update the EU–Türkiye Customs Union in order to reflect current economic realities and unlock its full potential for both sides; calls on the Commission to pursue the necessary steps to enable negotiations on its modernisation;

Or. en

Amendment 676

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. Calls on Türkiye to respect the status of the buffer zone and the mandate of UNFICYP; urges Türkiye and the Turkish Cypriot leadership to reverse and refrain from unilateral actions and provocations; recalls the status of Varosha; calls for respect of all relevant UN Security Council Resolutions and for withdrawal from Strovilia and implementation of the 2023 UN Understanding on Pyla;

Amendment 677
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27a. Reaffirms its support for a systematic review of the current trade framework, with the aim of gradually reducing Member States' dependence on Türkiye in view of Türkiye's sustained and reprehensible stance on human rights and fundamental freedoms, international law and good neighbourly relations;

Or. fi

Amendment 678
Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. Urges Türkiye to continue cooperating in good faith with Greece in the field of migration, ensuring a clear signal is sent to human smugglers to deter further illegal flows;

Or. en

Amendment 679
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. Recalls that Türkiye continues to target the EU with foreign information manipulation and interference and systematically engages in patterns of transnational repression;

Or. en

Amendment 680

Silvia Sardone, Susanna Ceccardi, Jaroslav Bžoch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. Stresses that it seems unrealistic to envisage any modernisation of the Customs Union;

Or. en

Amendment 681

Lucia Yar, Hilde Vautmans, Dan Barna, Petras Auštrevičius, Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 b. Stresses that any transfer to Türkiye, or via Türkiye, of adult Daesh fighters or suspects originating from detention facilities in Syria must remain subject to effective custody, monitoring and information-sharing arrangements, including in any cross-border transfers, in order to prevent escape or unmonitored movement; stresses that accountability must be ensured through evidence preservation and prosecution, in line with international standards and fair-trial guarantees; warns that transfers or repatriations without effective safeguards, judicial follow-up and transparent coordination with relevant international

partners would constitute a security risk for Syria, the wider region and Europe;

Or. en

Amendment 682

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 b. Condemns the ongoing efforts by Türkiye to “open” and settle Varosha by people other than its inhabitants in violation on UN Security Council Resolutions; calls on Türkiye for the immediate reversal of its illegal actions, transfer the area of Varosha to its lawful inhabitants under the temporary administration of the UN as called for by UN Security Council resolutions 550(1984) and 789(1992); strongly condemns the efforts to turn Varosha into a dark- tourism attraction which sensationalizes tragedy insulting the dignity and rights of the lawful inhabitants; calls on Türkiye to withdraw from Strovilia and facilitate the full implementation of the Pyla Understanding;

Or. en

Amendment 683

Vangelis Meimarakis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 b. Expects Türkiye to fully implement the actions agreed upon on the basis of

the EU- Türkiye Readmission Agreement (of 2013), as well as of the EU-Turkey Statement (of 2016);

Or. en

Amendment 684
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

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Or. fi

Amendment 685
Marion Maréchal

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

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Or. fr

Amendment 686
Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 687
Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 688
Silvia Sardone, Susanna Ceccardi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish

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Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

Or. en

Amendment 689

Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 690

Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework *introduced on 15 July 2025, while recognizes with regret the significant problems that Turkish citizens continue to face with regard to visa requests, owing to a marked increase in demand and fears of abuse of the system; calls on the EU Member States to further increase the resources allocated to this matter; notes with deep regret that no progress has been made by Türkiye towards meeting the required benchmarks*

for visa liberalisation in the last year; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue, and equally calls on the Council to do its share following such steps; strongly supports in the meantime urgent measures on visa facilitation, particularly with regard to business activities and Erasmus students;

Or. en

Amendment 691

Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to **address** the remaining **obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;**

Amendment

28. Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to **fully and effectively fulfil all the outstanding benchmarks in a non-discriminatory manner towards all Member States while aligning with EU visa policy; deeply regrets the constant attempts by Turkish authorities to blame the EU for not advancing on this dossier, while not taking any necessary steps to comply with** the remaining **benchmarks;**

Or. en

Amendment 692

Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. **Welcomes recent progress in**

Amendment

28. **Recalls that** the Turkish

facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

Government *has still not addressed* the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

Or. en

Amendment 693

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. *Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;*

Amendment

28. Calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue; *notes the recent steps taken within the visa cascade framework;*

Or. en

Amendment 694

Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. *Welcomes* recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

Amendment

28. *Notes* recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;

Or. en

Amendment 695

Jordan Bardella, Pierre-Romain Thionnet, Matthieu Valet, Silvia Sardone

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. *Welcomes recent progress in facilitating mobility for Turkish citizens towards the EU through the visa cascade framework; calls on the Turkish Government to address the remaining obstacles preventing the reopening of the visa liberalisation dialogue;*

Amendment

28. *Rejects any prospect of liberalisation of the visa cascade framework and considers that such a development would be premature and contrary to the security interests and migration management objectives of the Union and its Member States.*

Or. en

Amendment 696

Cristian Terheş

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 a. *Welcomes the visit of Pope Leo XIV to Türkiye and acknowledges this moment as an important step in strengthening dialogue and mutual understanding between the Holy See and Türkiye, as well as between Christian and Muslim communities more broadly; emphasizes that such high-level visits contribute to fostering interreligious dialogue, promoting tolerance, and reinforcing diplomatic and cultural ties; notes that this engagement can further support constructive relations with Türkiye, encouraging cooperation on issues of regional stability, cultural heritage protection, and the promotion of freedom of religion and belief, while also creating opportunities for renewed dialogue between European institutions and Türkiye on shared values and common challenges;*

Amendment 697

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 a. Urges Türkiye once again to acknowledge the Christian (Armenian, Greek and Assyrian) genocide in order to pave the way for genuine reconciliation of Türkiye with its past, its people and its neighbours and to fully respect its obligations to protect the Armenian, Greek and Assyrian cultural heritage; notes that the lack of pressure to Türkiye to recognise the historical truth of the Christian genocide has resulted in the continuation of various crimes against humanity by Türkiye, like national cleansing and religious persecution internally and externally;

Or. en

Amendment 698

Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 a. Expresses its concern about the EU's consideration of Türkiye as a "safe country of origin", which fundamentally contradicts the assessments made in the annual progress report prepared by the Commission as well as the European Parliament's reports on Türkiye, which confirm the risk of persecution and lack of the respect for human rights of citizens

in Türkiye;

Or. en

Amendment 699
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 a. Welcomes the reengagement of the EIB in Türkiye and the Turkey Investment Platform (TIP) under the European Fund for Sustainable Development (EFSD+) which enables stronger investment support through guarantee programmes in the three overarching policy priorities, namely the Green Deal, Global Gateway as well as jobs and growth;

Or. en

Amendment 700
Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 a. Highlights the necessity to ensure that no Union programmes benefit entities in Türkiye that are not respecting fundamental Union values, and apply conditionality rigorously, including through suspension of or programmes with Turkish partners undermining fundamental Union values;

Or. en

Amendment 701
Silvia Sardone, Susanna Ceccardi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 a. Call for the suspension of visa liberalisation;

Or. en

Amendment 702
Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 b. Takes note of the significant work of the Committee on Missing Persons in Cyprus (CMP) and calls on Türkiye to give the CMP unrestricted access to all areas, as well as to all information necessary for its work, including information from, access to its military archives and information on the relocation of remains ; calls on Türkiye to account for the fate of those persons still missing; further calls for the continuation and the increase of the CMP EU funding also in light of the new MFF; remains deeply concerned about the education and religious restrictions and impediments faced by the enclaved Greek Cypriots and Maronites in the occupied areas; calls on Türkiye to fully implement the ECtHR judgements with respect to Cyprus and to respect the rights guaranteed by the European Convention of Human Rights with regard to respecting the freedom of religion and the freedom of opinion and expression, and the right to access and enjoy cultural heritage, and to stop the deliberate destruction of cultural and

religious heritage; condemns the repeated attempts by Türkiye to intimidate and silence Turkish Cypriot journalists, trade unionists, human rights defenders and progressive citizens in the Turkish Cypriot community, thus violating their right to freedom of opinion and expression; calls on Türkiye to halt its proclaimed aggressive policy of the sale and exploitation of Greek Cypriot properties, a policy designed to create irreversible effects on the ground; strongly condemns the unlawful and politically motivated detention of Greek Cypriots by the Turkish military, including recent abductions in the buffer zone;

Or. en

Amendment 703
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 b. Supports the decision taken by the EU component of the EU-Türkiye Joint Parliamentary Committee (JPC) to postpone its 82nd meeting scheduled to take place on 14-15 April 2025 in Ankara, in the aftermath of the detention and arrest of Istanbul Mayor Ekrem İmamoğlu and others; retains the view that parliamentary dialogue remains a crucial part of EU-Türkiye relations and expresses the hope that the work of the JPC will resume soon when conditions allow; regrets the Turkish authorities' decision not to invite the European Parliament, unlike the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe and the Parliamentary Assembly of the OSCE, to observe the last presidential and parliamentary elections in May 2023 due to allegations of unfair treatment; expresses its hope that this decision will

be revised favourably in any upcoming election in the country;

Or. en

Amendment 704
Cristian Terheş

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 b. Underlines the importance of Türkiye for the development and functioning of transcontinental connectivity initiatives, including the Trans-Caspian International Transport Route (Middle Corridor), which provides an increasingly important alternative trade route between Europe and Asia, as well as the emerging Development Road project connecting the Gulf region to Europe through Türkiye; highlights that Türkiye's position in these initiatives contributes significantly to strengthening EU connectivity, supply chain resilience and economic cooperation with Central Asia, the South Caucasus and the Middle East, and stresses that enhanced cooperation with Türkiye in the field of transport infrastructure and logistics can play an important role in advancing the EU's broader connectivity and strategic autonomy objectives;

Or. en

Amendment 705
Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 c (new)

28 c. *Regrets Türkiye's continuing refusal to comply with international civil aviation law and establish a channel of communication between air traffic control centres in Türkiye and the Republic of Cyprus, the absence of which entails real safety risks and dangers as identified by the European Union Aviation Safety Agency and the International Federation of Air Line Pilots' Associations; regrets that Türkiye has continued its attempts to impede the implementation of the Great Sea Interconnector, an EU project of common interest, and has persisted in its plans for an illegal electricity interconnector with the occupied area of Cyprus;*

Or. en

**Amendment 706
Cristian Terheş**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 c (new)**

28 c. *Highlights the importance of advancing the visa liberalisation dialogue with Türkiye in order to strengthen people-to-people contacts, academic exchanges, tourism and economic cooperation; notes that in 2024 Turkish citizens submitted more than 1.17 million Schengen visa applications, demonstrating the strong demand for mobility between Türkiye and the EU*^{1a};

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<https://balkaninsight.com/2025/07/18/turkey-welcomes-eu-decision-to-relax-visa-rules/>

Or. en

Amendment 707

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 d. Regrets that for more than 20 years Türkiye has refused to implement the obligations assumed towards the EU, including those in relation to Cyprus, as per the Negotiating Framework of October 2005; stresses that recognition of all Member States is a necessary component of the accession process; reiterates its call on Türkiye to fulfil its obligation of full, non-discriminatory implementation of the Additional Protocol to the Ankara Agreement in relation to all Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus

Or. en

Amendment 708

Cristian Terheş

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 d. Welcomes the ongoing diplomatic efforts aimed at fostering dialogue, regional stability and economic cooperation in the South Caucasus; encourages the continued normalization of relations between Türkiye and Armenia, including progress towards the reopening of their shared border; underlines the positive role that such steps could play in strengthening connectivity, people-to-people contacts and regional development;

Amendment 709

Cristian Terheş

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28 h (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 h. Stresses the strategic importance of Türkiye as a key NATO ally possessing the Alliance's second-largest armed forces, and highlights its significant role in contributing to Euro-Atlantic security; underlines Türkiye's particular relevance for stability and security in the Black Sea region, given its geographic position and its role in safeguarding critical maritime routes and regional security dynamics; emphasizes that enhanced cooperation with Türkiye is important for the European Union in addressing shared security challenges, strengthening regional stability, and promoting coordinated efforts in the Black Sea area and neighbouring regions;

Or. en

Amendment 710

Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 a. Urges Türkiye to continue cooperating in good faith with EU Member States in the field of migration, ensuring a clear signal is sent to human smugglers to deter further illegal flows;

Or. en

Amendment 711
Emmanouil Kefalogiannis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 b. Expects Türkiye to fully implement the actions agreed upon on the basis of the EU Türkiye Readmission Agreement (of 2013), as well as of the EU - Türkiye Statement (of 2016);

Or. en

Amendment 712
Cristian Terheş

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28 e. Calls on Türkiye to actively support the Ecumenical Patriarchate and the mission of Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew, recognizing the important role the Patriarchate plays in promoting interreligious dialogue, cultural heritage, and peaceful coexistence; encourages constructive engagement with the Patriarchate to further strengthen religious freedom, mutual respect, and Türkiye's longstanding tradition as a place of diverse faiths and cultures; underlines with concern the disinformation and malign propaganda campaigns targeting Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew and the Ecumenical Patriarchate, particularly from pro-Kremlin sources, aimed at undermining the role in promoting interreligious dialogue and regional stability;

Amendment 713
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite ***the democratic and pro-European aspirations of a large part of Turkish society***; ***takes note of*** recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement ***and the reopening of accession talks***; ***expresses appreciation for this innovative and bold approach***; ***remains, however, sceptical about supporting it unless there is a clear signal from the Turkish Government of its willingness to recommit to the EU path through concrete and credible actions***;

Or. en

Amendment 714
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country, ***to recognise and normalise its relations with all EU***

be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Member States, to abandon its expansionist policy and respect international law, and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Or. en

Amendment 715
Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the *Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;*

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the *huge transfers of pre-accession aid have failed to bring Türkiye and the EU closer to each other; notes that each side is pleased with the current status quo, which, however, is not in the interest of taxpayers; considers that Türkiye should not become member of the EU and that pre-accession assistance and the EU accession negotiations should be officially ended, in the interest of both the EU and Türkiye; emphasises that Türkiye is and should remain an important strategic partner of the EU and invites the European Council to request the European Commission to develop a strategic partnership between the EU and Türkiye;*

Or. en

Amendment 716
Giorgos Georgiou, Konstantinos Arvanitis, Pernando Barrena Arza, Özlem Demirel, Irene Montero
on behalf of The Left Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement; ***Notes however, that the EU is committed to and ready towards the direction of the accession provided the Turkish Government takes these necessary steps***

Or. en

Amendment 717 **Mieke Andriese**

Motion for a resolution **Paragraph 29**

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement; ***supports a shift from an accession framework cooperation with Turkey to a clearly defined non-accession third country to avoid ambiguity;***

Or. en

Amendment 718

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement; ***recognises that advancement of EU-Türkiye relations require political will translated into real action at the highest political level;***

Or. en

Amendment 719
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances ***and should be officially terminated,*** despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Or. fi

Amendment 720

Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, **despite** recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, **while recognizing the** recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Or. en

Amendment 721

Geadis Gead, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29

Motion for a resolution

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Amendment

29. Reiterates its view that the Turkish Government has neglected to take the necessary steps to address the existing fundamental democratic shortcomings within the country and therefore maintains that Türkiye's EU accession process cannot be resumed in the current circumstances, despite recent calls by relevant **imprisoned** Turkish opposition figures advocating renewed engagement;

Or. en

Amendment 722
Vladimir Prebilič

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29 a. *Reiterates the importance of accessible people to people exchange for EU-Türkiye relations, notably for the promotion of democracy, the rule of law and human rights; regrets in this regard that EU-Turkish people to people exchange is severely hampered by high rejection rates and long delays for appointments for Turkish citizens to apply for visa, making it increasingly difficult if not impossible for young people, students, and journalists from Türkiye to visit the EU; takes note of the new rules for Turkish citizens applying for Schengen visas, which are meant to provide more favourable visa rules for Turkish citizens applying for Schengen visas and calls on Member States to significantly improve the Schengen visa application process for Turkish citizens:*

Or. en

Amendment 723

Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29 a. *Recalls that, as in the case of any other candidate, the accession process is contingent on full compliance with the Copenhagen criteria and on the normalisation of relations with all EU Member States; considers, in this regard, that when advancing their declared EU aspirations, the Turkish authorities should place less emphasis on the country's capabilities in security and defence and instead address the grave democratic situation prevailing in the country, as symbolised by places such as*

Amendment 724
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29a. Considers it unacceptable that Türkiye continues to be a beneficiary of IPA III funding; calls for Türkiye to be removed from the list of candidate countries and for the pre-accession assistance granted to the country to be discontinued; points out, for example, that between 2021 and 2023 the EU allocated over EUR 751 million to Türkiye via the IPA III;

Or. fi

Amendment 725
Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29 a. Reiterates that recognition of all EU Member States is a necessary component of any agreement between the EU and Türkiye; stresses that Türkiye's constructive engagement, including in relation to the Cyprus problem, remains key to advancing closer cooperation between the EU and Türkiye;

Or. en

Amendment 726

Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29 a. Believes that, under no circumstances, can Turkish companies participate in joint European Defence Initiatives;

Or. en

Amendment 727

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29 b. Remains deeply concerned about the conditions of the enclaved Greek Cypriots in the occupied territories of Cyprus due to the severe restrictions and pressure imposed by Türkiye hindering their freedom of religion, education, opinion, expression, access to cultural heritage and medical care;

Or. en

Amendment 728

Mieke Andriese, Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond

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the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership;

Or. en

Amendment 729
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership;

Amendment

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership; *insists on the need to begin a process of reflection on how this new constructive and progressive framework for EU-Türkiye relations can encompass the interests of all parties involved;*

Or. en

Amendment 730
Yannis Maniatis, Costas Mavrides

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government *and* the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and

Amendment

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government *to engage constructively with* the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the

European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, *towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership*;

relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality *and such progress must be based on matched and tangible progress as regards CFSP alignment, democracy, the rule of law and respect for fundamental values, good neighbourly relations and respect of international law; reiterates that recognition of all EU Member States is a necessary component of any agreement between the EU and Türkiye; stresses that Türkiye's own constructive engagement across the cross the board of EU-Türkiye relations, including in relation to the Cyprus settlement talks within the UN-agreed framework, remains indispensable in advancing closer cooperation between the EU and Türkiye*;

Or. en

Amendment 731
Geadis Geadis

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership;

Amendment

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership; *points out that that progress in EU-Türkiye relations depends on full respect for the sovereign rights of all Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus*;

Or. en

Amendment 732

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership;

Amendment

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established ***clear and consistent*** conditionality ***grounded in respect for democratic principles, the rule of law and fundamental rights***, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership

Or. en

Amendment 733

Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. ***Continues to urge*** the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States ***to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality***, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership;

Amendment

30. ***Urges*** the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States ***to instigate measures by which Türkiye shifts from the accession process towards conventional cooperation***;

Or. fi

Amendment 734

Andrey Kovatchev

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership;

Amendment

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership, ***including on a modernisation of the EU-Türkiye Customs Union;***

Or. en

Amendment 735

Jordan Bardella, Pierre-Romain Thionnet, Matthieu Valet, Silvia Sardone

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a ***closer, more dynamic and strategic*** partnership;

Amendment

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a partnership ***distinct from any accession perspective, based on clearly identified common strategic interests;***

Or. en

Amendment 736

Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Sebastian Tynkynen, Malika Sorel, Volker Schnurrbusch

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, ***towards a closer, more dynamic and strategic partnership***;

Amendment

30. Continues to urge the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to keep working, beyond the currently frozen accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, ***to push Turkey to act in full respect of the principles of the United Nations Charter***;

Or. en

Amendment 737

Nathalie Loiseau

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. ***Continues to urge*** the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to ***keep working***, beyond the ***currently frozen*** accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer, ***more dynamic*** and strategic partnership;

Amendment

30. ***Encourages*** the Turkish Government and the EU institutions and Member States to ***enter into a new dynamic*** beyond the ***unrealistic*** accession process, on the basis of the relevant Council and European Council conclusions and the established conditionality, towards a closer and strategic partnership;

Or. en

Amendment 738

Cristian Terheş

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

30 a. Acknowledges the support provided by Türkiye to Ukraine following Russia's full-scale invasion in 2022, including military, diplomatic and

Amendment

humanitarian assistance; notes in particular the provision of defence equipment, such as Bayraktar TB2 unmanned aerial systems, armoured vehicles and support for naval capabilities, which have contributed to Ukraine's defence efforts;. recognizes Türkiye's important diplomatic engagement, including efforts aimed at facilitating dialogue and maintaining channels of communication in the region;

Or. en

Amendment 739

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30 a. Regrets that Türkiye has refused to implement the obligations assumed towards the EU, including those in relation to Cyprus, as per the Negotiating Framework of October 2005; stresses that recognition of all Member States is a necessary component of the accession process; reiterates its call on Türkiye to fulfil its obligation of full, non-discriminatory implementation of the Additional Protocol to the Ankara Agreement in relation to all Member States, including the Republic of Cyprus;

Or. en

Amendment 740

Tomasz Froelich

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30 a. Remains concerned by the Turkish Government's use of the Turkish diaspora as an instrument for meddling in EU Member States' domestic affairs; notes, in this regard, that most of the imams of the German-Turkish Islamic association DITIB are sent directly from Türkiye, are subordinate to the Turkish religious authority Diyanet and follow its instructions; condemns previous threats of legal challenges by DITIB against German newspapers to silence criticism of certain practices within DITIB;

Or. en

Amendment 741

Malik Azmani, Dan Barna, Hilde Vautmans, Lucia Yar, Petras Auštrevičius

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30 a. Stresses that, despite ongoing challenges, the EU and Türkiye must work closely together on shared foreign and security priorities, including implementing sanctions against Russia and supporting Ukraine; underlines, therefore, that closer alignment with EU foreign and security policies requires political will and concrete action which are essential to improving EU–Türkiye relations;

Or. en

Amendment 742

Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30 a. *Is of the opinion, nevertheless, that a continued backsliding in democracy and rule of law in the coming future will only make the country drift further away from the EU, eroding the trust that is also needed for the real enhancement of our cooperation and partnership in areas of mutual interest, such as trade, energy or security;*

Or. en

Amendment 743
Christophe Gomart

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30a. *Considers that, in view of the continuing deterioration of the rule of law, increasing non-alignment with EU foreign policy and regional tensions involving Member States, the prospect of Türkiye's accession to the EU cannot be envisaged;*

Or. fr

Amendment 744
Jordan Bardella, Pierre-Romain Thionnet, Matthieu Valet, Silvia Sardone, Jaroslav Břoch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30 a. *Rejects any participation of Turkey in European Union financial instruments aimed at strengthening defence and security capabilities, including the SAFE programme;*

Amendment 745

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30 b. Calls on Türkiye to halt the usurpation of Greek Cypriot properties in the occupied territories of Cyprus, a policy designed to create irreversible effects on the ground and which completely disregards the rules of the ECHR and the respective judgements of the ECtHR;

Or. en

Amendment 746

Christophe Gomart

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

30b. Calls for a structured strategic partnership framework between the EU and Türkiye to be set out, separate from the accession process;

Or. fr

Amendment 747

Arkadiusz Mularczyk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

31. Urges *all the other EU institutions and the Member States to be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding in Türkiye;*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 748
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

31. Urges all the other EU institutions and the Member States to be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding in Türkiye;

Amendment

31. ***Believes that it is in the interest of the EU to reassess in which ways Türkiye can remain anchored to the EU not only in standards but also in values and principles, and to design political initiatives according to that goal;*** urges all the other EU institutions and the Member States to be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding in Türkiye ***as this is not incompatible with pursuing the best possible relations between the EU and the country; calls on the Commission and the EEAS to ensure that the agendas of high-level officials visiting the country include a plural representation of political and civil society stakeholders to obtain a more complete vision on the country;***

Or. en

Amendment 749
Tomasz Froelich

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

31. Urges ***all the other*** EU institutions and ***the*** Member States to ***be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding in***

Amendment

31. Urges ***the*** EU institutions and Member States to ***respect Türkiye's national identity, its internal political***

Türkiye;

process and the decisions and choices that Türkiye makes in the field of foreign policy and energy;

Or. en

Amendment 750

Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

31. Urges all the other EU institutions and the Member States to be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding in Türkiye;

Amendment

31. Urges all the other EU institutions and the Member States, *and the European Council*, to be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding *and lack of respect for human rights* in Türkiye;

Or. fi

Amendment 751

Geadis Geadis, Galato Alexandraki, Emmanouil Fragkos, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Marion Maréchal, Nicolas Bay

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

31. Urges all the other EU institutions and the Member States to be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding in Türkiye;

Amendment

31. Urges all the other EU institutions and the Member States to be vocal in addressing the *the persistent and long-standing* democratic backsliding in Türkiye;

Or. en

Amendment 752

Isabel Wiseler-Lima

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

31. Urges all the **other** EU institutions and the Member States to be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding in Türkiye;

Amendment

31. Urges all the EU institutions and the Member States to be vocal in addressing the democratic backsliding in Türkiye;

Or. en

Amendment 753
Marion Maréchal

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 31 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

31a. Denounces in the strongest possible terms all the influence operations in several Member States carried out by President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan's AKP party and often concentrated at municipal level, through the funding of mosques, religious institutions, language centres, the Millî Görüş Islamic Confederation, or even festivals presented as cultural events, such as the Festiexpo tour;

Or. fr

Amendment 754
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Reiterates its utmost commitment to sustaining its support for Türkiye's independent civil society;

Amendment

32. Reiterates its utmost commitment to sustaining its support for Türkiye's independent civil society; ***calls on the Commission to uphold and increase its political and financial support to the vibrant and pro-democratic civil society in Türkiye, whose efforts can contribute to***

generating the political will necessary for deepening EU-Türkiye relations; is of the opinion that while incentives-based and transactional approaches work in many areas of the EU-Türkiye cooperation, they have failed to advance the democratization of the country; highlights, in this view, that the resumption of the accession process depends mainly on the unwavering political will of Türkiye's authorities and society to become a full-fledged democracy, which cannot be forced upon it by the EU;

Or. en

Amendment 755
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Reiterates its utmost commitment to sustaining its support for Türkiye's independent civil society;

Amendment

32. Reiterates its utmost commitment to sustaining its support for Türkiye's independent civil society; ***supports projects aiming to reinforce the foundations of democracy in Türkiye; stresses, however, that the EU's programmes cannot be harnessed for propaganda purposes by Türkiye's authoritarian government;***

Or. fi

Amendment 756
Silvia Sardone, Susanna Ceccardi, Jaroslav Bžoch

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32

Motion for a resolution

32. Reiterates its ***utmost*** commitment

Amendment

32. Reiterates its commitment to

to sustaining its support for Türkiye's independent civil society;

sustaining its support for Türkiye's independent civil society;

Or. en

Amendment 757
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32 a. Reiterates its call to strengthen and deepen mutual knowledge and understanding between our societies, promoting cultural growth, socio-cultural exchanges and combating all manifestations of social, religious, ethnic or cultural prejudice; encourages Türkiye and the EU to promote shared values, particularly by supporting young people;

Or. en

Amendment 758
Geadis Geadis, Sebastian Tynkkynen, Nora Junco García, Diego Solier, Ivaylo Valchev, Emmanouil Fragkos, Galato Alexandraki

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32 a. Reiterates its call on Turkey, a Nato member state and an EU candidate country, to abide by international law, recognise the Republic of Cyprus, and immediately end the occupation and withdraw its troops from the island, applying the explicit reference in the White Paper on European Defence;

Or. en

Amendment 759
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 32 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

32a. Considers that the EU institutions and all relevant authorities should thoroughly investigate the formal and informal activities of Türkiye's Mission to the EU, and the ways in which it influences decision-making;

Or. fi

Amendment 760
Nacho Sánchez Amor

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council and the Commission.

33. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council and the Commission; ***asks that this resolution be translated into Turkish and forwarded to the President, Government and Parliament of the Republic of Türkiye.***

Or. en

Amendment 761
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council and the Commission.

33. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council and the Commission, ***and to the Government and Parliament of Türkiye.***

Amendment 762

Loucas Fourlas, Vangelis Meimarakis, Emmanouil Kefalogiannis, Michalis Hadjipantela

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 33 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33 a. Calls on Türkiye to make significant steps in aligning with the EU's CFSP, including on sanctions and against their circumvention; underscores that circumvention of EU sanctions undermines its collective efforts; remains duly concerned that Türkiye continues to exclude a Member State from cooperation with NATO, posing a continued obstacle to the enhancement of a genuine relationship between the EU and NATO.

Or. en