

### **Emergency Resolution**

# YEPP is 'Taking responsibility in the Kosovo issue'

# Noting that:

- The Troika will report to the UN Security Council on Monday 10 December that the negotiations did not reach a compromise on the status of Kosovo
- Pristina threatens to announce their independence unilaterally after December 10<sup>th</sup>

#### Considers that:

- Stability is essential for maintaining geopolitical harmony not only on the regional scope of Western Balkans but also in Europe as a whole
- The Western Balkan states and the European Union have a shared responsibility in assuring the stability in the area
- The current reality should be realised and a decision how to continue on the status of Kosovo has to be taken in the UN Security Council

#### Calls on:

- Pristina and Belgrade to take responsibility in maintaining stability in the region
- The EU to be united on this issue and take over the responsibility from UN and form a solid strategy for the region of the Western Balkans
- An international plan in line with the 1999 UN Security Council 1244 resolution to deal with the status of Kosovo which is supported by the EU should be accepted by both Belgrade and Pristina
- The YEPP board to express this to the EPP related foreign ministers before their GAERC meeting on December 10 and the heads of state in their EU summit on December 14

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