

Motions and Declarations

Motion/Declaration number	2
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Name of the person introducing the Motion/Declaration to the GA	Anne Tomasi
Member party	Partitu di a Nazione Corsa (PNC)
Title (of the Motion/Declaration)	Minority languages are professional skills
<p>Motions /Declarations: maximum 1000 words.</p> <p>Motion/Declaration and the introductory speech should be in English.</p> <p><u>Title : Minority languages are professional skills</u></p> <p>Taking into account that :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Corsican language is part of the Corsican culture and identity ; b) Corsican language is in danger according to the International Atlas of languages in danger by UNESCO ; c) The whole Corsican political world agrees to do everything they can to save their language ; d) The whole international scientific community agrees that early immersive exposure with children is the best way to teach a language ; e) In 2013, Corsican Assembly has voted for Corsican language to be official in Corsica, and French State has refused this official recognition ; f) In many occasion, the Corsican representatives, elected democratically, voted in favour of developing immersive actions in Corsican language, particularly with young children ; g) In 2017, Corsican Assembly voted for a Charter for local employment, which recognises Corsican language as a working competency ; h) Immediately, the State representative in Corsica notified them that this Charter may be discriminatory, and therefore illegal, although similar charters exist in others French territories (Paris, Reunion Island), and are not considered illegals ; i) In 2019, Corsican Assembly voted to recognise Corsican language as a possible working competency for its employees, competency rewarded by salary benefits ; j) Immediately, the State representative in Corsica notified them that these benefits may be discriminatory, and therefore illegals. k) In 2019, Corsican Assembly voted a big project for their daycare to offer an immersive care within 5 years, project based on recruiting Corsican speaker employees ; l) Immediately, the State representative in Corsica notified them that asking for a Corsican speaker competency in a job offer was considered illegal ; 	

- m) Many job offers in Corsica, or in France, ask for international language competencies, without considering them illegal ;

the European Free Alliance:

1. Asks for equality for all languages on European territories ;
2. Asks for minority language competencies to be recognised as professional skills.