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AMENDMENTS

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Draft report

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Report on the implementation of Directive 2012/29/EU establishing minimum standards on the rights, support and protection of victims of crime (2016/2328(INI))

Amendment 1

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Brando Benifei, Michaela Šojdrová, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Gérard Deprez, Monika Beňová, Lara Comi, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Merja Kyllönen, Marijana Petir, Hilde Vautmans, Kinga Gál, Tokia Saïfi, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution

Citation 4 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the UN
Convention on the Right of the Child;*

Or. en

Amendment 2

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Citation 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the United
Nations Declaration of Basic Principles of
Justice for Victims of Crime and Abuse of
Power, adopted on 29 November 1985,*

Or. fr

Amendment 3

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Monika Beňová, Carlos Coelho, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution

Citation 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Having regard to the European Parliament Resolution on the EU accession to the Istanbul Convention to prevent and combat violence against women and domestic violence of 12 September 2017;*

Or. en

Amendment 4

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Citation 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to Council Directive 2004/80/EC of 29 April 2004 relating to compensation to crime victims,*

Or. fr

Amendment 5

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Monika Beňová, Carlos Coelho, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Kinga Gál, Hilde Vautmans, Tokia Saïfi, Louis Michel, Julie Ward, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution

Citation 9 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to Directive (EU) 2016/800 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 May 2016 on procedural safeguards for children who are suspects or accused persons in criminal proceedings,*

Or. en

Amendment 6

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Citation 11 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to Regulation (EU) No 606/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 June 2013 on mutual recognition of protection measures in civil matters,*

Or. fr

Amendment 7

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Monika Beňová, Carlos Coelho, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Marijana Petir, Hilde Vautmans, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Louis Michel, Tokia Saïfi, Julie Ward, Kinga Gál

Motion for a resolution

Citation 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Having regard to Directive 2011/92/EU on combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children online and offline and to the European Parliament Resolution on the implementation of the Directive of 14 December 2017;*

Or. en

Amendment 8

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

Motion for a resolution

Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the study by the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA) entitled 'Severe labour exploitation: workers moving within or into the European Union ', published in June 2015,*

Or. en

Amendment 9

Maria Gabriela Zoană

Motion for a resolution

Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights' report entitled 'Violence against women: an EU-widesurvey', published in March 2014,*

Or. en

Amendment 10

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Citation 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the European Parliament study of September 2017 entitled 'How can the EU and the Member States better help victims of terrorism?'*

Or. fr

Amendment 11

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Soraya Post, Miltiadis Kyrkos, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the survey by the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA) entitled 'Second European Union minorities and discrimination survey', published in December 2017,*

Or. en

Amendment 12

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Barbara Matera, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Julie Ward, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Monika Beňová, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Tokia Saïfi, Kinga Gál, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Merja Kyllönen

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Having regard to the study by the European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (FRA) entitled 'Child-friendly justice - Perspectives and experiences of children involved in judicial proceedings as victims, witnesses or parties in nine EU Member States', published in February 2017,*

Or. en

Amendment 13

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Gérard Deprez, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Hilde Vautmans, Tokia Saïfi, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution
Citation 15 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***Having regard to the FRA Fundamental Rights Report 2017, published June 2017***

Or. en

Amendment 14
Sophia in 't Veld, Malin Björk, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***having regard to the Yogyakarta Principles plus 10 of 10 November 2017 on the Principles and State Obligations on the Application of International Human Rights Law in Relation to Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, Gender Expression and Sex Characteristics;***

Or. en

Amendment 15
Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***having regard to the Yogyakarta Principles plus 10 of 10 November 2017 on the Principles and State Obligations on the Application of International Human Rights Law in Relation to Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, Gender Expression and Sex Characteristics;***

Or. en

Amendment 16

Sophia in 't Veld, Malin Björk, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution

Citation 20 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Council of Europe Recommendation CM/Rec(2006)8 of 14 June 2006 of the Committee of Ministers to member states on assistance to crime victims;*

Or. en

Amendment 17

Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution

Citation 20 e (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Council of Europe Recommendation CM/Rec(2006)8 of 14 June 2006 of the Committee of Ministers to member states on assistance to crime victims;*

Or. en

Amendment 18

Malin Björk, Sophia in 't Veld, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution

Citation 20 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Council of Europe Recommendation CM/Rec(2010)5 of 31 March 2010 of the Committee of Ministers to member states on measures to combat discrimination on grounds of*

sexual orientation and gender identity;

Or. en

Amendment 19
Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution
Citation 20 f (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *having regard to the Council of Europe Recommendation CM/Rec(2010)5 of 31 March 2010 of the Committee of Ministers to member states on measures to combat discrimination on grounds of sexual orientation and gender identity;*

Or. en

Amendment 20
Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

A. whereas Directive 2012/29/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 establishing minimum standards on the rights, support and protection of victims of crime ('Victims' Rights Directive') seeks to place the victim of a crime at the centre of the criminal justice system, and aims to strengthen the rights of victims of crime so that any victim can rely on the same level of rights, no matter where the offence took place *or* their nationality;

A. whereas Directive 2012/29/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 establishing minimum standards on the rights, support and protection of victims of crime ('Victims' Rights Directive') seeks to place the victim of a crime at the centre of the criminal justice system, and aims to strengthen the rights of victims of crime so that any victim can rely on the same level of rights, no matter where the offence took place, their nationality *or residence status*;

Or. en

Amendment 21

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Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Recital B

Motion for a resolution

B. whereas 23 out of 27 Member States have transposed the Victims' Rights Directive into national legislation as of September 2017; whereas the Commission has started 16 infringement procedures against Member States that are still not fully compliant in practice; whereas the directive has made it possible to initiate progress in dealing with victims of crime in another Member State;

Amendment

B. whereas 23 out of 27 Member States have transposed the Victims' Rights Directive into national legislation as of September 2017; whereas the Commission has started 16 infringement procedures against Member States that are still not fully compliant in practice; whereas the directive has made it possible to initiate progress in dealing with victims of crime in another Member State; ***whereas shortcomings remain in cross-border cases;***

Or. es

Amendment 22

Tomáš Zdechovský, Barbara Matera

Motion for a resolution

Recital B a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

B a. Whereas there are unified standards and instruments on a European level to benefit the lives of EU citizens, victims of crime are still treated differently in every country;

Or. en

Amendment 23

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Recital C

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

C. whereas despite many changes

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introduced in Member States, victims still often lack awareness of their rights, undermining the Victims' Rights Directive's effectiveness on the ground;

introduced in Member States, victims still often lack awareness of their rights, undermining the Victims' Rights Directive's effectiveness on the ground, ***in particular the requirement of accessibility of information***;

Or. en

Amendment 24

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

C a. Whereas victim support groups encompass the needs of victims, amongst their legal support, into four necessities: the right to justice, dignity, truth and memory, by which the later stands for rebuking terrorism unconditionally

Or. en

Amendment 25

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

**Motion for a resolution
Recital D**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D. whereas some Member States show a lack of coordination between various victim support services, both locally and regionally;

D. whereas some Member States show a lack of coordination between various victim support services, both locally and regionally; ***whereas support infrastructure for victims is highly fragmented in the majority of Member States, which makes it difficult for them to access the existing support services***;

Or. es

Amendment 26
Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas some Member States show a lack of coordination between various victim support services, both locally and regionally;

Amendment

D. whereas some Member States show ***an absence of victim support services, as well as*** a lack of coordination between various victim support services, both locally and regionally;

Or. en

Amendment 27
Tomáš Zdechovský, Barbara Matera

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas some Member States show a lack of coordination between various victim support services, ***both*** locally ***and*** regionally;

Amendment

D. whereas some Member States show a lack of coordination between various victim support services, locally, regionally ***as well as internationally***;

Or. en

Amendment 28
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Recital D

Motion for a resolution

D. whereas some Member States show a lack of coordination between various victim support services, ***both*** locally and regionally;

Amendment

D. whereas some Member States show a lack of coordination between various victim support services, ***nationally***, locally and regionally;

Or. es

Amendment 29

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D a. whereas women's shelters and centres, together with women's helplines, are core agencies for the support of women victims of violence and their children; whereas there is a lack of adequate women's shelter and centres provision in Europe and more shelters are urgently required since women's shelters provide safety, accommodation, counselling and support to women survivors of domestic violence and their children; whereas the lack of women's shelters can jeopardize lives;

Or. en

Amendment 30

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

D a. Whereas a Member State does not sufficiently cooperate with the Member State of residence in order to facilitate assistance for the victim in the case the victim does not reside in the Member State where the act of terrorism took place,

Or. en

Amendment 31

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Recital D a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Da. whereas if the institutions took effective and protective action to help the victims, citizens would support and trust the institutions and it would boost their role;

Or. es

Amendment 32

Maria Gabriela Zoană

Motion for a resolution

Recital E

Motion for a resolution

E. whereas a wide range of health professionals are likely to come into contact with victims, especially victims of gender-based violence, and are often initially contacted by the victim to report a crime;

Amendment

E. whereas a wide range of health professionals are likely to come into contact with victims, especially victims of gender-based violence, and are often initially contacted by the victim to report a crime; ***whereas evidence shows that health professionals, such as doctors and other clinical professionals, receive limited training in responding effectively to gender-based violence;***

Or. en

Amendment 33

Maria Gabriela Zoană

Motion for a resolution

Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E a. whereas women victims of gender-based violence always require special support and protection, due to their particular vulnerability to secondary and repeat victimization;

Or. en

Amendment 34
Soraya Post

Motion for a resolution
Recital E a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

E a. whereas gender-based and interpersonal violence is the reality of almost all of us;

Or. en

Amendment 35
Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of ***domestic*** violence in the EU, particularly in cases involving minorities, ***LGBT*** persons, antisemitic offences and gender-based violence;

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of violence in the EU, particularly in cases involving minorities, ***migrants, people with dependent or precarious residence status, LGBTI*** persons, antisemitic offences, ***domestic*** and gender-based violence, ***trafficking and forced labour victims***;

Or. en

Amendment 36
Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdová, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Monika Beňová, Hilde Vautmans, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Barbara Matera, Louis Michel, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution
Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of domestic violence in the EU, particularly in cases involving minorities, LGBT persons, antisemitic offences and gender-based violence;

Amendment

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of domestic violence in the EU, particularly in cases involving minorities, LGBT persons, antisemitic offences, *child sexual abuse* and gender-based violence;

Or. en

Amendment 37

Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of domestic violence in the EU, particularly in cases involving minorities, *LGBT* persons, antisemitic offences and gender-based violence;

Amendment

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of domestic violence in the EU, particularly in cases involving minorities, *LGBTI* persons, antisemitic offences and gender-based violence;

Or. en

Amendment 38

Sophia in 't Veld, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of domestic violence in the EU, particularly in cases involving minorities, *LGBT* persons, antisemitic offences and gender-based violence;

Amendment

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of domestic violence in the EU, particularly in cases involving minorities, *LGBTI* persons, antisemitic offences and gender-based violence;

Or. en

Amendment 39

Harald Vilimsky, Auke Zijlstra, Nicolas Bay, Gilles Lebreton

Motion for a resolution

Recital F

Motion for a resolution

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of domestic violence in the EU, ***particularly in cases involving minorities, LGBT persons, antisemitic offences and gender-based violence;***

Amendment

F. whereas there is still a systematic underreporting of incidences or perpetrators of domestic ***and religiously, in particular anti-Semitic and anti-Christian motivated*** violence in the EU;

Or. en

Amendment 40

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F a. whereas hate crimes against LGBTI persons is an EU -wide reality, and whereas there is underreporting of these crimes, and the rights of victims therefore are not respected,

Or. en

Amendment 41

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F a. whereas even if under Article 1 of the Directive all victims of crime are granted equal rights without discrimination, in reality most Member States have not put in place policies or

processes to ensure that undocumented victims can safely report labour exploitation, gender-based violence, and other forms of abuse without the risk of immigration penalties, perpetuating their vulnerability to abuse and impunity for perpetrators; whereas due to the lack of these policies or processes, crimes go unreported and make society less safe; whereas this reality disproportionately affects women and girls, who are also more exposed to trafficking and sexual exploitation;

Or. en

Amendment 42

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Soraya Post, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Dietmar Köster, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F a. whereas the FRA study "Making hate crime visible in the European Union: acknowledging victims' rights" states that an immigrant status enhances the risk of being criminally victimised, independent of other known risk factors;

Or. en

Amendment 43

Maria Gabriela Zoană

Motion for a resolution

Recital F a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F a. whereas about two-thirds of women victims of gender-based violence do not report to an authority, because they fear retaliation, embarrassment and social

stigma;

Or. en

Amendment 44

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Soraya Post, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

Motion for a resolution

Recital F b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F b. whereas Article 1 of the Directive states that the rights set out in the Directive shall apply to victims in a non-discriminatory manner, including with respect to their residence status;

Or. en

Amendment 45

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital F b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F b. whereas racist hate crimes against migrants and asylum seekers have increased throughout EU member states and whereas very few perpetrators of these hate crime are brought to justice;

Or. en

Amendment 46

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

Motion for a resolution

Recital F c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F c. whereas the FRA study on "Severe labour exploitation: workers moving within or into the European Union" states that victims of severe labour exploitation who are in an irregular situation of residence are discouraged by their status from reporting to any public authority;

Or. en

Amendment 47

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital F c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F c. whereas the #MeToo has highlighted that the justice system does not sufficiently deliver justice and protection to women and girls and that victims of gender based violence as a consequence does not receive the necessary support

Or. en

Amendment 48

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Soraya Post, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Dietmar Köster, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kshetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

Motion for a resolution

Recital F d (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

F d. whereas the FRA survey "Second European Union minorities and discrimination survey" states that only one out of eight respondents reported or filed a complaint about the most recent incident of discrimination they experienced because of their ethnic or

immigrant background;

Or. en

Amendment 49

Judith Sargentini, Florent Marcellesi
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas victims are all too often unexpectedly informed of the release of an offender through media or other external factors;

Amendment

G. whereas victims are *often not well informed of the process and its outcomes; whereas* all too often *victims are* unexpectedly informed of the release of an offender through media or other external factors;

Or. en

Amendment 50

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Marijana Petir, Barbara Matera

Motion for a resolution

Recital G

Motion for a resolution

G. whereas victims are all too often unexpectedly informed of the release of an offender through media or other external factors;

Amendment

G. whereas victims are all too often unexpectedly informed of the release of an offender through media or other external factors, *instead of being informed by competent authorities;*

Or. en

Amendment 51

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital G a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G a. whereas the definition of gender based violence should be based on the Istanbul convention, and also acknowledge the structural nature of violence against women and other forms of gender-based violence and its links to inequality between women and men that remains prevalent in society; whereas violence in close relationship, needs to be seen from a gender dimension because ‘violence in close relationship’ affects women disproportionately;

Or. en

Amendment 52

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G a. Whereas in a considerable number of cases the victim is also the most important witness in the trial and needs to be protected from possible retaliatory or threatening behaviour from the offender; therefore the need for security should be extended to include prevention of repeat or secondary victimisation;

Or. en

Amendment 53

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G b. Whereas victims and family members are not sufficiently informed

about their rights when a crime has occurred in a Member State other than where the victim resides; Whereas different definitions of the concept of 'victim' exist across Member States where national legislations extend coverage to differing degrees, e.g. to family members;

Or. en

Amendment 54
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Recital G b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

G b. whereas easily accessible and widely publicised helpline numbers are for many women the first step towards the help and support they need when they are experiencing violence in close relationships;

Or. en

Amendment 55
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

H. whereas stalking as a specific offense has not been taken into account in the criminal codes of seven Member States;

H. whereas women are the ones who are the most exposed to stalking, which is a common form of gender-based violence, and whereas stalking as a specific offense has not been taken into account in the criminal codes of seven Member States;

Or. en

Amendment 56

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Recital H a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

H a. Whereas certain rights such as the right to financial aid and compensation where not granted to or properly executed to the victims of the 2016 terrorist attacks in Brussels in accordance with the provisions the Victims' Directive foresees;

Or. en

Amendment 57

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Hilde Vautmans, Barbara Matera, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Monika Beňová, Carlos Coelho, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Tokia Saïfi, Louis Michel, Julie Ward, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution

Recital H a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

H a. whereas the ratification and full implementation of the Istanbul Convention provides a coherent European legal framework to prevent and combat violence against women and to protect the victims;

Or. en

Amendment 58

Angelika Mlinar, Malin Björk, Iratxe García Pérez, Florent Marcellesi

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ensuring equal accessibility *for* all

- ensuring equal accessibility *to* all

victims to victim support services, particularly in *the* cases of **LGBT** victims and victims of hate *crimes* and honour-related crimes;

victims, *including persons with disabilities, LGBTI persons and child victims*, to victim support services, particularly in cases of victims of *gender-based violence, including sexual violence*, and victims of hate *crime* and honour-related crimes;

Or. en

Amendment 59

Harald Vilimsky, Auke Zijlstra, Nicolas Bay, Gilles Lebreton

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services, *particularly in the cases of LGBT victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes*;

Amendment

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services;

Or. en

Amendment 60

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services, *particularly* in the cases of **LGBT** victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

Amendment

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support *and specialist support* services, *including* in the cases of *gender-based violence victims, LGBTI* victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

Or. en

Amendment 61

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Judith Sargentini, Florent Marcellesi
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Recital I – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services, particularly in the cases of LGBT victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

Amendment

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services, particularly in the cases of LGBT victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes, ***regardless of their residence status***;

Or. en

Amendment 62

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Kinga Gál, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution
Recital I – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services, particularly in the cases of LGBT victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

Amendment

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services, particularly in the cases of ***child victims***, LGBT victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

Or. en

Amendment 63

Sophia in 't Veld, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Recital I – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services,

Amendment

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services,

particularly in the cases of **LGBT** victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

particularly in the cases of **LGBTI** victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

Or. en

Amendment 64
Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution
Recital I – indent 4

Motion for a resolution

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services, particularly in the cases of **LGBT** victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

Amendment

- ensuring equal accessibility for all victims to victim support services, particularly in the cases of **LGBTI** victims and victims of hate crimes and honour-related crimes;

Or. en

Amendment 65
Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution
Recital I – indent 5

Motion for a resolution

- guaranteeing rapid, efficient and victim-sensitive procedures in criminal court cases;

Amendment

- guaranteeing rapid, efficient and victim-sensitive procedures in criminal court cases ***that take account of the special needs of the most vulnerable groups;***

Or. es

Amendment 66
Sophia in 't Veld, Malin Björk, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Recital I – indent 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Collecting data on and analysing the culture of violence, misogyny and gender stereotypes, and their link with the incidence of hate crimes.*

Or. en

Amendment 67

Caterina Chinnici, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Whereas witness testimony is crucial to the proper functioning of the criminal justice system in any state upholding the rule of law;*

Or. en

Amendment 68

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *To provide specific support services for victims of gender based violence, including women, girls and LGBTQI persons.*

Or. en

Amendment 69

Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 5 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *briefing victims on their aggressors' situation under criminal or procedural law;*

Or. es

Amendment 70

Caterina Chinnici, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 5 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Whereas witnesses are essential for the effective investigation on and prosecution of organised crime and terrorist groups, which often finance their activities through transnational human trafficking, minors sexual exploitation and trade in child sexual abuse material;*

Or. en

Amendment 71

Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 5 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- *Collecting data on and analysing the culture of violence, misogyny and gender stereotypes, and their link with the incidence of hate crimes.*

Or. en

Amendment 72

Caterina Chinnici, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Recital I – indent 5 c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***Whereas witness contribution is fundamental to dismantle transnational criminal organisations as well as terrorist groups;***

Or. en

Amendment 73

Angelika Mlinar

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I a. Whereas victims of crime regularly report that enduring the process of justice is itself a type of victimization - a secondary or re-victimization; whereas factors that impact how victims experience the system include how they are treated during the process, and the amount of control and participatory access that they have;

Or. en

Amendment 74

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar, Maite

Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I a. Whereas victims of terrorism have suffered attacks that are intended ultimately to harm society or a larger group they represent. They therefore need special attention, support and social recognition due to the particular nature of

the crime that has been committed against them;

Or. en

Amendment 75

Harald Vilimsky, Auke Zijlstra, Nicolas Bay, Gilles Lebreton

Motion for a resolution

Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I a. whereas the common European approach on supporting and protecting victims was irreparably damaged by the German government and its dishonourable treatment of the victims of the Breitscheidplatz terror-act;

Or. en

Amendment 76

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Soraya Post, Miltiadis Kyrkos, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

Motion for a resolution

Recital I a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I a. whereas only 27% of Europeans are familiar with the single European emergency telephone number 112, and not everyone has access to it yet;

Or. en

Amendment 77

Angelika Mlinar

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

Recital I b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

I b. Whereas specific attention must be given to the safety and protection of the children of women victims of gender based violence and domestic violence;

Or. en

Amendment 78

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Barbara Matera

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1. Deplores that the Commission has not submitted a report to Parliament and to the Council on the application of the Victims' Rights Directive by November 2017, in accordance with Article 29 of the directive;

1. Deplores that the Commission has not submitted a report to Parliament and to the Council on the application of the Victims' Rights Directive by November 2017, in accordance with Article 29 of the directive; ***calls on the Member States to cooperate and send all relevant data and statistics to the Commission in order to facilitate its assessment on the implementation of the Directive;***

Or. en

Amendment 79

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Dietmar Köster, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

1. ***Deplores*** that the Commission has not submitted a report to Parliament and to the Council on the application of the Victims' Rights Directive by November 2017, in accordance with Article 29 of the

1. ***Criticizes*** that the Commission has not submitted a report to Parliament and to the Council on the application of the Victims' Rights Directive by November 2017, in accordance with Article 29 of the

directive;

directive;

Or. en

Amendment 80

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Miltiadis Kyrkos, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Dietmar Köster, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2

Motion for a resolution

2. **Regrets** that two years after transposition was due, only 23 out of 27 Member States had officially transposed the Victims' Rights Directive by September 2017, and among these, some are only partially compliant and only on some provisions;

Amendment

2. **Criticizes** that two years after transposition was due, only 23 out of 27 Member States had officially transposed the Victims' Rights Directive by September 2017, and among these, some are only partially compliant and only on some provisions;

Or. en

Amendment 81

Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 4 – introductory part

Motion for a resolution

4. Deplores, however, the remaining important shortcomings in the transposition and implementation of the directive in many Member States, in particular as regards:

Amendment

4. Deplores, however, the remaining important shortcomings in the transposition and implementation of the directive in many Member States, in particular as regards:
- lack of legal aid (lawyer)

Or. ro

Amendment 82

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- weak links in the victim support system and inconsistent referral mechanisms,

Amendment

- weak links in the victim support system, ***including lack of sufficient access to legal aid and compensation*** and inconsistent referral mechanisms,

Or. en

Amendment 83
Angelika Mlinar, Malin Björk, Iratxe García Pérez, Florent Marcellesi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 1

Motion for a resolution

- weak links in the victim support system and inconsistent referral mechanisms,

Amendment

- ***shortcomings in victim support services, including*** weak links in the victim support system and inconsistent referral mechanisms,

Or. en

Amendment 84
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 1 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***the complexity of procedures to access the support services for the victims' problems;***

Or. es

Amendment 85
Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Monika Beňová, Elissavet

Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Louis Michel, Tokia Saïfi, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Kinga Gál, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 2

Motion for a resolution

- the fact that clear information is often not provided in more than one language,

Amendment

- the fact that clear information is often not provided in more than one language, ***making it de facto difficult for victims to seek protection abroad in another Member State;***

Or. en

Amendment 86
Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***the absence of measures taken to ensure that the lack of or uncertain residence status poses no barrier to victims' ability to assert their right to safely report crime, obtain protection, services and justice under the directive;***

Or. en

Amendment 87
Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 4 – indent 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

- ***the lack of financial support for services and the lack of coordination between support services;***

Or. es

Amendment 88
Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some victims of gender-based violence – such as minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons) migrant workers and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

Amendment

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some victims of gender-based violence – such as minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons) migrant workers and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised, ***making it necessary to ensure the presence of a qualified legal expert to assist victims;***

Or. ro

Amendment 89
Beatriz Becerra Basterrechea

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some victims of gender-based violence – such as ***minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons)*** migrant workers and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information

Amendment

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some victims of gender-based violence – such as migrant workers and victims of human trafficking (***for language reasons***) – may have difficulties in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

Or. en

Amendment 90
Jérôme Lavrilleux

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some victims of gender-based violence – such as minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons) migrant workers and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

Amendment

5. Highlights the **vital** importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some victims of gender-based violence – such as minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons) migrant workers and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

Or. fr

Amendment 91
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some victims of gender-based violence – such as minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons) **migrant workers** and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties

Amendment

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some victims of gender-based violence – such as minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons) **migrants** and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties in

in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

Or. en

Amendment 92

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5

Motion for a resolution

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some **victims of gender-based violence** – such as minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons) migrant workers and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

Amendment

5. Highlights the importance of conducting the first contact with the victim properly, especially in the case of victims of gender-based violence; notes, however, that some **of the most vulnerable victims** – such as minors and uneducated, disabled or elderly victims, as well as (for language reasons) migrant workers and victims of human trafficking – may have difficulties in understanding the information that is communicated to them and, as a result, their right to information stipulated in Article 4 of the directive will not be fully exercised;

Or. es

Amendment 93

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 5 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Notes that Article 4 on the Right to receive specific information in simple and accessible language without unnecessary delay from the first contact with a competent authority is one of the strengths of the Directive, as it helps to

enable victims to exercise their rights to available support and protection as set out in the Directive;

Or. en

Amendment 94
Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Encourages the Member States to promote access to justice, as this contributes greatly to increasing the victim's sense of justice, decreases the possibility of impunity and allows the victim to begin the process of psychological recovery;

Amendment

6. Encourages the Member States to promote *easy and free-of-charge* access to justice *in all the proposals considered in the Directive*, as this contributes greatly to increasing the victim's sense of justice, decreases the possibility of impunity and allows the victim to begin the process of psychological recovery;

Or. es

Amendment 95
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Encourages the Member States to promote access to justice, as this contributes greatly to increasing the victim's sense of justice, decreases the possibility of impunity and allows the victim to begin the process of psychological recovery;

Amendment

6. Encourages the Member States to promote access to justice, *to provide it free of charge and with adequate legal aid*, as this contributes greatly to increasing the victim's sense of justice, decreases the possibility of impunity and allows the victim to begin the process of psychological recovery;

Or. es

Amendment 96

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Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Monika Beňová, Carlos Coelho, Michela Giuffrida, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Hilde Vautmans, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Louis Michel, Tokia Saïfi, Kinga Gál, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Barbara Matera, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. **Encourages** the Member States to promote access to justice, as this contributes greatly to increasing the victim's sense of justice, decreases the possibility of impunity and allows the victim to begin the process of psychological recovery;

Amendment

6. **calls on** the Member States to promote access to justice, as this contributes greatly to **breaking the silence and** increasing the victim's sense of justice, decreases the possibility of impunity and allows the victim to begin the process of psychological recovery;

Or. en

Amendment 97

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6

Motion for a resolution

6. Encourages the Member States to promote access to justice, as this contributes greatly to increasing the victim's **sense of** justice, decreases the possibility of impunity and allows the victim to begin the process of psychological recovery;

Amendment

6. Encourages the Member States to promote access to justice, as this contributes greatly to increasing the victim's **trust in the criminal justice system**, decreases the possibility of impunity and allows the victim to begin the process of psychological recovery;

Or. en

Amendment 98

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Underlines that the lack of providing information to the victim before, during and after criminal proceedings results in a poor enjoyment of victim's rights, dissatisfaction towards the justice system and discourages the victim to actively participate in the criminal proceedings;

Or. en

Amendment 99

Angelika Mlinar

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7

Motion for a resolution

7. Deplores that too many Member States have failed to implement, in their legislation, individual victim assessments, leading to inefficiency when it comes to detecting and identifying their specific needs, to treating them with respect and dignity and, as a consequence, to granting them protection in accordance with their specific needs;

Amendment

7. Deplores that too many Member States have failed to implement, in their legislation, individual victim assessments, leading to inefficiency when it comes to detecting and identifying their specific needs, to treating them with respect and dignity and, as a consequence, to granting them protection in accordance with their specific needs, *including the specific protection needs for children of victims of gender based violence*;

Or. en

Amendment 100

Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 7 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

7a. Notes that failure to transpose the directive on the rights of victims into national law in certain Member States means that the citizens of those

Member States suffer discrimination when it comes to upholding their rights as European citizens;

Or. ro

Amendment 101

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 8 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Notes that due to other instruments addressing similar successive additions to the victims' rights, it complicates coherence with the victims' directive;

Or. en

Amendment 102

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 9

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9. Recalls that EU citizens and third country nationals not resident in the EU country where they fall victim to a crime should enjoy the same level of rights as a resident and/or national, and that victims of criminal offences committed in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides can lodge their complaint to the competent authorities of the Member State of residence; notes, however, that this right is often undermined by the uncertainty of Member States provisions on extraterritoriality;

9. Recalls that EU citizens and third country nationals not resident in the EU country where they fall victim to a crime should enjoy the same level of rights as a resident and/or national, ***underlines that the directive should ensure that all women enjoy the same rights regardless of their origin and purpose of residence and enjoy access to legal protection, psychosocial and financial support by the state without the fear of being deported*** and that victims of criminal offences committed in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides can lodge their complaint to the competent authorities of the Member State of residence; notes, however, that this right is often undermined by the uncertainty of Member

States provisions on extraterritoriality;

Or. en

Amendment 103

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution **Paragraph 9**

Motion for a resolution

9. Recalls that EU citizens and third country nationals ***not resident in the EU country where they fall victim to a crime*** should enjoy the same level of rights as a resident and/or national, and that victims of criminal offences committed in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides can lodge their complaint to the competent authorities of the Member State of residence; notes, however, that this right is often undermined by the uncertainty of Member States provisions on extraterritoriality;

Amendment

9. Recalls that EU citizens and third country nationals should enjoy the same level of rights ***in the EU country where they fall victims*** as a resident and/or national, ***regardless of their residence status***, and that victims of criminal offences committed in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides can lodge their complaint to the competent authorities of the Member State of residence; notes, however, that this right is often undermined by the uncertainty of Member States provisions on extraterritoriality;

Or. en

Amendment 104

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Dietmar Köster, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

9 a. Reminds the Member States of the importance to ensure that the residence status is not an obstacle to the rights under the Directive; welcomes the steps taken by some Member States in order to give undocumented victims a safe option to report crimes without being reported to immigration authorities or to obtain a

residence permit on humanitarian grounds; reminds the Member States in this context of Article 59 of the Istanbul Convention which states that victims in the scope of the Convention can be granted a renewable residence permit if the competent authority considers that their stay is necessary for their cooperation in criminal proceedings; considers that granting stays of deportation to all undocumented victims for the duration of criminal proceedings or granting temporary residence permits could encourage them to report crimes and counter the climate of impunity for perpetrators;

Or. en

Amendment 105

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member States to ensure that residency status should not be a criterion to have full enjoyment of the rights of victims, particularly in cases when the victim is resident in another Member State. Calls on the member States to establish specific measures to ensure the provision of information to victims not resident in the territory where the crime took place; such measures shall in particular focus on the rights of non-resident victims within criminal proceedings and for compensation;

Or. en

Amendment 106

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16b. Calls on the Member States to clarify their national provisions on extraterritoriality so as to guarantee the right of victims of crimes committed in a Member State other than that in which they reside to lodge complaints with the competent authorities of the Member State of residence;

Or. fr

Amendment 107
Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25 a. Calls on Member States to put in place measures that ensure that undocumented victims can safely report crime without the risk of immigration penalties, and obtain access to services (including shelters and other specialist services), protection and support, without discrimination;

Or. en

Amendment 108
Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25 b. Calls on Member State to enact legislation that provides avenues for

undocumented victims, or victims with dependent residence status, to exit situations of abuse by making it possible to obtain independent residence status; and urges the European Commission to encourage and facilitate the exchange and evaluation of existing good practices among member states, which integrates the perspectives of victims and civil society;

Or. en

Amendment 109

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member States to assure that, if the victim does not reside in the Member State where the act of terrorism took place, this Member State should cooperate with the Member State of residence in order to facilitate assistance for the victim;

Or. en

Amendment 110

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Subheading 3 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Victims support shelters

Or. en

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Malin Björk

**Motion for a resolution
Subheading 3 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on the Member states to provide and expand the quantity and accessibility of women's shelters and to make sure that women survivors of violence are never declined a place, insists that services need to be expanded to more adequately meet the needs of differently abled women and migrant women, particularly undocumented migrant women. These shelters should assist all women facing violence in close relationships and be available 24/7 and be free of charge to women and their children;

Or. en

**Amendment 112
Malin Björk**

**Motion for a resolution
Subheading 3 c (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on the Member States to provide and expand women's centres, the term 'women's centre' includes all women's services providing non-residential specialist support such as information, advice, advocacy counselling, practical support, court accompaniment and outreach services. It includes women's crisis or counselling centres serving women survivors of violence, rape crisis centres, pro-active intervention centres, regional domestic violence centres, centres for women victims of trafficking and similar services serving only, or predominantly, women.

Or. en

Amendment 113

Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18 a. Calls on the Member States to provide a full range of measures to facilitate victims' access to housing and employment, including providing shelter for victims of gender-based violence and their children, in order for women to feel safe and able to report gender based violence.

Or. en

Amendment 114

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Monika Beňová, Carlos Coelho, Michela Giuffrida, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Louis Michel, Tokia Saïfi, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Kinga Gál

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 10

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10. Recalls that one of the most important objectives of the Victims' Rights Directive *was* to improve the position of victims of crime across the EU and to place the victim at the centre of the criminal justice system;

10. Recalls that one of the most important objectives of the Victims' Rights Directive *is* to improve the position of victims of crime across the EU and to place the victim at the centre of the criminal justice system;

Or. en

Amendment 115

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Highlights the fact that individual assessments are crucial ***as they help the victim realise that he or she has certain*** rights, and the right to make decisions, from the very beginning of the legal proceedings;

Amendment

13. Highlights the fact that individual assessments are crucial ***to empowering all victims by informing them of their*** rights, and the right to make decisions, from the very beginning of the legal proceedings;

Or. en

Amendment 116

Maria Gabriela Zoană

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13 a. Calls on the Member States to ensure that individual assessments are timely offered to women victims of gender-based violence, if necessary, during their first contact with a competent authority, in order to prevent secondary and repeat victimisation, intimidation and retaliation;

Or. en

Amendment 117

Angelika Mlinar

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 6 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

6 a. Urges the Member States to take adequate measures to prevent secondary or re-victimization before and during the legal process and explicitly sanction

victim blaming attempts in court;

Or. en

Amendment 118

Angelika Mlinar

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

20 a. *Calls on the Member States to actively engage in campaigns to prevent gender based violence and re-victimization in the justice system and in the media; and to encourage the private sector, the information technology sector and the media to make use of their potential and participate in the prevention of violence against women and domestic violence;*

Or. en

Amendment 119

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Monika Beňová, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Kinga Gál, Louis Michel, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18 a. *Calls on the Member States to step up criminal procedure law measures guaranteeing the protection of child victims throughout the entirety of criminal proceedings and thereafter to ensure that they receive assistance and support, thereby avoiding that child*

victims are exposed to secondary victimisation;

Or. en

Amendment 120
Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 13 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

13a. Stresses that abusive fathers can never be good fathers and therefore calls on the Member States to take steps to take away their right to custody and/or to see their children;

Or. es

Amendment 121
Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16a. Calls on the Member States to make the procedures more flexible and speed up the process of forwarding the judgments for gender-based violence handed down in a country, particularly in the case of international couples, so that the authorities in the countries which the spouses come from can act accordingly as soon as possible and prevent custody of their children being given to a father accused of gender-based violence in another country;

Or. es

Amendment 122

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Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18 b. Calls on the Member States to take into account significant incidents of gender-based violence, including domestic violence when determining custody and visitation rights; the rights and needs of child witnesses should be also taken into account when providing protection and support services to victims.

Or. en

**Amendment 123
Maria Grapini**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 14**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

14. Stresses that ensuring further training programmes at EU level is of paramount importance for the harmonisation and standardisation of procedures across the Member States;

14. Stresses that ensuring further training programmes at EU level is of paramount importance for the harmonisation and standardisation of procedures across the Member States **and ensuring equal treatment for European citizens**;

Or. ro

**Amendment 124
Malin Björk**

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

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

10 a. calls on the Member states to reinforce the rights of victims of hate crimes, including against LGBTI persons

or hate crimes with racist motives;

Or. en

Amendment 125

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Calls on the Member States to properly implement in their legislation the individual assessment of the victims, this being an essential procedural step to detect and identify the specific needs of a victim, and consequently to grant specific protection in accordance with the victim's needs;

Amendment

11. Calls on the Member States to properly implement in their legislation the individual assessment of the victims, this being an essential procedural step to detect and identify the specific needs of a victim, and consequently to grant specific protection in accordance with the victim's needs; ***recalls that the gender dimension must be strengthened in all provisions since women and LGBTQI victims of gender-based violence require special attention and protection because of a high risk of repeated victimization and therefore specific measures and specialist support should be insured;***

Or. en

Amendment 126

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Calls on the Member States to properly implement in their legislation the individual assessment of the victims, this being an essential procedural step to detect and identify the specific needs of a victim, and consequently to grant specific protection in accordance with the victim's needs;

Amendment

11. Calls on the Member States to properly implement in their legislation the individual assessment of the victims, this being an essential procedural step to detect and identify the specific needs of a victim, and consequently to grant specific protection in accordance with the victim's needs; ***the individual assessment needs to be reviewed on a regular basis to***

determine on-going support needs, and a follow-up review within an appropriate period of time after the crime happened, based on existing knowledge of trauma reactions, shall be provided to victims.

Or. en

Amendment 127

Tomáš Zdechovský, Barbara Matera

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Calls on the Member States to properly implement in their legislation the individual assessment of the victims, this being an essential procedural step to detect and identify the specific needs of a victim, and consequently to grant specific protection in accordance with the victim's needs;

Amendment

11. Calls on the Member States to properly implement in their legislation the individual assessment of the victims, this being an essential procedural step to detect and identify the specific needs of a victim, and consequently to grant specific protection in accordance with the victim's needs; *reminds that under the Victim's Rights Directive everybody, who suffered in consequence of criminal activities, must be granted the same support throughout the EU as well as all information about their rights and possibilities of claiming their rights.*

Or. en

Amendment 128

Maria Grapini

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11

Motion for a resolution

11. Calls on the Member States to properly implement in their legislation the individual assessment of the victims, this being an essential procedural step to detect and identify the specific needs of a victim, and consequently to grant specific

Amendment

11. Calls on the Member States to properly implement in their legislation the individual assessment of the victims, this being an essential procedural step to detect and identify the specific needs of a victim, and consequently to grant specific

protection in accordance with the victim's needs;

protection in accordance with the victim's needs *and their human rights*;

Or. ro

Amendment 129

Caterina Chinnici, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Recalls that some victims have specific needs based on the type or on the circumstances of crime they are victim of. Individual assessment is particularly needed for victims of trafficking in human beings and child victims of sexual abuse, given the social, physical and psychological repercussions of these crimes;

Or. en

Amendment 130

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 11 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Regrets the difficulties experienced by victims to access support services; Deplores that in some Member States, victims support services have still not been set up; Highlights that victim support services should be accessible even when a person has not proven yet that he or she is victim of a crime, or before any official procedure or act has taken place;

Or. en

Amendment 131

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Silvia Costa, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Louis Michel, Kinga Gál, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Marijana Petir

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of *minors and of* child victims of human trafficking;

Amendment

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of *children and* child victims of human trafficking, *child sexual abuse and exploitation*; *recalls that child victims shall be always considered to have specific protection needs due to their vulnerability as foreseen in art.22 par 4 of the Directive*;

Or. en

Amendment 132

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of minors and of child victims of *human trafficking*;

Amendment

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of minors and of child victims of *any form of crime, and stresses the need to deal with children and young victims in a way that takes proper account of their vulnerability*;

Or. fr

Amendment 133

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of minors and of child victims of human trafficking;

Amendment

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of minors and of child victims of human trafficking, ***and of women and girls' victims of human trafficking for sexual exploitation.***

Or. en

Amendment 134

Angelika Mlinar, Malin Björk, Iratxe García Pérez, Florent Marcellesi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of minors and of child victims of human trafficking;

Amendment

12. Calls on the Member States ***to ensure that all individual assessments are gender sensitive and*** to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of minors and of child victims of human trafficking;

Or. en

Amendment 135

Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of minors and of child victims of human trafficking;

Amendment

12. Calls on the Member States to pay particular attention to the individual assessment of minors and of child victims of ***gender-based violence and*** human trafficking;

Or. es

Amendment 136

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Juan Fernando López Aguilar, Monika Beňová, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Michela Giuffrida, Gérard Deprez, Tokia Saïfi, Merja Kyllönen, Lara Comi, Louis Michel, Julie Ward, Kinga Gál, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Highlights the fact that individual assessments are crucial as they help the victim realise that he or she has certain rights, and the right to make decisions, from the very beginning of the legal proceedings;

Amendment

13. Highlights the fact that individual assessments are crucial as they help the victim realise that he or she has certain rights, and the right to make decisions ***in the proceedings they are involved in and, if a child, the right to have access to the specific procedural safeguards that would apply to them*** from the very beginning of the legal proceedings;

Or. en

Amendment 137

Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Highlights the fact that individual assessments are crucial as they help the victim realise that ***he or she has*** certain rights, and the right to make decisions, from the very beginning of the legal proceedings;

Amendment

13. Highlights the fact that individual assessments are crucial as they help the victim realise that ***they have*** certain rights, and the right to make decisions, from the very beginning of the legal proceedings;

Or. en

Amendment 138

Sophia in 't Veld, Malin Björk, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 13

Motion for a resolution

13. Highlights the fact that individual assessments are crucial as they help the victim realise that **he or she has** certain rights, and the right to make decisions, from the very beginning of the legal proceedings;

Amendment

13. Highlights the fact that individual assessments are crucial as they help the victim realise that **they have** certain rights, and the right to make decisions, from the very beginning of the legal proceedings;

Or. en

Amendment 139

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 14 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on the Member States to provide specific training for persons responsible for assisting victims of terrorist acts, as well as granting the necessary resources to that effect;

Or. en

Amendment 140

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses

that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a *victim-oriented mind-set*;

that such training should also be included in education programmes, *in cooperation with civil society and NGOs*, and that compulsory *and other specific* training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a *mind-set suited to handling the specific characteristics and needs of each type of victim; points out that personal training is essential for the objectives of the Directive to be implemented effectively*;

Or. es

Amendment 141

Angelika Mlinar, Iratxe García Pérez, Florent Marcellesi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors *and* judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mind-set;

Amendment

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide *gender sensitive* training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors, judges *and health professionals* to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mind-set; *trainings should include guidance on how to ensure the victims' right to be protected from coercion, abuse and violence and the right to respect their body and mental health integrity*;

Amendment 142

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mind-set;

Amendment

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, ***particularly social workers and civil society organisations***, in order to develop a victim-oriented mind-set; ***stresses that the training must be gender-sensitive and that it should emphasise non-discrimination as a cornerstone of the Directive***;

Or. en

Amendment 143

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Julie Ward, Michaela Šojdrová, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Monika Beňová, Carlos Coelho, Hilde Vautmans, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Michela Giuffrida, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Marijana Petir

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mind-set;

Amendment

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; ***recalls that particular attention should be given to training professionals dealing with victims of child-related crimes, especially in cases of sexual abuse and sexual exploitation***; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mind-set;

Or. en

Amendment 144
Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available,

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Amendment

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available,

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on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mindset;

on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mindset; ***and help professionals prevent violence and provide appropriate support to vulnerable population groups, such as LGBTI people;***

Or. en

Amendment 145

Sophia in 't Veld, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mindset;

Amendment

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mindset ***and help professionals prevent violence and provide appropriate support to vulnerable population groups, such as LGBTI people;***

Or. en

Amendment 146

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

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Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to **empower** victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mind-set;

Amendment

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to **provide** victims **with information about their rights and the services which they can access and to empower them**, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mind-set;

Or. fr

Amendment 147 Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 15

Motion for a resolution

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included in education programmes and that

Amendment

15. Calls on the Commission and the Member States to provide training programmes and guidelines for **all professionals, for example**; law practitioners, police officers, prosecutors and judges to ensuring that they are better able to execute individual assessments without delay once a crime has taken place, to avoid further victimisation or secondary victimisation experienced by victims of crime and to empower victims, as a means of reducing post-traumatic stress; stresses that such training should also be included

compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mindset;

in education programmes and that compulsory training should be available, on a regular basis, to all professionals involved in dealing with victims of crime, in order to develop a victim-oriented mindset;

Or. en

Amendment 148

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 18 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on the Member States to ensure they comply with all obligations on training for police officers and to include in their training how to conduct the individual assessment of victims in a timely manner while ensuring its efficient and flawless implementation

Or. en

Amendment 149

Caterina Chinnici, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Recalls that children victims of crime are particularly vulnerable and should therefore be assisted by professionals specially trained to deal with them, taking into account the needs associated with different age groups, and to communicate in a child friendly manner;

Or. en

Amendment 150
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15a. Points out that those professionals who first see to victims should be their first port of call for information on their rights and programmes designed for public services to tackle situations that lead to victimisation;

Or. es

Amendment 151
Maria Gabriela Zoană

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 a. Calls on the Member States to ensure that information about victim support services and victims' rights is accessible to health professionals, who are often initially contacted by women victims of gender-based violence and therefore, can play an enhanced role in identifying and channelling cases of violence against women; encourages the Member States to provide targeted trainings for health professionals, enabling them to identify cases of potential abuse and to encourage women victims to contact a competent authority;

Or. en

Amendment 152
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 a. *Underlines that health care professionals are key to detect victims of domestic violence, since violence against women in close relationships affects both the physical and mental health in long term.*

Or. en

Amendment 153

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 17 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member States to provide training to a wide range of healthcare professionals including general practitioners, doctors specialized in emergency assistance, nurses, medical assistants, clinical social workers and reception staff with a view to providing an effective response to the victim, particularly in relation to gender-based violence ; recommends placing a duty on medical staff in hospitals to report suspected crimes to the police and provide victims with information on their rights and access to support;

Or. en

Amendment 154

Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15a. *Calls on the Member States to monitor the conditions that the children*

of women murdered by their husbands find themselves in and the problems that they face and to take the requisite measures to meet their needs with regard to education, housing, social and psychological support, etc.;

Or. es

Amendment 155
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 15 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15b. Encourages the Commission to give practical meaning to the international day for victims of terrorism by organising at least bi-annually an international meeting devoted specifically to the exchange of experiences and best practices between local, regional and national authorities of Member States and the gathering of victim testimonies. This should help ensure the quick, uniform and full transposition of the directive; encourages the early identification of common application problems; and calls for a process for the constant evaluation of its capacity to raise awareness and add an operational dimension to shows of solidarity and institutional and social support for victims.

Or. es

Amendment 156
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16. Calls on the Member States to
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16. Calls on the Member States to
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provide financial and legal aid to family members in cases where a serious crime has taken place – e.g., where the victim is dead or seriously injured – in a Member State other than the one in which they are resident, particularly in cases where the family *is unable for financial reasons* to travel to that Member State to attend court or *provide* psychological support *to* the victim;

provide financial and legal aid to family members in cases where a serious crime has taken place – e.g., where the victim is dead or seriously injured – in a Member State other than the one in which they are resident, particularly in cases where the family *cannot afford* to travel to that Member State to attend court or *to pay for* psychological support *or to bring* the victim *home*;

Or. es

Amendment 157

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16a. Calls on the Member States to guarantee access for victims of crimes committed in another Member State to information concerning their rights and to the support services and compensation schemes available in the Member State in which the crime was committed; calls, in this regard, on the Member States to take appropriate action to facilitate cooperation between their competent authorities or entities providing specialist support to ensure that victims have effective access to such information and services;

Or. fr

Amendment 158

Tomáš Zdechovský, Barbara Matera

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 16 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

16 a. Asks the Commission and the Council to further develop the rights of victims so that the EU can play the leading role in the protection of victims' rights;

Or. en

Amendment 159
Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Calls on the Member States to provide measures – such as facilities for submitting complaints online or the removal of financial charges – that would facilitate the victim's ability to lodge a complaint and obtain *of* copy of that complaint;

Amendment

18. Calls on the Member States to provide measures – such as facilities for submitting complaints online or the removal of financial charges – that would facilitate the victim's ability to lodge a complaint and obtain *a* copy of that complaint, *and that ensure that undocumented victims can lodge complaints without the risk of immigration-related consequences;*

Or. en

Amendment 160
Angelika Mlinar
on behalf of the ALDE Group
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio
on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18

Motion for a resolution

18. Calls *on the* Member States *to provide measures – such as facilities for submitting complaints online or the removal of financial charges – that would facilitate the victim's ability to lodge a complaint and obtain of copy of that*

Amendment

18. Calls *in particular for the provision by* Member States *of a confidential and anonymous procedure to report a crime especially in cases of sexual abuse and abused disabled people and minors, with a view of monitoring*

complaint;

and evaluating the number of reports;

Or. en

Amendment 161
Jérôme Lavrilleux

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 18 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

18a. Calls on all Member States to implement and effectively enforce the right to information laid down in Article 4 of the Directive for all victims and potential victims;

Or. fr

Amendment 162

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Julie Ward, Michaela Šojdrová, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Monika Beňová, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Gérard Deprez, Hilde Vautmans, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Louis Michel, Kinga Gál, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19. Reminds the Member States of the requirement to provide translation and interpretation services free of charge, noting that lack of information in other languages *constitutes* a form of discrimination against the victim;

19. Reminds the Member States of the requirement to provide translation and interpretation services free of charge, noting that lack of information in other languages *may constitute an obstacle for the effective protection of the victim and* a form of discrimination against the victim;

Or. en

Amendment 163

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to increase awareness about the rights of victims as established by EU law;

Amendment

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to increase awareness about the rights of victims as established by EU law; ***stresses that such awareness-raising campaigns should also be organised in schools to inform children of their rights and also provide them with tools to detect all forms of crime they have suffered or witnessed;***

Or. fr

Amendment 164
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to increase awareness about the rights of victims as established by EU law;

Amendment

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to increase awareness about the rights of victims as established by EU law ***and to set up campaigns to encourage women and LGBTQI-persons to report any forms of violence on the basis of gender, so they may be protected and get the support they need***

Or. en

Amendment 165
Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to **increase** awareness **about** the rights of victims as established by EU law;

Amendment

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to **raise general public** awareness **of** the rights of victims, **and to step up efforts to raise awareness of its strategic value via the media**, as established by EU law;

Or. es

Amendment 166

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Barbara Matera, Julie Ward, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Juan Fernando López Aguilar, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Gérard Deprez, Tokia Saïfi, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Louis Michel, Kinga Gál, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Marijana Petir

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to increase awareness about the rights of victims as established by EU law;

Amendment

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to increase awareness about the rights of victims as established by EU law, **including the specific needs of child victims**;

Or. en

Amendment 167

Tomáš Zdechovský, Barbara Matera

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively in information campaigns to increase awareness about the rights of victims as established by EU law;

Amendment

20. Urges the Commission and the Member States to engage actively **and cooperate closely** in information campaigns to increase awareness about the rights of victims as established by EU law;

Amendment 168

Caterina Chinnici, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 15 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

15 a. Encourages Member States to set up awareness campaigns both at regional and national level to foster a cultural change in public opinion to avoid any victim-blaming attitude or behaviour engaged in some communities, which may result in additional trauma for victims of specific crimes such as gender based violence or sexual abuse;

Or. en

Amendment 169

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member States to exchange best practices related to a victim-oriented approach for police officers in their daily work;

Or. en

Amendment 170

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 20 – point 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(1) Encourages Member States to adequately use EU funding aimed at adequate judicial training which is key to ensure that victims are well aware of their rights and are treated in a respectful manner;

Or. en

Amendment 171

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Julie Ward, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Gérard Deprez, Tokia Saïfi, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Louis Michel, Kinga Gál, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Barbara Matera

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 21

Motion for a resolution

21. Calls on the Member States to exchange best practices on establishing mechanisms to encourage and facilitate for victims to report the crimes they have suffered;

Amendment

21. Calls on the Member States to exchange best practices on establishing mechanisms to encourage and facilitate for victims to report the crimes they have suffered; ***Calls on the Member States to step up specific measures to protect more effectively child victims of child sexual abuse by also improving the role of national helplines, given that self-reporting of children is limited;***

Or. en

Amendment 172

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 21 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member States to establish specific measures in the case of a mass casualty attack to enable large numbers of victims to participate in criminal proceedings;

Amendment 173

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21a Reminds the Member States that particular attention should be paid to the risk of intimidation and retaliation and to the need to protect the dignity and physical integrity of victims, including during questioning and when testifying, in order to determine whether and to what extent they should receive protection measures during the criminal proceedings;

Or. fr

Amendment 174

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21a. Stresses the need to improve information mechanisms in Member States to ensure that victims are not only aware of their rights, but that they know where to go for help in exercising them;

Or. es

Amendment 175

Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 21 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

21a. Stresses the importance of the obligation to inform victims of the procedural and criminal situation of perpetrators, particularly when prison sentences are being served or handed down.

Or. es

Amendment 176

Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 22 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

22 a. Highlights the importance of relevant disaggregated comparable data on cases of all crimes, in particular when it comes to violence against women and human trafficking, in order to ensure a better understanding of the problem, and to raise awareness, assess and improve Member States' action to support victims.

Or. en

Amendment 177

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Julie Ward, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23. Calls on the Commission to counteract the judicial and practical flaws in the implementation of this directive by a

23. Calls on the Commission to counteract the judicial and practical flaws in the implementation of this directive by a

proper interplay of the various EU victim-protection instruments, such as Directive 2011/99/EU of 31 December 2011 on the European Protection Order, Directive 2011/36/ EU of 5 April 2011 on preventing and combating trafficking in human beings and protecting its victims, Directive 2011/93/EU of 13 December 2011 on combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography, and Directive 2014/42/EU of 3 April 2014 on the freezing and confiscation of instrumentalities and proceeds of crime;

proper interplay of the various EU victim-protection instruments, such as Directive 2011/99/EU of 31 December 2011 on the European Protection Order, Directive 2011/36/ EU of 5 April 2011 on preventing and combating trafficking in human beings and protecting its victims, Directive 2011/93/EU of 13 December 2011 on combating the sexual abuse and sexual exploitation of children and child pornography, and Directive 2014/42/EU of 3 April 2014 on the freezing and confiscation of instrumentalities and proceeds of crime; ***calls on the Member States to implement these important instruments, including the Istanbul Convention on preventing and combating violence against women and girls, with coherence in order to ensure that victims in Europe fully enjoy their rights;***

Or. en

Amendment 178

Caterina Chinnici, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Recalls that an efficient set of guarantees in terms of witness protection is key to enhance the trust in criminal justice systems and consequently to fight against transnational organised crime;

Or. en

Amendment 179

Caterina Chinnici, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Encourages Member States to take appropriate measures to effectively protect witnesses from potential retaliations or intimidations as well as to step up the exchange of best practices and international cooperation in this area;

Or. en

Amendment 180

Sophia in 't Veld, Malin Björk, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 a. Calls on the Commission to include sectoral examinations in its monitoring and reporting, to ensure equal application of the directive to protect all victims irrespective of the ground of victimisation or specific characteristics, including race, colour, religion, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, sex characteristics, disability, migration status or any other status;

Or. en

Amendment 181

Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 23 b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

23 b. Calls on the Commission to include sectoral examinations in its monitoring and reporting, to ensure equal application of the directive to protect all victims irrespective of the ground of victimisation or specific characteristics, including race, colour, religion, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, sex characteristics, disability,

migration status or any other status;

Or. en

Amendment 182

Angelika Mlinar

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Calls on the Member States to put in place measures to ensure that written and oral communications comply with simple language standards so that victims can be kept informed in an adequate and targeted manner before, during and after criminal proceedings;

Amendment

25. Calls on the Member States to put in place measures to ensure that written and oral communications comply with simple language standards, ***adapted to minors and people with disabilities, in a language that the victim can understand***, so that victims can be kept informed ***on their rights*** in an adequate and targeted manner before, during and after criminal proceedings;

Or. en

Amendment 183

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Julie Ward, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Monika Beňová, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Tokia Saïfi, Merja Kyllönen, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Kinga Gál

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Calls on the Member States to put in place measures to ensure that written and oral communications comply with simple language standards so that victims can be kept informed in an adequate and targeted manner before, during and after criminal proceedings;

Amendment

25. Calls on the Member States to put in place measures to ensure that written and oral communications comply with simple language standards ***taking in consideration vulnerable groups such as children and people with disabilities***, so that victims can be kept informed in an

adequate and targeted manner before,
during and after criminal proceedings;

Or. en

Amendment 184
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Calls on the Member States to put in place measures to ensure that written and oral communications ***comply with*** simple language ***standards so*** that victims can be kept informed in an adequate and targeted manner before, during and after criminal proceedings;

Amendment

25. Calls on the Member States to put in place measures to ensure that written and oral communications ***use*** simple language ***that the person concerned is able to understand and use, thereby ensuring*** that victims can be kept informed in an adequate and targeted manner before, during and after criminal proceedings;

Or. es

Amendment 185
Jérôme Lavrilleux

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

25. Calls on the Member States to put in place measures to ensure that written and oral communications **comply with** simple language standards so that victims can be kept informed in an adequate and targeted manner before, during and after criminal proceedings;

Amendment

25. Calls on the Member States to put in place measures to ensure that written and oral communications **comply with** simple language standards so that victims can be kept informed in an adequate, ***comprehensible*** and targeted manner before, during and after criminal proceedings;

Or. fr

Amendment 186
Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 25 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member States to ensure that where the exercise of rights is bound by time limitation periods, delays resulting from translation and interpretation difficulties shall be taken into account;

Or. en

Amendment 187
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26. Calls on the seven Member States that have not yet done so to consider stalking a criminal offense on the basis of the relevant provisions in the directive on the right to protection of privacy, the right to protection and, in particular, the right to avoid contact with the offender;

26. Calls on the seven Member States that have not yet done so to consider stalking a criminal offense on the basis of the relevant provisions in the directive on the right to protection of privacy, the right to protection and, in particular, the right to avoid contact with the offender; ***and that Member States should take in consideration the fact that stalking is a common form of gender based violence that need specific prevention measures;***

Or. en

Amendment 188

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Julie Ward

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Calls on the seven Member States that have not yet done so to consider stalking a criminal offense on the basis of the relevant provisions in the directive on the right to protection of privacy, the right to protection **and, in particular**, the right to avoid contact with the offender;

Amendment

26. Calls on the seven Member States that have not yet done so to consider stalking a criminal offense on the basis of the relevant provisions in the directive on the right to protection of privacy, the right to protection, the right to avoid contact with the offender **and as called for under art.34 of the Istanbul Convention to prevent and combat violence against women and girls**;

Or. en

Amendment 189

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. Calls on the seven Member States that have not yet done so to consider stalking a criminal offense on the basis of the relevant provisions in the directive on the right to protection of privacy, the right to protection and, in particular, the right to avoid contact with the offender;

Amendment

26. Calls on the seven Member States that have not yet done so to consider stalking a criminal offense on the basis of the relevant provisions in the directive on the right to protection of privacy, the right to protection and, in particular, the right to avoid contact with the offender **or with other potential perpetrators or accomplices**;

Or. es

Amendment 190

Jérôme Lavrilleux

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26

Motion for a resolution

26. **Calls on** the seven Member States that have not yet done so to **consider** stalking a criminal **offense** on the basis of the relevant provisions in the directive on

Amendment

26. **Encourages** the seven Member States that have not yet done so to **legislate to make** stalking a criminal **offence** on the basis of the relevant provisions in the

the right to protection of privacy, the right to protection and, in particular, the right to avoid contact with the offender;

directive on the right to protection of privacy, the right to protection and, in particular, the right to avoid contact with the offender;

Or. fr

Amendment 191

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 26 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

26a. Calls on Member States to avoid subsequent victimisation arising from humiliation and honour attacks on the victim by sections of society close to the original attacker; reiterates that such acts constitute additional victimisation and should not be protected by the right to the freedom of expression, as set out in article 10(2) of the European Convention on Human Rights and jurisprudence of the European Court of Human Rights^{1a}

^{1a} Judgment of 16 July 2009, case *Feret v Belgium*, §73

Or. es

Amendment 192

Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 27

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27. Calls on the Member States to ensure that an emergency information telephone line is in operation following an attack, and that provisions are made to provide foreign language assistance; calls, therefore, on all Member States to

27. Calls on the Member States to ensure that an emergency information telephone line is in operation following an attack **or, preferably, to incorporate this service within the services provided by the European emergency number 112**, and

immediately implement Article 22 of the Victims' Rights Directive in their legislation;

that provisions are made to provide foreign language assistance; calls, therefore, on all Member States to immediately implement Article 22 of the Victims' Rights Directive in their legislation;

Or. es

Amendment 193
Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 27 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

27 a. Calls on the Member States to provide a 24/7 open and free of charge national helpline for women and LGBTQI victims of gender based violence;

Or. en

Amendment 194

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Julie Ward, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Tokia Saïfi, Merja Kyllönen, Louis Michel, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

28. Calls on the Member States to guarantee assistance to victims from victim support services before, during and after criminal proceedings, including psychological support; **deplores the fact that in some countries, governments rely heavily** on NGOs to provide key support services to victims ('volunteerism');

28. Calls on the Member States to guarantee assistance to victims from victim support services before, during and after criminal proceedings, including psychological support; **underlines the important role of civil society in victims support; considers nevertheless that governments shall not rely only** on NGOs to provide key support services to victims ('volunteerism') **and shall build capacity to develop victims support mechanisms, involving law enforcement authorities,**

Amendment 195

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. Calls on the Member States to guarantee assistance to victims from victim support services before, during and after criminal proceedings, including psychological support; deplores the fact that in some countries, governments rely heavily on NGOs to provide key support services to victims ('volunteerism');

Amendment

28. Calls on the Member States to guarantee assistance to victims from victim support services before, during and after criminal proceedings, including psychological support; deplores the fact that in some countries, governments rely heavily on NGOs to provide key support services to victims ('volunteerism'); ***and insists that these Member States make sure to increase the funding and resources for the women's rights and victims' rights NGOs;***

Amendment 196

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. Calls on the Member States to guarantee assistance to victims from victim support services before, during and after criminal proceedings, including psychological support; deplores the fact that in some countries, governments rely heavily on NGOs to provide key support services to victims ('volunteerism');

Amendment

28. Calls on the Member States to guarantee assistance to victims from victim support services before, during and after criminal proceedings, including psychological support; deplores the fact that in some countries, governments rely heavily on NGOs to provide key support services to victims ('volunteerism'), ***commends the work of these NGOs and calls on Member States to make available***

adequate resources to support their important work;

Or. en

Amendment 197

Angelika Mlinar, Malin Björk, Iratxe García Pérez, Florent Marcellesi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28

Motion for a resolution

28. Calls on *the* Member States to guarantee assistance to victims from victim support services before, during and after criminal proceedings, including psychological support; deplores *the fact* that in some countries, governments rely heavily on *NGOs to provide* key support services to victims ('volunteerism');

Amendment

28. Calls on Member States to guarantee assistance to victims from victim support services before, during and after criminal proceedings, including psychological support *and health care and to ensure a gender perspective across all support services*; deplores that in some countries, governments rely heavily on *NGO's for the provision of* key support services to victims ('volunteerism');

Or. en

Amendment 198

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 28 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member State to provide specialists' support to victims of terrorism in emergency response-planning to ensure delivery of appropriate support services immediately after an attack as well as in the long term.

Or. en

Amendment 199

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Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 28 – point 1 (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(1) Calls on the Member States to establish specific measures to ensure the provision of information to victims not resident in the territory of the Member State of a terrorist attack. Such measures shall in particular focus on the rights of non-resident victims within criminal proceedings and for compensation.

Or. en

**Amendment 200
Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini**
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29. Calls on all Member States to tackle impunity at all times as not doing so could have a severe impact the psychological recovery process of the victim;

29. Calls on all Member States to tackle impunity at all times **and to work in a cross-sectoral way to identify and address systemic factors that contribute to repeat victimisation of people in situations of vulnerability and/or who face high levels of discrimination**, as not doing so could have a severe impact the psychological recovery process of the victim;

Or. en

**Amendment 201
Harald Vilimsky, Auke Zijlstra, Nicolas Bay, Gilles Lebreton**

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29**

Motion for a resolution

29. Calls on all Member States to tackle impunity at all times as not doing so could have a severe impact the psychological recovery process of the victim;

Amendment

29. Calls on all Member States to tackle impunity at all times as not doing so could have a severe impact the psychological recovery process of the victim, ***particularly if national legal authorities express understanding towards foreign cultures by mitigating the penalty;***

Or. en

Amendment 202

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Barbara Matera

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29**

Motion for a resolution

29. Calls on all Member States to ***tackle*** impunity at all times ***as*** not doing so could ***have a*** severe impact the psychological recovery process of the victim;

Amendment

29. Calls on all Member States to ***combat*** impunity at all times ***and ensure that perpetrators are brought to justice, so that victims can feel protected;*** not doing so could severe impact the psychological recovery process of the victim;

Or. en

Amendment 203

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 29 – subparagraph 1 (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on the Member States to set up legal mechanisms to criminalise the glorification of an act of terrorism if this humiliates the victims and might cause secondary victimisation by damaging the dignity and recovery of the victim who was victimised through that act of terrorism;

Amendment 204

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29a. Considers that the victims of terrorism must be kept central to European society, as a symbol of the defence of democratic pluralism; to this end, calls for conferences, memorials and audiovisual material to raise awareness among European citizens, and for a European register of victims for administrative use;

Or. es

Amendment 205

Malin Björk

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

29 a. Calls on the Member States to ensure stronger protection for victims of gender based violence, including sexual violence, as a means to improve access to justice as well as more efficient criminal proceedings.

Or. en

Amendment 206

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 29 b (new)

29b. *Recalls the specific nature of victims of terrorist attacks, who fall into a separate category and who have specific needs; calls on the European Commission to draft a specific Directive on the Protection of Victims of Terrorism;*

Or. es

Amendment 207

Maria Gabriela Zoană

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Calls on the Member States to guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims with specific needs, such as children and people with disabilities;

Amendment

30. Calls on the Member States to guarantee support services such as ***access to reproductive health service***, trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims with specific needs, such as children, ***women victims of gender-based violence, victims of human trafficking*** and people with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 208

Angelika Mlinar, Malin Björk, Iratxe García Pérez, Florent Marcellesi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Calls on ***the*** Member States to guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims ***with*** specific needs, such as children and people with disabilities;

Amendment

30. Calls on Member States to guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling ***and access to necessary healthcare, including sexual and reproductive health*** as a part of targeted support for victims ***who have*** specific needs such as children, ***women*** and people with disabilities;

Amendment 209

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Calls on the Member States to guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims with specific needs, such as children *and* people with disabilities;

Amendment

30. Calls on the Member States to guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims with specific needs, such as children, people with disabilities *and victims of exploitation*;

Or. en

Amendment 210

Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Calls on the Member States to guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims with specific needs, such as children and people with disabilities;

Amendment

30. Calls on the Member States to guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims with specific needs, such as children , *LGBTI people* and people with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 211

Sophia in 't Veld, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 30

Motion for a resolution

30. Calls on the Member States to
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Amendment

30. Calls on the Member States to
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guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims with specific needs, such as children and people with disabilities;

guarantee support services such as trauma support and counselling as a part of targeted support for victims with specific needs, such as children, **LGBTI people** and people with disabilities;

Or. en

Amendment 212

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 30 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Reiterates that a person who has fallen victim of crime in another member state or who is not a citizen of the European Union is also eligible to enjoy the rights, support and protection this Directives ensures;

Or. en

Amendment 213

Angelika Mlinar

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 31

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

31. Calls on the Member States to establish adequate quality control mechanisms for assessing whether they have met the requirements as regards provisions made by victims support services to encourage the reporting of crimes;

31. Calls on the Member States to establish adequate quality control mechanisms for assessing whether they have met the requirements ***for gender sensitive and women- and child friendly standards*** as regards provisions made by victims support services to encourage the reporting of crimes ***and effectively protect the victim;***

Or. en

Amendment 214

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 32 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on the Commission to highlight the use of the EU-funded Project called ‘InfoVictims’ as a tool to inform victims on criminal process by using different communications means such as brochures and posters to reach out to them; this project enhances the sharing of good practices for informing victims of crimes;

Or. en

Amendment 215

Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 33

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33. Calls on the Member States to establish coordinated mechanisms to collect information on victims of a terrorist attack taking place in their territory, ***and to provide victims, through the creation and development of*** a one-stop shop ***and an emergency telephone line, with specific information relevant to their needs, including*** psychological first aid and referral possibilities in the immediate aftermath of the attack and during any criminal proceedings;

33. Calls on the Member States to establish coordinated mechanisms to collect information on victims of a terrorist attack taking place in their territory, ***starting with the creation of a citizens’ web portal providing support in the event of terrorist attacks and where concerned citizens can access two services: a one-stop shop to assist victims liaising with the various administrative departments and if necessary to represent them in such dealings; and a telephone call centre or other means of communication such as e-mail or multimedia messaging tools giving access to secure, personalised, specific and relevant information in accordance with the user’s needs. This shall include mechanisms for accessing psychological first aid*** psychological first aid and referral

possibilities in the immediate aftermath of the attack and during any criminal proceedings;

Or. es

Amendment 216

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 33

Motion for a resolution

33. Calls on the Member States to establish coordinated mechanisms to collect information on victims of a terrorist attack taking place in their territory, and to provide victims, through the creation and development of a one-stop shop and an emergency telephone line, with ***specific information relevant to*** their needs, ***including*** psychological ***first aid and referral possibilities*** in the immediate aftermath of the attack and during any criminal proceedings;

Amendment

33. Calls on the Member States to establish coordinated mechanisms to collect information on victims of a terrorist attack taking place in their territory, and to provide victims, through the creation and development of a one-stop shop, ***a web portal*** and an emergency telephone line, with ***a confidential, free of charge and easily accessible support service***^{1 a}. ***This support service must be able to provide assistance and support to victims of terrorism in accordance with*** their ***specific*** needs, ***such as emotional and psychological support, advice and information on any legal, practical or financial matters*** in the immediate aftermath of the attack and during any criminal proceedings, ***and assistance in national compensation claim procedures***;

^{1 a} ***Support service as provided for in Article 24 of Directive (EU) 2017/541 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2017 on combating terrorism.***

Or. fr

Amendment 217

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member States to adopt appropriate measures to avoid, in the matter of possible, an attack on the private life of the victim and the family members, in particular related to investigative activity and during legal procedures;

Or. en

Amendment 218

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33 – point 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(1) Calls on the Commission to turn the current e-Justice portal into a more user-friendly platform that will provide concise and understandable information to victims about their rights and the procedures to be followed;

Or. en

Amendment 219

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33 a. Calls on Member States to engage, in full respect of freedom of expression, with media and journalists to adopt measures of auto-regulation in the aftermath of a terror attack in order to guarantee the protection of the private life of victims and their family members and

in addition recognise the value of cooperating with specialised services for victims assistance and support in helping victims to deal with the media attention they receive;

Or. en

Amendment 220
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33a. *This web service should have a single, Europe-wide web address to which the location of each attack can be appended, using homogeneous syntax to ensure that the existence of this resource can be easily relayed to all European citizens and accessed by them. For reasons of economy of scale, effectiveness and consistency, this European domain should incorporate the European emergency telephone number 112.*

Or. es

Amendment 221
Maria Gabriela Zoană

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 33 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

33 a. *Encourages the Member States to take measures, such as promoting awareness-raising in all areas of victims' rights, setting up telephone helplines and women's shelters, to encourage and facilitate reporting of gender-based violence, and to offer immediate assistance to women victims;*

Amendment 222
Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Calls on the Member States to establish coordination mechanisms to ensure effective transition of support for victims from immediate care in the aftermath of a crime to assistance as needed in the longer term; stresses that such mechanisms should, in particular, ensure the referral of victims to long-term services whereby different organisations provide support during different phases, noting that these mechanisms should also have a cross-border functionality in order to provide victim support services, and guarantee the victim's right to be informed, when the crime has taken place in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides;

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to establish coordination mechanisms to ensure effective transition of support for victims from immediate care in the aftermath of a crime to assistance as needed in the longer term; ***notes that the local and regional authorities that provide the majority of assistance services to victims should be included at all stages of planning, decision-making and implementation***; stresses that such mechanisms should, in particular, ensure the referral of victims to long-term services whereby different organisations provide support during different phases, noting that these mechanisms should also have a cross-border functionality in order to provide victim support services, and guarantee the victim's right to be informed, when the crime has taken place in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides;

Or. es

Amendment 223
Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Calls on the Member States to establish coordination mechanisms to ensure effective transition of support for

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to establish coordination mechanisms to ensure effective transition of support for

victims from immediate care in the aftermath of a crime to assistance as needed in the longer term; stresses that such mechanisms should, in particular, ensure the referral of victims to long-term services whereby different organisations provide support during different phases, noting that these mechanisms should also have a cross-border functionality in order to provide victim support services, and guarantee the victim's right to be informed, when the crime has taken place in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides;

victims from immediate care in the aftermath of a crime to assistance as needed in the longer term; stresses that such mechanisms should, in particular, ensure the referral of victims to long-term services whereby different organisations provide support during different phases, noting that these mechanisms should also have a cross-border functionality in order to provide victim support services, and guarantee the victim's right to be informed, ***assisted and compensated in their place of residence*** when the crime has taken place in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides;

Or. fr

Amendment 224

Angelika Mlinar

on behalf of the ALDE Group

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

on behalf of the PPE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34

Motion for a resolution

34. Calls on the Member States to establish coordination mechanisms to ensure effective transition of support for victims from immediate care in the aftermath of a crime to assistance as needed in the longer term; stresses that such mechanisms should, in particular, ensure the referral of victims to long-term services ***whereby*** different organisations provide support during different phases, noting that these mechanisms should also have a cross-border functionality in order to provide victim support services, and guarantee the victim's right to be informed, when the crime has taken place in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides;

Amendment

34. Calls on the Member States to establish coordination mechanisms to ensure effective transition of support for victims from immediate ***gender sensitive*** care in the aftermath of a crime to assistance as needed in the longer term; stresses that such mechanisms should, in particular, ensure the referral of victims to long-term services ***where by*** different organisations provide support during different phases, noting that these mechanisms should also have a cross-border functionality in order to provide victim support services, and guarantee the victim's right to be informed, when the crime has taken place in a Member State other than the one in which the victim resides;

Amendment 225

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on Member States, in case of a terrorist attack, to establish a coordination centre to bring together those organisations and experts competent to provide information, support and practical services to the victims and to their families and relatives. The services shall be confidential, free of charge and easily accessible to all victims of terrorism. They shall include in particular:

(a) Specialist emotional and psychological support, such as trauma support and counselling specifically adapted to the needs of victims of terrorism;

(b) Vocational rehabilitation services to assist victims suffering from injuries and harm to find new jobs or change careers;

(c) Facilitation of safe virtual connections for victims with other victims and victim run support groups;

(d) Community based support services;

(e) Services to inform family members of the identification of victims and their remains and repatriate remains;

Or. en

Amendment 226

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34 – point 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(1) Calls on Member States to set up a single centre to receive family members of victims, and where appropriate direct victims, immediately after a terrorist attack and in particular provide family members with:

a) emotional and psychological support in accordance with their need;

b) practical assistance;

c) information on the attack and on victims;

d). a secure environment for family members to meet;

e). security from the press and advice on handling press requests.

Or. en

Amendment 227

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

34 a. Regrets that, compared to the Istanbul Convention, the scope of the Victims' Rights Directive is more limited as regards protection of victims of gender-based violence (including persons affected by FGM); at the same time welcomes the Victims' Rights stronger accountability mechanism and stresses that the two instruments should be promoted together to maximize the protection offered to victims of gender-based violence.

Or. en

Amendment 228

Caterina Chinnici, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 34 a (new)

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Motion for a resolution

Amendment

34 a. Encourages Members States to provide adequate information material as well as free legal aid to victims of terrorism who are parties to criminal proceedings to obtain a decision on compensation;

Or. en

Amendment 229

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 34 a (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

34a. Calls on the Commission to propose the creation of a European fund for assistance to victims of terrorism;

Or. fr

Amendment 230

Izaskun Bilbao Barandica

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35. Calls on the Member States to establish a permanent dedicated website on which all public information on a terrorist attack that has taken place in that Member State can be accessed;

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Or. es

Amendment 231

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Angelika Mlinar, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. Calls on the Member States to establish a permanent dedicated website on which all public information on a terrorist attack that has taken place in that Member State can be accessed;

Amendment

35. Calls on the Member States to establish:

- a) a permanent dedicated website on which all public information on a terrorist attack that has taken place in that Member State can be accessed. **The following information should be gathered and made available as a matter of urgency through the website: contact information of any organisations responsible for providing support and information to victims, family members and members of the public following a terrorist attack, and information on the attack and measures established in response to the attack, including information on finding or connecting with missing victims and measures to assist victims to return home, which shall include:***
 - i. How to retrieve any property lost as a result of an attack*
 - ii. Normal psychological responses of victims to an attack and guidance to victims on ways to mitigate any negative responses, and information on possible non-visible injuries such as hearing loss.*
 - iii. Information on how to replace identification documents*
 - iv. Information on how to obtain financial assistance, compensation or government benefits*
 - v. Information on the specific rights of victims of terrorism and family members, including rights within criminal proceedings as prescribed in Directive 2012/29/EU.*
 - vi. Any other information deemed necessary for the purposes of ensuring victims are informed about their rights, their safety, or services available to them.*
- b) A private access website, available to the victims of terrorist attacks and their family members, providing information to the victims which is not publicly available.*
- c) Planning on informing family members*

about the situation of victims
d) Collection of the same information data on victims by all authorities and organisations having responsibility for the reception, treatment and assistance of victims. Information shall be collected in accordance with the needs of all organisations involved in the response to the terrorist attack and in the support to the victims and their families.

Or. en

Amendment 232

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 35

Motion for a resolution

35. Calls on the Member States to establish a permanent dedicated website on which all public information on a terrorist attack that has taken place in that Member State can be accessed;

Amendment

35. Calls on the Member States to establish a permanent dedicated website on which all public information on **support services established following** a terrorist attack that has taken place in that Member State can be accessed;

Or. fr

Amendment 233

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 35 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

Calls on the Commission to present a legal act to support Member States in the prevention and suppression of all forms of violence against women and girls and of gender-based violence;

Or. en

Amendment 234

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 35 – point 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

(1) Calls on the Member States to establish a national network of victim support services to enhance cooperation between these organizations and to launch working groups to share good practices, develop training and improve communication between authorities and victims of crime;

Or. en

Amendment 235

Gérard Deprez, Louis Michel, Petr Ježek, Angelika Mlinar, Nathalie Griesbeck, Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 35 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35a. Calls on the Commission to begin a dialogue with the Member States in order to reduce the strong disparities^{2 a} in national financial compensation granted by each Member State to victims of terrorist attacks;

^{2 a} **National financial compensation ranges from the symbolic amount of one euro in some Member States up to EUR 250 000 or more in others.**

Or. fr

Amendment 236

Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Angelika Mlinar

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35 a. Underlines that it is vital that Member States respond to victims of crime in a respectful, sensitive and professional manner in order to trigger encouragement for victims of crime to report to law enforcement or medical staff;

Or. en

Amendment 237

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Julie Ward, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Louis Michel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35 a. Calls on all Member States and the EU to ratify and fully enforce the Council of Europe Istanbul Convention to prevent and combat violence against women and girls and protect victims;

Or. en

Amendment 238

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Soraya Post, Miltiadis Kyrkos, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Dietmar Köster, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kshetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35 a. Calls on the Member States to ensure that the 112 emergency hotline is fully accessible for disabled persons and that awareness of it is raised through campaigns;

Or. en

Amendment 239

Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann, Hugues Bayet, Monika Beňová, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Dietmar Köster, Iratxe García Pérez, Cécile Kashetu Kyenge, Caterina Chinnici

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 35 b (new)**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

35 b. Calls on Member States to set up mechanisms for recovering adequate compensation payments from the offender;

Or. en

Amendment 240

Sophia in 't Veld, Malin Björk, Daniele Viotti, Sirpa Pietikäinen

**Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36**

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

36. Calls on the Council to activate the passerelle clause by adopting a unanimous decision to identify violence against women and girls (**and** other forms of gender-based violence) as a criminal offence under Article 83(1) TFEU;

36. Calls on the Council to activate the passerelle clause by adopting a unanimous decision to identify violence against women and girls **as well as** other forms of gender-based violence as a criminal offence under Article 83(1) TFEU;

Or. en

Amendment 241

Terry Reintke, Tanja Fajon

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

36. Calls on the Council to activate the passerelle clause by adopting a unanimous decision to identify violence against women and girls (and other forms of gender-based violence) as a criminal offence under Article 83(1) TFEU;

Amendment

36. Calls on the Council to activate the passerelle clause by adopting a unanimous decision to identify violence against women and girls (and other forms of gender-based violence) as a criminal offence under Article 83(1) TFEU;

Or. en

Amendment 242

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36

Motion for a resolution

36. Calls on the Council to activate the passerelle clause by adopting a unanimous decision to identify violence against **women and girls** (and other forms of gender-based violence) as a criminal offence under Article 83(1) TFEU;

Amendment

36. Calls on the Council to activate the passerelle clause by adopting a unanimous decision to identify violence against **spouses and children** (and other forms of gender-based violence) as a criminal offence under Article 83(1) TFEU;

Or. es

Amendment 243

Iratxe García Pérez

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 36 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

36a. Again repeats its call on the European Commission to present as soon as possible a European strategy for preventing and combating all forms of gender-based violence, including an EU legislative act to end and prevent violence against women in all Member States;

Amendment 244

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt, Caterina Chinnici, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio, Christine Revault d'Allonnes Bonnefoy, Nathalie Griesbeck, Barbara Matera, Silvia Costa, Michaela Šojdrová, Julie Ward, Hilde Vautmans, Brando Benifei, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Michela Giuffrida, Carlos Coelho, Monika Beňová, Gérard Deprez, Lara Comi, Merja Kyllönen, Tokia Saïfi, Izaskun Bilbao Barandica, Louis Michel, Elissavet Vozemberg-Vrionidi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 36 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

36 a. *Calls on the Commission to submit a legal act to support Member States in the prevention and suppression of all forms of violence against women and girls and of gender-based violence;*

Or. en

Amendment 245

Maite Pagazaurtundúa Ruiz, Teresa Jiménez-Becerril Barrio

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

37. Calls on the Member States to implement, *properly* and in full cooperation with the Commission, all provisions of the Victims' Rights Directive;

37. Calls on the Member States to implement *in an efficient manner, with sufficient economic and financial resources* and in full cooperation with the Commission, all provisions of the Victims' Rights Directive;

Or. es

Amendment 246

Florent Marcellesi, Judith Sargentini
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

37. Calls on the Member States to implement, properly and in full cooperation with the Commission, all provisions of the Victims' Rights Directive;

Amendment

37. Calls on the Member States to implement, properly and in full cooperation with the Commission **and other relevant actors, including civil society**, all provisions of the Victims' Rights Directive;

Or. en

Amendment 247 Jérôme Lavrilleux

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 37

Motion for a resolution

37. Calls on the Member States to implement, properly and in full cooperation with the Commission, all provisions of the Victims' Rights Directive;

Amendment

37. Calls on the Member States to implement, properly, **effectively** and in full cooperation with the Commission, all provisions of the Victims' Rights Directive;

Or. fr

Amendment 248 Soraya Post, Sylvia-Yvonne Kaufmann

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 37 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

37 a. Calls on the Commission to include the priority of safeguarding personal security and the protection of all individuals from gender-based and interpersonal violence in the European Agenda on Security;

Or. en