

## **AMENDMENT FORM**

**Suggestion for amendment of Article 24: deletion of paragraph 4.**

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**Status: observer**

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### **Article 24**

It is proposed to delete paragraph 4 of Article 24, which reads:

4. For the negotiation and conclusion of agreements in the fields of trade in services involving the movement of persons and the commercial aspects of intellectual property, the Council shall act unanimously where such agreements include provisions for which unanimity is required for the adoption of internal rules.

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### **Explanation:**

**UNICE does not support this exception since it believes that these areas should be covered by the qualified majority rule.**