Amendment 55
Marine Le Pen
on behalf of the ENF Group

Report
Viviane Reding
Recommendations to the Commission on the negotiations for the Trade in Services Agreement (TiSA)
2015/2233(INI)

Motion for a resolution
Recital A

Motion for a resolution

A. whereas the TiSA negotiations should achieve effective international regulation, not lower domestic regulation;

Amendment

A. whereas the TiSA negotiations involve international regulation and the impossibility of regulating;

Or. en
Amendment 56
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Recital C

Motion for a resolution

C. whereas *any* trade agreement *must* provide *more* rights and *lower* prices to European consumers, *more* jobs and protection to workers; whereas they must also contribute to promoting sustainable development, corporate social responsibility globally and level the playing field for European companies; whereas trade policy should contribute to and be fully coherent with the ILO Decent work Agenda and the UN 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development;

Amendment

C. whereas *this* trade agreement *risks* destroying *many* jobs in the service sector;

Or. en
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Recital D

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D. whereas any trade agreement must be a market opener for our companies abroad and a safety net for our citizens at home; whereas TiSA should increase access to foreign markets, promote best practices and shape globalisation with a view to ensuring that it reflects EU values, principles and interests and that it helps EU companies thrive in the era of global value chains; whereas consumer rights as well as social and environmental standards are not trade barriers but non-negotiable building blocks of the Europe 2020 strategy for smart, sustainable and inclusive growth; whereas the EU’s trade policy must uphold the objectives of economic, social and territorial cohesion as set out in Article 174 of the TFEU; whereas the provision of services in the EU is based on the principles of universal access, quality, safety, affordability and equal treatment to be guaranteed at all times in all cities and regions; whereas the EU should promote gender equality at international level;

Amendment

D. whereas international regulation involves provisions not adapted to European consumers’ wishes;

Or. en
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Motion for a resolution
Recital E

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E. whereas in the context of the globalisation, servicification and digitalisation both of our economies and of international trade, urgent policy action is needed to enhance international rules; whereas the EU has a vital interest in strengthening global trade rules to govern global-supply chains; whereas the multilateral trading system remains the most effective framework for achieving open and fair trade worldwide;

Amendment

E. whereas in the context of the globalisation, servicification and digitalisation both of our economies and of international trade, it is necessary to halt this excessive globalisation because countries need the right to regulate;

Or. en
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Motion for a resolution
Recital G

Motion for a resolution
Amendment

G. whereas trade in services is an engine for jobs and growth in the EU, which could be strengthened by TiSA;

G. whereas trade in services endangers large numbers of jobs and the salary levels of workers in the service sector;

Or. en
Amendment 60
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Motion for a resolution
Recital H

Motion for a resolution

H. whereas many important markets, not least in emerging economies, are still closed to European companies; whereas unnecessary barriers to trade in services, which if translated into equivalent tariffs amount to 15 % for Canada, 16 % for Japan, 25 % for South Korea, 44 % for Turkey and 68 % for China, continue to prevent European companies from reaping the full benefits of their competitiveness; whereas the EU, where the tariff equivalent of services restrictions is only 6 %, is substantially more open than most of its partners; whereas the EU should use its position as the most important importer and exporter of services to secure a level playing field via reciprocal market access and fair competition;

Amendment

H. whereas many important markets, not least in emerging economies, are still closed to European companies; whereas unnecessary barriers to trade in services, which if translated into equivalent tariffs amount to 15 % for Canada, 16 % for Japan, 25 % for South Korea, 44 % for Turkey and 68 % for China, continue to prevent European companies from reaping the full benefits of their competitiveness; whereas the EU, where the tariff equivalent of services restrictions is only 6 %, is substantially more open than most of its partners; whereas the EU should protect its citizens and companies as much as the other countries in the world do;

Or. en
27.1.2016

Amendment 61
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Motion for a resolution
Recital I

I. whereas non-tariff barriers, which on average represent more than 50 % of the cost of cross-border services, disproportionately affect small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs), which make up one third of EU service export providers and which often lack the human and financial resources necessary to overcome those obstacles; whereas the elimination of unnecessary barriers would facilitate the internationalisation of SMEs as long as these barriers can be removed without jeopardising the fulfilment of the public policy objectives underpinning them; whereas the measures necessary to achieve legitimate public policy purposes should be maintained;
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Motion for a resolution
Recital M

Motion for a resolution

M. whereas data protection is not an economic burden, but a source of economic growth; whereas restoring trust in the digital world is crucial; whereas data flows are indispensable to trade in services but should never compromise the EU’s acquis on data protection and the right to privacy;

Amendment

M. whereas data protection should not be considered as a source of economic growth, but as a legal principle; whereas massive data flows outside national borders are not indispensable to trade in services and should never compromise the EU’s acquis on data protection and the right to privacy;

Or. en
Motion for a resolution
Recital O

O. whereas TiSA will involve movements of natural persons between the countries that are parties to the agreement and in this respect all European citizens must be treated equally regarding access to the parties’ respective territories;

Amendment

O. whereas TiSA will involve movements of workers between the countries that are parties to the agreement and in this respect it will create the risk of importing a more unskilled and/or low-paid labour force with poor language skills;

Or. en
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Motion for a resolution
Paragraph 1

Motion for a resolution

1. Addresses, in the context of the ongoing negotiations on the Trade in Services Agreement, the following recommendations to the Commission:

   [...]