# Amendment 24 Joëlle Bergeron, Laura Ferrara on behalf of the EFDD Group

#### Recommendation for second reading António Marinho e Pinto

A8-0296/2015

Court of Justice of the European Union: number of judges at the General Court 09375/1/2015 – C8-0166/2015 – 2011/0901B(COD)

# Council position Recital 5

#### Council position

(5) Taking into account the likely evolution of the workload of the General Court, the number of Judges should be fixed at *56 at the end of a three-stage process*, it being understood that at no point of time can there be more than two Judges sitting at the General Court *appointed upon a proposal by* the same Member State.

#### Amendment

(5) Taking into account the likely evolution of the workload of the General Court, the number of Judges should be fixed at 40, it being understood that at no point of time can there be more than two Judges sitting at the General Court *from* the same Member State.

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# Council position Recital 6

#### Council position

- (6) In order to *rapidly reduce the backlog of pending cases*, twelve additional Judges should take office ....<sup>2</sup>.
- <sup>2</sup>\* OJ: insert "in September 2015", or "upon entry into force of this Regulation" if the date of entry into force of this Regulation is after 31 August 2015.

#### Amendment

- (6) In order to make the administration of justice at the General Court more efficient, twelve additional Judges should take office...<sup>2</sup>.
- <sup>2</sup>\* OJ: insert "in September 2015", or "upon entry into force of this Regulation" if the date of entry into force of this Regulation is after 31 August 2015.

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Council position Recital 7

Council position

Amendment

(7) In September 2016, first instance jurisdiction in Union civil service cases, and the seven posts of the Judges sitting at the European Union Civil Service Tribunal, should be transferred to the General Court, on the basis of a future legislative request by the Court of Justice.

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Council position Recital 8

Council position

Amendment

(8) In September 2019, the remaining nine additional Judges should take office. In order to ensure cost effectiveness, this should not entail the recruitment of additional legal secretaries or other support staff. Internal re-organisation measures within the institution should ensure that efficient use be made of existing human resources.

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# Council position Article 1 – point 1

Protocol on the Statute of the Court of Justice Article 9

#### Council position

When, every three years, the Judges are partially replaced, one half of the number of Judges shall be replaced. If the number of Judges is an uneven number, the number of Judges who shall be replaced shall alternately be the number which is the next above one half of the number of Judges and the number which is next below one half.

#### Amendment

When, every three years, the Judges are partially replaced, one half of the number of Judges shall be replaced.

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Council position Article 1 – point 2

Protocol on the Statute of the Court of Justice Article 48

Council position

Amendment

(2) Article 48 is replaced by the following:

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"Article 48

The General Court shall consist of:

The General Court shall consist of 40 Judges.".

- (a) 40 Judges as from ...\*;
- (b) 47 Judges as from 1 September 2016;
- (c) two Judges per Member State as from 1 September 2019.".

<sup>\*</sup> OJ: insert "1 September 2015", or the date of entry into force of this Regulation if that date is after 1 September 2015.