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Amendment 28

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Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 25

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

25. Notes that the security situation in Somalia is *very worrying and is a destabilising factor throughout the Horn of Africa and even beyond; believes, in that regard, that strengthening EUTM Somalia with an advisory capacity in command structures would allow for significant influence to be exercised on how operations are carried out within the multilateral military assistance framework;*

25. Notes that the security situation in Somalia is *concerning, and that the history of EU engagement in the Horn of Africa has amply demonstrated that there are only political solutions to the issues;*

Or. en

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Paragraph 41

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41. ***Welcomes EU capability development initiatives, such as CARD, Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO) and the future European Defence Fund (EDF) and its precursor programmes PADR and EDIDP, as they can contribute to greater coherence, coordination, interoperability in implementing the CSDP and paving the way towards fulfilling the Petersburg Tasks and consolidating solidarity, cohesion, and the resilience and the strategic autonomy of the Union;***

41. ***Questions the effectiveness of CARD, Permanent Structured Cooperation (PESCO) and the future European Defence Fund (EDF), particularly at a time of economic stringency; advises that this is an area of spending best left to Member States, who have the necessary competences;***

Or. en

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Paragraph 71

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71. *Underlines that adequate levels of financial resources, personnel and assets are essential in order to ensure that the Union has the strength and the ability to promote peace and security within its borders and in the world; calls on the Member States to show the political will to match European ambitions in the field of defence and to meet their commitments;* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 31

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Motion for a resolution**Paragraph 72***Motion for a resolution**Amendment*

72. *Regrets* the European Council's ***current lack of ambition in the*** Multiannual Financial Framework (MFF) ***for security and defence initiatives; urges the Council to restore an ambitious budget for the EDF (both for research and non-research) that is designed to strengthen collaborative actions and cross-border cooperation throughout the Union and for military mobility in order to help the Member States to act faster and more effectively in the context of a future possible conflict, including by funding dual use transport infrastructure and simplifying diplomatic clearances and customs rules, at the level initially proposed by the Commission and adopted by Parliament at first reading; calls for the EU to build its own ballistic missiles defence system, as well as an integrated and layered strategic air defence system, that is also designed to counter hypersonic missiles; recalls that European citizens have clearly and consistently called for the Union to step up its role in delivering sustainable stability and security, and this can only be achieved with the necessary financial means and an ambitious MFF in the area of external action and defence; calls on the Council to adopt Parliament's position***

72. *Welcomes* the European Council's ***decision to limit spending on security and defence within the*** Multiannual Financial Framework (MFF), ***and questions the efficacy of*** the EDF;

*on Article 5 of the future EDF regulation;
stresses the need to finalise the EDF
without delay; stresses the importance of
maintaining Parliament's position
regarding the amount of the EDF;*

Or. en

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Paragraph 73

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73. Warns of the danger of a lack of ambition to fund European defence initiatives in the MFF, combined with significant and uncoordinated cuts in national defence budgets as a result of the COVID-19 crisis; stresses the need for Member States to allocate the necessary financial resources at national level in order to give the Union the ability to operate as a global actor for peace; in this vein, shares the assessment of the European Court of Auditors that ‘the EU Member States are far from having the military capabilities they need to match the EU military level of ambition’;

73. Recognises that the economic consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic will result in reduced funding for most programmes, and calls for a review of all spending directly linked to CARD, PESCO and the EDF;

Or. en