

# BM66 – VIENNA

## 7b19



Internal motion

Resolution

Amendment

Title: ESU calls for students' participation to be ensured in further developments in Ukraine

Point of the agenda:

Proposed by: UASS

Seconded by: LSS, ANOSR, LSA, OH, ASYOU, ANSA

Text:

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1 The European Students' Union continuously stands in solidarity with  
2 students in Ukraine and all of its citizens that have been actively defending  
3 their rights and values. Recent developments in the country have proven  
4 once again that students are the driving force for democratic changes.

5 Keeping the beginning of the protests in November 2013 in mind, when  
6 thousands of students in Ukraine participated in peaceful protests to stand  
7 up for signing the Association Agreement between the European Union and  
8 Ukraine, which was done in March 2014, ESU strongly believes that the  
9 students' voice must be heard in the agreement's implementation process.  
10 Both the Ukrainian government and the EU have to ensure the participation  
11 of students, as one of the main higher education stakeholders in the  
12 decision-making in implementation of the Association Agreement wherever  
13 it touches upon higher education.

14 Moreover, as it is foreseen in the agreement to have a functioning civil  
15 society platform, and considering the ongoing discussion between the  
16 Economic and social committee and the civil society in Ukraine, ESU calls  
17 upon the involved parties to ensure students' participation in the  
18 discussions and further activities of this platform.

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Passed: **YES**      **NO**

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