

Protect EU citizens in the Trautmann report!



Paris, March 26th

Dear Member of the European Parliament, dear ITRE member,

The future of Internet in Europe lies, once again, between your hands. For Internet's fantastic growth, root for the future of Europe's societies, innovation and wealth, depend on key principles upheld since its beginning: **Non-discrimination over content, application and services accessed through the network, and freedom for everyone to innovate.**

The European Parliament has proved already it could stand for **protecting citizen's rights and innovation** when they were threatened. The **vote by 88% of the MEPs of the amendment 138** in Telecoms Package 1st reading was a very strong signal sent to the EU citizens. Will you stand on this strong commitment from the European Parliament towards fairness and liberty? You will have an occasion to answer this question with your **vote on on Mar. 31st**.

We therefore urge you to :

- **Protect EU citizens fundamental rights and freedoms by voting for amendment 46=135 (first reading amendment 138).**
- **Reject the notion of “lawful content” in amendment 45** for it is a major breach to the technical neutrality of the network, would turn operators into private judges, and open the door to “graduated response” (or “three strikes”) schemes of corporate police.

You will find our complete analysis and voting recommendation on:

http://www.laquadrature.net/wiki/Telecoms_Package_2nd_Reading_ITRE_IMCO_Voting_List

We as citizens respectfully thank you for your consideration, and for the protection you will bring to our fundamental rights.

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