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AMENDMENTS

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Establishing Global Europe

Proposal for a regulation
(COM(2025)0551 – 2025/0227(COD))

Amendment 353
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

4a. The Union shall, in its actions, take into account the position of partner countries with respect to the biggest threats to international security, in particular with respect to Russia's aggression against Ukraine, recognising that support for that aggression undermines European security and that a state providing political, military or economic support for that aggression can neither be deemed a reliable partner nor, therefore, draw financial or any other type of benefits from the Instrument.

Or. pl

Amendment 354
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

4a. In implementing actions under the Instrument, the full protection of the dignity of persons with disabilities must be ensured, including during the prenatal phases, by tackling all forms of disability-based discrimination, including practices like selective abortion that could prejudice the right to life and the principle of equality.

Or. it

Amendment 355

Sebastian Tynkkynen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

5. The Instrument shall promote gender equality and girls' and women's empowerment and prevent and fight violence against women and domestic violence. It shall also give particular attention to the rights of the child and to the protection and empowerment of youth.

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No support shall be provided via the Instrument to regimes that, using cultural views as a pretext, systematically violate the rights of women, girls, young people, people with disabilities and sexual minorities.

Or. fi

Amendment 356
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

5. The Instrument shall promote gender equality ***and*** girls' and women's empowerment and prevent and fight violence ***against women*** and domestic violence. It shall also give particular attention to the rights of the child and to the protection and empowerment of youth.

Amendment

5. The Instrument shall promote gender equality, girls' and women's ***rights and*** empowerment and ***non-discrimination on any grounds through targeted and mainstreamed actions in line with the Gender Action Plan.*** It shall prevent and fight ***all forms of gender-based*** violence and domestic violence. It shall also give particular attention to the rights of the child and to the protection and empowerment of youth

Or. en

Amendment 357

Matjaž Nemec
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

5. The Instrument shall promote gender equality and girls' and women's empowerment and prevent and fight violence ***against women and*** domestic violence. It shall also give particular attention to the rights of the child and to the protection and empowerment of youth.

Amendment

5. The Instrument shall promote gender equality and girls' and women's empowerment and prevent and fight ***all forms of sexual and gender-based*** violence, ***including*** domestic violence, ***female genital mutilation and human trafficking for sexual purposes***. It shall also give particular attention to the rights of the child and to the protection and empowerment of youth.

Or. en

Amendment 358
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

5. The Instrument shall promote ***gender equality and girls' and women's empowerment*** and prevent and fight ***violence against women and domestic*** violence. It shall also give particular attention to the rights of the child and to the protection and empowerment of youth.

Amendment

5. The instrument shall promote ***equity and complementarity between men and women*** and prevent and fight ***all forms of*** violence. It shall also give particular attention to the rights of the child and to the protection and empowerment of youth.

Or. it

Amendment 359
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 6

6. The Instrument shall be implemented in full accordance with the Union commitment to the promotion, protection and fulfilment of *all* human rights ***and to the full and effective implementation of the Beijing Declaration and the Platform for Action⁴⁹ of the International Conference on Population and Development and the outcomes of their review conferences and remains committed to sexual and reproductive health and rights, in this context.*** The Instrument shall also support the Union commitment to the promotion, protection and fulfilment of the right of every individual to have full control over and decide freely and responsibly on matters related to their sexuality ***and sexual and reproductive health***, free from discrimination, coercion and violence. It shall also support ***the need for*** universal access to ***quality and*** affordable ***comprehensive sexual and reproductive health information, education, including comprehensive sexuality education, and*** health-care services.

6. The instrument shall be implemented in full accordance with the Union commitment to the promotion, protection and fulfilment of human rights ***in their entirety.*** The Instrument shall also support the Union commitment to the promotion, protection and fulfilment of the right of every individual to have full control over and decide freely and responsibly on matters related to their sexuality, free from discrimination, coercion and violence. It shall, ***given the inalienable nature of the right of people to life and health,*** also support universal access to affordable health-care services ***in accordance with the rules of individual states.***

⁴⁹ ***Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action***
https://www.unwomen.org/sites/default/files/Headquarters/Attachments/Sections/CSW/PFA_E_Final_WEB.pdf.

Or. it

Amendment 360
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 6

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⁴⁹ ***Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action***
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Or. pl

Amendment 361
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 6

Text proposed by the Commission

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⁴⁹ *Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action*

https://www.unwomen.org/sites/default/files/Headquarters/Attachments/Sections/CSW/PFA_E_Final_WEB.pdf.

Or. en

Amendment 362
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

6a. *The implementation of the programmes shall take into account partner countries' cooperation on preventing irregular migration and on the return and readmission of irregular nationals.*

Or. it

Amendment 363
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 7 – subparagraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Where the Commission, in consultation with the European External Action Service, identifies systemic corruption or a waste of funds, it shall suspend payments or programme implementation.

Or. pl

Amendment 364
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 7 – subparagraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

In relations with partner countries, their track record in implementing commitments, international agreements, and contractual relations with the Union shall be taken into account.

In relations with partner countries, their track record in implementing commitments, international agreements, and contractual relations with the Union shall be taken into account, ***in particular their respect for international law and the sovereignty and territorial integrity of states, as well as their eschewal of action that undermines European security.***

Or. pl

Amendment 365
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 7 – point 1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(1) Where the Council (in its conclusions) or the European External

Action Service finds a partner country to be in flagrant breach of international law, including through its support for acts of aggression, such as the aggression against Ukraine, or to be conducting activities that undermine EU security, the Commission shall suspend payments or implementation of the programme until such time as said breaches cease.

Or. pl

Amendment 366
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 8

Text proposed by the Commission

8. Cooperation between the Union and the Member States, on the one hand, and partner countries, on the other, shall be based on and shall promote the development effectiveness principles, where applicable, across all modalities, namely ownership of development priorities by partner countries, a focus on results, inclusive development partnerships, transparency and mutual accountability. The Union shall promote effective and efficient resource mobilisation and use.

Amendment

8. Cooperation between the Union and the Member States, on the one hand, and partner countries, on the other, shall be based on and shall promote the development effectiveness principles, where applicable, across all modalities, namely ownership of development priorities by partner countries, a focus on results, inclusive development partnerships, transparency and mutual accountability. The Union shall promote effective and efficient resource mobilisation and use. ***This also includes making development cooperation conditional on partner countries' willingness to cooperate in other areas as well, such as the returns of those who are in the EU illegally.***

Or. fi

Amendment 367
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 8

Text proposed by the Commission

8. Cooperation between the Union and the Member States, on the one hand, and partner countries, on the other, shall be based on ***and shall promote the*** development effectiveness principles, where applicable, across all modalities, namely ownership of development priorities by partner countries, a focus on results, inclusive development partnerships, transparency and mutual accountability. The Union shall promote effective and efficient resource mobilisation and use.

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Or. pl

Amendment 368
Geadis Geadis

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 8

Text proposed by the Commission

8. Cooperation between the Union and the Member States, on the one hand, and partner countries, on the other, shall be based on and shall promote the development effectiveness principles, where applicable, across all modalities, namely ownership of development priorities by partner countries, a focus on results, inclusive development partnerships, transparency ***and mutual accountability.*** The Union shall promote effective and efficient resource mobilisation and use.

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Or. en

Amendment 369
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 9

Text proposed by the Commission

9. In accordance with the principle of inclusive partnership, *where appropriate*, the Commission shall ensure that relevant stakeholders of partner countries, including civil society organisations and local authorities, are duly consulted and have timely access to relevant information allowing them to play a meaningful role during the design, implementation and associated monitoring processes of programmes and actions under the Instrument.

Amendment

9. In accordance with the principle of inclusive partnership, the Commission shall ensure that relevant stakeholders of partner countries, including civil society organisations and local authorities, are duly consulted and have timely access to relevant information allowing them to play a meaningful role during the design, implementation and associated monitoring processes of programmes and actions under the Instrument.

Or. en

Amendment 370
Matjaž Nemec
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 9

Text proposed by the Commission

9. In accordance with the principle of inclusive partnership, *where appropriate*, the Commission shall ensure that relevant stakeholders of partner countries, including civil society organisations and local authorities, are duly consulted and have timely access to relevant information allowing them to play a meaningful role during the design, implementation and associated monitoring processes of programmes and actions under the Instrument.

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9. In accordance with the principle of inclusive partnership, the Commission shall ensure that relevant stakeholders of partner countries, including civil society organisations and local authorities, are duly consulted and have timely access to relevant information allowing them to play a meaningful role during the design, implementation and associated monitoring processes of programmes and actions under the Instrument.

Or. en

Justification

It is not clear where such partnership would not be appropriate.

Amendment 371
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 10

Text proposed by the Commission

10. The Commission shall exchange information on a regular basis with civil society within the Union.

Amendment

10. The Commission shall ***meaningfully engage and*** exchange information on a regular basis with civil society within the Union ***across all policy areas of the EU external action and throughout the programming cycle.***

Or. en

Amendment 372
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 11 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

11a. In accordance with Article 287 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, the European Court of Auditors shall, having regard to the provisions of the Financial Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2024/2509, carry out an external audit of the activities performed in accordance with this Regulation.

Or. pl

Amendment 373
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 10 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

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Instrument shall mainstream the fight against climate change, environmental protection and gender equality, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [Performance Regulation]. Those priorities shall be considered in the design and implementation of actions under the Instrument, with the aim to create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way.

Instrument shall mainstream the fight against climate change, environmental protection and gender equality, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [Performance Regulation]. Those priorities shall be considered in the design and implementation of actions under the Instrument, with the aim to create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way. ***In particular, to ensure a mainstreamed and targeted approach to gender equality and climate action under this Instrument, the following spending targets shall be set: at least 85% of all EU ODA dedicated to programmes that have gender equality as one of their objectives (OECD marker G1 or G2), with 20% of ODA dedicated to gender-targeted projects (OECD marker G2), and at least 5% of ODA supporting women's rights organisations; at least 35% of the Instrument's budget contributing to climate and environmental action ensuring an equitable balance between mitigation, adaptation, and loss and damage, and at least 15% dedicated to environmental protection.***

Or. en

Amendment 374

Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation

Article 10 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Programmes and actions under the Instrument ***shall*** mainstream the ***fight against climate change, environmental protection and gender equality, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [Performance Regulation]. Those priorities shall*** be considered ***in the design and implementation of actions under the Instrument,*** with the aim to create co-

Amendment

Programmes and actions under the Instrument ***can*** mainstream the environmental protection. ***All*** priorities ***should*** be considered with the aim to create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way.

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Or. en

Amendment 375
Fabienne Keller

Proposal for a regulation
Article 10 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Programmes and actions under the Instrument shall mainstream the fight against climate change, environmental protection and gender equality, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [Performance Regulation]. Those priorities shall be considered in the design and implementation of actions under the Instrument, with the aim to create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way.

Amendment

Programmes and actions under the Instrument shall mainstream the fight against climate change, **the support for** environmental protection, **crisis prevention** and gender equality, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [Performance Regulation]. Those priorities shall be considered in the design and implementation of actions under the Instrument, with the aim to create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way.

Or. en

Amendment 376
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 10 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Programmes and actions under the Instrument shall mainstream the fight against climate change, environmental protection and gender equality, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [Performance Regulation]. Those priorities shall be considered in the design and implementation of actions under the Instrument, with the aim to create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a

Amendment

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benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way.

Or. pl

Amendment 377

Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation

Article 10 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Programmes and actions under the Instrument shall mainstream ***the fight against climate change***, environmental protection and ***gender equality***, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [Performance Regulation]. Those priorities shall be considered in the design and implementation of actions under the Instrument, with the aim to create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way.

Amendment

Programmes and actions under the Instrument shall mainstream environmental protection and ***equity between men and women***, in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [Performance Regulation]. Those priorities shall be considered in the design and implementation of actions under the Instrument, with the aim to create co-benefits and meet multiple objectives in a coherent way.

Or. it

Amendment 378

Susanna Ceccardi, Marieke Ehlers, Jorge Buxadé Villalba, Jaroslav Bžoch

Proposal for a regulation

Article 11 – title

Text proposed by the Commission

Team Europe approach

Amendment

Cooperation with Member States

Or. en

Amendment 379

Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation

Article 11 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Commission and the Member States shall aim to closely coordinate their actions to avoid duplication and to improve coherence and complementarity between assistance carried out under this Instrument and any other assistance provided by the Member States, their implementing agencies, development finance institutions **and export credit agencies** as well as by the EIB and the EBRD.

Amendment

1. The Commission and the Member States, ***within the framework of the principles guiding the Union's external action as provided for in Article 21(1) TEU***, shall aim to closely coordinate their actions to avoid duplication and to improve coherence and complementarity between assistance carried out under this Instrument and any other assistance provided by the Member States, their implementing agencies, development finance institutions as well as by the EIB and the EBRD.

Or. en

Amendment 380
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment

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Or. pl

Amendment 381
Fabienne Keller

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Commission and the Member States shall aim to closely coordinate their actions to avoid duplication and to improve coherence and complementarity between assistance carried out under this Instrument and any other assistance provided by the Member States, their implementing agencies, development finance institutions and export credit agencies as well as by the EIB and the EBRD.

Amendment

1. The Commission and the Member States shall aim to closely coordinate their actions ***while keeping Parliament informed, in order*** to avoid duplication, and to improve ***transparency***, coherence and complementarity between assistance carried out under this Instrument and any other assistance provided by the Member States, their implementing agencies, development finance institutions and export credit agencies as well as by the EIB and the EBRD.

Or. en

Amendment 382
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1 a. In order to uphold democratic scrutiny and transparency, the European Parliament shall have full access to, and the ability to monitor, evaluate and follow up on all Team Europe Initiatives and joint programming processes.

Or. en

Amendment 383
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2. The Commission and the Member States shall aim to ensure timely consultations and frequent exchanges of

2. The Commission, ***the European Parliament*** and the Member States shall aim to ensure timely consultations and

information with each other during the different phases of the implementation cycle, which shall endeavour to jointly identify, discuss and implement actions, including in terms of information, communication and visibility.

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The Commission shall always ensure to timely provide the European Parliament with a sufficient level of information about Team Europe initiatives, including during the negotiation phase of any kind of joint initiatives with third countries involving funding under this instrument.

Or. en

Amendment 384

Matjaž Nemec

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 11 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The Commission and the Member States shall aim to ensure timely consultations and frequent exchanges of information with each other during the different phases of the implementation cycle, which shall endeavour to jointly identify, discuss and implement actions, including in terms of information, communication and visibility.

Amendment

2. The Commission and the Member States shall aim to ensure timely consultations and frequent exchanges of information with each other, ***involving the European Parliament***, during the different phases of the implementation cycle, which shall endeavour to jointly identify, discuss and implement actions, including in terms of information, communication and visibility.

Or. en

Amendment 385

Sebastian Tynkkynen

Proposal for a regulation

Article 11 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2. The Commission and the Member States shall aim to ensure timely consultations and frequent exchanges of information with each other during the different phases of the implementation cycle, *which shall endeavour to jointly identify, discuss and implement actions, including in terms of information, communication and visibility.*

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Or. fi

Amendment 386

Matjaž Nemec

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 11 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The Commission and the Member States, acting in a Team Europe approach, shall aim to cooperate with like-minded partners and stakeholders, including the pooling of resources, to jointly contribute to the achievement of common goals.

Amendment

3. The Commission and the Member States, acting in a Team Europe approach, shall aim to cooperate with like-minded partners and stakeholders, including the pooling of resources, to jointly contribute to the achievement of common goals. *To provide adequate democratic scrutiny and transparency, such cooperation and pooling of resources shall be discussed in advance with the European Parliament.*

Or. en

Amendment 387

Susanna Ceccardi, Marieke Ehlers, Jorge Buxadé Villalba, Jaroslav Bžoch

Proposal for a regulation

Article 12 – title

Text proposed by the Commission

Migration *and forced displacement*

Amendment

Migration *management and cooperation with third countries*

Amendment 388
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – title

Text proposed by the Commission

Migration and *forced displacement*

Amendment

Migration and *illegal immigration*

Or. fi

Amendment 389
Paulo Cunha

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach towards migration, in particular to prevent irregular migration, and forced displacement, including their root causes.

Amendment

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach towards migration, in particular to prevent irregular migration, *including by intensifying the fight against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings, and by countering the role of both state and non-state actors facilitating or instrumentalising irregular migration. And to support the return and reintegration of migrants and their families,* and forced displacement, including their root causes.

Or. en

Amendment 390
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a **comprehensive** approach towards migration, **in particular to prevent irregular migration, and** forced displacement, **including their** root causes.

Amendment

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a **common and human rights-based** approach on migration, **including to address** forced displacement **and its** root causes. **All actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights law, refugee law and the Istanbul Convention, the EU Gender Equality Action Plan III, and in line with the Union principles guiding its external action.**

Or. en

Amendment 391

Fabienne Keller

Proposal for a regulation

Article 12 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach towards migration, in particular to prevent irregular migration, and forced displacement, including their root causes.

Amendment

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive **and mutually beneficial** approach towards migration, in particular to prevent irregular migration, and forced displacement, including **by addressing** their root causes **and prevent exploitation of vulnerable people.**

Or. en

Amendment 392

Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation

Article 12 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

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Or. pl

Amendment 393
Jacek Ozdoba

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach towards migration, in particular to prevent irregular migration, and forced displacement, including their root causes.

Amendment

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach towards migration, in particular to prevent irregular migration, and forced displacement, including their root causes, **and in order to ensure effective returns and readmissions.**

Or. pl

Amendment 394
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach **towards** migration, in particular to **prevent** irregular migration, **and forced displacement, including their root causes.**

Amendment

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach **to** migration, in particular to **curb** irregular migration **and growing migratory pressure, and to improve the security situation in the Member States.**

Or. fi

Amendment 395

Matjaž Nemeč

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 12 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a **comprehensive** approach towards migration, **in particular to prevent irregular migration**, and forced displacement, including **their** root causes.

Amendment

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a **holistic and mutually beneficial** approach towards migration, **mobility**, and forced displacement, including **the** root causes **of such displacement**.

Or. en

Amendment 396

Susanna Ceccardi, Marieke Ehlers, Jorge Buxadé Villalba, Jaroslav Bžoch

Proposal for a regulation

Article 12 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach towards migration, in particular to prevent **irregular** migration, and forced displacement, including their root causes.

Amendment

1. The Union shall engage with partner countries on the basis of a comprehensive approach towards migration, in particular to prevent **illegal** migration, and forced displacement, including their root causes.

Or. en

Amendment 397

Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation

Article 12 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build **comprehensive** partnerships, paying specific attention to

Amendment

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build **mutually-beneficial** partnerships, paying specific attention to

countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

development-oriented solutions while supporting reintegration programmes, labour mobility and legal pathways, and shall fulfil the principles and criteria for ODA of migration actions.

Or. en

Amendment 398

Matjaž Nemeč

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation Article 12 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools **and the necessary leverage** through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. **It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration.** Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international

Amendment

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, **based on the principles laid down in Article 21 TEU, including** paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route **and human-rights based** approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14 **while respecting the guidance on development effectiveness laid down by the Development Assistance Committee of the OECD. In that regard, it shall not be**

law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

used for externalisation of Union responsibilities with regard to international protection and shall not undermine partner countries ownership or long-term development outcomes.

Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

Or. en

Amendment 399
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights ***and refugee*** law, Union and national competences.

Amendment

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights law, ***and*** Union and national competences. ***In all partnerships it shall be emphasised that financial support is conditional on third countries committing to the readmission of their nationals residing illegally in the Union and to stepping up their efforts against the criminal organisations that facilitate illegal immigration.***

Amendment 400**Jacek Ozdoba****Proposal for a regulation****Article 12 – paragraph 2***Text proposed by the Commission*

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

Amendment

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14, ***particularly with a view to strengthening effective cooperation on returns and readmissions***. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. ***Support under the Instrument shall take into account the level of this cooperation***. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

Or. pl

Amendment 401**Tomas Tobé, Lena Düpont****Proposal for a regulation****Article 12 – paragraph 2***Text proposed by the Commission**Amendment*

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

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Or. en

Amendment 402
Marieke Ehlers

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a ***flexible*** approach with, ***as appropriate within this context, possible*** changes in allocation of funding ***related to migration*** in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account

Amendment

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a ***strict conditionality*** approach with ***mandatory redirection of development assistance*** in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14 ***in the event***

effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

of a lack of cooperation on readmission and returns. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

Or. en

Amendment 403
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

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Or. pl

Amendment 404
Susanna Ceccardi, Marieke Ehlers, Jorge Buxadé Villalba, Jaroslav Bžoch

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of ***international law, including international human rights and refugee law***, Union and national competences.

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2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes ***or suspension*** in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation and implementation of Union agreements and arrangements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of Union and national competences.

Or. en

Amendment 405
Fabienne Keller

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives and programming

Amendment

2. This approach shall maximise synergies and build ***mutually beneficial*** comprehensive partnerships, paying specific attention to countries of origin, transit and departure in a seamless whole-of-route approach. It shall combine all appropriate tools and the necessary leverage through a flexible approach with, as appropriate within this context, possible changes in allocation of funding related to migration in accordance with the objectives

principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation *and implementation* of Union agreements *and arrangements* and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

and programming principles of the Instrument as set out in Articles 4 and 14. It shall take into account effective cooperation of Union agreements and of dialogues on migration. Those actions shall be implemented in full respect of international law, including international human rights and refugee law, Union and national competences.

Or. en

Amendment 406
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission may suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

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Or. en

Amendment 407
Matjaž Nemec
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to

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readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission may suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

Or. en

Amendment 408
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, **identifies** serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission **may** suspend payments or the implementation of **a** programme. In no case the suspension **shall** affect humanitarian assistance.

Amendment

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with **the** EEAS, **identify** serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, **or if the rate of effective returns falls below 50 % of issued return decisions**, the Commission **shall** suspend payments or **fully suspend** the implementation of **any** programme **or reduce the financial envelope by at least 50 %**. In no case **shall** the suspension affect humanitarian assistance. **Full conditionality shall apply, thus no new commitments shall be made until readmission cooperation is demonstrably effective.**

Or. en

Amendment 409
Marieke Ehlers

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

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consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission *may* suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission *shall* suspend payments or the implementation of a programme, ***and shall freeze the adoption of any new multiannual indicative programmes or action plans for that country until satisfactory cooperation is re-established.*** In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

Or. en

Amendment 410
Jacek Ozdoba

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission *may* suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

Amendment

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission *shall* suspend, ***in full or in part,*** payments or the implementation of a programme. In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance, ***which shall be provided in such a way as to ensure that it does not contribute to prolonging the circumstances leading to irregular migration.***

Or. pl

Amendment 411
Tomas Tobé, Lena Düpont

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission may suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

Amendment

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission may suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. ***The Commission may take into account relevant actions of Member States in this regard.*** In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

Or. en

Amendment 412

Paulo Cunha

Proposal for a regulation

Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission may suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

Amendment

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals, ***or nationals of third countries pursuant legally binding agreements or arrangements,*** from the Member States, the Commission may suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance.

Or. en

Amendment 413

Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation

Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission *may* suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In *no case the* suspension *shall* affect humanitarian *assistance*.

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies serious shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission *must* suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. In *specific cases*, suspension *may* affect *certain forms of* humanitarian *aid*.

Or. pl

Amendment 414

Susanna Ceccardi, Marieke Ehlers, Jorge Buxadé Villalba, Jaroslav Bžoch

Proposal for a regulation Article 12 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS, identifies *serious* shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission *may* suspend payments or the implementation of a programme. *In no case the suspension shall affect humanitarian assistance*.

Amendment

3. In case the Commission services, in consultation with EEAS *and Member States*, identifies shortcomings in a partner country related in particular to the obligation to readmit its own nationals from the Member States, the Commission *shall* suspend payments or the implementation of a programme.

Or. en

Amendment 415

Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation Article 12 – paragraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3 a. The Instrument shall support practical measures to facilitate returns and remigration without difficulties, including the establishment of return hubs in third countries, enhanced return-programmes, financial incentives for

voluntary return, and logistical assistance for the dignified and sustainable return of illegally staying third-country nationals as well as remigrating individuals. Such support shall be prioritised for partner countries that fully comply with readmission obligations.

Or. en

Amendment 416
Jacek Ozdoba

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3a. *Migration-related measures under this Instrument are carried out in close cooperation with the Member States and in full respect of their powers in the area of migration and asylum.*

Or. pl

Amendment 417
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

4. *To assess the existence of the serious shortcomings referred to in paragraph 3, and following consultations with the beneficiary country, the Commission shall rely on the assessments carried in accordance with Article 25a of Regulation (EC) No 810/2009⁵⁰ and with Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1806⁵¹, while taking into account the Union's overall relations with the beneficiary country concerned, including in the field of migration, as well as the principle of*

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proportionality.

⁵⁰ *Regulation (EC) No 810/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 July 2009 establishing a Community Code on Visas (Visa Code) (OJ L 243, 15.9.2009, p. 1–58, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2009/810/2024-06-28>).*

⁵¹ *Regulation (EU) 2018/1806 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 November 2018 listing the third countries whose nationals must be in possession of visas when crossing the external borders and those whose nationals are exempt from that requirement (OJ L 303, 28.11.2018, p. 39–58, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2018/1806/2025-02-03>).*

Or. en

Amendment 418
Matjaž Nemec
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

4. To assess the existence of the serious shortcomings referred to in paragraph 3, and following consultations with the beneficiary country, the Commission shall rely on the assessments carried in accordance with Article 25a of Regulation (EC) No 810/2009⁵⁰ and with Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1806⁵¹, while taking into account the Union's overall relations with the beneficiary country concerned, including in the field of migration, as well as the principle of proportionality.

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⁵⁰ *Regulation (EC) No 810/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 July 2009 establishing a Community Code on Visas (Visa Code) (OJ L 243, 15.9.2009, p. 1–58, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2009/810/2024-06-28>).*

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Or. en

Amendment 419

Susanna Ceccardi, Marieke Ehlers, Jorge Buxadé Villalba, Jaroslav Bžoch

Proposal for a regulation Article 12 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

4. To assess the existence of the serious shortcomings *referred to in paragraph 3, and following consultations with the beneficiary country*, the Commission shall *rely on the assessments carried in accordance with Article 25a of Regulation (EC) No 810/2009⁵⁰ and with Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1806⁵¹, while taking into account the Union's overall relations with the beneficiary country concerned, including in the field of migration, as well as the principle of proportionality.*

Amendment

4. To assess the existence of the serious shortcomings the Commission shall *evaluate measurable and sustained cooperation in the areas of return, readmission and the prevention of illegal migration. Such cooperation shall be assessed on the basis of objective and verifiable indicators, including the rate of effective readmissions, the timeliness of responses and the level of operational cooperation.*

⁵⁰ *Regulation (EC) No 810/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 July 2009 establishing a Community Code on Visas (Visa Code) (OJ L 243,*

15.9.2009, p. 1–58, ELI:
<http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2009/810/2024-06-28>).

⁵¹ Regulation (EU) 2018/1806 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 November 2018 listing the third countries whose nationals must be in possession of visas when crossing the external borders and those whose nationals are exempt from that requirement (OJ L 303, 28.11.2018, p. 39–58, ELI:
<http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2018/1806/2025-02-03>).

Or. en

Amendment 420
Matjaž Nemec
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

5. Where the Commission considers that the reasons justifying the measure taken in accordance with paragraph 3 no longer apply, the Commission shall lift the suspension. **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 421
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

5. Where the Commission considers that the reasons justifying the measure taken in accordance with paragraph 3 no longer apply, the Commission shall lift the **deleted**

suspension.

Or. en

Amendment 422
Sebastian Tynkkynen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

5. Where the Commission considers that the reasons justifying the measure taken in accordance with paragraph 3 no longer apply, ***the Commission shall*** lift the suspension.

Amendment

5. Where the Commission considers, ***after consulting the Member States***, that the reasons justifying the measure taken in accordance with paragraph 3 no longer apply, ***it may*** lift the suspension.

Or. fi

Amendment 423
Susanna Ceccardi, Marieke Ehlers, Jorge Buxadé Villalba, Jaroslav Břoch

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 5 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

5 a. The Commission shall prioritise, where appropriate, financial assistance aimed at strengthening the capacity of third countries to effectively control their borders, prevent illegal migration and combat migrant smuggling networks.

Or. en

Amendment 424
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 5 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

5 a. The Commission shall always strike a fair balance among funding objectives and shall issue an annual report to the European Parliament detailing the specific total amounts for each of them.

Or. en

Amendment 425
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 13 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall consult other donors and actors, including local authorities, representatives of civil society and the private sector, **where relevant**.

Amendment

The Commission shall consult **and involve the European Parliament and the Council in the programming phase as well as** other donors and actors, including local authorities, representatives of civil society and, **where relevant**, the private sector.

Or. en

Amendment 426
Fabienne Keller

Proposal for a regulation
Article 14 – paragraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) actions shall be based, to the extent possible, on a dialogue between the Union, Member States and the partner countries concerned, including national, regional and local authorities, **and involving** civil society;

Amendment

(a) actions shall be based, to the extent possible, on a dialogue between the Union, Member States and the partner countries concerned, including national, regional and local authorities, **as well as ensuring the proper involvement of** civil society;

Or. en

Amendment 427
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 14 – paragraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) actions shall be based, *to the extent possible*, on a dialogue between the Union, Member States and the partner countries concerned, including national, regional and local authorities, and *involving* civil society;

Amendment

(a) actions shall be based on a dialogue between the Union, Member States and the partner countries concerned, including national, regional and local authorities, and civil society;

Or. en

Amendment 428
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

2. Programming under Article 3(1), first subparagraph, points (a) to **(e)** shall provide a specific, tailor-made framework for cooperation based on, where relevant, the following elements:

Amendment

2. Programming under Article 3(1), first subparagraph, points (a) to **(f)** shall provide a specific, tailor-made framework for cooperation *that ensures accountability, predictability, transparency and policy coherence. It shall consider partner countries' level of development, situation of fragility and the potential impact of Union support. Therefore, programming shall be* based on, where relevant, the following elements:

Or. en

Amendment 429
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – point a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a a) the partners' needs, established on the basis of specific criteria, taking into account poverty, human development indexes, inequality, in particular gender equality, human rights, preparedness and resilience to climate change, economic vulnerability, and the impact of protracted and recurrent crises;

Or. en

Amendment 430

Paulo Cunha

Proposal for a regulation

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) partner countries and regions' level of development and commitment to address the drivers of fragility and irregular migration and forced displacement, including their root causes;

(e) partner countries and regions' level of development and commitment to address the drivers of fragility and irregular migration and forced displacement, including their root causes, ***as well as actors facilitating or instrumentalising irregular migration, and to support the return and readmission of their own nationals;***

Or. en

Amendment 431

Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) partner countries and regions' level of development and ***commitment*** to address the drivers ***of fragility and irregular migration and*** forced displacement, ***including their root causes;***

(e) partner countries and regions' level of development and ***capacity*** to address the drivers ***and root causes of*** forced displacement;

Amendment 432

Matjaž Nemeč

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

(e) partner countries and regions' level of development and commitment to address the drivers of fragility and ***irregular migration and*** forced displacement, including their root causes;

Amendment

(e) partner countries and regions' level of development and commitment to address the drivers of fragility and forced displacement, including their root causes;

Or. en

Amendment 433

Marieke Ehlers

Proposal for a regulation

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e a) partner countries and regions' demonstrated and measurable cooperation with the Union and its Member States on the prompt readmission and return of their nationals illegally present in the Union;

Or. en

Amendment 434

Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – point f a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(fa) the level of risk of corruption, fraud and irregularities in the management of public funds, including the existence and effectiveness of mechanisms for preventing, detecting and combating these phenomena, and also the degree of transparency in how funds are spent;

Or. pl

Amendment 435
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 14 – paragraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2a. In cooperation with the EEAS, the Commission shall periodically review the principles and cooperation framework mentioned in paragraphs 1 and 2. Where serious and systemic violations of human rights or the principles of international law or actions undermining European security are identified, cooperation should be limited or suspended. Entities committing such violations should not benefit from privileged cooperation with the Union, and Union funds must not be used to lend them political legitimacy, or to sustain or strengthen them.

Or. pl

Amendment 436
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 15 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2. The multiannual indicative programmes referred to in paragraph 1

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shall set out the priority areas selected for Union financing, the specific objectives and, where appropriate, the indicative financial allocations and the methods of implementation.

shall set out the priority areas selected for Union financing, the specific objectives, ***the expected results and indicators*** and, where appropriate, the indicative financial allocations and the methods of implementation.

Or. en

Amendment 437
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 16 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The multiannual indicative programmes referred to in paragraph 1 shall set out the Union's strategy, the priorities selected for Union financing, the specific objectives and the indicative financial allocations.

Amendment

The multiannual indicative programmes referred to in paragraph 1 shall set out the Union's strategy, the priorities selected for Union financing, the specific objectives, ***the expected results and indicators***, and the indicative financial allocations.

Or. en

Amendment 438
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 17 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. Multiannual indicative programmes may be reviewed on an ad hoc basis as necessary for effective implementation, in particular where there are substantive changes in the policy framework referred to in Article 8 or following a situation of crisis or post-crisis.

Amendment

2. Multiannual indicative programmes may be reviewed on an ad hoc basis as necessary for effective implementation, in particular where there are substantive changes in the policy framework referred to in Article 8 or following a situation of crisis or post-crisis, ***in consultation with the European Parliament and the Council***.

Or. en

Amendment 439
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 17 – paragraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2 a. The programming of the humanitarian aid pillar shall be conducted in a needs-based and context-specific manner, ensuring that actions are aligned with the priorities and requirements identified by the partner country and its relevant stakeholders. In this regard, the design, allocation, and implementation of humanitarian interventions must be guided by the assessed needs of the affected populations and the operational capacities and strategic frameworks of the partner country. Programming shall remain flexible, responsive and coordinated with local partners to ensure assistance is relevant and adapted to evolving humanitarian needs, while maintaining predictable, needs-based funding implemented in accordance with the Humanitarian Aid Instrument established by Council Regulation.

Or. en

Amendment 440
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 18 – paragraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1 a. In addition to the rules laid down in Article 15 of the Financial Regulation, commitment appropriations corresponding to the amount of decommitments made as a result of total

or partial non-implementation of an action under the Instrument shall be made available again to the benefit of the budget line of origin.

Or. en

Amendment 441
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 18 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. Actions financed by programmable amounts shall be based on programming documents. Action plans shall be prepared in an inclusive, transparent and timely manner.

Amendment

2. Actions financed by programmable amounts shall be based on programming documents. Action plans shall be prepared in an inclusive, transparent and timely manner, ***in consultation with the European Parliament and the Council, and with the meaningful involvement of civil society.***

Or. en

Amendment 442
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 18 – paragraph 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

4a. Action plans must contain measures to counter corruption and fraud, including appropriate control, transparency and accountability mechanisms, ensuring sound financial management and guaranteeing that resources are not used in a manner that would be contrary to the interests of the Union and do not exacerbate issues relating to corruption and bad governance in partner countries;

Amendment 443
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 18 – paragraph 5 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission may adopt exceptional assistance measures for crisis, peace **and foreign policy needs** actions.

Amendment

The Commission may adopt exceptional assistance measures for crisis **and** peace actions.

Or. en

Amendment 444
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) exceptional assistance measures referred to in Article 18(5) as well as action plans adopted in order to implement crisis, peace **and foreign policy needs** actions for which the Union's funding does not exceed EUR 40 000 000;

Amendment

(c) exceptional assistance measures referred to in Article 18(5) as well as action plans adopted in order to implement crisis **and** peace actions for which the Union's funding does not exceed EUR 40 000 000;

Or. en

Amendment 445
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

When adopted in accordance with this paragraph, action plans and measures, except exceptional assistance measures for crisis, peace **and foreign policy needs**, and

Amendment

When adopted in accordance with this paragraph, action plans and measures, except exceptional assistance measures for crisis **and** peace, and technical

technical amendments shall be communicated by the Commission to the European Parliament and to the Member States through the relevant committee referred to in Article 32(1) within one month of their adoption.

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Or. en

Amendment 446
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 20 – paragraph 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

6a. Where involvement in corruption, fraud or serious irregularities in the management of public funds is established, participants shall be immediately excluded from taking part in actions funded under the Instrument.

Or. pl

Amendment 447
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Article 20 – paragraph 6 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

6b. Entities that act contrary to the fundamental values and interests of the EU, including by committing serious and systemic violations of human rights or the principles of international law or actions undermining European security, shall be immediately excluded from any action under the Instrument.

Or. pl

Amendment 448
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – title

Text proposed by the Commission

Excluded activities

Amendment

Excluded activities ***and human rights compliance***

Or. en

Amendment 449
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Union funding under the Instrument shall not support actions or measures which may result in the violation of human rights in partner countries.

Amendment

1. Union funding under the Instrument shall be implemented in full compliance with the Union’s obligations arising from international law, including international human rights and humanitarian laws, and shall not support actions or measures which may result, directly or indirectly, in the violation of human rights in partner countries.

Or. en

Amendment 450
Matjaž Nemeč
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Union funding under the Instrument shall not support actions or measures which may result in the violation of human rights in partner countries.

Amendment

Union funding under the Instrument shall not support actions or measures which may result in the violation of human rights in partner countries, ***including actions or***

measures which would undermine the right to asylum or would undermine the right to protection in the event of removal, expulsion or extradition.

Or. en

Justification

As migration becomes more central to the Global Europe Programme, it is imperative to ensure it is not misused to undermine rights that are core fundamental rights under EU primary law.

Amendment 451
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1a. Actions funded under the Instrument shall be implemented and monitored in accordance with a human rights-based approach, which shall encompass, among others, the following actions: conducting regular human rights risks assessments and stakeholders analyses to identify potential or actual violations; ensuring meaningful and inclusive participation of rights-holders and relevant stakeholders, particularly civil society organisations, in decision-making; establishing clear accountability mechanisms and access to remedies for affected persons; maintaining transparency and access to disaggregated information to enable independent oversight.

Or. en

Amendment 452
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 1 b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1b. The Commission shall set up an independent monitoring mechanism assessing the respect of the human rights-based approach. The mechanism shall submit annual reports to the European Parliament and the Council, as well as country specific reports upon request. The Mechanism shall engage in a biannual dialogue with the European Parliament.

Or. en

**Amendment 453
Diana Riba i Giner**

**Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 1 c (new)**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1c. The Mechanism shall have the authority to propose a suspension of activities where it identifies the risk or the actual occurrence of human rights violations. The European Parliament and the Council shall be duly and timely informed and shall have access to all the relevant documents.

Or. en

**Amendment 454
Diana Riba i Giner**

**Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 1 d (new)**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1d. Without prejudice to the provisions of paragraph 1c of this Article or the discovery of fraud, corruption or irregularities in the management of

funds, no other legal justifications or policy considerations can lead to the suspension of payments or of the implementation of programmes or activities funded under this instrument, particularly when it comes to humanitarian assistance, programmes and activities related to human rights, democracy and rule of law or directly implemented by local authorities or civil society organisations.

Or. en

Amendment 455
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 22 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Decommitted funds may be used to provide Union support under this Regulation and shall be assigned to the budget line of origin of the Instrument.

Or. en

Amendment 456
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3. When working with civil society organisations and stakeholders *of partner countries* such as local authorities, the Commission shall take into account their specificities, including their needs and the relevant context, when defining the financing modalities, the type of contribution, the participation, the evaluation and award modalities and the

3. When working with civil society organisations and stakeholders, such as local authorities, the Commission shall take into account their specificities, including their needs and the relevant context, when defining the financing modalities, the type of contribution, the participation, the evaluation and award modalities and the administrative

administrative provisions for the management of grants, with a view to reaching and best responding to the widest possible range of such stakeholders. Specific modalities shall be encouraged in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2024/2509, such as financial framework partnership agreements, financial support to third parties, grants awarded without a call for proposals, or simplified forms of funding referred to in Article 125(1) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2024/2509.

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Or. en

Amendment 457
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 4 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) low-value grants to human rights defenders to finance **urgent** protection actions and needs, including through mechanisms for the protection of human rights defenders at risk, as well as to mediators and other civil society actors involved in crisis and armed conflict related dialogue, conflict resolution, reconciliation and peacebuilding, where appropriate without the need for co-financing;

Amendment

(a) low-value grants to human rights defenders, **including women's and LGBTQ+ rights defenders**, to finance protection actions and needs, including through mechanisms for the protection of human rights defenders at risk, **and to support their activities**, as well as to mediators and other civil society actors involved in crisis and armed conflict related dialogue, conflict resolution, reconciliation and peacebuilding, where appropriate without the need for co-financing;

Or. en

Amendment 458
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 4 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) where necessary and duly justified in the action plans and measures referred to in Article 18, grants to legal entities governed by private law which are effectively established in a Member State to facilitate investments that are in the strategic interest of the Union and support the objectives of the Instrument.

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 459
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

5. In areas pertaining to the protection of human rights and democracy and support to civil society actors, the Union may provide assistance independently of the consent of governments and other public authorities of the partner countries concerned; those actions shall mainly support civil society actors, taking into account forms and methods of implementation, as referred to in paragraph 4 of this Article.

5. In areas pertaining to the protection of human rights and democracy and support to civil society actors, the Union may provide assistance independently of the consent of governments and other public authorities of the partner countries concerned; those actions shall mainly support civil society actors, taking into account forms and methods of implementation, as referred to in paragraph 4 of this Article. ***The Programme shall also enable expanded use of re-granting schemes to reach frontline local and grassroots civil society organisations while maintaining accountability. It shall promote umbrella mechanisms in which organisations with fiduciary capacity channel funding to smaller, community-based organisations, with proportionate oversight.***

Or. en

Amendment 460
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 6 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Budget support, including through sector reform performance contracts, shall be based on country ownership, mutual accountability and the commitment of partner countries, taking into account their record and progress with regard to universal values, democracy, human rights and the rule of law, and aims to strengthen partnerships between the Union and partner countries. It shall include reinforced policy dialogue, capacity building and improved governance, complementing partners' efforts to collect more and to spend better in order to support sustainable, inclusive growth and decent job creation, including for young people poverty eradication, inequality reduction, and to build and consolidate democracies and peaceful societies. Budget support shall also contribute to *gender equality*.

Amendment

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Or. it

Amendment 461
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 3 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Union may provide support to Ukraine in the form of a budgetary guarantee *up to EUR 48 000 000 000 in current prices. The provisioning rate for the budgetary guarantee to guarantee operations supporting Ukraine shall initially be set at 70 %.*

Amendment

The Union may *not* provide support to Ukraine in the form of a budgetary guarantee *until the use of all previous funds is described and all disturbing reports of corrupt practices with these funds are thoroughly explained.*

Or. en

Amendment 462
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

5. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 30 to amend paragraphs 2 and 3 of this Article in order to adjust the provisioning rates therein, and to increase the maximum amounts referred to in paragraphs 1 and 3 of this Article by up to 20% and 30% of those amounts respectively.

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 463
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 25 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1. The budgetary guarantee shall be used to guarantee counterparts' sovereign, sub-sovereign and private operations.

1. The budgetary guarantee shall be used to guarantee counterparts' sovereign, sub-sovereign and private operations. *Prevalence shall be given to civil society organisations as implementing partners.*

Or. en

Amendment 464
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 25 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3. By way of derogation from Article

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62(1), first subparagraph, point (c), and Article 211(5) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2024/2509, where financial instruments or the budgetary guarantee are implemented in indirect management, bodies which provide adequate assurance of their financial capacity and governed by private law of a Member State, a partner country benefitting from the financial instruments or the budgetary guarantee, or a partner country which has contributed to the financial instruments or the budgetary guarantee shall be eligible.

62(1), first subparagraph, point (c), and Article 211(5) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2024/2509, where financial instruments or the budgetary guarantee are implemented in indirect management, **and where necessary and fully justified**, bodies which provide adequate assurance of their financial capacity and governed by private law of a Member State, a partner country benefitting from the financial instruments or the budgetary guarantee, or a partner country which has contributed to the financial instruments or the budgetary guarantee shall be eligible.

Or. en

Amendment 465
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 25 – paragraph 6 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

A Global Europe Investment Board (the ‘Investment Board’) shall provide strategic and operational guidance to the Commission in the implementation of the budgetary guarantee referred to in Article 24 and blending. The Investment Board shall adopt its rules of procedure. The Investment Board shall meet at least once a year and, when possible, adopt opinions by consensus.

Amendment

A Global Europe Investment Board (the ‘Investment Board’) shall provide strategic and operational guidance to the Commission in the implementation of the budgetary guarantee referred to in Article 24 and blending, **and contribute to their alignment with the guiding principles and objectives of the Union’s external action and development policy**. The Investment Board shall adopt its rules of procedure. The Investment Board shall meet at least once a year and, when possible, adopt opinions by consensus. **The minutes and agendas of the meetings of the Global Europe Investment Board shall, following their adoption, be made public.**

Or. en

Amendment 466
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 25 – paragraph 6 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Investment Board shall be composed of representatives of the Commission and of the High Representative, of all Member States and of the EIB. The European Parliament shall have observer status. Contributors, eligible implementing entities and counterparts, partner countries, relevant regional organisations and other stakeholders may be given observer status, where appropriate. The Investment Board shall be co-chaired by the Commission and the High Representative.

Amendment

The Investment Board shall be composed of representatives of the Commission and of the High Representative, of all Member States and of the EIB. The European Parliament shall have observer status. Contributors, eligible implementing entities and counterparts, partner countries, relevant regional organisations and other stakeholders may be given observer status, where appropriate, **and shall be regularly consulted on the strategy and implementation of the budgetary guarantee and financial instruments**. The Investment Board shall be co-chaired by the Commission and the High Representative.

Or. en

Amendment 467
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 28 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The pillars referred to in Article 3(1), points (a) and (b) may contribute to cross-border cooperation programmes referred to in paragraph 1 of this Article co-financed by the Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] of the European Parliament and Council [National and Regional Partnerships Regulation]. Up to 3% of the financial envelope for the pillars referred to in Article 3(1), point (a) may be indicatively allocated to support those programmes.

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 468
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Article 28 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3. Contributions to cross-border cooperation programmes shall be determined and used pursuant to Article XX {Cross-fund provisions – external CBC programmes} of the Regulation (EU, Euratom) [XXX] [National and Regional Partnerships].

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 469
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

b) Strengthening the fundamentals of the enlargement process in line with the enlargement policy framework, including democracy, the rule of law, economic criteria, public administration reform, independent and efficient judiciary, fundamental rights, public procurement, statistics and financial control, justice, freedom, and security

b) Strengthening the fundamentals of the enlargement process in line with the enlargement policy framework, including democracy, the rule of law, economic criteria, public administration reform, independent and efficient judiciary, fundamental rights, public procurement, **preventing and combating corruption**, statistics and financial control, justice, freedom, and security

Or. pl

Amendment 470
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening the fundamentals of the enlargement process in line with the enlargement policy framework, including democracy, the rule of law, economic criteria, public administration reform, independent and efficient judiciary, fundamental rights, public procurement, statistics and financial control, justice, freedom, and security

Amendment

b) Strengthening the fundamentals of the enlargement process in line with the enlargement policy framework, including democracy, the rule of law, economic criteria, public administration reform, independent and efficient judiciary, fundamental rights, **gender equality**, public procurement, statistics and financial control, justice, freedom, and security

Or. en

Amendment 471
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Supporting the fight against organised crime, effectively strengthening migration management, **countering irregular** migration, supporting visa policy alignment as well as effective border management and, where applicable, preparation for Schengen accession;

Amendment

c) Supporting the fight against organised crime, effectively strengthening migration management, **combating illegal** migration, supporting visa policy alignment as well as effective border management and **full compliance with readmission obligations and**, where applicable, preparation for Schengen accession;

Or. en

Amendment 472
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Supporting the fight against organised crime, effectively strengthening migration management, countering

Amendment

c) Supporting the fight against organised crime, effectively strengthening migration management, countering

irregular migration, supporting visa policy alignment as well as effective border management and, where applicable, preparation for Schengen accession;

irregular migration **and human smuggling**, supporting visa policy alignment as well as effective border management and, where applicable, preparation for Schengen accession;

Or. pl

Amendment 473
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Supporting the fight against organised crime, **effectively strengthening migration management, countering irregular migration**, supporting visa policy **alignment** as well as **effective** border management and, where applicable, preparation for Schengen accession;

Amendment

c) Supporting the fight against organised crime **and against trafficking in human beings, promoting a human-rights based migration policy**, supporting visa policy as well as border management **based on international law** and, where applicable, preparation for Schengen accession;

Or. en

Amendment 474
Matjaž Nemec
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Supporting the fight against organised crime, effectively strengthening migration **management, countering irregular migration**, supporting visa policy alignment **as well as** effective border management and, where applicable, **preparation** for Schengen accession;

Amendment

c) Supporting the fight against organised crime, effectively strengthening migration **and asylum policies**, supporting visa policy alignment **and** effective border management and, where applicable, **preparing** for Schengen accession;

Or. en

Amendment 475

Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 1 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

f) Accelerating the alignment of candidate countries and potential candidates with the Union's climate and environmental standards and supporting their implementation;

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 476

Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 1 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

g) Reinforcing the effectiveness of public administration, building local capacities and investing in administrative staff in the beneficiary *countries*. **Supporting** transparency, accountability, structural reforms and good governance at all levels, including through the prevention of corruption and by strengthening engagement of public authorities with civil society actors. Improving national control systems in view of accession, including as regards their powers of oversight and inquiry over the distribution of and access to public funds as well as in the areas of public financial management and public procurement and State aid control;

Amendment

g) Reinforcing the effectiveness of public administration, building local capacities and investing in administrative staff in the beneficiary *countries*. **Supporting** transparency, accountability, structural reforms and good governance at all levels, including through the prevention **and combating** of corruption and by strengthening engagement of public authorities with civil society actors. Improving national control systems in view of accession, including as regards their powers of oversight and inquiry over the distribution of and access to public funds as well as in the areas of public financial management and public procurement and State aid control;

Or. pl

Amendment 477

Milan Uhrík

**Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point i**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- i) Moving towards full alignment of candidate countries and potential candidates with the Union Common Foreign and Security Policy, including Union restrictive measures;** **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 478

Mariusz Kamiński

**Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point j**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- j) Enhancing capacities for strategic communication, including to ensure public support for and understanding of Union values and the benefits and obligations of potential Union membership, while addressing foreign information manipulation and interference and disinformation;**
- j) Enhancing capacities for strategic communication, including to ensure public support for and understanding of Union values and the benefits and obligations of potential Union membership, while addressing foreign information manipulation and interference and disinformation, *in particular action by the Russian Federation aimed at destabilising the EU's neighbourhood and undermining their Euro-Atlantic orientation.***

Or. pl

Amendment 479

Charlie Weimers

**Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point j a (new)**

j a) Ensuring that candidate countries and potential candidates fully implement readmission agreements and support the effective return and remigration of their nationals illegally present in the Union, with Union funding made strictly conditional on measurable return rates and cooperation.

Or. en

Amendment 480
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(2) Building mutually beneficial partnerships with the Union's partners, including candidate countries and potential candidates, ***contributing to the Union's strategic interests and*** promoting the Union's values and a peaceful, stable, strong and united Europe.

(2) Building mutually beneficial partnerships with the Union's partners, including candidate countries and potential candidates, promoting the Union's values and a peaceful, stable, strong and united Europe.

Or. en

Amendment 481
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

c) Reinforcing the rule of law, including the fight against and prevention of corruption, and respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, including by combating discrimination and promoting gender equality and the women's and girls' rights and empowerment ***and*** preventing

c) Reinforcing the rule of law, including the fight against and prevention of corruption, and respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, including by combating discrimination and ***intersecting forms of discrimination and*** promoting gender equality and the women's and girls'

and **combating violence against women and domestic violence**. Facilitating judicial cooperation, promoting children's rights and the rights of persons with disabilities and accessibility, strengthening the rights of victims of crime and contributing to the strengthening of democracy and political stability;

rights and empowerment, preventing and **eliminating sexual and gender-based violence in all forms, and ensuring access to sexual and reproductive health and rights**. Facilitating judicial cooperation, promoting children's rights and the rights of persons with disabilities and accessibility, strengthening the rights of victims of crime and contributing to the strengthening of democracy and political stability

Or. en

Amendment 482
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Reinforcing **the rule of law, including** the fight against and prevention of corruption, and respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, including by combating discrimination and **promoting gender equality and the women's and girls' rights and empowerment and** preventing and combating violence **against women** and domestic violence. Facilitating judicial cooperation, promoting children's rights and the rights of persons with disabilities and accessibility, strengthening the rights of victims of crime and contributing to the strengthening of democracy and political stability;

Amendment

c) Reinforcing the fight against and prevention of corruption, and respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, including by combating discrimination and preventing and combating violence and domestic violence. Facilitating judicial cooperation, promoting children's rights and the rights of persons with disabilities and accessibility, strengthening the rights of victims of crime and contributing to the strengthening of democracy and political stability;

Or. en

Amendment 483
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Reinforcing the rule of law, including the fight against and prevention of corruption, and respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, including by combating discrimination and promoting ***gender equality and the women's and girls' rights and empowerment and preventing*** and combating ***violence against women and domestic*** violence. Facilitating judicial cooperation, promoting children's rights and the rights of persons with disabilities and accessibility, strengthening the rights of victims of crime and contributing to the strengthening of democracy and political stability;

Amendment

(c) Reinforcing the rule of law, including the fight against and prevention of corruption, and respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, including by combating discrimination and promoting ***equity between men and women*** and combating ***all forms of*** violence. Facilitating judicial cooperation, promoting children's rights and the rights of persons with disabilities and accessibility, strengthening the rights of victims of crime and contributing to the strengthening of democracy and political stability;

Or. it

Amendment 484
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point f a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

fa) Supporting territorial integrity, in particular by supporting action for the de-occupation or reintegration of candidate countries, or the restoration of their compliance with international law and the constitutional order;

Or. pl

Amendment 485
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point n

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

n) ***Fostering energy transition and***

n) Promoting energy security;

promoting energy security; investing in energy connectivity and **renewable** energies; promoting the use of clean energy sources in industry and transport; **promoting the integration of Union's value chain;**

investing in energy connectivity and **effective** energies; promoting the use of clean **and effective** energy sources in industry and transport;

Or. en

Amendment 486

Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 2 – point o

Text proposed by the Commission

o) Reinforcing environmental protection, **increasing resilience to climate change, accelerating the shift towards a climate neutral, positive biodiversity inclusive, sustainable green, blue and circular economy, strengthening the fight against environmental crime;**

Amendment

o) Reinforcing environmental protection;

Or. en

Amendment 487

Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 2 – point p

Text proposed by the Commission

p) Strengthening economic and social development and inclusion, with particular attention to women, children and youth, including through preventing brain drain, supporting vulnerable communities, promoting equality, cultural inclusion, quality education, training, reskilling and upskilling, and supporting employment policies, labour rights and effective social protection systems;

Amendment

p) Strengthening economic and social development and inclusion, with particular attention to women, children and youth, **disabled people, LGBTIQ+ community, migrants, Roma people and victims of trafficking,** including through preventing brain drain, supporting vulnerable communities, promoting equality **and non-discrimination,** cultural inclusion, quality education, training, reskilling and upskilling, and supporting employment

policies, labour rights and effective social protection systems;

Or. en

Amendment 488

Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation Annex II – point 2 – point p

Text proposed by the Commission

p) Strengthening economic and social development **and inclusion, with particular attention to women, children and youth, including** through preventing brain drain, supporting **vulnerable** communities, **promoting equality, cultural inclusion**, quality education, training, reskilling and upskilling, and supporting employment policies, labour rights and effective social protection systems;

Amendment

p) Strengthening economic and social development through preventing brain drain, supporting communities, quality education, training, reskilling and upskilling, and supporting employment policies, labour rights and effective social protection systems;

Or. en

Amendment 489

Matjaž Nemec

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation Annex II – point 2 – point q

Text proposed by the Commission

q) Strengthening partnerships on well-managed and safe migration and mobility via structured migration discussions and, where applicable and provided that conditions for well-managed and secure mobility are in place, developing and **support** the implementation of existing visa-free regimes, visa liberalisation dialogues and bilateral or regional agreements and arrangements with partner countries;

Amendment

q) Strengthening partnerships on well-managed and safe migration and mobility via structured migration discussions and, where applicable and provided that conditions for well-managed and secure mobility are in place, developing and **supporting the creation of new legal migration channels and** the implementation of existing visa-free regimes, visa liberalisation dialogues and bilateral or regional agreements and

arrangements with partner countries;

Or. en

Amendment 490
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point q

Text proposed by the Commission

q) Strengthening partnerships on well-managed and safe migration and mobility via structured migration discussions and, where applicable ***and provided that conditions for well-managed and secure mobility are in place***, developing and support the implementation of existing visa-free regimes, visa liberalisation dialogues and bilateral or regional agreements and arrangements with partner countries;

Amendment

q) Strengthening partnerships on well-managed and safe migration and mobility via structured migration discussions and, where applicable, developing and support the implementation of existing visa-free regimes, visa liberalisation dialogues and bilateral or regional agreements and arrangements with partner countries;

Or. en

Amendment 491
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point q

Text proposed by the Commission

q) Strengthening partnerships on ***well-managed and safe migration and mobility via structured migration discussions*** and, where applicable and provided that conditions for well-managed and secure mobility are in place, developing and support the implementation of existing visa-free regimes, visa liberalisation dialogues and bilateral or regional agreements and arrangements with partner countries;

Amendment

q) Strengthening partnerships on ***combating illegal*** migration and, where applicable ***in the case of candidate countries***, and provided that conditions for well-managed and secure mobility are in place, developing and support the implementation of existing visa-free regimes, visa liberalisation dialogues and bilateral or regional agreements and arrangements with partner countries;

Amendment 492
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point r a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

ra) Supporting border integrity and combating illegal migration;

Or. pl

Amendment 493
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point u

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

u) Strengthening awareness, understanding **and perception** of the European Union in partner countries through **strategic communication**.

u) Strengthening awareness **and** understanding of the European Union in partner countries through **providing all the facts about development, priorities, policies and regulations promoted from the level of the European Union**.

Or. en

Amendment 494
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

a) Helping maintaining the macro-financial stability of Ukraine and easing its external and internal financing constraints to ensure the continued functioning of the

a) Helping maintaining the macro-financial stability of Ukraine and easing its external and internal financing constraints to ensure the continued functioning of the Ukrainian state **only by those countries**

Ukrainian state;

that consider it necessary.

Or. en

Amendment 495
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Supporting the recovery, reconstruction and modernisation of Ukraine, in line with its accession path, by addressing the social, economic, security and environmental consequences of Russia's war of aggression in Ukraine and contributing to the rebuilding of vital infrastructure, including energy, transport and digital infrastructure, thereby contributing to social cohesion, resilience and to the post-war recovery of free, culturally vibrant Ukrainian society, including by supporting culture and cultural heritage and by creating the social and economic conditions for internally displaced persons and persons under temporary protection to go back to Ukraine once conditions allow, and reintegrating the veteran population.

Amendment

b) Supporting the **security**, recovery, reconstruction and modernisation of Ukraine, in line with its accession path, by addressing the social, economic, security and environmental consequences of Russia's war of aggression in Ukraine and contributing to the rebuilding of vital infrastructure, including energy, transport and digital infrastructure, thereby contributing to social cohesion, resilience and to the post-war recovery of free, culturally vibrant Ukrainian society, including by supporting culture and cultural heritage and by creating the social and economic conditions for internally displaced persons and persons under temporary protection to go back to Ukraine once conditions allow, and reintegrating the veteran population.

Or. pl

Amendment 496
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Developing mutually beneficial tailored partnerships, including through formal bilateral agreements and bilateral and regional dialogues, based on Union's

Amendment

b) Developing mutually beneficial tailored partnerships, including through formal bilateral agreements and bilateral and regional dialogues, based on Union's

leverage and local ownership, contributing to the Union's strategic interests, **and promoting the Union's values**;

leverage and local ownership, contributing to the Union's strategic interests;

Or. en

Amendment 497

Matjaž Nemeč

Proposal for a regulation Annex II – point 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Support the implementation of association agreements or other existing and future agreements and jointly agreed documents with the Southern Neighbourhood countries as listed in Annex I;

Amendment

c) Support the implementation of association agreements or other existing and future agreements and jointly agreed documents with the Southern Neighbourhood countries as listed in Annex I, **provided that such implementation remains contingent upon the full respect of international law and international law obligations by the parties involved**;

Or. en

Amendment 498

Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation Annex II – point 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Strengthening awareness, understanding and perception of the European Union in partner countries through **strategic communication**.

Amendment

d) Strengthening awareness, understanding and perception of the European Union in partner countries through **providing all the facts about development, priorities, policies and regulations promoted from the level of the European Union**.

Or. en

Amendment 499
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point c a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

c a) Promoting the women, peace and security agenda and ensuring that meaningful and equal participation of women is secured in all institutions and processes of conflict prevention, peace-making, peacebuilding and post-conflict rehabilitation;

Or. en

Amendment 500
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

d) Support security in areas of common interest, such as health security, maritime security, fight against organised crime counter-terrorism, and cyber security and cyber capacity-building;

d) Support security in areas of common interest, such as health security, ***the freedom of navigation***, maritime security, fight against organised crime counter-terrorism, and cyber security and cyber capacity-building;

Or. pl

Amendment 501
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

e) Stepping-up cooperation on terrorist and organised crime financing and anti-money laundering, judicial

e) Stepping-up cooperation on ***countering*** terrorist and organised crime financing and anti-money laundering,

cooperation, the fight against radicalisation and violent extremism, hybrid and cyber threats, the fight against impunity, corruption, organised crime and law enforcement;

judicial cooperation, the fight against radicalisation and violent extremism, hybrid and cyber threats, the fight against impunity, corruption, organised crime ***including human smuggling and trafficking*** and law enforcement;

Or. pl

Amendment 502
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

e) Stepping-up cooperation on terrorist and organised crime financing and anti-money laundering, judicial cooperation, the fight against radicalisation and violent extremism, ***hybrid and*** cyber threats, the fight against impunity, corruption, organised crime and law enforcement;

Amendment

e) Stepping-up cooperation on terrorist and organised crime financing and anti-money laundering, judicial cooperation, the fight against radicalisation and violent extremism, cyber threats, the fight against impunity, corruption, organised crime and law enforcement;

Or. en

Amendment 503
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Safeguarding the space for civil society, civic and non-state actors and independent media; supporting the fight against foreign information manipulation and interference, supporting local and regional capacities for human rights protection, including national human rights institutions;

Amendment

b) ***Strengthening and*** safeguarding the space for civil society, civic and non-state actors and independent media; supporting the fight against foreign information manipulation, ***gender disinformation*** and interference, supporting local and regional capacities for human rights protection, including national human rights institutions; ***supporting human rights defenders, including***

Amendment 504

Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 3 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Protecting and promoting human rights, **gender equality**, children's rights, the rights of persons with disabilities and fighting against child labour and discrimination on any ground;

Amendment

(c) Protecting and promoting human rights, **equity between men and women**, children's rights, the rights of persons with disabilities and fighting against child labour and discrimination on any ground;

Or. it

Amendment 505

Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 3 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Enhancing quality and relevance of education, health and access to health products and social protection systems; fostering universal health coverage;

Amendment

d) Enhancing quality and relevance of education, health and access to health products, **including sexual and reproductive health services and commodities**, and social protection systems; fostering universal health coverage;

Or. en

Amendment 506

Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 4 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

a) Supporting **Union** trade policy and trade and investment agreements and their implementation;

a) Supporting **mutually beneficial** trade policy and trade and investment agreements and their implementation;

Or. en

Amendment 507
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

d) **Improving the region's productive and export capacity of critical raw materials and inputs;**

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 508
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(6) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of migration, mobility and forced displacement

(6) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of migration, mobility and forced displacement, **with full conditionality**

Or. en

Amendment 509
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(6) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of migration, mobility and forced displacement

(6) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of **combating illegal** migration, mobility and forced displacement

Or. pl

Amendment 510
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of migration and forced displacement including through the EU agencies; strengthening local and international partnerships **on migration and forced displacement** along key migratory routes;

Amendment

a) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of **controlling** migration and **curbing** forced displacement including through the EU agencies, **and** strengthening local and international partnerships **in that area** along key migratory routes, **particularly with a view to containing irregular migration, providing assistance to displaced persons on the ground, combating migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings, and strengthening cooperation on readmission.**

Or. pl

Amendment 511
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) **Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of migration and forced displacement including through the EU agencies; strengthening local and international partnerships on migration and forced displacement along key migratory routes;**

Amendment

a) **Making all Union assistance conditional on the partner country's effective readmission of its own nationals and the actual implementation of return decisions;**

Amendment 512
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of **migration and forced displacement including through the EU agencies**; strengthening local and international partnerships on migration and forced displacement along key migratory routes;

Amendment

a) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of forced displacement; strengthening local and international partnerships on migration and forced displacement along key migratory routes;

Or. en

Amendment 513
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening **all aspects of migration and asylum governance; enhancing** border management, **including** quality of travel documents and visa systems; **strengthening the fight against** smuggling **of migrants** and trafficking **in human beings** and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission **and reintegration** of migrants; **as well as addressing the root causes of irregular migration and forced displacement;**

Amendment

b) Strengthening border management, quality of travel documents and visa systems; **fighting** smuggling and trafficking; and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission of migrants;

Or. en

Amendment 514

Matjaž Nemeč
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration and asylum governance; **enhancing border management, including quality of travel documents and visa systems**; strengthening **the fight against smuggling of migrants and trafficking in human beings** and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of migrants; as well as addressing the root causes of **irregular migration and** forced displacement;

Amendment

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration and asylum governance; strengthening **protection of the right to asylum with due respect for the rules of the Geneva Convention of 28 July 1951 and the Protocol of 31 January 1967 relating to the status of refugees**, fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of migrants; as well as addressing the root causes of forced displacement; **enhancing the quality of travel documents and visa systems**; **strengthening the fight against criminal smuggling of migrants and trafficking in human beings**;

Or. en

Amendment 515
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration and asylum governance; **enhancing border management, including quality of travel documents and visa systems**; strengthening the fight against **smuggling of migrants and** trafficking in human beings and fostering cooperation on safe, **dignified and sustainable returns, readmission** and reintegration of migrants; as well as addressing the root causes of **irregular migration and** forced displacement;

Amendment

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration and asylum governance; **ensuring** quality of travel documents and **access to** visa systems; strengthening the fight against trafficking in human beings and fostering cooperation on safe **and legal pathways** and reintegration of migrants; as well as addressing the root causes of forced displacement;

Amendment 516
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration and asylum governance; enhancing border management, including quality of travel documents and visa systems; strengthening the fight against smuggling of migrants and trafficking in human beings and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of migrants; as well as addressing the root causes of irregular migration and forced displacement;

Amendment

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration and asylum governance; enhancing border management, including ***the identification and*** quality of travel documents and visa systems; strengthening the fight against smuggling of migrants and trafficking in human beings, and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of migrants; as well as addressing the root causes of irregular migration and forced displacement;

Or. pl

Amendment 517
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) ***Supporting a comprehensive approach to and implementation of legal migration and mobility, including through mutually beneficial Talent Partnerships and exchanges, respecting the competences of the Member States;***

Amendment

c) Mutually beneficial Talent Partnerships and exchanges, respecting the competences of the Member States.

Or. pl

Amendment 518
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) ***Supporting a comprehensive approach to and implementation of legal migration and mobility, including through mutually beneficial Talent Partnerships and exchanges, respecting the competences of the Member States;***

Amendment

c) ***c) Providing targeted support for return hubs, voluntary remigration incentives and reintegration programmes to ensure returns occur without difficulties;***

Or. en

Amendment 519
Matjaž Nemec
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Supporting a comprehensive approach to and implementation of legal migration and mobility, including through mutually beneficial Talent Partnerships and exchanges, ***respecting the competences of the Member States;***

Amendment

c) Supporting a comprehensive approach to and implementation of legal migration and mobility, ***by exploring innovative solutions to expand legal migration channels,*** including through mutually beneficial Talent Partnerships and exchanges;

Or. en

Amendment 520
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) ***Contributing to the provision of international protection, including access to resettlement and complementary pathways, and support to refugees,***

Amendment

d) ***Addressing the causes enabling illegal migration while applying strict ‘more for more’ and ‘less for less’ leverage.’***

migrants, internally displaced persons, host communities, and to countries hosting significant refugee or displaced populations.

Or. en

Amendment 521
Matjaž Nemeč

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Contributing to the provision of international protection, including access to resettlement and complementary pathways, and support to refugees, migrants, internally displaced persons, host communities, and to countries hosting significant refugee or displaced populations.

Amendment

d) Contributing to the provision of international protection, including access to resettlement and complementary pathways, and support to refugees, migrants, internally displaced persons, host communities, and to countries hosting significant refugee or displaced populations, ***including to complement and support the work of international bodies and organisations such as UNRWA on the matter;***

Or. en

Amendment 522
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Contributing to the provision of international protection, including access to resettlement and complementary pathways, and support to refugees, migrants, internally displaced persons, host communities, and to countries hosting significant refugee or displaced populations.

Amendment

d) Contributing to the provision of international protection, including access to resettlement and complementary pathways, ***family reunification and humanitarian visas***, and support to refugees, migrants, internally displaced persons, host communities, and to countries hosting significant refugee or displaced populations.

Amendment 523
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Contributing to the provision of international protection, ***including access to resettlement and complementary pathways***, and support to refugees, migrants, internally displaced persons, host communities, and to countries hosting significant refugee or displaced populations.

Amendment

d) Contributing to the provision of international protection, ***primarily on the ground in the region***, and support to refugees, migrants, internally displaced persons, host communities, and to countries hosting significant refugee or displaced populations.

Or. pl

Amendment 524
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

e) Supporting ***Union*** trade policy and trade agreements and their implementation;

Amendment

e) Supporting ***mutually beneficial*** trade policy and trade agreements and their implementation;

Or. en

Amendment 525
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

f) Improving the region's capacity to sustainably produce and export critical

Amendment

deleted

raw materials and inputs;

Or. en

Amendment 526
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

j) Fostering the use of the Union's single currency for trade, financial services and investment within the region and with respect to the Union.

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 527
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(3) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of migration, mobility and forced displacement

(3) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of **combating illegal** migration, **controlling** mobility and **preventing** forced displacement

Or. pl

Amendment 528
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(3) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of migration, mobility and forced

(3) Enhancing cooperation on all aspects of migration, mobility and forced

displacement

displacement, *with full conditionality*

Or. en

Amendment 529
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) *Addressing the root causes of irregular migration and forced displacement;*

Amendment

a) *Making Union funding strictly conditional on effective readmission and high return rates of illegally staying nationals;*

Or. en

Amendment 530
Matjaž Nemec
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Addressing the root causes of *irregular migration and* forced displacement;

Amendment

a) Addressing the root causes of forced displacement;

Or. en

Amendment 531
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Addressing the root causes of *irregular migration and* forced

Amendment

a) Addressing the root causes of forced displacement;

displacement;

Or. en

Amendment 532

Matjaž Nemeč

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 3 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening migration governance and management, ***enhancing border management, the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings***, and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of irregular migrants;

Amendment

b) Strengthening ***all aspects of*** migration governance and management, ***strengthening protection of the right to asylum with due respect for the rules of the Geneva Convention of 28 July 1951 and the Protocol of 31 January 1967 relating to the status of refugees***, fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of irregular migrants; ***enhancing the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against criminal migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings***;

Or. en

Amendment 533

Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 3 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening migration governance ***and management, enhancing border management, the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings, and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and***

Amendment

b) Strengthening migration governance, border ***management/protection and the fight against illegal migration***, smuggling and trafficking;

reintegration of irregular migrants;

Or. en

Amendment 534
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening migration governance **and management, enhancing border management, the** quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against **migrant smuggling and** trafficking in human beings, and fostering cooperation on safe, **dignified and sustainable returns, readmission** and reintegration of **irregular** migrants;

Amendment

b) Strengthening **all aspects of** migration **and asylum** governance, **ensuring** quality of travel documents and **access to** visa systems, fighting against trafficking in human beings, and fostering cooperation on safe **and legal pathways** and reintegration of migrants;

Or. en

Amendment 535
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening migration governance and management, enhancing border management, the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings, and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of irregular migrants;

Amendment

b) Strengthening migration governance and management, enhancing border management, the quality of travel documents, **identification** and visa systems, fighting against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings, and fostering cooperation on safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of irregular migrants;

Or. pl

Amendment 536

Matjaž Nemeč

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 3 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Supporting and promoting the use of legal channels of migration and mobility, and encouraging diasporas' contributions to the development of the countries of origin;

Amendment

c) Supporting and promoting the use of legal channels of migration and mobility, ***and exploring innovative solutions to expand legal migration channels*** and encouraging diasporas' contributions to the development of the countries of origin;

Or. en

Amendment 537

Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 3 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) ***Supporting and promoting the use of legal channels of migration and mobility, and*** encouraging diasporas' contributions to the development of the countries of origin;

Amendment

c) Encouraging diasporas' contributions to the development of the countries of origin.

Or. pl

Amendment 538

Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 3 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Supporting ***and promoting the use of legal channels of migration and mobility, and encouraging diasporas'***

Amendment

c) ***c) Supporting practical measures for smooth returns and voluntary remigration, including but not limited to***

contributions to the development of the countries of origin;

return hubs;

Or. en

Amendment 539
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) *Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration, and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways.*

Amendment

d) *Only allowing limited legal migration where readmission obligations are fully met during an unbroken period of at least 15 years.*

Or. en

Amendment 540
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration, and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways.

Amendment

d) Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration, *family reunification, humanitarian visas* and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways.

Or. en

Amendment 541
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration, **and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways.**

Amendment

d) Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, **in particular providing assistance and shelter on the ground in the region of origin**, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration.

Or. pl

Amendment 542
Matjaž Nemeč
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including **voluntary repatriation**, local integration, and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways.

Amendment

d) Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to **international** protection and durable solutions, including local integration, **family reunification** and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways.

Or. en

Amendment 543
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(4) Promoting human development and ***gender equality***

(4) Promoting human development and ***equity between men and women***

Or. it

Amendment 544
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

a) Supporting greater access to and improved quality of education, healthcare services and health products and supporting food and nutrition security, and promoting access to climate resilient and safe water supply, sanitation and waste services;

a) Supporting greater access to and improved quality of education, healthcare services and health products, ***including sexual and reproductive health services and commodities***, and supporting food and nutrition security, and promoting access to climate resilient and safe water supply, sanitation and waste services;

Or. en

Amendment 545
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

c) Promoting gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls, preventing and ***combating*** violence ***against women and*** domestic violence protecting rights ***of persons with disabilities***, of young people and of children, and fighting child labour;

c) Promoting gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls, preventing and ***eliminating sexual and gender-based*** violence ***in all forms, including harmful practices such as*** domestic violence, ***early forced and child marriage and female genital mutilation, and ensuring access to sexual and reproductive health and rights; promoting and*** protecting ***the*** rights of young people and of children, and fighting child labour; ***promoting and protecting rights of***

persons with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 546

Milan Uhrík

**Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point c**

Text proposed by the Commission

c) ***Promoting gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls***, preventing and combating violence ***against women*** and domestic violence protecting rights of persons with disabilities, of young people and of children, and fighting child labour;

Amendment

c) Preventing and combating violence and domestic violence ***and*** protecting rights of persons with disabilities, of young people and of children, and fighting child labour;

Or. en

Amendment 547

Paolo Inselvini

**Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point c**

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Promoting ***gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls***, preventing and combating ***violence against women and domestic*** violence protecting rights of persons with disabilities, of young people and of children, and fighting child labour;

Amendment

(c) Promoting ***equity and complementarity between men and women***, preventing and combating ***all forms of*** violence, protecting rights of persons with disabilities, of young people and of children, and fighting child labour;

Or. it

Amendment 548

Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 5 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Protecting and promoting human rights, with specific attention to protect the most vulnerable, and democracy, safeguarding the space for civil society organisations and supporting freedom and pluralism of the media;

Amendment

a) Protecting and promoting human rights, with specific attention to protect the most vulnerable, and democracy, ***strengthening and*** safeguarding the space for civil society organisations and supporting freedom and pluralism of the media;

Or. en

Amendment 549 Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation Annex II – point 5 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Protecting and promoting human rights, with specific attention to protect the most vulnerable, and democracy, safeguarding the space for civil society organisations and supporting freedom and pluralism of the media;

Amendment

a) Protecting and promoting human rights, with specific attention to protect the most vulnerable, and ***freedom of speech,*** democracy, safeguarding the space for civil society organisations and supporting freedom and pluralism of the media;

Or. pl

Amendment 550 Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation Annex II – point 6 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Supporting peace, mediation, stability and conflict prevention;

Amendment

b) Supporting peace, mediation, stability and conflict prevention, ***post-conflict peacebuilding and transitional justice; supporting locally-led peacebuilding and implementing the women peace and security agenda;***

Amendment 551
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Increasing stability and security through judicial cooperation, the fight against impunity, organised crime, cyber and hybrid threats, violent extremism and terrorism;

Amendment

c) Increasing stability and security through **support for good governance, the fight against corruption**, judicial cooperation, the fight against impunity, organised crime, cyber and hybrid threats, violent extremism and terrorism;

Or. pl

Amendment 552
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point d a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

da) Informing about Russian colonialism and imperialism, including in the context of the Russian aggression against Ukraine, and preventing the recruitment of mercenaries to the war of aggression against Ukraine;

Or. pl

Amendment 553
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 7 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

f) Strengthening awareness,

Amendment

f) Strengthening awareness,

understanding and perception of the European Union in partner countries through *strategic communication*.

understanding and perception of the European Union in partner countries through *providing all the facts about development, priorities, policies and regulations promoted from the level of the European Union*.

Or. en

Amendment 554
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Supporting sustainable, safe, secure and resilient infrastructure and transport connectivity, including road, rail, air and maritime transport, and promoting smart and sustainable mobility, and the uptake of sustainable transport fuels;

Amendment

a) Supporting *the freedom of navigation and* sustainable, safe, secure and resilient infrastructure and transport connectivity, including road, rail, air and maritime transport, and promoting smart and sustainable mobility, and the uptake of sustainable transport fuels;

Or. pl

Amendment 555
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) *Fostering the use of the Union's single currency for trade, financial services and investment within the region and with respect to the Union;*

Amendment

deleted

Or. pl

Amendment 556
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

f) Facilitating and enhancing investments in critical raw materials and inputs, sustainable and competitive policies on extraction and treatment of minerals;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 557
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

c) Supporting cooperation on environmental challenges, *sustainable energy transition*, and improved regional energy connectivity as well as promoting energy access, *renewable energy* and energy efficiency; promoting the use of *clean* energy sources in industry and transport;

c) Supporting cooperation on environmental challenges and improved regional energy connectivity as well as promoting energy access and energy efficiency; promoting the use of *effective* energy sources in industry and transport;

Or. en

Amendment 558
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(3) Promoting human development and *gender equality*

(3) Promoting human development and *equity between men and women*

Or. it

Amendment 559
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Supporting access to and improved quality of education, healthcare services and health products and nutrition;

Amendment

a) Supporting access to and improved quality of education, healthcare services and health products, ***including sexual and reproductive health services and commodities***, and nutrition;

Or. en

Amendment 560
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Promoting ***gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls***, protecting rights of persons with disabilities and of children and fighting child labour, preventing and combating violence against women and domestic violence;

Amendment

(c) Promoting ***equity between men and women***, protecting rights of persons with disabilities and of children and fighting child labour, preventing and combating violence against women and domestic violence;

Or. it

Amendment 561
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Promoting gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls, protecting rights of persons with

Amendment

c) Promoting gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls, protecting rights of persons with

disabilities and of children and fighting child labour, preventing and **combating** violence *against women and domestic violence*;

disabilities and of children and fighting child labour, preventing and **eliminating** *sexual and gender based* violence **in all forms**;

Or. en

Amendment 562
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

(4) Enhancing cooperation **on all aspects of** migration, mobility and forced displacement

Amendment

(4) Enhancing cooperation **in regulating** migration, mobility and forced displacement

Or. pl

Amendment 563
Matjaž Nemeč
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Addressing the root causes of **irregular migration and** forced displacement;

Amendment

a) Addressing the root causes of forced displacement;

Or. en

Amendment 564
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

a) Addressing the root causes of ***irregular migration and*** forced displacement;

a) Addressing the root causes of forced displacement;

Or. en

Amendment 565

Matjaž Nemec

on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 4 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration governance and management, enhancing border management, ***including the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings and*** fostering cooperation in safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of irregular migrants;

Amendment

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration governance and management, enhancing border management, ***strengthening protection of the right to asylum with due respect for the rules of the Geneva Convention of 28 July 1951 and the Protocol of 31 January 1967 relating to the status of refugees,*** fostering cooperation in safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of irregular migrants, ***enhancing the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against criminal smuggling of migrants and trafficking in human beings;***

Or. en

Amendment 566

Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 4 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration governance ***and management, enhancing border management, including*** the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against ***migrant***

Amendment

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration ***and asylum*** governance, ***ensuring*** the quality of travel documents and ***access to*** visa systems, fighting against trafficking in human

smuggling and trafficking in human beings and fostering cooperation *in safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission* and reintegration of *irregular* migrants;

beings and fostering cooperation *on safe and legal pathways* and reintegration of migrants;

Or. en

Amendment 567
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Strengthening all aspects of migration *governance and management*, enhancing border management, including the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings and fostering cooperation in safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of irregular migrants;

Amendment

b) Strengthening all aspects of *fighting illegal* migration, enhancing border management, including the quality of travel documents and visa systems, fighting against migrant smuggling and trafficking in human beings and fostering cooperation in safe, dignified and sustainable returns, readmission and reintegration of irregular migrants;

Or. pl

Amendment 568
Matjaž Nemeč
on behalf of the S&D Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Supporting *and promoting the use* of legal channels of migration and mobility, and encouraging diasporas' contributions to the development of the countries of origin;

Amendment

c) Supporting *a comprehensive approach to and implementation* of legal channels of migration and mobility, *by exploring innovative solutions to expand legal migration channels* and encouraging diasporas' contributions to the development of the countries of origin;

Or. en

Amendment 569
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) ***Supporting and promoting the use of legal channels of migration and mobility, and*** encouraging diasporas' contributions to the development of the countries of origin;

Amendment

c) Encouraging diasporas' contributions to the development of the countries of origin.

Or. pl

Amendment 570
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, notably the most vulnerable migrants including children, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration, and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways.

Amendment

d) Supporting asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, notably the most vulnerable migrants including children, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration, ***family reunification, humanitarian visa*** and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways.

Or. en

Amendment 571
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) **Supporting** asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, notably the most vulnerable migrants including children, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration, **and access to resettlement as well as complementary pathways**.

Amendment

d) **Providing on-the-spot support in the region for** asylum seekers, refugees, internally displaced and stateless people, notably the most vulnerable migrants including children, as well as their host communities, and promoting their access to protection and durable solutions, including voluntary repatriation, local integration.

Or. pl

Amendment 572
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 6 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Increasing stability and security through judicial cooperation, the fight against **hybrid and** cyber threats, organised crime, illegal trafficking, violent extremism, and terrorism;

Amendment

c) Increasing stability and security through judicial cooperation, the fight against cyber threats, organised crime, illegal trafficking, violent extremism, and terrorism;

Or. en

Amendment 573
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Developing local added value and bi-regional value chains (including on clean energy **and critical raw materials and inputs**), inclusive and sustainable growth, promoting the development of sustainable production and value chains, research and innovation as well as decent

Amendment

a) Developing local added value and bi-regional value chains (including on clean energy), inclusive and sustainable growth, promoting the development of sustainable production and value chains, research and innovation as well as decent jobs, by building upon European

jobs, by building upon European
technology to diversify the economies;

technology to diversify the economies;

Or. en

Amendment 574
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

**f) Improving the region's productive
and export capacity of critical raw
materials with a sustainability focus;** **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 575
Milan Uhrík

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

**b) Facilitating trade *in goods subject
to the legislations related to the EU Green
Deal*;**

b) Facilitating trade;

Or. en

Amendment 576
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 2 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

**e) Fostering the use of the Union's
single currency for trade, financial
services and investment within the region** **deleted**

and with respect to the Union.

Or. pl

Amendment 577
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

ea) Preventing the recruitment of mercenaries to the armed forces of the Russian Federation carrying out an aggression against Ukraine, and performing outreach and educational activities concerning the threat stemming from Russian imperial policy;

Or. pl

Amendment 578
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

f) Increasing stability and security through the fight against **hybrid and** cyber threats, impunity, corruption, illegal trafficking, violent extremism, and terrorism;

f) Increasing stability and security through the fight against cyber threats, impunity, corruption, illegal trafficking, violent extremism, and terrorism;

Or. en

Amendment 579
Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Promoting ***gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls***, preventing and combating ***violence against women and domestic violence***, as well as promoting young people's empowerment in all policy areas and institutional processes;

Amendment

(b) Promoting ***equity between men and women***, preventing and combating ***all forms of violence***, as well as promoting young people's empowerment in all policy areas and institutional processes;

Or. it

Amendment 580
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Promoting gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls, preventing and ***combating violence against women and domestic violence***, as well as promoting young people's empowerment in all policy areas and institutional processes;

Amendment

b) Promoting gender equality and the rights and empowerment of women and girls, preventing and ***eliminating sexual and gender based violence in all forms***, as well as promoting young people's empowerment in all policy areas and institutional processes;

Or. en

Amendment 581
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point c a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

ca) ***Promoting cultural exchanges between artists opposing regimes through their work; promoting the experiences of central and eastern European countries in fighting communism, and raising awareness of these experiences in partner countries;***

Amendment 582
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

f) Enhancing cooperation on migration, ***including combatting migrant smuggling***, and human mobility;

Amendment

f) Enhancing cooperation on migration and human mobility;

Or. en

Amendment 583
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 5 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Promoting the role of culture and intercultural dialogue, cultural diversity in all its forms, and reinforcing cooperation on safeguarding, conservation and enhancement of cultural heritage;

Amendment

d) Promoting the role of culture and intercultural dialogue, cultural diversity in all its forms, and reinforcing cooperation on safeguarding, conservation and enhancement of cultural heritage; ***supporting anti-communist beliefs***;

Or. pl

Amendment 584
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Preventing and combatting health threats, such as pandemics and anti-microbial resistance, strengthening health systems and health equity, promoting

Amendment

a) Preventing and combatting health threats, such as pandemics and anti-microbial resistance, strengthening health systems and health equity, promoting

universal health coverage, ***and sexual and reproductive health*** and rights;

universal health coverage and rights;

Or. pl

Amendment 585

Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

a) Preventing and combatting health threats, such as pandemics and anti-microbial resistance, strengthening health systems and ***health equity***, promoting ***universal health coverage, and sexual and reproductive health and rights***;

Amendment

(a) Preventing and combatting health threats, such as pandemics and anti-microbial resistance, strengthening health systems and promoting ***equal access to care, while fully respecting fundamental freedoms and the individual rights of every citizen***;

Or. it

Amendment 586

Paolo Inselvini

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Promoting ***gender equality and empowerment of women and girls*** and addressing inequalities;

Amendment

(c) Promoting ***equity between men and women*** and addressing inequalities;

Or. it

Amendment 587

Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation

Annex II – point 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

e) Steering and contributing to the global agenda on ***the governance of*** migration and forced displacement and supporting the Union commitments in this regard;

Amendment

e) Steering and contributing to the global agenda on ***combating illegal*** migration and forced displacement and supporting the Union commitments in this regard;

Or. pl

Amendment 588
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

a a) Enhancing protection through emergency grants for human rights defenders and other civil society actors, while ensuring continued financial support for the ProtectDefenders.eu mechanism.

Or. en

Amendment 589
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

ba) Informing about Russian imperialism and colonialism and their tragic consequences; informing about the Russian aggression against Ukraine and the war crimes committed by Russia; preventing the recruitment of mercenaries to fight in the ranks of the criminal Russian army;

Or. pl

Amendment 590
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

c) Addressing threats to democracy, including foreign information manipulation and interference and disinformation, and supporting free and independent media;

Amendment

c) Addressing threats to democracy, including ***curbs on free speech and*** foreign information manipulation and interference and disinformation, and supporting free and independent media;

Or. pl

Amendment 591
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

d) Supporting and protecting the rule of law and international law, including through international justice mechanisms, transparency and accountability mechanisms.

Amendment

d) Supporting and protecting the rule of law and international law, including through international justice mechanisms, ***anti-corruption measures***, transparency and accountability mechanisms.

Or. pl

Amendment 592
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 3 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

e a) Prioritizing support for civil society organisations, journalists, lawyers, community leaders promoting human rights and the rule of law, with particular

attention to grassroots organisations.

Or. en

Amendment 593
Diana Riba i Giner

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

b) Tackling global threats, including, *hybrid*, space and cyber threats, promoting maritime and aviation security;

Amendment

b) Tackling global threats, including, space and cyber threats, promoting maritime and aviation security;

Or. en

Amendment 594
Mariusz Kamiński

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 4 – point c a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

ca) Contributing to preventing the circumvention of EU restrictive measures, in particular those targeting the Russian Federation.

Or. pl

Amendment 595
Charlie Weimers

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – point 5 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(5 a) Ensuring global conditionality on returns and readmission

a) Making all global and multi-country actions conditional on partner countries' fulfilment of readmission obligations and effective cooperation on the return and remigration of illegally staying or voluntarily returning nationals;

b) Supporting the establishment of return mechanisms worldwide to facilitate returns without logistical or administrative difficulties;

c) Applying automatic suspension or reduction of funding where third countries fail to take back their citizens or obstruct returns.

Or. en