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A9-0219/39

**Amendment 39**

**Mick Wallace**

on behalf of The Left Group

**Report**

**A9-0219/2020**

**Michael Gahler**

EU Association Agreement with Ukraine  
(2019/2202(INI))

**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital AD a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***ADa. whereas Ukraine is facing a serious problem with far-right extremism and violence; whereas the lack of serious action against neo-fascist and neo-Nazi groups and the open cooperation of state institutions with far-right groups such as the Azov-affiliated National Militia, C14, Right Sector and Karpatska Sich has enabled the right wing to commit acts of violence against critical civil society, political activists and the Roma community, as well as against anti-fascist demonstrations, city council meetings, art exhibitions, LGBTQI events, and women's rights and environmental activists; whereas the state institutions have failed to confront violent groups and end their impunity;***

Or. en

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A9-0219/40

**Amendment 40**

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**Michael Gahler**

EU Association Agreement with Ukraine  
(2019/2202(INI))

**A9-0219/2020**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 2**

*Motion for a resolution*

2. ***Welcomes*** the unprecedented aid packages, including macro-financial assistance, made available by the Union to Ukraine as part of Team Europe, to help partner countries to cope with the COVID-19 emergency; ***notes*** that this is a crucial demonstration of the ***EU's solidarity*** at a time of unprecedented crisis; calls ***on*** the Ukrainian authorities to create a climate conducive to investments and to swiftly implement the agreed conditions for the disbursement of the EU Macro-Financial Assistance set out in the Memorandum of Understanding;

*Amendment*

2. ***Notes*** the unprecedented aid packages, including macro-financial assistance, made available by the Union to Ukraine as part of Team Europe, to help partner countries to cope with the COVID-19 emergency; ***laments the fact*** that this is a crucial demonstration of the ***instrumentalisation of aid*** at a time of unprecedented crisis; ***notes that the*** calls ***for*** the Ukrainian authorities to create a climate conducive to investments and to swiftly implement the agreed conditions for the disbursement of the EU Macro-Financial Assistance set out in the Memorandum of Understanding ***are evidence of this instrumentalisation, which serves to further the interests of globalised financial capital;***

Or. en

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A9-0219/41

**Amendment 41**

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on behalf of The Left Group

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**A9-0219/2020**

**Michael Gahler**

EU Association Agreement with Ukraine  
(2019/2202(INI))

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 14 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***14a. Deplores the instrumentalisation of the global pandemic by the World Bank as a tool to force a country in a dire position to sell its public lands in exchange for the June 2020 USD 350 million Development Policy Loan as part of the COVID-19 relief package; decries as immoral the instrumentalisation of the pandemic by Western financial institutions to further the interests of Western agribusiness;***

Or. en

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A9-0219/42

**Amendment 42**

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on behalf of The Left Group

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**Michael Gahler**

EU Association Agreement with Ukraine  
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**A9-0219/2020**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 20**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**20. Acknowledges the unique experience and expertise of Ukraine, and welcomes Ukraine's participation in common security and defence policy (CSDP) missions, battlegroups and operations, its contributions to EU Battle Groups and its increasing alignment with EU statements and declarations on international and regional issues, as well as its contributions, and congratulates Ukraine on its new NATO Enhanced Opportunities Partner status;**

**deleted**

Or. en

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A9-0219/43

**Amendment 43**

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on behalf of The Left Group

**Report**

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**Michael Gahler**

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(2019/2202(INI))

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 21**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**21. Welcomes the successful steps taken in the field of scientific and technological cooperation, including the space industry, and in the field of defence, notably convergence in the operational, educational and institutional segments, and in the implementation of the necessary internal changes in these sectors; praises Ukraine's willingness to participate in the EU Research and Innovation Framework Horizon Europe and European Space Agency (ESA) research programmes; notes the fruitful cooperation between the Ministry of Defence of Ukraine and the European Defence Agency (EDA) and encourages its further development; calls for the EU and Ukraine to boost cooperation in security and defence and devote particular attention to the conflict in eastern Ukraine and Russia's attempts to subvert Ukraine's territorial integrity, by means of reconciliation, cooperation in the sphere of cyber security and the fight against disinformation, as well as by working to strengthen the resilience of families, communities and state institutions;** **deleted**

Or. en

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A9-0219/44

**Amendment 44**

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**A9-0219/2020**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 22**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**22. *Supports the possible participation of Ukraine in selected CSDP projects, including cooperation with the EDA and, in particular, Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO), provided that it meets an agreed set of political, substantive and legal conditions, as other third countries do; welcomes the recent decision of the EU to invite Ukraine to participate in the EU's ALTHEA operation in Bosnia and Herzegovina and encourages both sides – the EU and Ukraine – to continue extending Ukraine's participation in missions and operations of the European Union;*** ***deleted***

Or. en

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A9-0219/45

**Amendment 45**

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on behalf of The Left Group

**Report**

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EU Association Agreement with Ukraine  
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**A9-0219/2020**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 23**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**23. Welcomes the enhanced cooperation between the Ukrainian authorities and the European public and private sector to combat hybrid threats, primarily from Russia, which aim to, inter alia, spread false information, incite violence and push anti-government and anti-European sentiments; considers it as timely and appropriate for the EU and Ukraine to initiate, as soon as possible, a dialogue on cyber issues and supports the idea of broadening the spectrum of dialogue on security and defence in order to adequately react to current and future threats, in particular in line with the EU's global security strategy;**

**deleted**

Or. en

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A9-0219/46

**Amendment 46**

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on behalf of The Left Group

**Report**

**Michael Gahler**

EU Association Agreement with Ukraine  
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**A9-0219/2020**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 24**

*Motion for a resolution*

24. ***Reiterates*** the Union's ***unwavering*** support for ***and commitment to*** Ukraine's independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity within its internationally recognised borders, ***and its support for the internationally coordinated sanctioning of*** the Russian Government ***and agents who are undermining the country's*** sovereignty and territorial integrity, ***until such time as all relevant conditions for the lifting of the sanctions have been met, including the full implementation of the Minsk Agreements and the restoration of the territorial integrity of Ukraine within its internationally recognised borders;***

*Amendment*

24. ***Notes*** the Union's support for Ukraine's independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity within its internationally recognised borders, ***but regrets the illegal unilateral sanctions regime against*** the Russian Government; ***demand the lifting of the sanctions as they are in direct violation of Article 2(4) of the UN Charter, UN Resolution 2131 (XX), and customary international law prohibiting interference in the affairs of another country;***

Or. en



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A9-0219/47

**Amendment 47**

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on behalf of The Left Group

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**Michael Gahler**

EU Association Agreement with Ukraine  
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**A9-0219/2020**

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 25**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**25. Continues to condemn the illegal annexation of Crimea and Sevastopol and the de facto occupation of certain areas of Donetsk and Luhansk; calls on the Russian Federation to fulfil its international obligations, to withdraw its military forces from the territory of Ukraine and to fully implement the resolutions of the UN General Assembly on the territorial integrity of Ukraine and on Crimea and Sevastopol;**

*deleted*

Or. en

3.2.2021

A9-0219/48

**Amendment 48**

**Malin Björk, Nikolaj Villumsen, Silvia Modig**  
on behalf of The Left Group

**Report**

**A9-0219/2020**

**Michael Gahler**

EU Association Agreement with Ukraine  
(2019/2202(INI))

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 25 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***25a. Underlines that any agreements with the Russian Federation must respect the full implementation of the Minsk Agreements and the fulfilment of the UN resolutions on the status of Crimea and respect for the territorial integrity of Ukraine by the Russian Federation;***

Or. en