Parliamentary impetus to local and regional development of countries with high levels of international migration and to stopping all forms, including state-sponsored, of human-trafficking and human rights abuses

Amendments to the draft resolution submitted within the statutory deadline by the Forum of Women Parliamentarians

This document includes:
1. Amendments proposed by the Forum of Women Parliamentarians to the draft resolution;
2. Expression of support of the Forum of Women Parliamentarians to amendments proposed by national delegations.

1. PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH

New preambular paragraph 9 bis
Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 9 to read as follows:

(9bis) Also condemning the grave abuses committed against migrant women and girls, including all forms of gender-based discrimination and violence, forced labour, exploitation and trafficking,

OPERATIVE PARAGRAPH

New operative paragraph 10bis
Add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 10 to read as follows:

10bis. Urges governments and parliaments to address the demand side of trafficking, including trafficking in women and girls for the purpose of sexual exploitation, through law-making, law-enforcement and educational measures;
2. EXPRESSIONS OF SUPPORT

PREAMBULAR

New preambular paragraph 8bis
Support the proposal by Canada to add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 8 to read as follows:

(8bis) "Noting the prominently gendered aspect of migration, whereby women and men leave their origin country and move to another for different reasons and under different circumstances, facing different risks during transit and different challenges including access to legal and social protection and health services,

(Canada)"

OPERATIVE

New operative paragraph 8bis
Support the proposal by Ukraine to add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 8 to read as follows:

8bis. "Urges the IPU Member Parliaments to promote adoption and implementation of specific programmes protecting the rights of refugees, paying specific attention to the needs of women and children, facilitating employment, ensuring education in their native language and preserving the cultural ties of refugee children to their homeland;

(Ukraine)"

New operative paragraph 9bis
Support the proposal by Canada to add a paragraph after operative paragraph 9 to read as follows:

9bis. "Encourages governments of receiving countries to undertake disaggregated data collection of migration flows in order to develop programmes appropriate to gender and age groups;

(Canada)"

New operative paragraph 10bis
Support the proposal by Türkiye to add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 10 to read as follows:

10bis. "Further calls upon all governments to enact legislation and implement practices in support of the victims of human-trafficking, including but not limited to facilitating access to justice, protection of victims, psychological counselling, including by providing access to gender-responsive and child-sensitive measures, and extension of residence permits during their recovery from the effects of their experiences;

(Türkiye)"

Operative paragraph 13
Support the proposal by Thailand to amend to read as follows:

13. "Requests that countries of origin and transit fully investigate trafficking routes, fully cooperate with States sharing their borders and contribute to stopping the practice of organized human trafficking to other countries as well as monitoring social networks and online platforms, which have become facilitators of transnational trafficking activities, and sharing intelligence on trafficking among countries in migration flows through secured communication channels;

(Thailand)"