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containing the European Parliament's recommendations to the Commission on the negotiation for the Trade in Services Agreement (TiSA)
(2015/2233(INI))

Amendment 422

Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point -i (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

-i. to suspend TiSA negotiations as long as risks exist on the stability of the economic, social and financial system, therefore extending the precautionary principle to sensitive sectors whose opening may entail risks for financial and economic stability;

Or. en

Amendment 423

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point -i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

-ia. to make sure financial services are excluded from TiSA negotiations through the general exclusion clause, as the market for those services is already excessively open;

Or. en

Amendment 424

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point -i b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

-ib. to ensure that, in the area of financial services, no new commitments will be taken on that would jeopardise EU financial regulation, and that EU and Member States regulators retain the ability to authorise or deny any new financial product and service, as well as to reinforce the regulation and supervision of the financial and banking sectors;

Or. en

Amendment 425

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to aim at reinforcing financial ***stability***, ensuring adequate protection for consumers and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Amendment

i. to aim at reinforcing ***the stability of the financial system and single financial institutions, guaranteeing full consistency with the post-crisis regulatory environment***, ensuring adequate protection for consumers and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Or. en

Amendment 426

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Victor Boștinaru, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martín, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Amendment

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers, ***including their data privacy***, and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Or. en

Amendment 427

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Amendment

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers, ***including their data privacy***, and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Or. en

Amendment 428

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Amendment

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers; ***to bear in mind that the lack of regulation in the financial services was among the main causes of the 2008 financial crisis***;

Or. en

Amendment 429

Aldo Patriciello

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Amendment

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers ***in keeping with Article 169 of the TFEU*** and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Or. it

Amendment 430

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Amendment

i. to aim at reinforcing financial stability, ensuring adequate protection for consumers, ***including their data privacy***, and guaranteeing fair competition between financial services providers;

Or. en

Amendment 431

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to ensure the respect of UNCTAD principles on responsible sovereign

lending and borrowing; to ensure the mutual responsibility of lenders and borrowers in all financial services; to ensure debt sustainability; to take all measurements to avoid tax evasion, tax avoidance and money laundry through tax heavens; not to take further commitments to liberalise financial services and provision for their regulations in trade agreements;

Or. en

Amendment 432

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to exclude financial services from the TiSA negotiations;

Or. en

Amendment 433

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point i b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ib. to ensure that, in the area of financial services, no new commitments will be taken on that would jeopardise any existing or future financial regulation, and that regulators retain the ability amongst others to authorise or deny any new financial product and to impose certain legal forms (e.g. restructuring requirements);

Or. en

Amendment 434
Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to reject any provision in TiSA which makes it possible to circumvent prudential banking and financial standards and legislation;

Or. fr

Amendment 435
Ska Keller
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point ii

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ii. to step up the implementation and application of international standards for the regulation and supervision of the financial sector, such as those endorsed by the G20, the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision, the Financial Stability Board, the International Organisation of Securities Commissions and the International Association of Insurance Supervisors; to ***bind TiSA parties not signatory to the WTO Understanding on Financial Services to equivalent rules;***

ii. to step up, ***towards a binding commitment instead of just a best endeavour,*** the implementation and application of international standards for the regulation and supervision of the financial sector, such as those endorsed by the G20, the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision, the Financial Stability Board, the International Organisation of Securities Commissions and the International Association of Insurance Supervisors; to ***ensure, however, that such standards are seen as minimum, not maximum standards and that countries can also apply them extraterritorially to their own firms and their activities as well as to all firms operating in their territory; to acknowledge that the WTO Understanding on Financial Services pre-dates the financial crisis and the regulatory environment that has emerged afterwards;***

Amendment 436

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Agnes Jongerius, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to *step up* the implementation and application of international standards for the regulation and supervision of the financial sector, such as those endorsed by the G20, the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision, the Financial Stability Board, the International Organisation of Securities Commissions and the International Association of Insurance Supervisors; to bind TiSA parties not signatory to the WTO Understanding on Financial Services to equivalent rules;

Amendment

ii. to *commit parties to TiSA to* the implementation and application of international standards for the regulation and supervision of the financial sector, such as those endorsed by the G20, the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision, the Financial Stability Board, the International Organisation of Securities Commissions and the International Association of Insurance Supervisors; to bind TiSA parties not signatory to the WTO Understanding on Financial Services to equivalent rules;

Or. en

Amendment 437

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to *replicate* the GATS prudential carve-out so as to allow parties to deviate from their trade commitments when this is necessary for prudential reasons;

Amendment

iii. to *build, at the very least, on the CETA prudential carve-out instead of* the GATS prudential carve-out, *so as to ensure a better guarantee for financial stability while keeping the necessary margin of manoeuvre*, so as to allow parties to deviate from their trade commitments when this is necessary for prudential *and*,

more broadly, regulatory reasons; to provide for an open list of prudential objectives which would at least include the reduction of systemic risks embedded in the financial system, as well as the inclusion of consumer protection and social and environmental goals as legitimate public policy objectives;

Or. en

Amendment 438
Emmanuel Maurel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to *replicate* the GATS prudential carve-out so as to allow parties *to deviate from their trade commitments when this is necessary for prudential reasons;*

Amendment

iii. *to prevent instability of balances of payment by introducing an appropriate system; to include the GATS prudential carve-out so as to allow parties, and the European Union in particular, to retain their prudential regulatory powers over financial institutions; in this respect to delete any reference to needs tests which States might be required to perform, so as to guarantee the full capacity of States to anticipate and prevent instability and crises in the financial system;*

Or. fr

Amendment 439
Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to *replicate the GATS* prudential carve-out *so as to allow* parties to deviate from

Amendment

iii. to *set a* prudential carve-out *mechanism that allows* parties to deviate

their trade commitments when *this is necessary for prudential reasons*;

from their trade commitments when *they judge that the financial stability is at stake; to take into account that GATS prudential carve-out wording did not allow enough flexibility to be enforceable*;

Or. en

Amendment 440
Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to *replicate* the GATS prudential carve-out so as to allow parties to deviate from their trade commitments when this is necessary for prudential reasons;

Amendment

iii. to *include provisions including* the GATS prudential carve-out so as to allow parties to deviate from their trade commitments when this is necessary for prudential reasons *or for consumer protection*;

Or. en

Amendment 441
Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to *replicate the GATS prudential carve-out so as to allow parties to deviate from their trade commitments when this is necessary for prudential reasons*;

Amendment

iii. to *promote the inclusion of a safeguard clause based on a broad, clear and unambiguous definition of prudential measures, including restrictive measures aimed at fighting financial speculation and block access and circulation of toxic financial products; to ensure therefore to Member States the full right to adopt restrictive measures in contrast with TiSA when justified by the general interest and by the need to pursue economic and social objectives, including but not limited to,*

the protection of consumers and the end users of financial services, to preserve financial stability, the efficiency of fiscal controls and to minimise social costs;

Or. en

Amendment 442

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to ensure that this agreement does not limit the EU's ability to ban certain financial products in line with its regulatory framework;

Amendment

iv. to ensure that this agreement does not limit the EU's ability to ban certain financial products, *including new financial services*, in line with its *current and future* regulatory framework *and beyond prudential reasons*;

Or. en

Amendment 443

Maria Arena

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to ensure that this agreement does not limit the EU's ability to ban certain financial products in line with *its* regulatory framework;

Amendment

iv. to ensure that this agreement does not limit the EU's *and Member States'* ability to ban certain financial products *and activities* in line with *their* regulatory framework *and to adopt any measure they deem necessary to regulate financial markets*;

Or. en

Amendment 444
Emmanuel Maurel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to ensure that this agreement *does not limit the EU's ability* to ban certain financial products *in line with its regulatory framework*;

Amendment

iv. to ensure that this agreement *preserves the full sovereignty of the EU and the Member States* to ban certain financial products *and certain operations by financial institutions (banks, investment funds, etc.), as well as the power to adopt any new legislation which adapts regulatory constraints to the aims of the European Union*;

Or. fr

Amendment 445

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Victor Boștinăru, Agnes Jongerius, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to ensure that this agreement does not limit the EU's ability to ban certain financial products in line with its regulatory framework;

Amendment

iv. to ensure that this agreement does not limit the EU's ability to ban certain financial products in line with its regulatory framework *or to adopt any measure it deems necessary to regulate financial markets*;

Or. en

Amendment 446

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to ensure that this agreement does not limit the EU's ability to ban certain financial products in line with its regulatory framework;

Amendment

iv. to ensure that this agreement does not limit the EU's ability to ban certain financial products, ***including new financial services***, in line with its regulatory framework ***or the right of the EU and Member States to prevent the transfer of financial personal data to third countries, in order to ensure the protection of privacy and personal data as a fundamental right***;

Or. en

Amendment 447

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point iv a (new)

Motion for a resolution

iva. to ensure that the TiSA in no way hinders the global financial system reform agenda, but, rather, fosters a valuable discussion on concrete initiatives to prevent financial and economic instability, to develop regulatory best practices for the regulation of financial services and to fight against tax havens, tax elusion and tax evasion;

Or. en

Amendment 448

Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point iv b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ivb. to urge the negotiating parties to

establish a binding high-level framework for the minimum regulation of financial services based on the G20 financial sector reform agenda and on the recommendations of international bodies such as the FSB and IOSCO;

Or. en

Amendment 449
Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. while stressing the need to increase worldwide access to financial services, to exclude cross-border financial services from the EU's commitments until there is convergence in financial regulation at the highest level, except in very limited and justified cases;

Amendment

v. to strive for a convergence in financial regulation at the highest level, whilst stressing the need to increase worldwide access to financial services;

Or. en

Amendment 450
Ska Keller
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point e – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. while stressing the need to increase worldwide access to financial services, to exclude cross-border financial services from the EU's commitments until there is convergence in financial regulation at the highest level, except in very limited and justified cases;

Amendment

v. to suspend additional market access commitments in financial services until a full assessment of the impact of past liberalisation on the causes of the financial crisis has been completed, since interconnectedness, complexity and excessively big entities generate and spread systemic risks and represent a threat to financial stability; to exclude

cross-border financial services from the EU's commitments until there is convergence in financial regulation at the highest level, except in very limited and justified cases;

Or. en

Amendment 451

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Victor Boștinaru, Agnes Jongerius, Emmanuel Maurel, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. *while stressing the need to increase worldwide access to financial services*, to exclude cross-border financial services from the EU's commitments *until there is convergence in financial regulation at the highest level, except in very limited and justified cases*;

Amendment

v. to exclude cross-border financial services from the EU's commitments;

Or. en

Amendment 452

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. *while stressing the need to increase worldwide access to financial services*, to exclude cross-border financial services from the EU's commitments until there is convergence in financial regulation at the highest level, *except in very limited and justified cases*;

Amendment

v. to exclude cross-border financial services from the EU's commitments until there is convergence in financial regulation at the highest level;

Or. en

Amendment 453

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. while stressing the need to increase worldwide access to financial services, to *exclude cross-border financial services from the EU's commitments until there is convergence in financial regulation at the highest level, except in very limited and justified cases;*

Amendment

v. while stressing the need to increase worldwide access to financial services, to *ensure that any commitments in cross border services do not undermine the integrity and security of financial regulatory systems in the EU;*

Or. en

Amendment 454

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point v a (new)

Motion for a resolution

va. to acknowledge that the stabilisation of the financial markets necessarily goes hand in hand with limiting the size of financial service providers;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 455

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point v a (new)

Motion for a resolution

va. to request a thorough ex-ante

Amendment

independent impact assessment to evaluate the economic and social effects of further financial liberalisation under TiSA;

Or. en

Amendment 456

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point v b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

vb. to acknowledge that the re-regulatory action following the financial crisis is not yet over, including requirements on certain legal forms, splits (e.g. bank separation), changes of business or downsizing; to oppose provisions on non-discriminatory measures in the financial services annex as they could undermine such re-regulation efforts; to acknowledge that standstill and ratchet clauses may impede the introduction of new regulation if deemed to worsen the current level of commitments under national treatment;

Or. en

Amendment 457

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point v b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

vb. to refrain from further commitments on market access for financial services until an impact assessment of past liberalisations of financial services on the

real economy, unemployment, inequalities and financial stability has been carried out;

Or. en

Amendment 458

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point e – point v c (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

vc. as regards purchases of financial services by public entities, to be consistent with the EU Directives on public procurement which exclude financial services; to oppose an unqualified non-discrimination rule that would not allow, for instance, selecting service providers on the basis of qualitative (e.g. social or environmental) as opposed to quantitative (e.g. cost-based) criteria, contrary to what is now permitted under the EU Directives;

Or. en

Amendment 459

Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point i

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

i. to ensure a high level of ambition in the transport sector, which is critical to the development of global value chains; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services, to the benefit of business customers and individual users;

deleted

Amendment 460

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to **ensure a high level of ambition** in the transport sector, **which is critical to the development of global value chains**; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services, to the benefit of business customers and individual users;

Amendment

i. to **oppose any additional market access** in the transport sector **leading to an expansion of its size, until the climate cost of international transport is not internalized in its price**; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services, to the benefit of business customers and individual users;

Or. en

Amendment 461

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Agnes Jongerius, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to ensure a **high level of ambition in** the transport sector, which is critical to the development of global value chains; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services, to the benefit of business customers and individual users;

Amendment

i. to ensure a **balanced regulation of** the transport sector, which is critical to the **sustainable** development of global value chains; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services, to the benefit of business customers and individual users **and workers**;

Or. en

Amendment 462
Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to ensure a high level of ambition in the transport sector, which is critical to the development of global value chains; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services, ***to the benefit of business customers and individual users***;

Amendment

i. to ensure a high level of ambition in the transport sector, which is critical to the development of global value chains; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services;

Or. en

Amendment 463
Stelios Kouglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to ensure a high level of ambition in the transport sector, which is critical to the development of global value chains; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services, ***to the benefit of business customers and individual users***;

Amendment

i. to ensure a high level of ambition in the transport sector, which is critical to the development of global value chains; to increase the speed, reliability, security and interoperability of transport services;

Or. en

Amendment 464
Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to recognise that a sustainable and

successful EU transport sector requires high safety standards, good terms and conditions for workers and strong passenger rights; to ensure that these priorities are protected and promoted in any TiSA negotiations;

Or. en

Amendment 465
Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to ensure that the transport chapter is accompanied by solid social guarantees for workers in that industry, in order to avoid any dumping with regard to their working conditions, pay or access to social protection;

Or. fr

Amendment 466
Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point i b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ib. to ensure that any negotiations based on a negative list system must exclude transport services, as a general public good, from liberalisation obligations;

Or. en

Amendment 467
Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to *seek improved access to foreign markets* and a reduction in anti-competitive regulatory practices, most importantly those which are harmful to the environment and reduce the efficiency of transport services; to address restrictions in the cabotage sector and to avoid carriers returning empty from their host country, in particular in the Annex on maritime transport;

Amendment

ii. to *oppose any horizontal obligation to grant full market access in Modes 1 and 3 as well sector-specific standstill clauses*, and a reduction in anti-competitive regulatory practices, most importantly those which are harmful to the environment and reduce the efficiency of transport services; to address restrictions in the cabotage sector and to avoid carriers returning empty from their host country, in particular in the Annex on maritime transport;

Or. en

Amendment 468

Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to seek improved access to foreign markets *and a reduction in anti-competitive regulatory practices, most importantly those which are harmful to the environment and reduce the efficiency of transport services; to address restrictions in the cabotage sector and to avoid carriers returning empty from their host country, in particular in the Annex on maritime transport;*

Amendment

ii. to seek improved access to foreign markets, *without undermining labour standards or the security of the work force in third countries;*

Or. en

Amendment 469

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to seek improved access to foreign markets *and a reduction in anti-competitive regulatory practices, most importantly those which are harmful to the environment and reduce the efficiency of transport services*; to address restrictions in the cabotage sector and to avoid carriers returning empty from their host country, in particular in the Annex on maritime transport;

Amendment

ii. to seek improved access to foreign markets *but to ensure the right to regulate all signatories, whereas regulation is needed to protect workers, environment and the privacy of citizens*; to address restrictions in the cabotage sector and to avoid carriers returning empty from their host country, in particular in the Annex on maritime transport;

Or. en

Amendment 470
Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to seek improved access to foreign markets and a reduction in anti-competitive regulatory practices, most importantly those which are harmful to the environment and reduce the efficiency of transport services; *to address restrictions in the cabotage sector and to avoid carriers returning empty from their host country, in particular in the Annex on maritime transport*;

Amendment

ii. to seek improved access to foreign markets and a reduction in anti-competitive regulatory practices, most importantly those which are harmful to the environment and reduce the efficiency of transport services; *while preserving the right of public authorities to regulate over transport and guarantee public transportation*;

Or. en

Amendment 471
Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to seek improved access to foreign markets and a reduction in anti-competitive regulatory practices, most importantly those which are harmful to the environment and reduce the efficiency of transport services; to address restrictions in the cabotage sector and to avoid carriers returning empty from their host country, in particular in the Annex on maritime transport;

Amendment

ii. to seek improved access to foreign markets and a reduction in anti-competitive regulatory practices, most importantly those which are harmful to the environment and reduce the efficiency of transport services, ***while ensuring public authorities right to regulate over transport and guarantee public transportation***; to address restrictions in the cabotage sector and to avoid carriers returning empty from their host country, in particular in the Annex on maritime transport;

Or. en

Amendment 472

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to exclude any provisions facilitating the entry and stay of professional drivers from the scope of the Annex on road transport;

Amendment

iv. ***to oppose any domestic regulation discipline specific to road transport, including any proposal to have a necessity test, due to the highly sensitive safety issues in the sector; to oppose any proposal to make fees for the use of infrastructure proportional to the effective costs involved as that could undermine taking into account environmental externalities or other important regulatory issues***; to exclude any provisions facilitating the entry and stay of professional drivers from the scope of the Annex on road transport;

Or. en

Amendment 473

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Agnes Jongerius, Emmanuel Maurel, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to exclude any provisions facilitating the entry and stay of professional drivers from the scope of the Annex on road transport;

Amendment

iv. to exclude any provisions facilitating the entry and stay of professional drivers from the scope of the Annex on road transport; ***to reject any demands to take any Mode 4 commitments in the road transport sector;***

Or. en

Amendment 474

József Szájer

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to exclude any provisions facilitating the entry and stay of professional drivers from the scope of the Annex on road transport;

Amendment

iv. to preserve the rights of the Member States regarding existing or future national regulations and bilateral or multilateral road transport agreements including transit permit requirements; to exclude any provisions facilitating the entry and stay of professional drivers from the scope of the Annex on road transport;

Or. en

Amendment 475

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to **ensure consistency with** international standards, such as those endorsed by the International Maritime Organisation and the International Civil Aviation Organisation, and to oppose any lowering of these international benchmarks;

Amendment

v. to **not consider** international standards, such as those endorsed by the International Maritime Organisation and the International Civil Aviation Organisation, **as maximum standards** and to oppose any lowering of these international benchmarks;

Or. en

Amendment 476

Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to ensure **consistency with** international standards, **such as those endorsed** by the International Maritime Organisation **and the** International Civil Aviation Organisation, **and** to oppose any lowering of these international benchmarks;

Amendment

v. to ensure **the full application of** international **social and safety** standards, **including the standards adopted** by the International Maritime Organisation, **International Labour Organisation and International Civil Aviation Organisation**; to oppose any lowering of these international benchmarks; **to recognise that these measures represent minimum standards and that Parties can go above and beyond these provisions**;

Or. en

Amendment 477

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Agnes Jongerius, Emmanuel Maurel, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to ensure consistency with international standards, such as those endorsed by the International Maritime Organisation and the International Civil Aviation Organisation, and to oppose any lowering of these international benchmarks;

Amendment

v. to ensure consistency with international standards, such as those endorsed by the International Maritime Organisation and the International Civil Aviation Organisation, and to oppose any lowering of these international benchmarks; ***to ensure the application of all ILO Conventions relevant to the logistics and transport sectors, such as the Maritime Labour Convention;***

Or. en

Amendment 478

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point vi

Motion for a resolution

vi. to strike the right balance between the liberalisation of the competitive postal sector and the protection of national monopolies; therefore to prevent anti-competitive cross-subsidisation ***and to ensure*** the recognition of universal service obligations as defined by each party;

Amendment

vi. to strike the right balance between the liberalisation of the competitive postal sector and the protection of national monopolies; therefore to prevent anti-competitive cross-subsidisation ***without undermining*** the recognition of universal service obligations as defined by each party; ***to this purpose, to allow for non-discriminatory charges on the commercial services for the purpose of funding the supply of the universal services; to refrain from considering universal service obligations as in principle anti-competitive and to withdraw any proposal to apply a necessity test;***

Or. en

Amendment 479

Christofer Fjellner

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point vi

Motion for a resolution

vi. to ***strike the right balance between*** the liberalisation of the competitive postal sector ***and the protection of national monopolies***; therefore to prevent anti-competitive cross-subsidisation and to ensure the recognition of universal service obligations as defined by each party;

Amendment

vi. to ***promote*** the liberalisation of the competitive postal sector; therefore to prevent anti-competitive cross-subsidisation and to ensure the recognition of universal service obligations as defined by each party;

Or. en

Amendment 480
Dita Charanzová

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point vi

Motion for a resolution

vi. to ***strike the right balance between the liberalisation of the competitive postal sector and the protection of national monopolies***; therefore to prevent anti-competitive cross-subsidisation and to ensure the recognition of universal service obligations as defined by each party;

Amendment

vi. to ***seek an agreement based on the current level of liberalization within the EU on a more competitive postal sector which is a key for further development of services and digital economy***;

Or. en

Amendment 481
Lucy Anderson

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point f – point vi

Motion for a resolution

vi. to ***strike the right balance between the liberalisation of the competitive postal***

Amendment

vi. to ***ensure the fulfilment of universal service obligations in the postal sector as***

sector *and the protection of national monopolies; therefore to prevent anti-competitive cross-subsidisation and to ensure the recognition of universal service obligations* as defined by each party;

defined by each party;

Or. en

Amendment 482

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point f – point vi

Motion for a resolution

vi. to strike the *right balance between the liberalisation of the competitive* postal sector and *the protection of national monopolies; therefore to prevent anti-competitive cross-subsidisation and to ensure the recognition of universal service obligations as defined by each party;*

Amendment

vi. to strike the *importance of public* postal sector and to ensure *universality of postal services;*

Or. en

Amendment 483

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate;

Amendment

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate; *to acknowledge that even a recognition in the core text of the agreement is not enough to fully preserve the right to regulate; to note that the right to regulate is defined by Article I-9 of the core text, which corresponds to GATS Article XIV,*

which is outdated in respect of the current level of service liberalisation; to therefore include, in a definition of the right to regulate and in a non-exhaustive list the objectives and the functions pursued by public services (e.g. redistributive policies or affordable universal access), as well as the obligations under international treaties a country is party to, such as those covering indigenous rights, climate change, culture or tobacco control; to ensure that the combination of domestic regulation and transparency annexes will not lead to a regulatory-chill effect;

Or. en

Amendment 484
Emmanuel Maurel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate;

Amendment

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate, *including by limiting the scope of investment protection rules with reference to 'fair and equitable treatment' and 'indirect expropriation'*;

Or. fr

Amendment 485
Miapetra Kumpula-Natri

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to *fully preserve* European, national and local authorities' right to regulate;

Amendment

i. to *ensure that* European, national and local authorities' right to regulate *in the public interest is not prejudiced by any*

other obligations set out in the agreement;

Or. en

Amendment 486

Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to fully **preserve** European, national and local authorities' right to regulate;

Amendment

i. to fully **ensure that** European, national and local authorities' right to regulate **in the public interest takes precedence over any other provisions set in the domestic regulation annex and to reject necessity tests;**

Or. en

Amendment 487

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Victor Boștinăru, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Agnes Jongerius, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to fully **preserve** European, national and local authorities' right to regulate;

Amendment

i. to fully **reassert that** European, national and local authorities **have the** right to regulate **to adopt policies in the public interest and that this should not be subject to additional necessity tests beyond those foreseen in GATS article VI; provisions on domestic regulations should not be more restrictive than the general proportionality obligation enshrined in the EU Treaties;**

Or. en

Amendment 488

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate;

Amendment

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate; ***calls on the Commission to make sure that the right to regulate is ensured in all negotiation documents, not only in the preamble;***

Or. en

Amendment 489

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate;

Amendment

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate ***in pursuit of legitimate public policy objectives;***

Or. en

Amendment 490

Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate;

Amendment

i. to fully preserve European, national and local authorities' right to regulate ***by rejecting the TiSA annex on domestic regulation;***

Amendment 491

Stelios Kouloglou, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to oppose the classification of municipal, regional or national provisions of land use and regional development or land-use plans as non-tariff barriers to trade, and to oppose restrictions to cross-subsidisation of undertakings under the same local authority where they exceed the restrictions existing under EU and national laws;

Or. en

Amendment 492

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to guarantee the country of destination principle is upheld where standards differ, including especially Mode 4 services (temporary free movement of service suppliers or of employees sent out by a supplier), to ensure that rules on qualifications and on labour and collective bargaining laws continue to apply in the host country; the temporary free movement of service suppliers or of employees sent out by a service supplier must on no account be used to prevent strikes or circumvent existing collective bargaining laws (by hiring temporary workers);

Amendment 493
Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to recognise that the parties to the negotiations subscribe to the rule of law and have independent judicial systems, with provision for remedies to guarantee the rights of investors and citizens;

Or. fr

Amendment 494
Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point i b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ib. to recognise the complete absence of reciprocity in the investor state arbitration arrangements, which permits undertakings to threaten judicially States which wish to adopt progressive legislation, while corporate social and environmental responsibilities are not addressed in any way;

Or. fr

Amendment 495
Ska Keller
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to promote good governance and foster good practices in administrative and legislative processes, by encouraging the wide take-up of measures that strengthen the independence of decision-makers, increase the transparency of decisions, **and reduce red tape**; to stress that consumer protection and safety must be at the centre of regulatory endeavours;

Amendment

ii. to promote good governance and foster good practices in administrative and legislative processes, by encouraging the wide take-up of measures that strengthen the independence of decision-makers, increase the transparency of decisions; to stress that consumer protection and safety must be at the centre of regulatory endeavours;

Or. en

Amendment 496

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Victor Boștinaru, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to promote good governance and foster good practices in administrative and **legislative** processes, by encouraging the wide take-up of measures that strengthen the independence of decision-makers, increase the transparency **of decisions, and reduce red tape**; to stress that consumer protection and safety must be at the centre of regulatory endeavours;

Amendment

ii. to promote good governance and foster good practices in administrative and **regulatory** processes, by encouraging the wide take-up of measures that strengthen the independence of decision-makers **and** increase the transparency **and democratic accountability of decisions**; to stress that consumer, **health and environmental protection and safety and labour rights** must be at the centre of regulatory endeavours;

Or. en

Amendment 497

Tokia Saïfi, Franck Proust, Marielle de Sarnez

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to promote good governance and foster good practices in administrative and legislative processes, by encouraging the wide take-up of measures that strengthen the independence of decision-makers, increase the transparency of decisions, and reduce red tape; to stress that consumer protection and safety must be at the centre of regulatory endeavours;

Amendment

ii. to promote good governance and foster good practices in administrative and legislative processes, by encouraging the wide take-up of measures that strengthen the independence of decision-makers, increase the transparency of decisions, and reduce red tape; to stress that consumer protection and safety must be at the centre of regulatory endeavours ***and that no European standard may be revised in such a way as to weaken it;***

Or. fr

Amendment 498

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to promote good governance and foster good practices in administrative and legislative processes, by encouraging the wide take-up of measures that strengthen the independence of decision-makers, increase the transparency of decisions, and reduce red tape; to stress that consumer protection and safety must be at the centre of regulatory endeavours;

Amendment

ii. to promote good governance and ***transparency and to*** foster good practices in administrative and legislative processes, by encouraging the wide take-up of measures that strengthen the independence of decision-makers, increase the transparency of decisions, and reduce red tape; to stress that consumer protection and safety must be at the centre of regulatory endeavours;

Or. en

Amendment 499

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point ii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iii. to ensure policy space to implement regulation for the protection of civil society;

Or. en

Amendment 500

Agnes Jongerius

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point ii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iii. A binding social clause in the core text of the treaty should safeguard the protection of workers' rights under TISA;

Or. en

Amendment 501

Franck Proust, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point ii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iii. to create a framework to bring together the various parties to the agreement to work together to combat fraud, swindling, abuses and illegal activities relating to services by means of exchanges of information and judicial cooperation so that the potential globalised services market does not fall victim to a lack of confidence among operators;

Or. fr

Amendment 502

Maria Arena

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iii. to recognise that the domestic regulation chapter is necessary to prevent parties from implementing disguised trade barriers and imposing unnecessary burdens on foreign companies, in particular when they apply for different types of permits;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 503

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iii. to recognise that the domestic regulation chapter is necessary to prevent parties from implementing disguised trade barriers and imposing unnecessary burdens on foreign companies, in particular when they apply for different types of permits;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 504

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to recognise that *the* domestic regulation *chapter is necessary to prevent parties from implementing disguised trade barriers and imposing unnecessary burdens on foreign companies, in particular when they apply for different types of permits;*

Amendment

iii. to recognise that *GATS Article VI on domestic regulation has been one of the stumbling blocks in GATS negotiations since the Uruguay Round and still is today due to the high sensitivity of the matter; to note that domestic regulation is in principle non-discriminatory as it applies in the same manner to domestic and foreign service suppliers; to consider that domestic regulation disciplines interfere with the regulatory autonomy of national authorities and that they should first of all continue to satisfy public policy goals rather than being made trade-oriented; to limit domestic regulation disciplines to ensuring clear and non-discriminatory rules;*

Or. en

Amendment 505
Emmanuel Maurel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to recognise that the domestic regulation chapter is necessary to *prevent parties from implementing disguised trade barriers and imposing unnecessary burdens on foreign companies, in particular when they apply for different types of permits;*

Amendment

iii. to recognise that the domestic regulation chapter is necessary to *protect the right of States to legislate and to ensure that the result of foreign investment is positive for the local economy, workers and consumers in the host country;*

Or. fr

Amendment 506
Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Emmanuel Maurel, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to recognise that *the* domestic regulation *chapter is* necessary to prevent parties from implementing disguised trade barriers and imposing unnecessary burdens on foreign companies, in particular when they apply for different types of permits;

Amendment

iii. to recognise that domestic regulation *provisions, as provided in the GATS, might be* necessary to prevent parties from implementing disguised trade barriers and imposing unnecessary burdens on foreign companies, in particular when they apply for different types of permits;

Or. en

Amendment 507

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to recognise that the *domestic regulation chapter is necessary to prevent parties from implementing disguised trade barriers and imposing unnecessary burdens on foreign companies, in particular when they apply for different types of permits;*

Amendment

iii. to recognise that the *right to regulate should not be endangered by the domestic regulation chapter; and reject the introduction of "necessity tests" for domestic regulation;*

Or. en

Amendment 508

Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to recognise that *the* domestic regulation *chapter is necessary to prevent parties from implementing disguised trade*

Amendment

iii. to recognise that *GATS Article VI.4 on domestic regulation has been challenged by different Parties due to its sensitive*

barriers and imposing unnecessary burdens on foreign companies, in particular when they apply for different types of permits;

nature being more trade-oriented rather than useful for public utility and to preserve the right to regulate of national authorities;

Or. en

Amendment 509

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiia. to reject the domestic regulation annex;

Or. en

Amendment 510

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiia. to reject the domestic regulation annex

Or. en

Amendment 511

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiia. to reject any approach to establish the

concept of necessity tests and the inclusion of vague legal concepts such as "unnecessary" and "inappropriate";

Or. en

Amendment 512

Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiia. to consider that in the Annex on Domestic regulation the concept of 'discriminating regulation' may reduce the scope of action of the National and Regional legislator and calls thus for a clear definition of the terms 'objective' and 'not more burdensome than necessary' when referred to measures of general application affecting trade in services;

Or. en

Amendment 513

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iii b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiib. to not consider applying a EU-equivalent proportionality test in TiSA or GATS as an alternative to the necessity test, since proportionality is applied and interpreted on the basis of the principles of the EU acquis, which cannot be recognised as a legal basis under international trade agreements;

Amendment 514

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to ensure that agreed rules apply only to trade-related measures, **such as** qualifications and licensing requirements and procedures, and only in sectors where a party has undertaken commitments;

Amendment

iv. to ensure that agreed rules apply only to trade-related measures, **only to** qualifications and licensing requirements and procedures, and only in sectors where a party has undertaken commitments;

Or. en

Amendment 515

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iv a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iva. to ensure that, even after granting a licencing authorisation, such procedures as further public consultation or impact assessments can be carried out by public authorities if necessary and that this is not to be interpreted as causing undue delay;

Or. en

Amendment 516

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iv a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iva. to guarantee that the universal service principle remains safeguarded, so that for instance people living in remote regions, border areas, islands or mountainous areas enjoy the same standard of service and do not pay more than people living in urban areas;

Or. en

Amendment 517

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point iv b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ivb. to oppose the classification of municipal and regional provisions on land use and regional development or land-use plans as non-tariff barriers to trade;

Or. en

Amendment 518

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Victor Boștinaru, Agnes Jongerius, Emmanuel Maurel, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point v

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

v. to request and publish a legal opinion prior to Parliament's vote on the final agreement, with a view to thoroughly assessing the two Annexes on domestic regulation and transparency in light of EU law, EU principles and international

v. to request and publish a legal opinion prior to Parliament's vote on the final agreement, with a view to thoroughly assessing the two Annexes on domestic regulation and transparency in light of EU law, EU principles and international

jurisprudence, **and** to assess whether the legal obligations set in these chapters are already respected in the EU;

jurisprudence, to assess whether the legal obligations set in these chapters are already respected in the EU, **and whether necessity tests limit public authorities' right to regulate**;

Or. en

Amendment 519
Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to request and publish a legal opinion prior to Parliament's vote on the final agreement, with a view to thoroughly assessing the two Annexes on domestic regulation and transparency in light of EU law, ***EU principles and international jurisprudence***, and to assess whether the legal obligations set in these chapters are already respected in the EU;

Amendment

v. to request and publish a legal opinion prior to Parliament's vote on the final agreement, with a view to thoroughly assessing the two Annexes on domestic regulation and transparency in light of EU law and to assess whether the legal obligations set in these chapters are already respected in the EU;

Or. en

Amendment 520
Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point v a (new)

Motion for a resolution

va. recalls the superiority of the European Human Charter on Human Rights over any international treaty and calls the European Court of Justice to effectively guaranty this juridical supremacy;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 521

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point vi

Motion for a resolution

vi. to clearly define the law-making principles of transparency and objectivity so as to ensure that these concepts do not turn into catch-all provisions;

Amendment

vi. to clearly define the law-making principles of transparency and objectivity so as to ensure that these concepts do not turn into catch-all provisions; ***to recognise that all measures are administered in a reasonable, objective and impartial manner if they are applied the same way to domestic and foreign providers;***

Or. en

Amendment 522

Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point vi

Motion for a resolution

vi. to clearly define the law-making principles of transparency and objectivity so as to ensure that these concepts do not turn into catch-all provisions;

Amendment

vi. to clearly define the law-making principles of transparency and objectivity so as to ensure that these concepts do not turn into catch-all provisions ***and do not affect the right to regulate or slow down legislative processes; in particular to ensure that provisions contained in any transparency annex do not affect pricing mechanisms;***

Or. en

Amendment 523

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Emmanuel Maurel, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point vi

Motion for a resolution

vi. to clearly define the law-making principles of transparency and objectivity so as to ensure that these concepts do not turn into catch-all provisions;

Amendment

vi. to clearly define the law-making principles of transparency and objectivity so as to ensure that these concepts do not turn into catch-all provisions; ***in particular, to ensure that provisions contained in any transparency annex do not affect pricing mechanisms;***

Or. en

Amendment 524
Aldo Patriciello

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point vii

Motion for a resolution

vii. to make information on trade-related regulations and how they are administered publicly available online; to place the emphasis on rules governing licensing and authorisations; to specifically push for the creation of a web-based one-stop shop information mechanism for SMEs;

Amendment

vii. to make information on trade-related regulations and how they are administered publicly available online, ***in order to ensure greater transparency;*** to place the emphasis on rules governing licensing and authorisations; to specifically push for the creation of a web-based one-stop shop information mechanism for SMEs;

Or. it

Amendment 525
Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point vii

Motion for a resolution

vii. to make information on trade-related regulations and how they are administered publicly available online; to place the emphasis on rules governing licensing and

Amendment

vii. to make information on trade-related regulations and how they are administered publicly available online; to place the emphasis on rules governing licensing and

authorisations; to specifically push for the creation of a web-based one-stop shop information mechanism for SMEs;

authorisations; to specifically push for the creation of a web-based one-stop shop information mechanism for SMEs **and to include SMEs in it is conception;**

Or. en

Amendment 526

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point viii

Motion for a resolution

viii. to ensure that administrative fees charged to foreign companies are fair, that remedies making it possible to file a complaint in national courts ***exist, and that rulings are delivered in a reasonable period of time;***

Amendment

viii. to ensure that administrative fees charged to foreign companies are fair; ***to recognise that licencing fees can be used, for instance, to cross-finance public and universal services and to not undermine the possibility for public authorities to charge fees higher than the administrative costs involved, provided they are applied in a non-discriminatory manner; to ensure,*** that remedies making it possible to file a complaint in ***administrative*** national courts ***are equally accessible to domestic and foreign providers;***

Or. en

Amendment 527

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point viii

Motion for a resolution

viii. to ensure that administrative fees charged to foreign companies are fair, that remedies making it possible to file a complaint in national courts exist, and that rulings are delivered in a reasonable period

Amendment

viii. to ensure that administrative fees charged to foreign companies are fair, that remedies making it possible to file a complaint in national courts exist, and that rulings are delivered in a reasonable period

of time;

of time; *while assuring that licencing fees can be used for socially legitimate goods such as cross-financing or shaping an economic sector or social practice;*

Or. en

Amendment 528

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point viii

Motion for a resolution

viii. to ensure that administrative fees charged to foreign companies are fair, *that* remedies making it possible to file a complaint in national courts exist, and that rulings are delivered in a reasonable period of time;

Amendment

viii. to ensure that administrative fees charged to foreign companies are fair *and proportionate, that sufficient* remedies making it possible to file a complaint in national courts exist, and that rulings are delivered in a reasonable period of time;

Or. en

Amendment 529

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point ix

Motion for a resolution

ix. to maintain the EU practice of carrying out public consultations prior to legislative proposals;

Amendment

ix. to maintain the EU practice of carrying out public consultations prior to legislative proposals; *to ensure that the outcomes of these consultations will be observed closely during the negotiations;*

Or. en

Amendment 530

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point ix

Motion for a resolution

ix. to maintain the EU practice of carrying out public consultations prior to legislative proposals;

Amendment

ix. to maintain the EU practice of carrying out public consultations prior to legislative proposals, ***without giving privileged access to trade and other commercial interests;***

Or. en

Amendment 531

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point x

Motion for a resolution

x. to oppose any proposals calling for the mandatory submission of legislative proposals to third parties prior to their publication;

Amendment

x. to oppose any proposals calling for the mandatory submission of legislative proposals to third parties prior to their publication; ***to apply this principle to all TiSA annexes;***

Or. en

Amendment 532

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point g – point x

Motion for a resolution

x. to oppose any proposals calling for the mandatory submission of legislative proposals to third parties prior to their publication;

Amendment

x. to oppose any proposals calling for the mandatory submission of legislative proposals to third parties prior to their publication; ***to bear in mind that stakeholders have different access to resources and expertise, and to ensure that the introduction of a voluntarily***

*stakeholder consultation process in TiSA
does not create a bias towards the better
funded organisations;*

Or. en

Amendment 533

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point x

Motion for a resolution

x. to *oppose any proposals calling for the mandatory submission of legislative proposals to third parties prior to their publication;*

Amendment

x. to *ensure that nothing in the agreement prevents the EU from taking decisions in the context of its better regulation agenda;*

Or. en

Amendment 534

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Victor Boştinaru, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point x a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

xa. to reject the inclusion of a Most Favoured Nation Clause (MFN) in TiSA;

Or. en

Amendment 535

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point g – point x b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

xb. to secure full transparency as to the conditions prevailing in TiSA participants' markets in particular with respect to regulation applicable at sub-federal level;

Or. en

Amendment 536

Stelios Kouloglou, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Anne-Marie Mineur

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point x a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

xa. to ensure that universal service is safeguarded, so that for instance people living in remote regions, border areas, islands or mountainous areas enjoy the same standard service and do not pay more than people living in urban areas;

Or. en

Amendment 537

Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point x a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

xa. to reject the inclusion of investor state arbitration arrangements in TiSA which place themselves above national courts and restrict legislative powers conferred by citizens;

Or. fr

Amendment 538

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to acknowledge that TiSA *is an opportunity to* ensure competition by the rules, not for the rules;

Amendment

i. to acknowledge that TiSA *must* ensure competition by the rules, not for the rules;

Or. en

Amendment 539

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to acknowledge that TiSA is an opportunity to ensure *competition by the rules, not for the rules*;

Amendment

i. to acknowledge that TiSA is an opportunity to ensure *a competitive level playing field among the parties by creating common disciplines and provisions aimed at ensuring a minimum level of best regulatory practice*;

Or. en

Amendment 540

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Joachim Schuster

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to allow participating countries to modify or withdraw a commitment in their schedule if they can negotiate a substitute commitment with all other parties, by

analogy to the provisions of GATS article XXI;

Or. en

Amendment 541

Maria Arena, Emmanuel Maurel, Agnes Jongerius

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to include a State to State dispute settlement mechanism in TiSA to be used until the agreement is multilateralised and the WTO dispute settlement mechanisms become available;

Or. en

Amendment 542

Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to acknowledge that an increase in budget and scope of the EGF as well as other mechanism to support income are necessary as TiSA and other international trade agreements will displace EU workers across sectors;

Or. en

Amendment 543

Jude Kirton-Darling, Victor Boștinăru, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, David Martin, Sorin Moisă, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point h – point i b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ib. to include a dispute settlement mechanism in TiSA to be used until the agreement is multilateralised and the WTO dispute settlement mechanisms become available;

Or. en

Amendment 544
Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ii. to endeavour to include a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 545
Ska Keller
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to *endeavour to include* a regulatory chapter on government procurement *with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;*

Amendment

ii. to *oppose* a regulatory chapter on government procurement *as long as its provisions do not include sustainability criteria, as well as thresholds below which commitments do not apply, in line with the EU Directives; to consider that public procurement is an important public policy instrument especially for developing and transition countries and that the EU Member States have benefitted from national preferences in the past to foster economic development; to note that the EU has now lost the possibility to use procurement for public policy and political economy purposes;*

Or. en

Amendment 546

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Victor Boștinăru, Agnes Jongerius, Bernd Lange, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to endeavour to include a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call

Amendment

ii. to endeavour to include a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders *and to safeguard the ability of public authorities in the EU to discriminate on the basis of environmental and social criteria;* to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the

upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;

ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;

Or. en

Amendment 547

Marielle de Sarnez, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to *endeavour to include* a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;

Amendment

ii. to *defend the inclusion in the agreement of* a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;

Or. fr

Amendment 548

Tokia Saïfi, Franck Proust, Marielle de Sarnez

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to endeavour to include a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;

Amendment

ii. to endeavour to include a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States **and the Commission** to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;

Or. fr

Amendment 549

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to endeavour to include a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to **deplore** the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders **and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area**, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation **of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;**

Amendment

ii. to endeavour to include a regulatory chapter on government procurement with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to **overcome** the lack of transparency **and market entry barriers** regarding non-European calls for tenders as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation **by those parties who have not yet done so of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision;**

Amendment 550

Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to *endeavour to include* a regulatory chapter on government procurement *with a view to maximising the participation of European companies in foreign tenders; to deplore the lack of transparency regarding non-European calls for tenders and to denounce the lack of reciprocity in this area, as illustrated by the preferential treatment granted to domestic companies in several countries; to encourage the ratification and implementation of the WTO Government Procurement Agreement and its 2011 revision; to call upon the Member States to reinvigorate discussions on the proposed international public procurement instrument;*

Amendment

ii. to *oppose the inclusion of* a regulatory chapter on government procurement and to *ensure that any upcoming commitment will not overcome local or national laws;*

Amendment 551

Marielle de Sarnez

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

iii. to call upon the European Union to introduce a ‘European Business Act’, modelled on the ‘American Business Act’ and supporting the economic development of SMEs and European industry;

Amendment

Amendment 552

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iii. to ensure protection of EU small and medium sized service providers from unfair trading practices from services providers from outside the EU. For example by an article ensuring strict supervisory authorities and competition authorities. This article should at least contain the GATS Art. IX on 'Business practices'.

Or. en

Amendment 553

Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point ii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iii. to point out that in European Union not only the provision and quality and continuity of public services are part of our social model, but also their democratic control by the citizens;

Or. en

Amendment 554

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to lower barriers to trade in energy- and environment-related services, given that an increasing number of services, such as installation, management and repairs, are sold together with products in these two areas; to acknowledge the explicit recognition of each party's sovereignty over energy resources and to preserve the EU's right to regulate, in particular so as to meet the European objectives of sustainability, security and affordability;

Amendment

iii. to lower **unnecessary** barriers to trade in energy- and environment-related services, **while keeping the possibility to take reservations on market access and national treatment in all modes of supply**, given that an increasing number of services, such as installation, management and repairs, are sold together with products in these two areas; **to oppose all horizontal standstill clauses as well as any prohibition to adopt Section A reservations**; to acknowledge the explicit recognition of each party's sovereignty over energy resources and to preserve the EU's right to regulate, in particular so as to meet the European objectives of sustainability, security and affordability;

Or. en

Amendment 555
Marielle de Sarnez

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point h – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to lower barriers to trade in energy- and environment-related services, given that an increasing number of services, such as installation, management and repairs, are sold together with products in these two areas; to acknowledge the explicit recognition of each party's sovereignty over energy resources and to preserve the EU's right to regulate, in particular so as to meet the European objectives of sustainability, security and affordability;

Amendment

iii. to lower barriers to trade in energy- and environment-related services, **particularly those relating to the development and promotion of renewable energy and environmentally sound technologies**, given that an increasing number of services, such as installation, management and repairs, are sold together with products in these two areas; to acknowledge the explicit recognition of each party's sovereignty over energy resources and to preserve the EU's right to regulate, in particular so as to meet the European objectives of sustainability, security and affordability;

Amendment 556

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to lower barriers to trade in energy- and environment-related services, given that an increasing number of services, such as installation, management and repairs, are sold together with products in these two areas; to acknowledge the explicit recognition of each party's sovereignty over energy resources and to preserve the EU's right to regulate, in particular so as to meet the European objectives of sustainability, security and affordability;

Amendment

iii. to lower barriers to trade in energy- and environment-related services, given that an increasing number of services, such as installation, management and repairs, are sold together with products in these two areas; to acknowledge the explicit recognition of each party's sovereignty over energy resources *in line with Treaty provisions* and to preserve the EU's right to regulate, in particular so as to meet the European objectives of sustainability, security and affordability;

Or. en

Amendment 557

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point h – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiia. to ensure that upcoming procurement commitments do not overcome any local or national law of any party;

Or. en

Amendment 558

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point h – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiia. to acknowledge that TiSA will be a danger for workers' rights in Europe since some of the negotiating countries haven't ratified the core labour standards of the ILO; ensure that all signatories of the TiSA agreement have ratified the core labour standards from the ILO which include freedom of association and the right to collective bargaining; the effective abolition of child labour; the elimination of all forms of forced or compulsory labour and the elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation;

Or. en

Amendment 559
Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point h – point iii b (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiib. to ensure that the public procurement to ensure that the recently adopted EU rules on public procurement are shielded and supported in the framework of the negotiations, in particular regarding SMEs' access to public contracts, eligibility criteria based on the best quality-price ratio instead of the cheapest price, reserved markets allocated to social economy undertakings, the possibility for contractual authorities to foster inter-community cooperation, and the preservation of thresholds for tendering exclusion from EU and international rules;

Or. en

Amendment 560

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Agnes Jongerius, Bernd Lange, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to ensure the highest level of transparency, dialogue and accountability;

Amendment

i. to ensure the highest level of transparency, dialogue and accountability, ***and to emulate the document disclosure policy of the WTO, whereby all negotiating documents are made available to the public;***

Or. en

Amendment 561

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to ensure the highest level of transparency, dialogue and accountability;

Amendment

i. to ensure the highest level of transparency, dialogue and accountability, ***to publish all negotiating texts and to ensure that the European Parliament and National Parliaments have immediate access to the final and intermediate results of any impact assessment;***

Or. en

Amendment 562

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point i

Motion for a resolution

i. to ensure the highest level of transparency, dialogue and accountability;

Amendment

i. to ensure the highest level of transparency, dialogue and accountability *in line with existing WTO rules*;

Or. en

Amendment 563
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to ensure a high level of citizen and stakeholder engagement, including through organising meetings and events to explain what TiSA is and is not; to stress that member states, who set out the negotiating directives, have a fundamental role to play in this regard;

Or. en

Amendment 564
Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to ensure disclosure of the negotiating texts and the contents of proposals, the greatest possible transparency in relation to the negotiations and, when required by the negotiating conditions, continuing access for elected representatives and the social partners to the most sensitive documents;

Or. fr

Amendment 565
Philippe De Backer

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point i a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ia. to ensure a high level of citizen and stakeholder engagement, including through organising meetings and events to explain what TiSA is and is not; to stress that Member States, who set out the negotiating directives, have a fundamental role to play in this regard;

Or. en

Amendment 566
Ska Keller
on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point ii

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

ii. to ensure that the members of Parliament's *Committee on International Trade* receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA;

ii. to ensure that *all* Members of Parliament receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA;

Or. en

Amendment 567
Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Victor Boştinaru, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Agnes Jongerius, Bernd Lange, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to ensure that the members of Parliament's Committee on International Trade receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA;

Amendment

ii. to ensure that the members of Parliament's Committee on International Trade receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA *as well as Commission internal assessments including briefing documents, minutes and summaries of negotiating rounds*;

Or. en

Amendment 568

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to ensure that the members of *Parliament's Committee on International Trade* receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA;

Amendment

ii. to ensure that the *all* Members of *the European Parliament* receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA;

Or. en

Amendment 569

Ivo Belet

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to ensure that the members of Parliament's Committee on International Trade receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA;

Amendment

ii. to ensure that the members of Parliament's Committee on International Trade receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA; *to encourage Member States to involve national parliaments and to provide all the necessary support for Member States to fulfil this task, in order to keep national parliaments adequately informed on the*

ongoing negotiations;

Or. en

Amendment 570

Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point ii

Motion for a resolution

ii. to ensure that the members of **Parliament's** Committee on International Trade receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA;

Amendment

ii. to ensure that the members of **Parliament's** Committee on International Trade receive all the negotiating documents related to TiSA ***where appropriate, ensuring that the negotiating position of the EU is not compromised; calls on Members to take full responsibility when handling such documents to ensure that the Parliament can continue to push for transparency across trade agreements;***

Or. en

Amendment 571

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to welcome the substantial push for transparency vis-à-vis the public since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets for each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website;

Amendment

iii. to welcome the substantial push for transparency vis-à-vis the public since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets for each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website; ***to step up, in line with the recommendations***

of the European Ombudsman on TTIP, ongoing efforts to increase transparency in the negotiations by the immediate publication of all documents relevant to TiSA, including negotiation proposals, especially consolidated negotiation texts; to reinforce continuous and transparent engagement with all stakeholders and civil society organisations in particular by allowing them to participate in the negotiating process;

Or. en

Amendment 572
Emmanuel Maurel

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to *welcome the substantial push for* transparency vis-à-vis the public since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets for each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website;

Amendment

iii. to *acknowledge the genuine, but as yet seriously insufficient, progress which has been made with regard to* transparency vis-à-vis the public since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets for each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports *and, in so far as possible, the negotiating documents* on the Europa website; *to encourage our negotiating partners to increase transparency so that TiSA is not negotiated under more opaque conditions than those arranged under the aegis of the WTO;*

Or. fr

Amendment 573
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to welcome the substantial push for transparency vis-à-vis the public since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets for each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website;

Amendment

iii. to welcome the substantial push for transparency vis-à-vis the public since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets for each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website; **to publish more negotiating documents where possible;**

Or. en

Amendment 574
Emma McClarkin, Sander Loones

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to welcome the substantial push for **transparency vis-à-vis the public** since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets **for** each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website;

Amendment

iii. to welcome the substantial push for **public transparency** since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets **explaining in a clear and comprehensible way** each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website;

Or. en

Amendment 575
Philippe De Backer

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point iii

Motion for a resolution

iii. to welcome the substantial push for transparency vis-à-vis the public since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets for each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website;

Amendment

iii. to welcome the substantial push for transparency vis-à-vis the public since the 2014 European elections, including the publication of EU market access offers and the mandate granted by the Council; to further these efforts by providing fact sheets for each part of the agreement and by publishing factual round-by-round feedback reports on the Europa website; ***to publish more negotiating documents where possible;***

Or. en

Amendment 576
Marietje Schaake

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiia. to convince negotiating partners to mirror the EU's step to further transparency, to facilitate a more open process on all sides;

Or. en

Amendment 577
Philippe De Backer

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point iii a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iiia. to convince negotiating partners to mirror the EU's step to further transparency, to facilitate a more open

process on all sides;

Or. en

Amendment 578

Franz Obermayr, Edouard Ferrand, Matteo Salvini, Marine Le Pen

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point iv

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iv. to welcome the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process;

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 579

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point iv

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

iv. to welcome the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process;

iv. to welcome the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process; *to encourage civil society to participate actively and to put forward initiatives, concerns, problematic issues and information relevant to the negotiations and to urge the Commission to better take those into account;*

Or. en

Amendment 580

Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Karoline Graswander-Hainz, Agnes Jongerius, David Martin, Emmanuel Maurel, Sorin Moisă, Alessia Maria Mosca,

Inmaculada Rodríguez-Piñero Fernández, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to **welcome the** continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process;

Amendment

iv. to **ensure serious and** continuous engagement of the EU institutions with **social partners and** a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process;

Or. en

Amendment 581

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to **welcome** the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders **throughout** the negotiation process;

Amendment

iv. to **limit** the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of **lobby groups throughout the negotiation process, and to ensure that other** stakeholders **are not any more left from** the negotiation process;

Or. en

Amendment 582

Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou, Helmut Scholz

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to welcome the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process;

Amendment

iv. to welcome the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process; **to ensure that the negotiators allow equitable access and engagement to**

all relevant stakeholders;

Or. en

Amendment 583

Marielle de Sarnez, Tokia Saïfi

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point iv

Motion for a resolution

iv. to welcome the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process;

Amendment

iv. to welcome the continuous engagement of the EU institutions with a wide range of stakeholders throughout the negotiation process *and to call for this engagement to be intensified as the negotiations progress, so that the expectations of European civil society and stakeholders are adequately taken into account;*

Or. fr

Amendment 584

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to *encourage the* Member States to involve *their national* parliaments and to keep them adequately informed about *the ongoing negotiations;*

Amendment

v. to *request* Member States to involve *national and regional* parliaments *as well as local authorities in the negotiations as much as possible* and to keep them adequately informed about *reports, proposals and positions of the EU;*

Or. en

Amendment 585

Franz Obermayr, Edouard Ferrand, Matteo Salvini, Marine Le Pen

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to encourage the Member States to involve their national parliaments and to keep them *adequately informed* about the ongoing negotiations;

Amendment

v. to encourage the Member States to involve their national parliaments and to keep them *informed in the best possible way* about the ongoing negotiations;

Or. en

Amendment 586
Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to encourage the Member States to involve their national parliaments and to keep them adequately informed about the ongoing negotiations;

Amendment

v. to encourage the Member States to involve their national, *regional and local* parliaments *by granting access to all negotiating documents* and to keep them adequately informed about the ongoing negotiations;

Or. en

Amendment 587
Anne-Marie Mineur, Eleonora Forenza, Stelios Kouloglou

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – point i – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to encourage the Member States to involve their national parliaments and to keep them adequately informed about the ongoing negotiations;

Amendment

v. to encourage the Member States to involve their national parliaments and to keep them adequately informed about the ongoing negotiations; *call on the Council to ensure that TiSA will be a mixed agreement;*

Amendment 588

Tiziana Beghin, David Borrelli

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point v

Motion for a resolution

v. to encourage the Member States to involve their national parliaments and to keep them adequately informed about the ongoing negotiations;

Amendment

v. to encourage the Member States to involve **more** their national parliaments and **regional authorities** to keep them adequately informed about the ongoing negotiations **and the EU position**;

Or. en

Amendment 589

Miapetra Kumpula-Natri

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point v a (new)

Motion for a resolution

va. whereas education is a public good and a fundamental right;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 590

Jude Kirton-Darling

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – point i – point v a (new)

Motion for a resolution

va. to invite local and regional authorities' representatives, which are represented at EU level by the Committee of the Regions, to the dialogues organised by the

Amendment

*European Commission at the beginning
and at the end of each rounds of
negotiations;*

Or. en

Amendment 591

Stelios Kouloglou, Lola Sánchez Caldentey, Patrick Le Hyaric, Eleonora Forenza

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*to withdraw from TiSA negotiations if all
the above recommendations are not
respected;*

Or. en

Amendment 592

Tiziana Beghin

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*to withdraw from TiSA negotiations if the
European Parliament recommendations
are not respected and followed during the
negotiations;*

Or. en

Amendment 593

Stelios Kouloglou, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

to oppose any intent of ratcheting up the coverage of the Agreement through the implementation of a ‘most favoured nation’ status, thereby ensuring that the worst aspects of the eventually ratified CETA, TTIP and TPP could be incorporated into the text;

Or. en

Amendment 594

Ska Keller

on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

to withdraw from TiSA negotiations if all the above recommendations are not respected;

Or. en

Amendment 595

Patrick Le Hyaric

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

to reject the current negotiations on the Trade in Services Agreement (TiSA);

Or. fr

Amendment 596

Stelios Kouloglou, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

to strongly oppose any possibility of ratcheting up the coverage of the Agreement through the implementation of ‘most favoured nation’ status, thereby ensuring that the worst aspects of the eventually conclude CETA, TTIP or TPP could be incorporated in TiSA;

Or. en

Amendment 597
Stelios Kouloglou, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

to strongly oppose any intent of ratcheting up the coverage of the Agreement through the implementation of ‘most favoured nation’ status thereby ensuring that the worst aspects of the eventually approved CETA, TTIP and TPP could be incorporated into the text;

Or. en

Amendment 598
Stelios Kouloglou, Eleonora Forenza, Lola Sánchez Caldentey

Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2 (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

to ensure that legal disputes affecting compliance with this agreement to be referred to the public courts of the place of the defendant's registered office, and

*for proceedings to be conducted in the
defendant's language and governed by the
laws in force in the defendant's country;
to ensure that the right of appeal is
safeguarded;*

Or. en

Amendment 599

**Jude Kirton-Darling, Eric Andrieu, Maria Arena, Karoline Graswander-Hainz,
Emmanuel Maurel, Joachim Schuster, Marita Ulvskog**

Motion for a resolution

Paragraph 2 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

*2a. Requests the European Commission to
provide a detailed response to all the
concerns raised in this resolution within
three months of its adoption;*

Or. en