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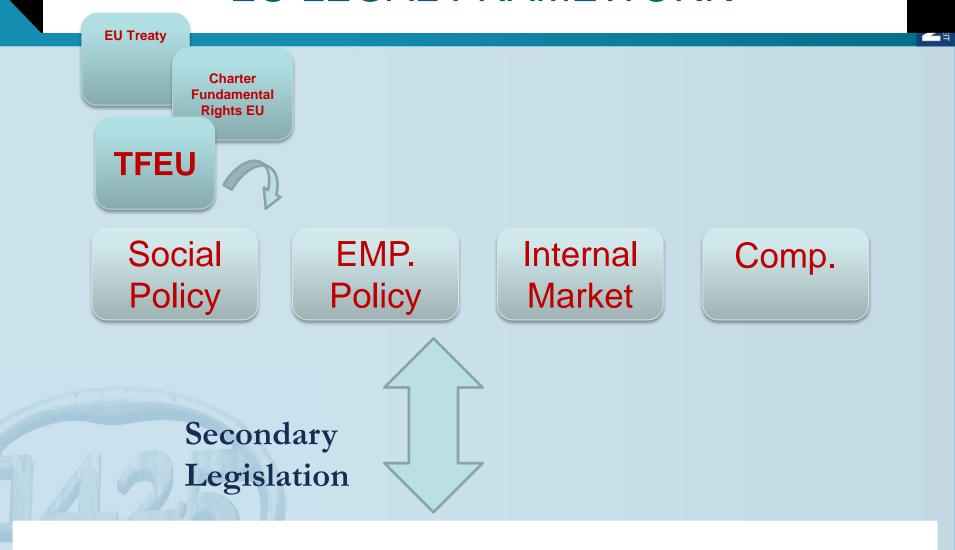
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EU LEGAL FRAMEWORK



Labour law in the member states

Social policy

Qualified majority voting

- Health and safety
- Working conditions
- Information and consultation
- Integration of persons excluded from the labour market
- Equal treatment women/men

Unanimous voting

- Protection where employment contract is terminated
- Representation and collective defence
- Third country nationals legally residing in Union
- Social security and social protection

Social policy

Excluded areas!

- Pay
- Right of association
- Right to strike



Current framework / gaps

Wages

Collective bargaining

Employment termination

Worker concept

Future trends

- New forms of work
- All forms (self-employment)
- Labour law and competition law
- Working time
- Human-in-command
- Worker privacy

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Thank you

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