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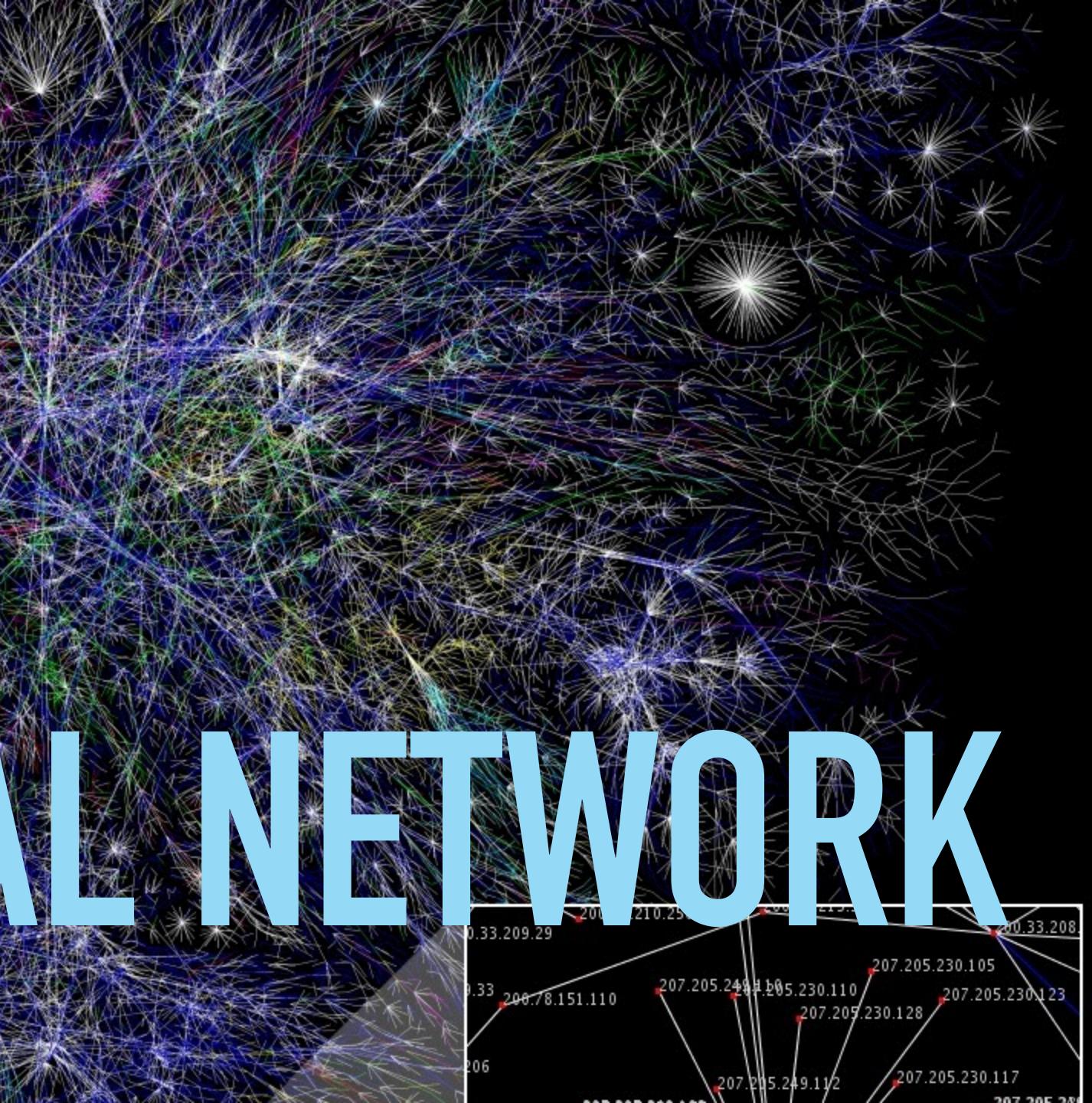
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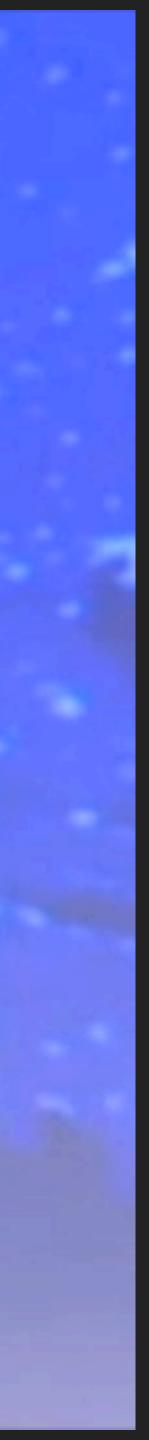


EU REGULATION





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Article 23 - Freedom to provide and avail of open internet access, and reasonable traffic management

5. Within the limits of any contractually agreed data volumes or speeds for internet access services, providers of internet access services shall not restrict the freedoms provided for in paragraph 1 by blocking, slowing down, degrading or discriminating against specific content, applications or services, or specific classes thereof, except in cases where it is necessary to apply reasonable traffic management measures. Reasonable traffic management measures shall be transparent, non-discriminatory, proportionate and necessary to:

STRATEGY OF THE COMMISSION

- 1. Use the election
- 2. Add a populist element
- 3. Use bizarre, complex language
- 4. Pretend to support net neutrality



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Our campaign can be found here - unsernetz.at 🗟 (german).

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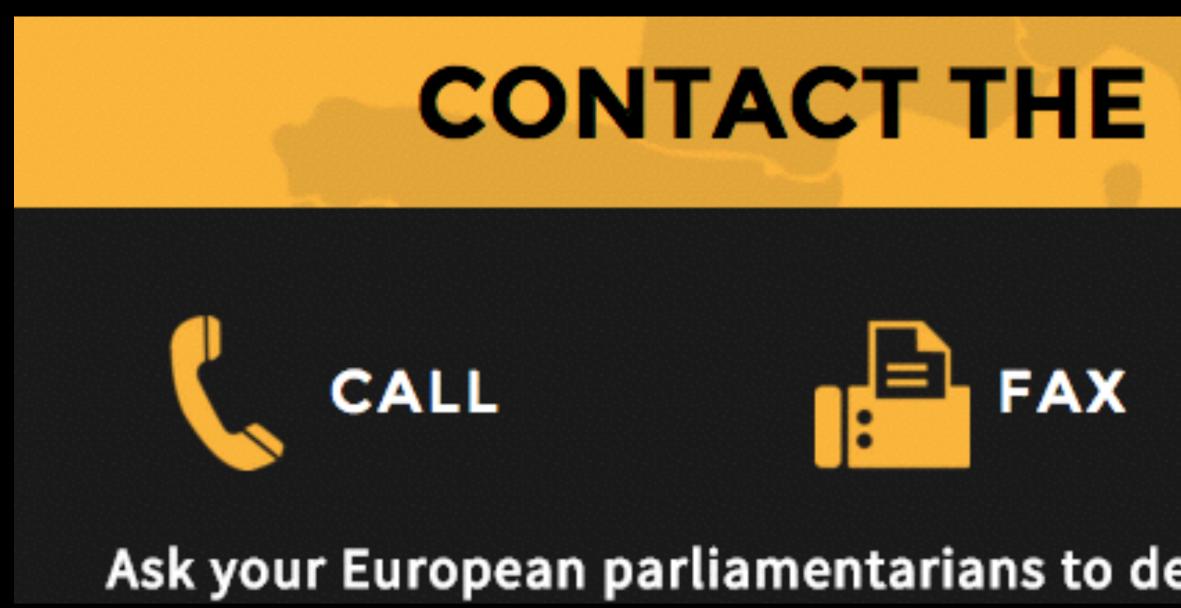
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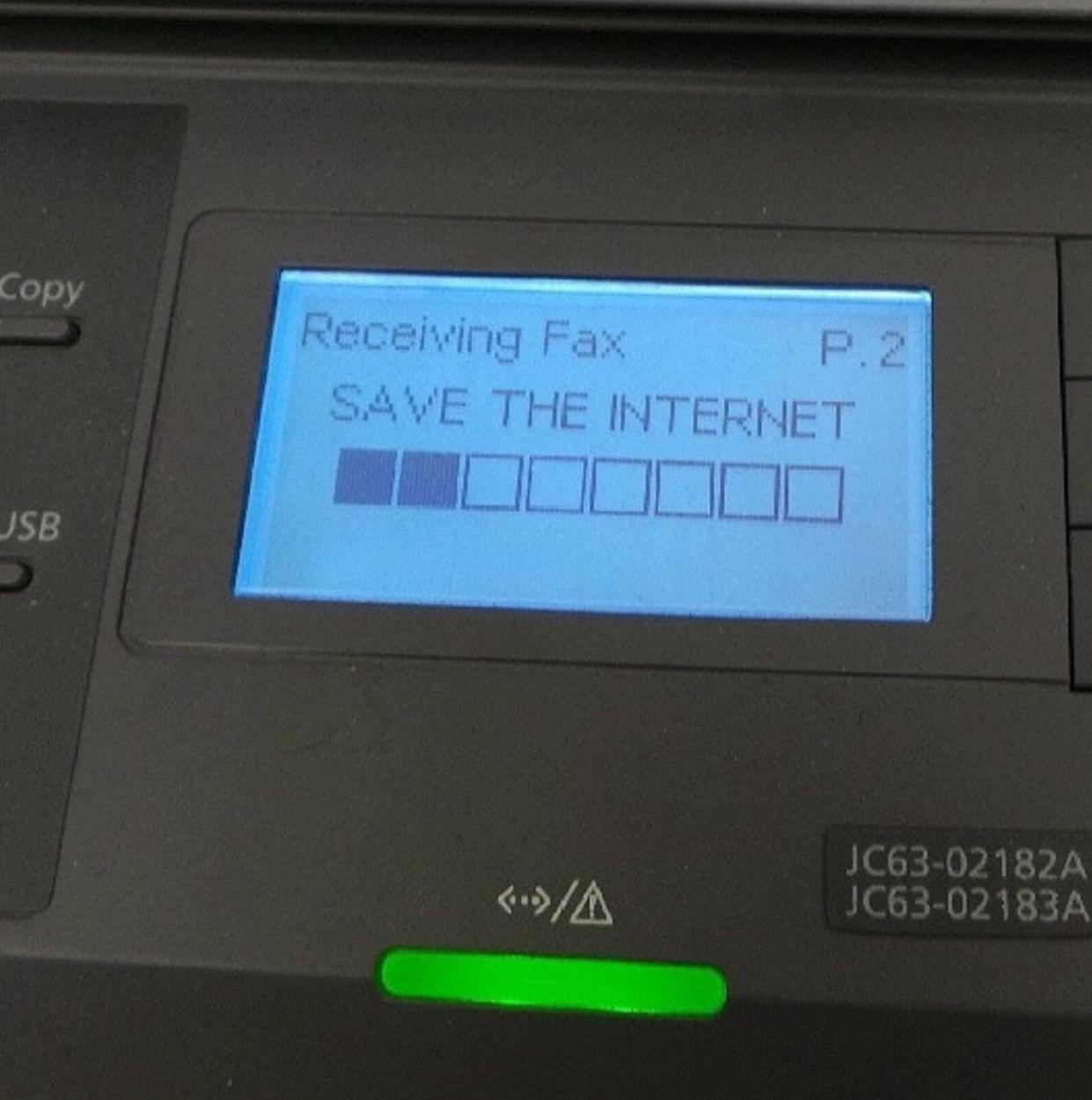


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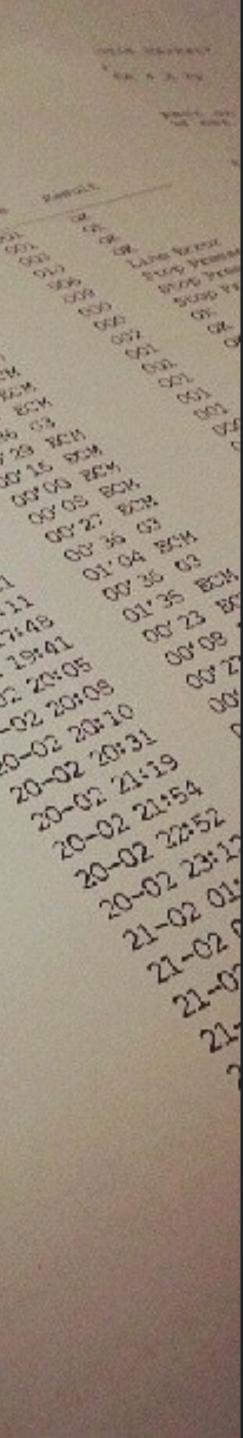


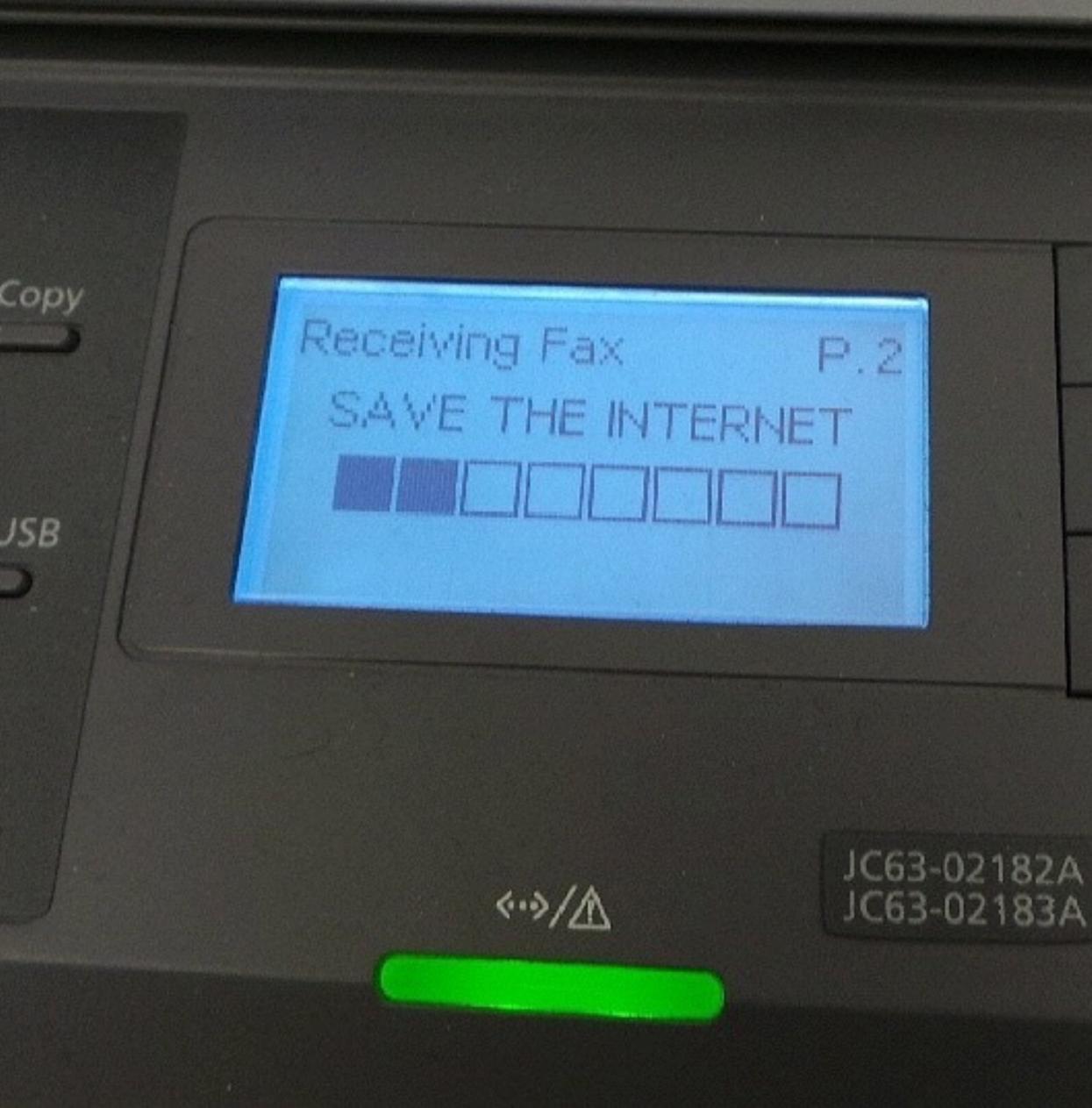
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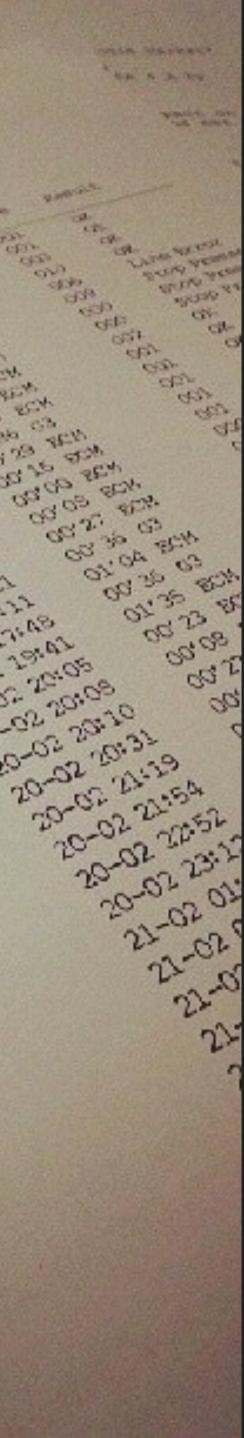


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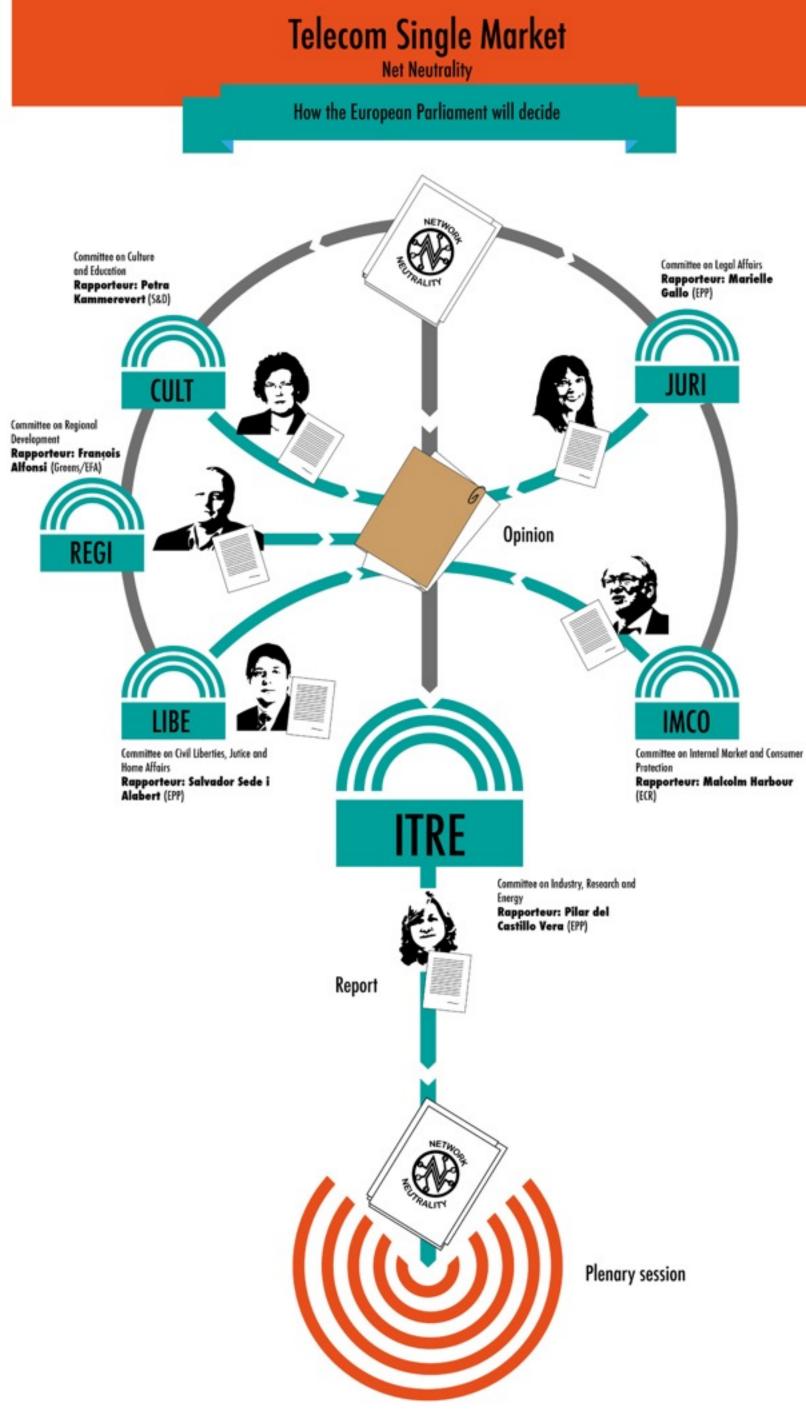


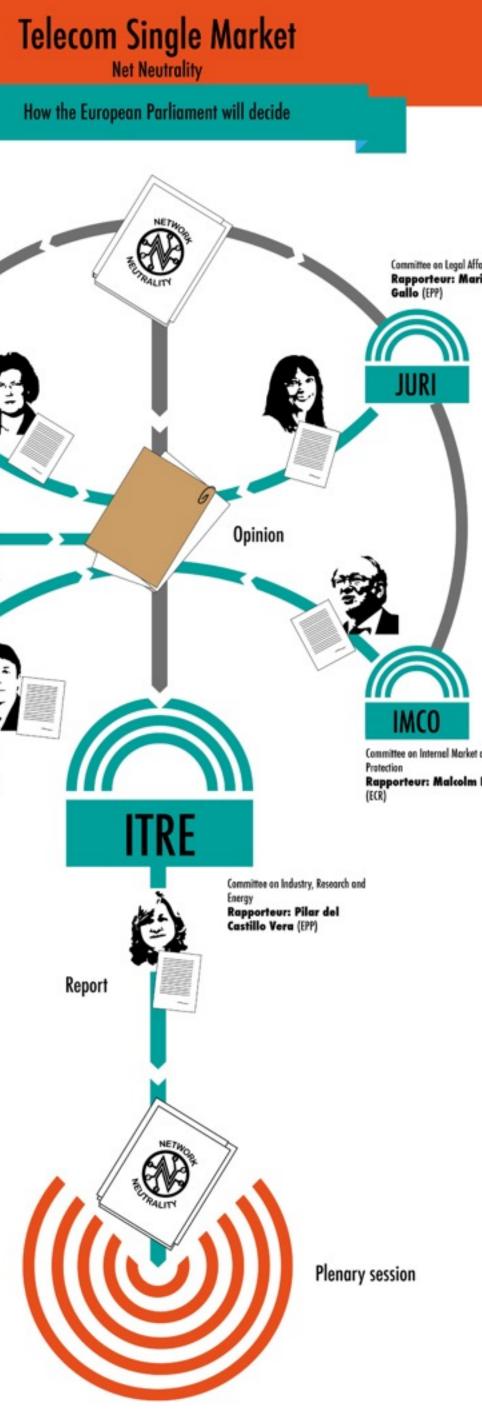


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LESSONS LEARNED #3 BE CREATIVE, ADAPT FAST





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I have had the opportunity to shadow the work of police organisations in fighting online child abuse. The police shared details with me of a case involving 4 EU Member States and over 50,000 images of child abuse; the youngest case of abuse involved a 6 month old baby. I therefore cannot support the S&D amendments which would facilitate access to and continued sharing of child pornography images.

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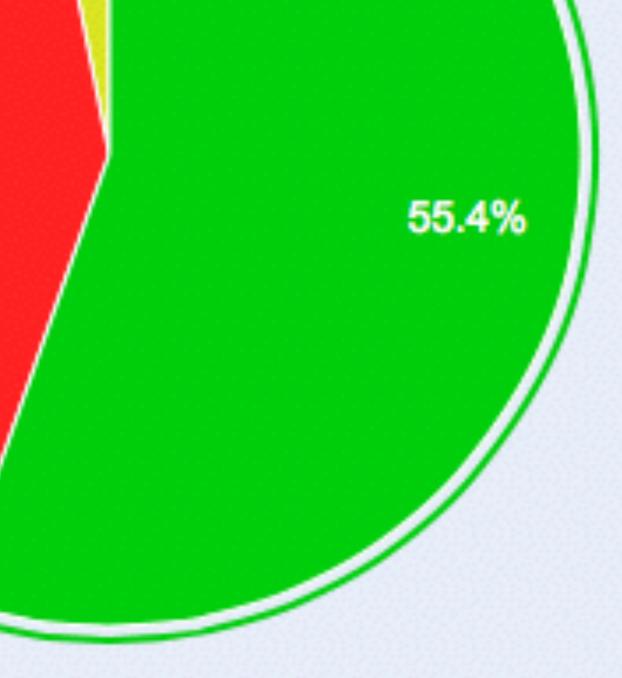
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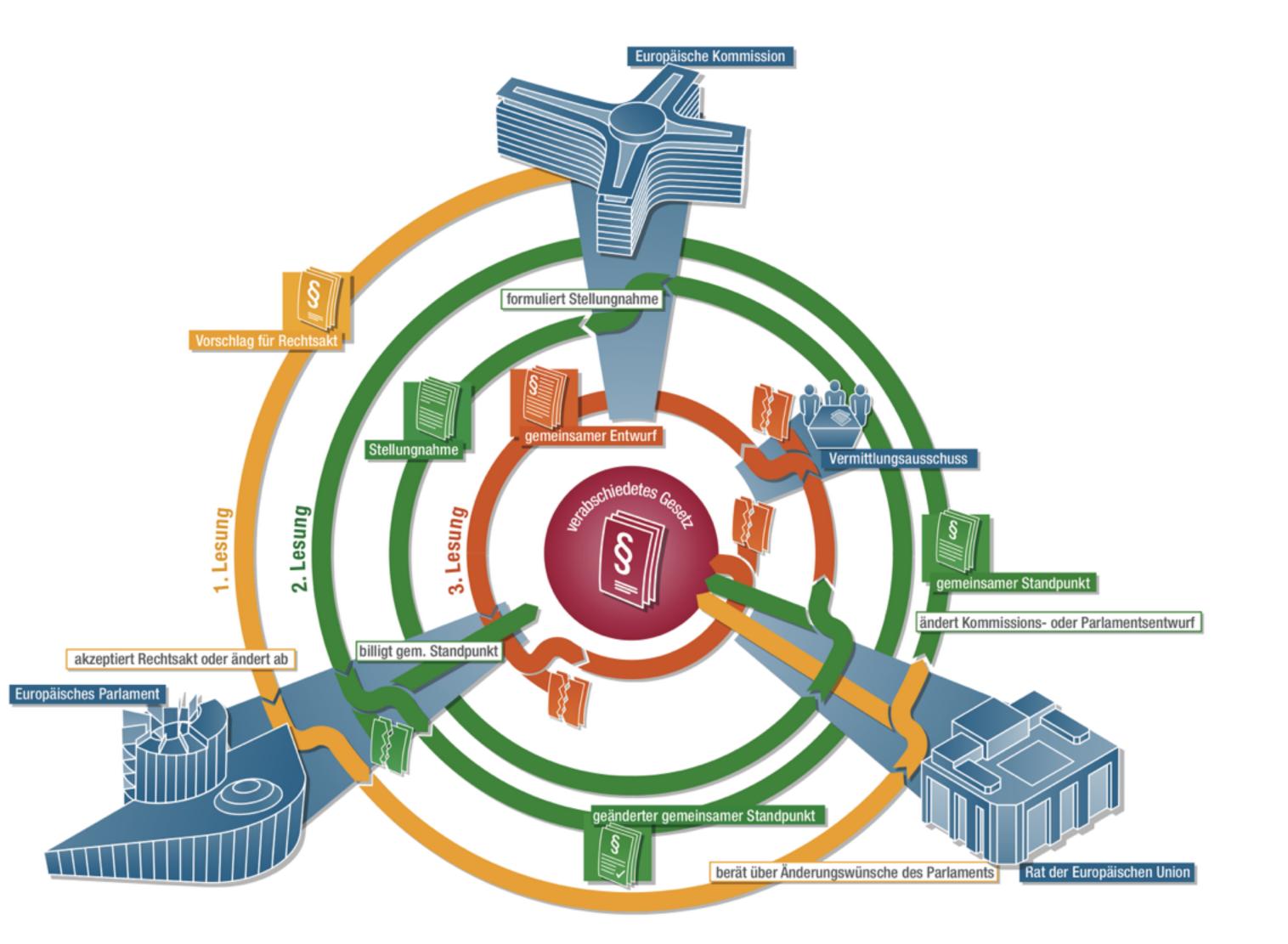






LESSONS LEARNED #4 BE CLEAR ABOUT YOUR DEMANDS





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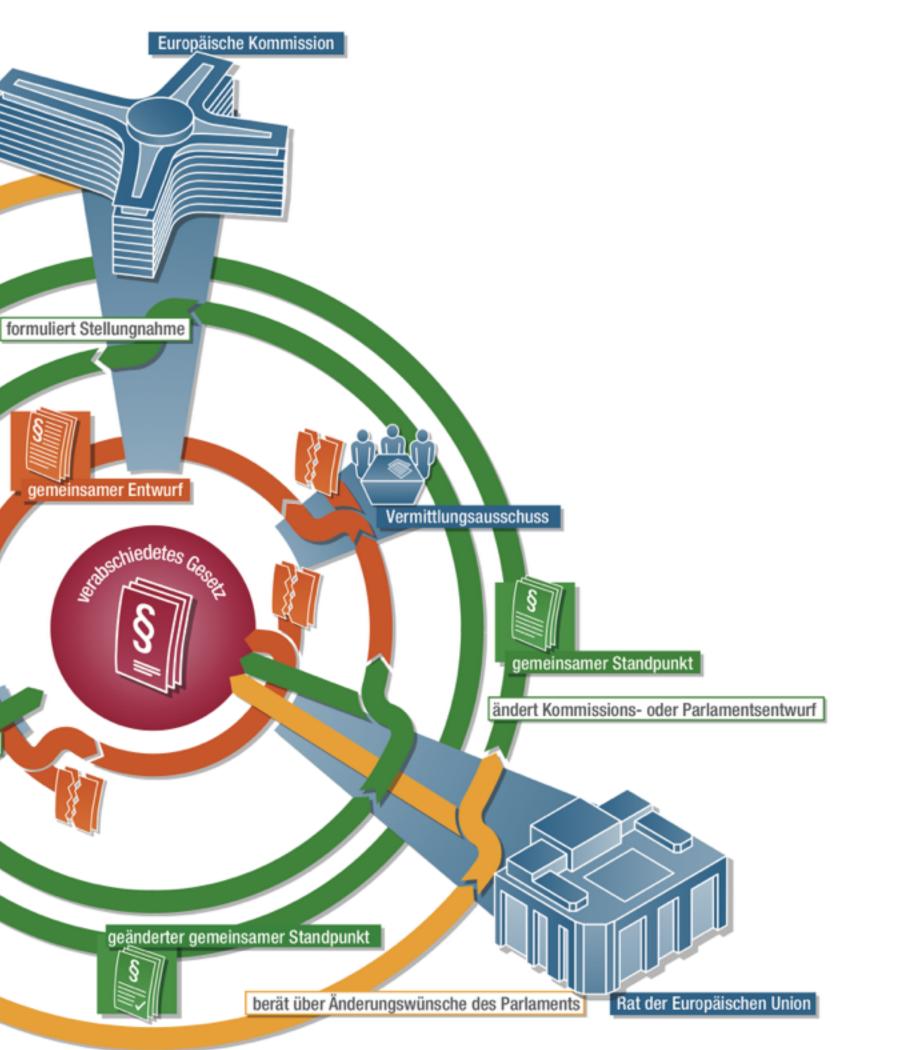
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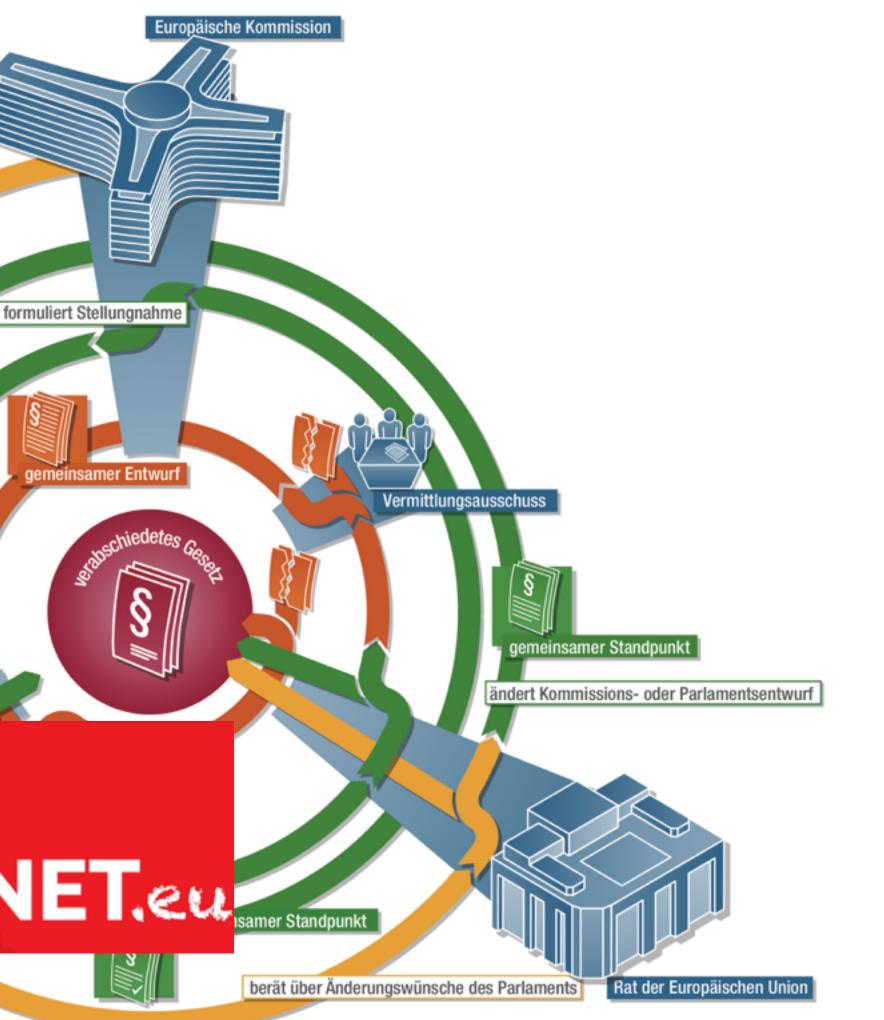
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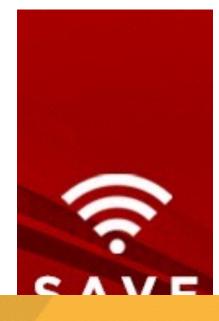




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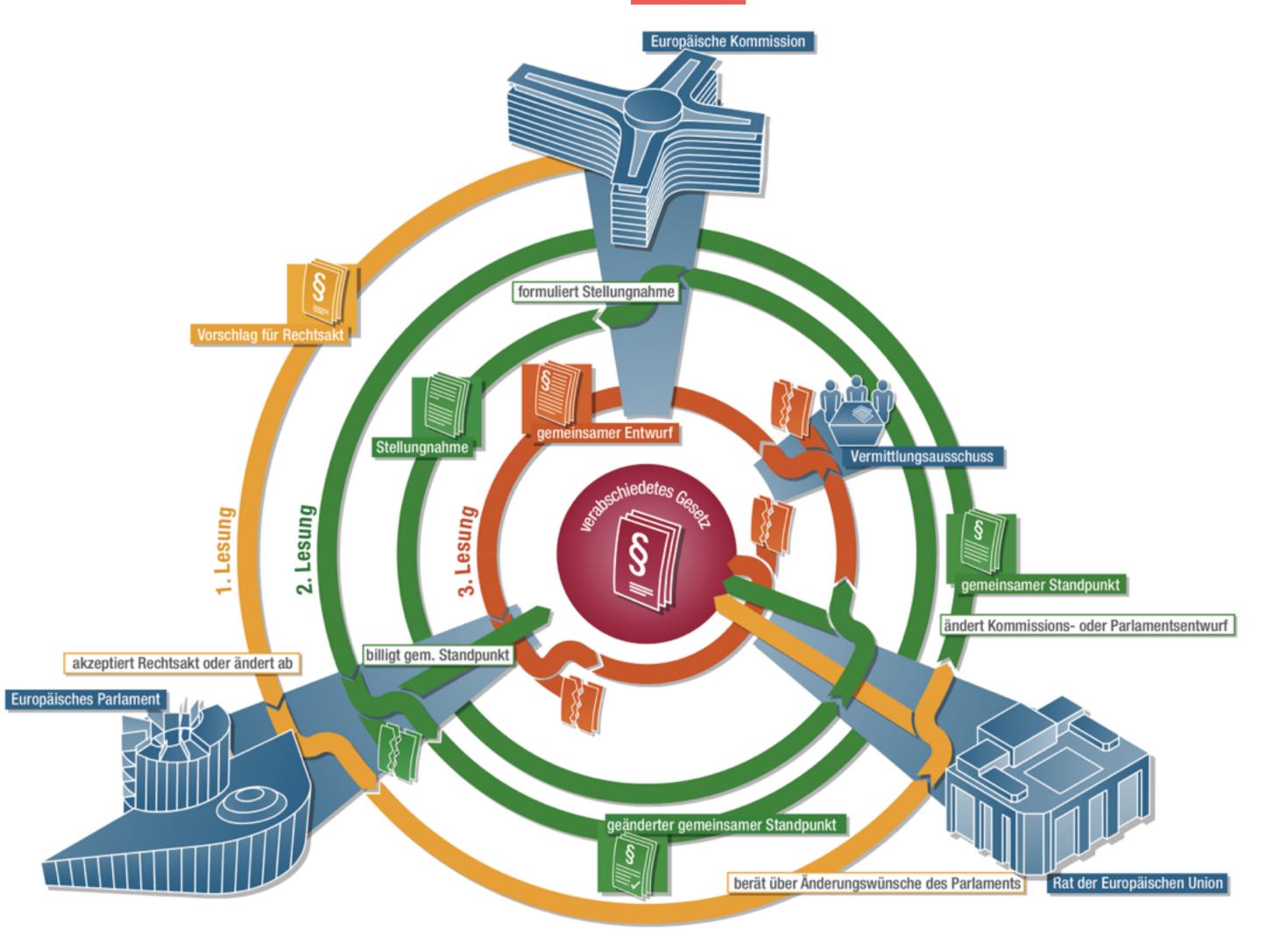
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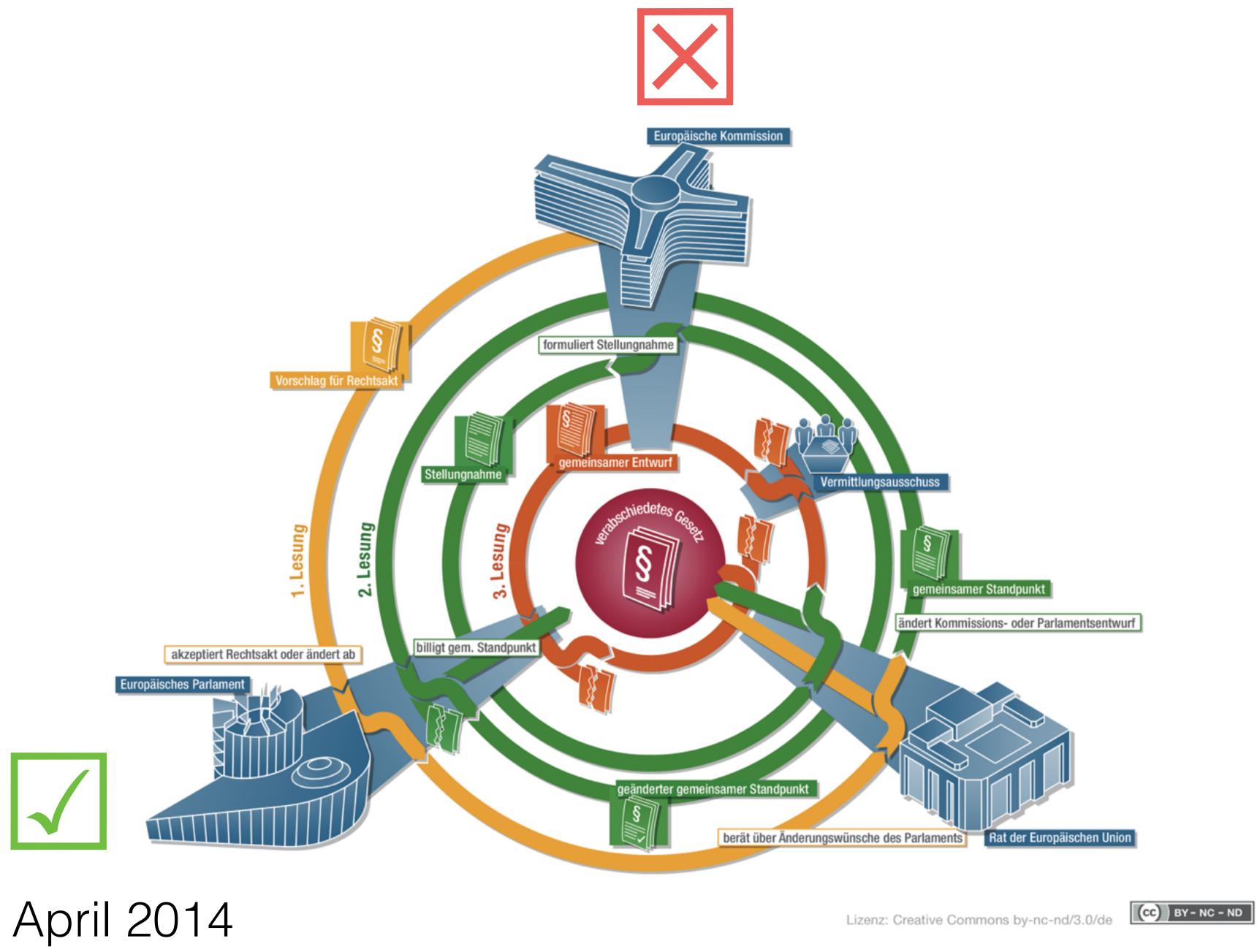


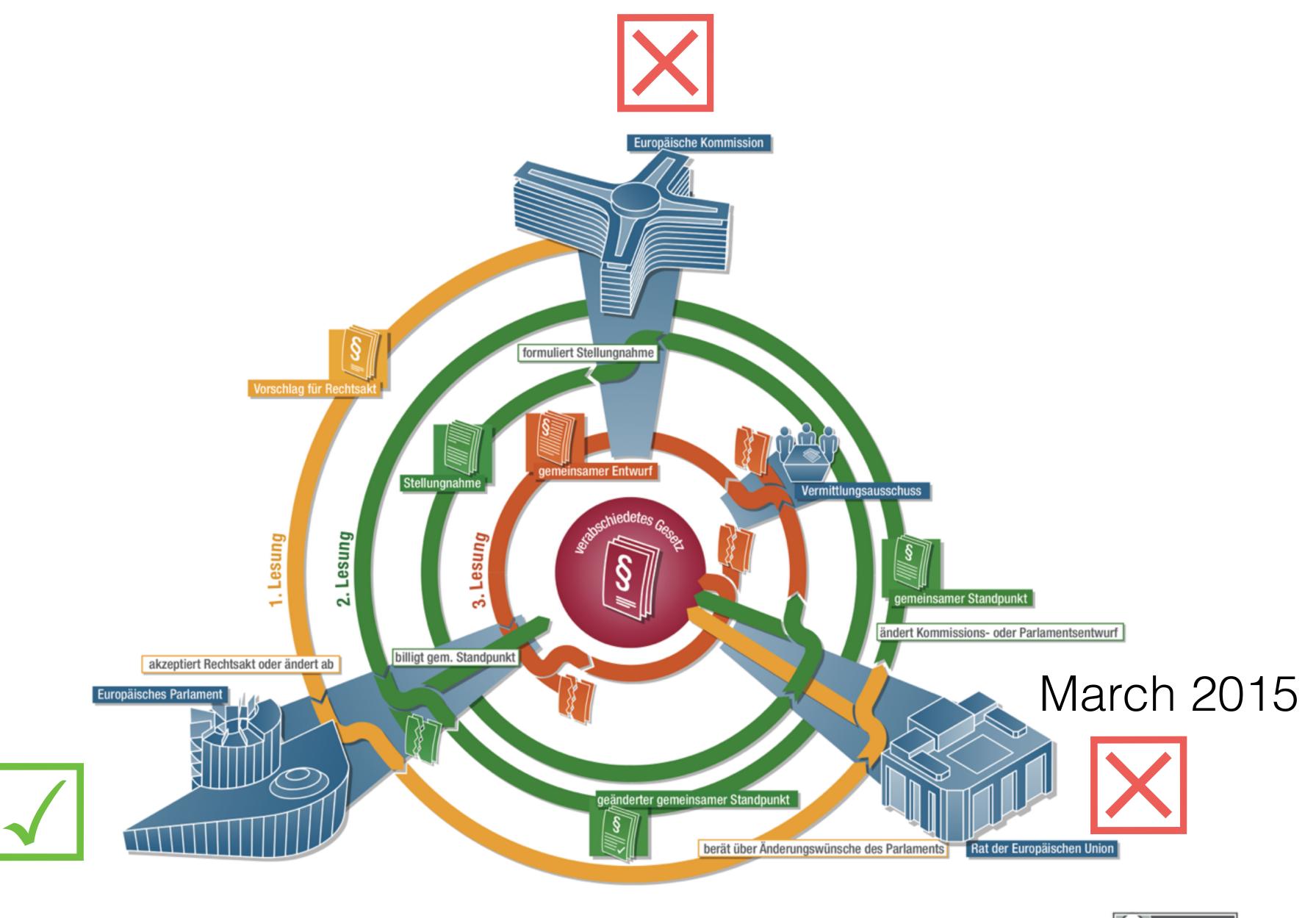




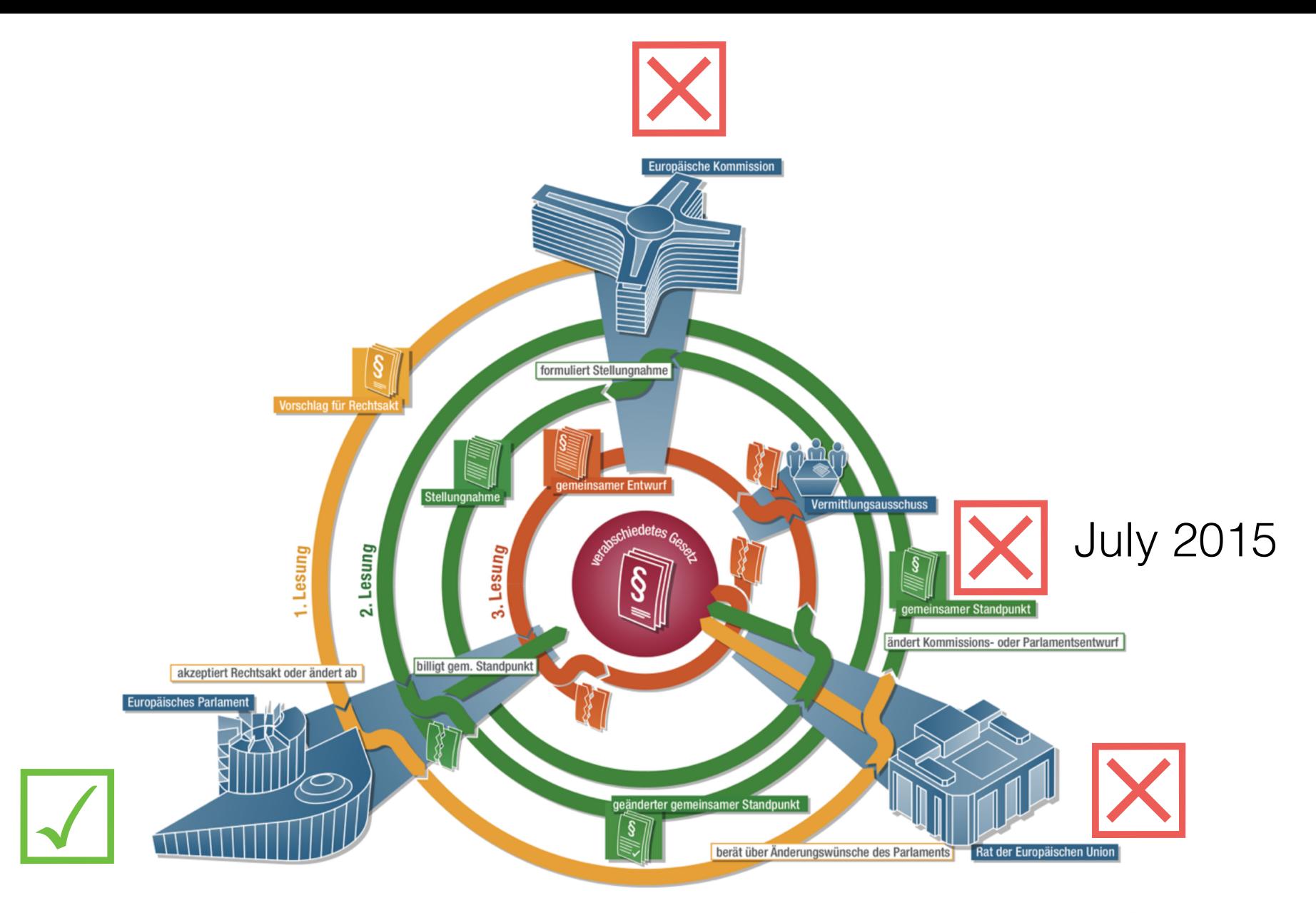


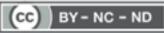


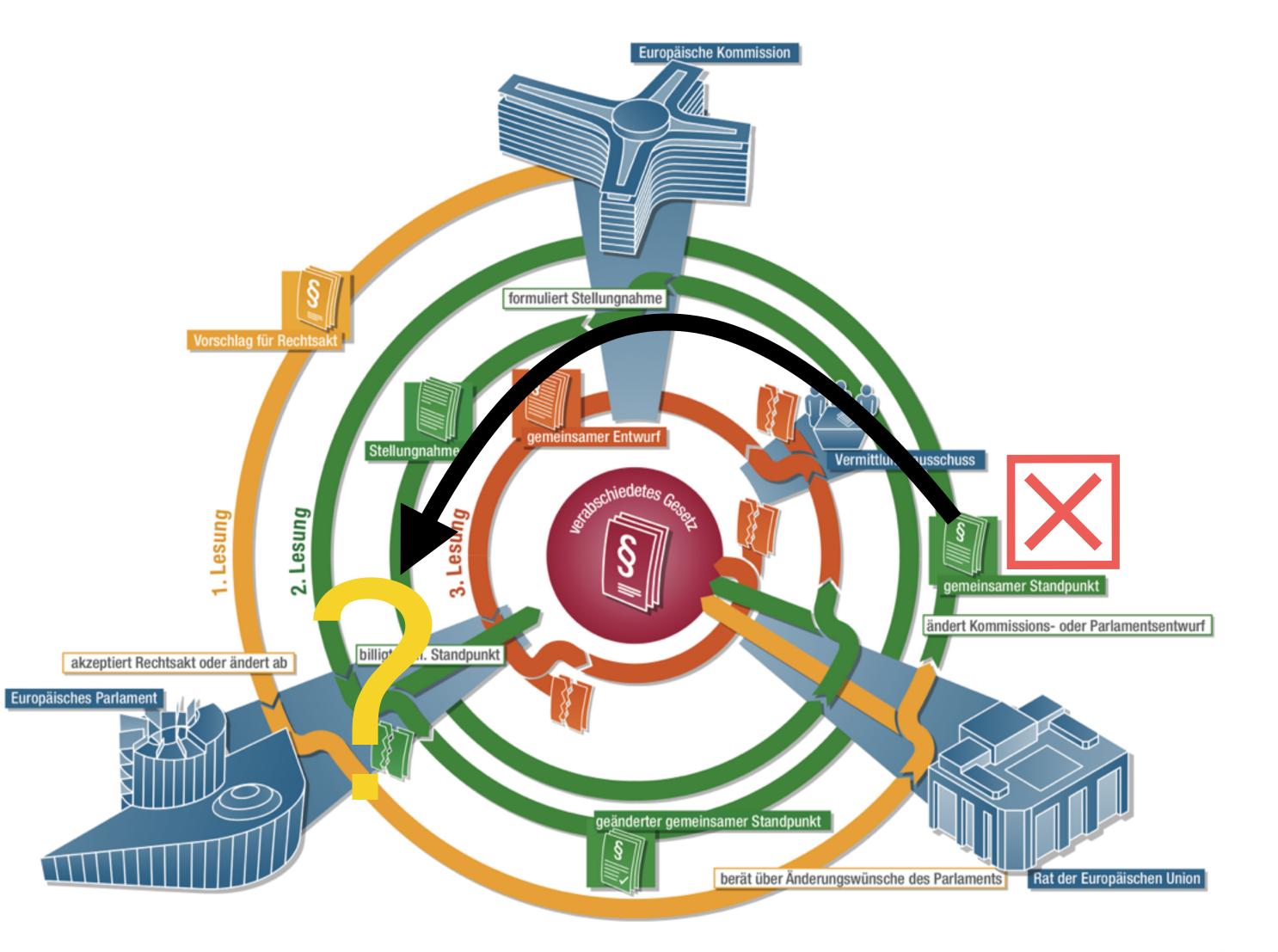






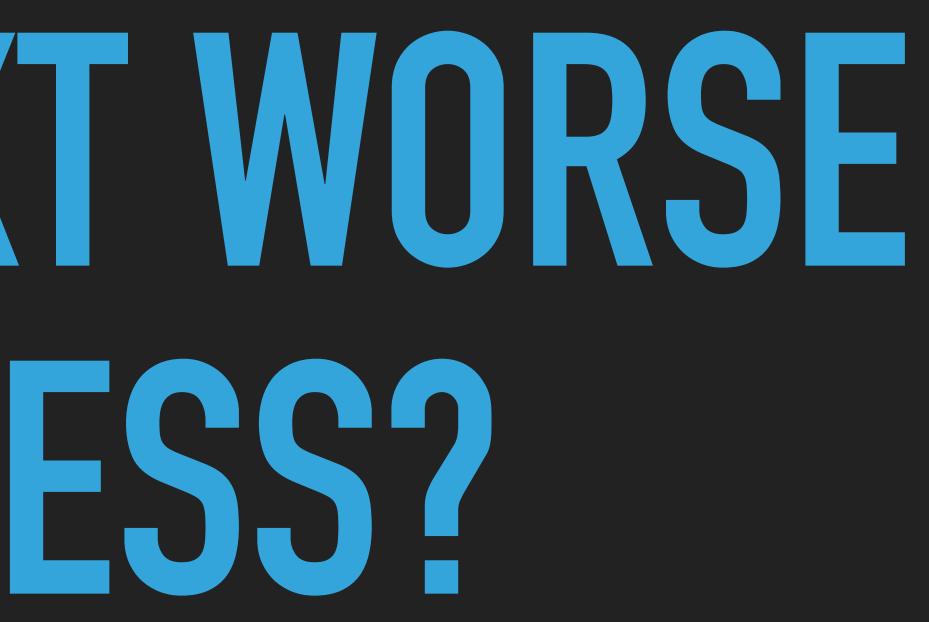








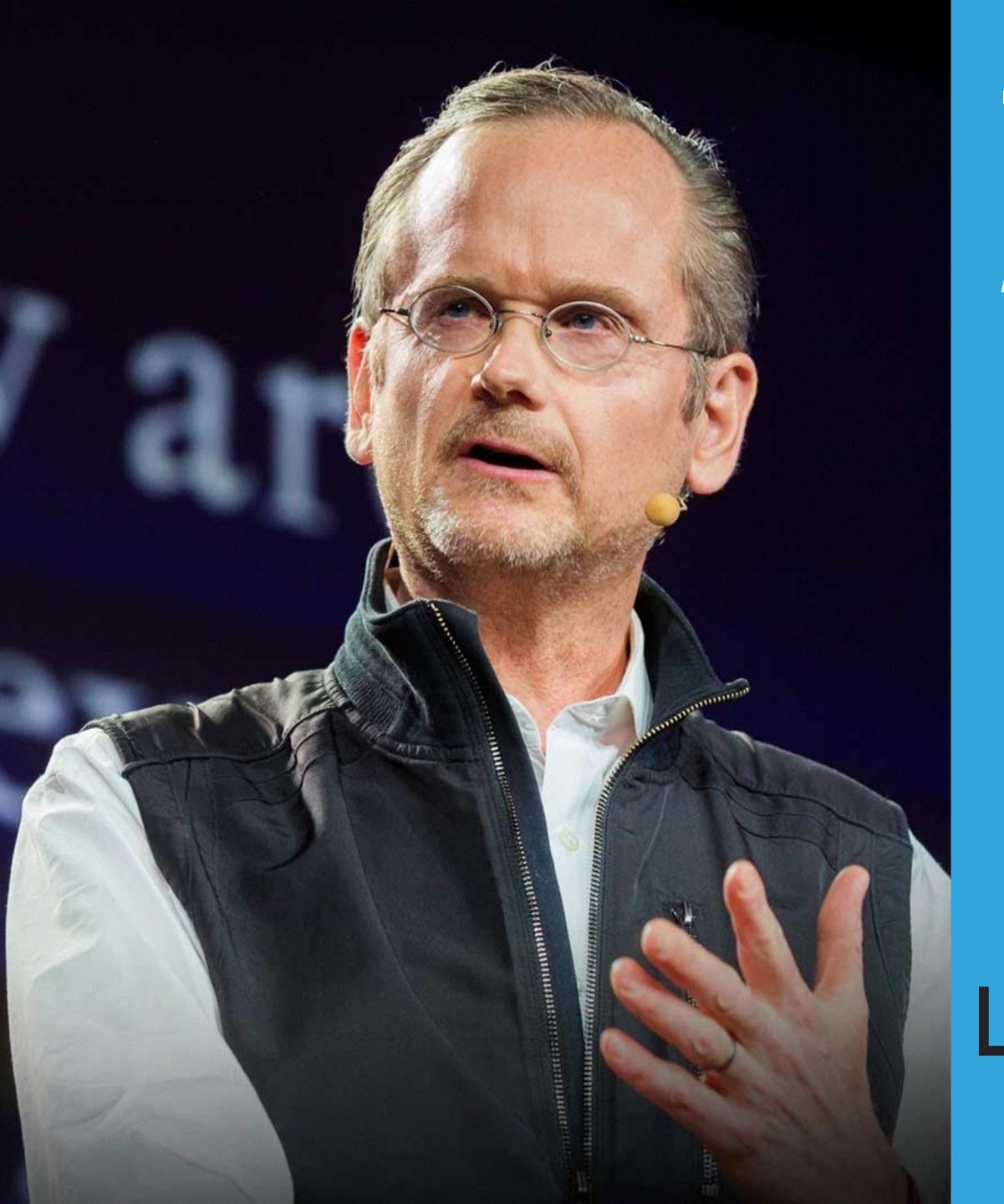
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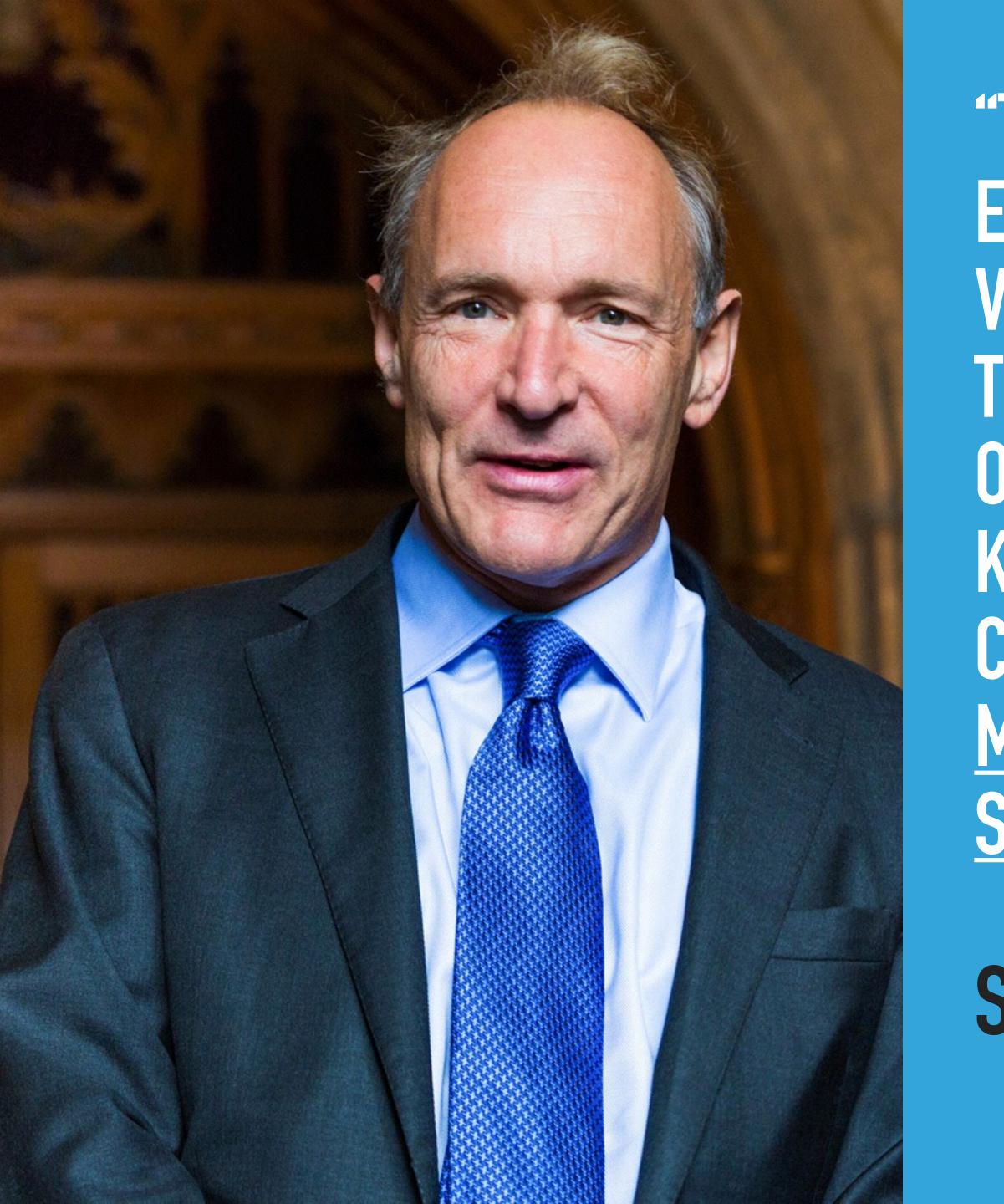




"EUROPE IS POISED TO PASS A BAD NET NEUTRALITY POLICY THE PROPOSAL PERMITS THE INFAMOUS FAST LANES THAT WE FOUGHT HARD TO GET RID OF IN THE U.S." Larry Lessig







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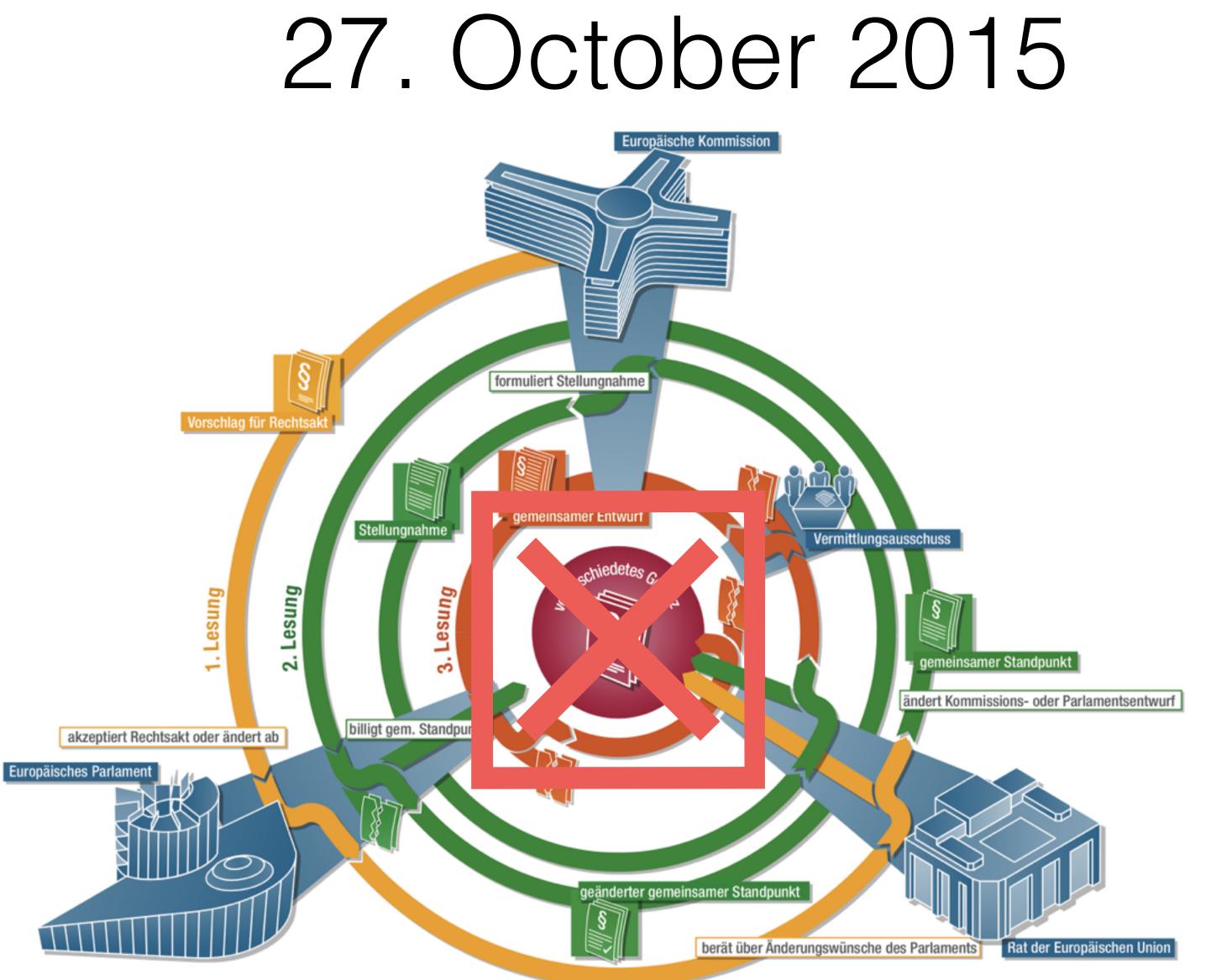
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- German media authorities and the Association of German Journalists.
- Mike Butcher (TechCrunch)

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LESSONS LEARNED #5 BROADEN YOUR MOVEMENT







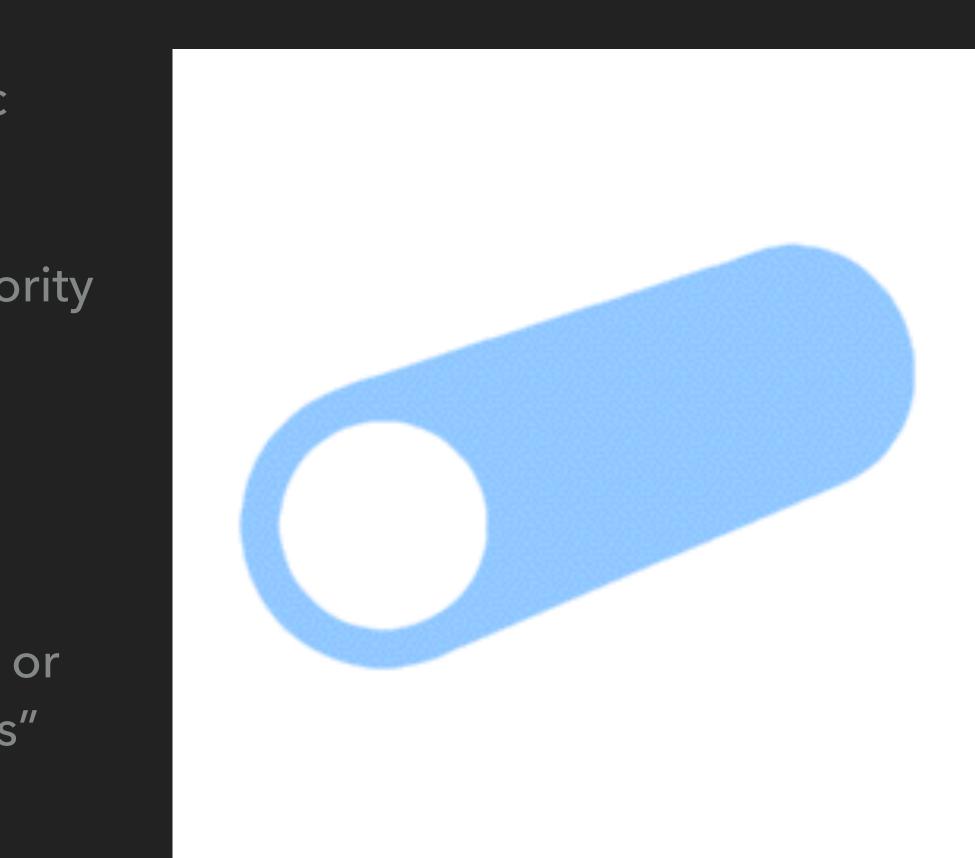


WHAT IS IN THE TEXT?

- clarity: applicable on mobile & fixed line; no commercial blocking
- intentional ambiguity in the text
- real decisions are left to unelected regulators
- > years of legal uncertainty till ECJ decides

SPECIALISED SERVICES

- "key features" "require" "specific level of quality"
- 2. not "simply granting general priority over comparable content"
- 3. not "usable or offered as replacement to internet access"
- 4. not "detriment of the availability or general quality of internet access"
- 5. only if sufficient bandwidth is available



Q: IN YOUR OPINION, COULD CONTENT AND **APPLICATIONS PROVIDED ON THE INTERNET BECOME A KIND OF SPECIALISED SERVICE?**



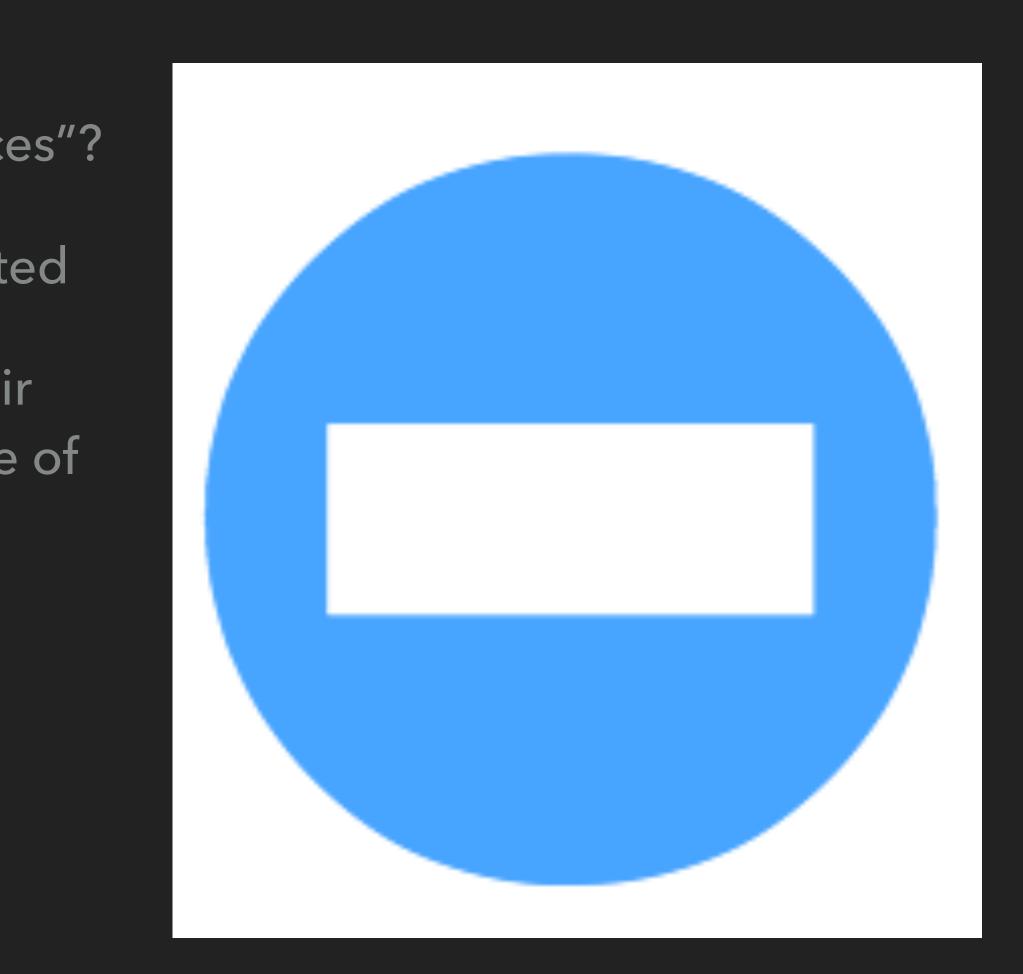
BEREC Hearing Question 2 on Topic 2





ZERO RATING

- What means "commercial practices"?
- user-freedoms can not be restricted
- weak qualifiers "by reason of their scale" "market position" "essence of the end-users' rights"



Q: WHAT IS YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE TERM "COMMERCIAL PRACTICES" (REF. ARTICLE 3(2))? DO YOU THINK THERE IS A DEMAND FOR "COMMERCIAL PRACTICES" SUCH AS ZERO-RATING, FROM THE END USERS' POINT **OF VIEW?**



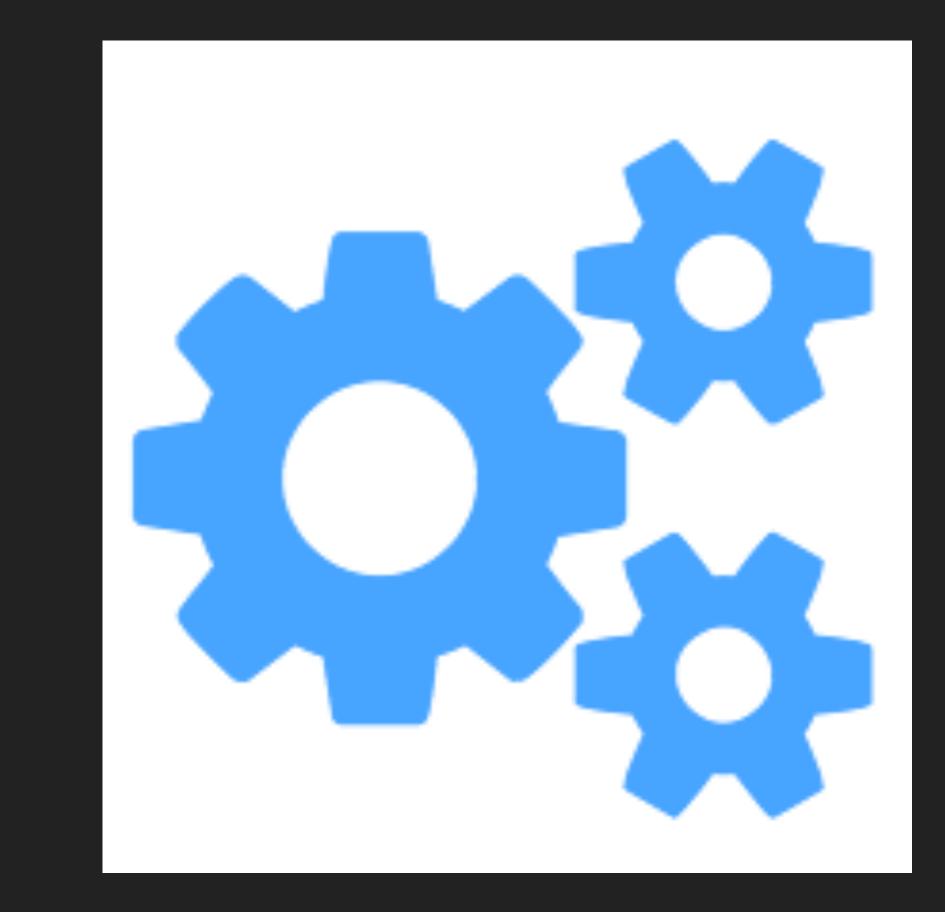
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TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT

- 1. risk of "class-based" traffic management
- 2. as application agnostic as possible
- 3. encrypted? slow lane!



classbased

delay sensitive

Application Agnostic

Article 3 (3) subparagraph 1-3 (c)



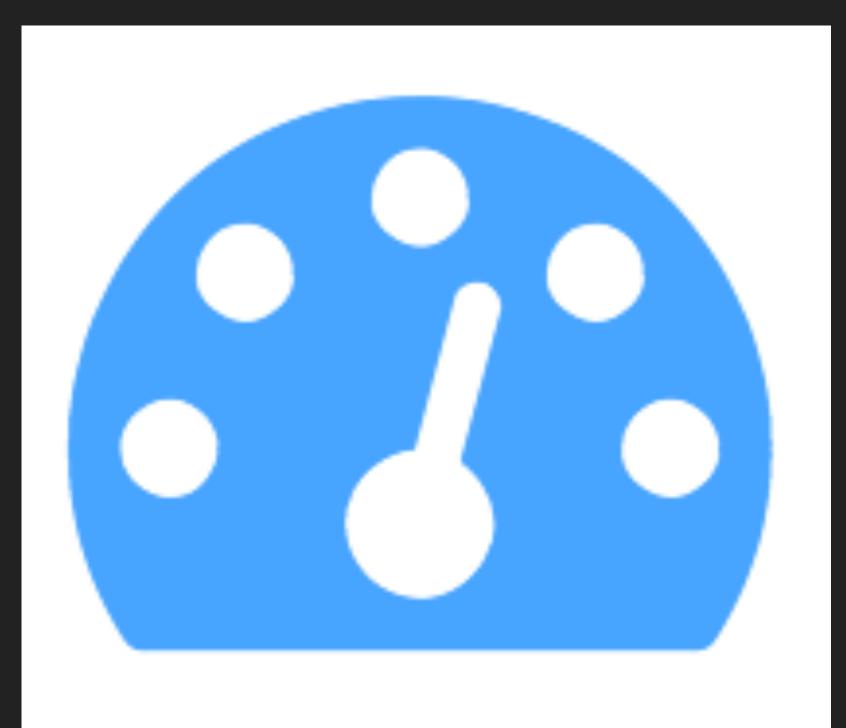
proportionality, necessity, transparency & non-discrimination



TRANSPARENCY

- Minimum / Average / Maximum Bandwidth in the contract
- Transparency about Traffic Management
- big uncertainty about measurement methodology, accuracy & granularity of information and 3rd party comparison





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Article 5 Supervision and enforcement

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working groups draft guidelines

May 2016





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BEREC plenary votes on draft

June 2016



30. August 2016

20 days of public consultation

June 2016





30. August 2016

analyse feedback & redraft guidelines



30. August 2016

final vote in extraordinary BEREC plenary



USA FCC: several months - 4 million comments India TRAI: 28 days - 1 million comments Europe BEREC: 20 days



20 days





New regulations allow big business to harm startups and the American people

3% of responses

FCC chairman Thomas Wheeler's telecom background is a conflict of interest

3% of responses

The government is corrupted by corporate interests.

6% of responses

A "pay-to-play" system will harm the diversity of the Internet

15% of responses

All content should be equally accessible

9% of responses

Dense clusters contain very similar stories

"Fast lanes" inhibit innovation

5% of responses

New regulations would strengthen ISP monopolies, harming competition

6% of responses

Peripheral clusters are less central to the conversation but more unique.

Need for equality in promoting the American Dream

7% of responses

Clusters that are spread out contain more differentiated stories. "Fast lanes" will destroy the Internet 7% of responses

Greater distance means that these sentiments were not expressed as often together.



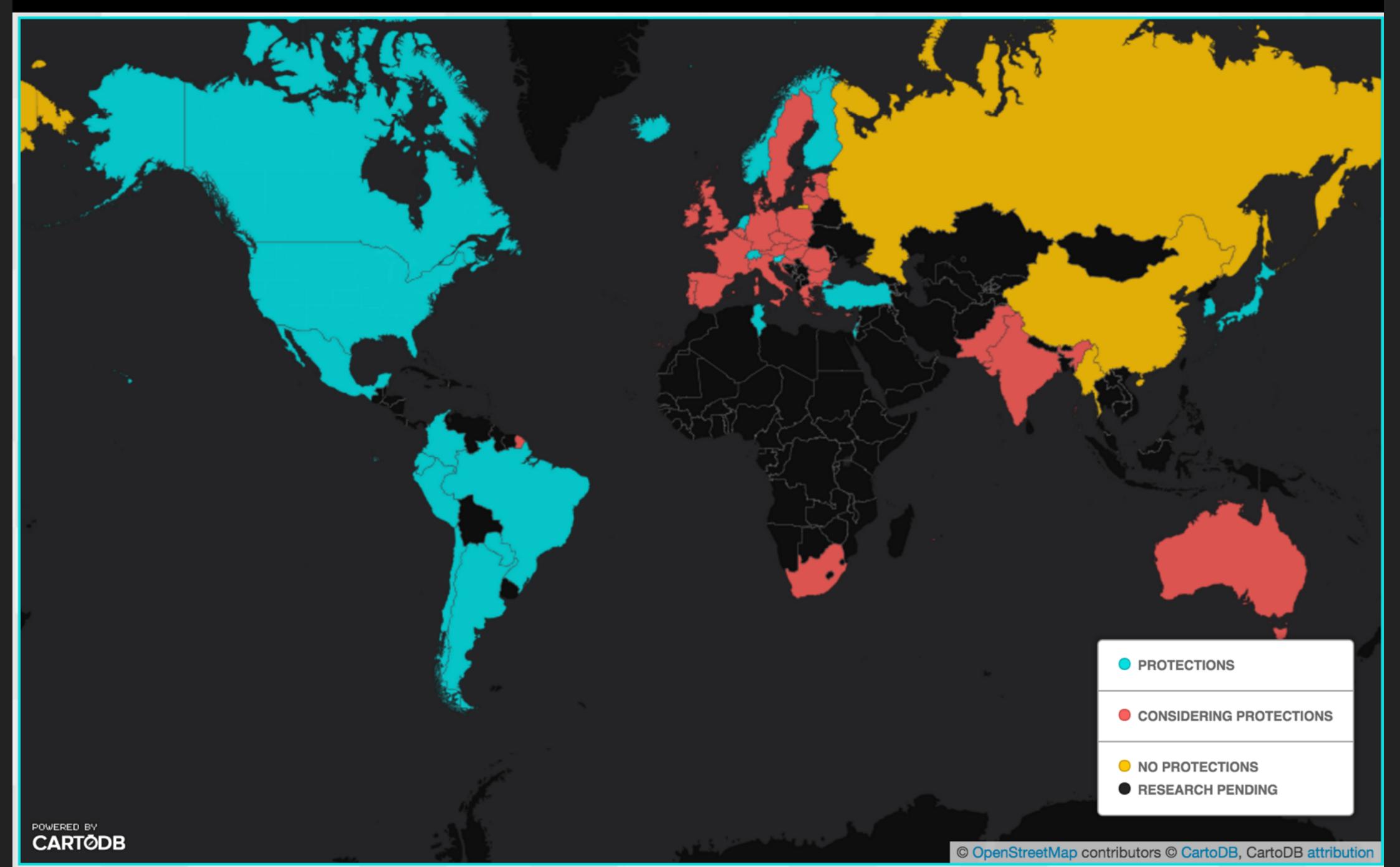


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THE CONSULTATION BEREC SHOULD BE DOING!



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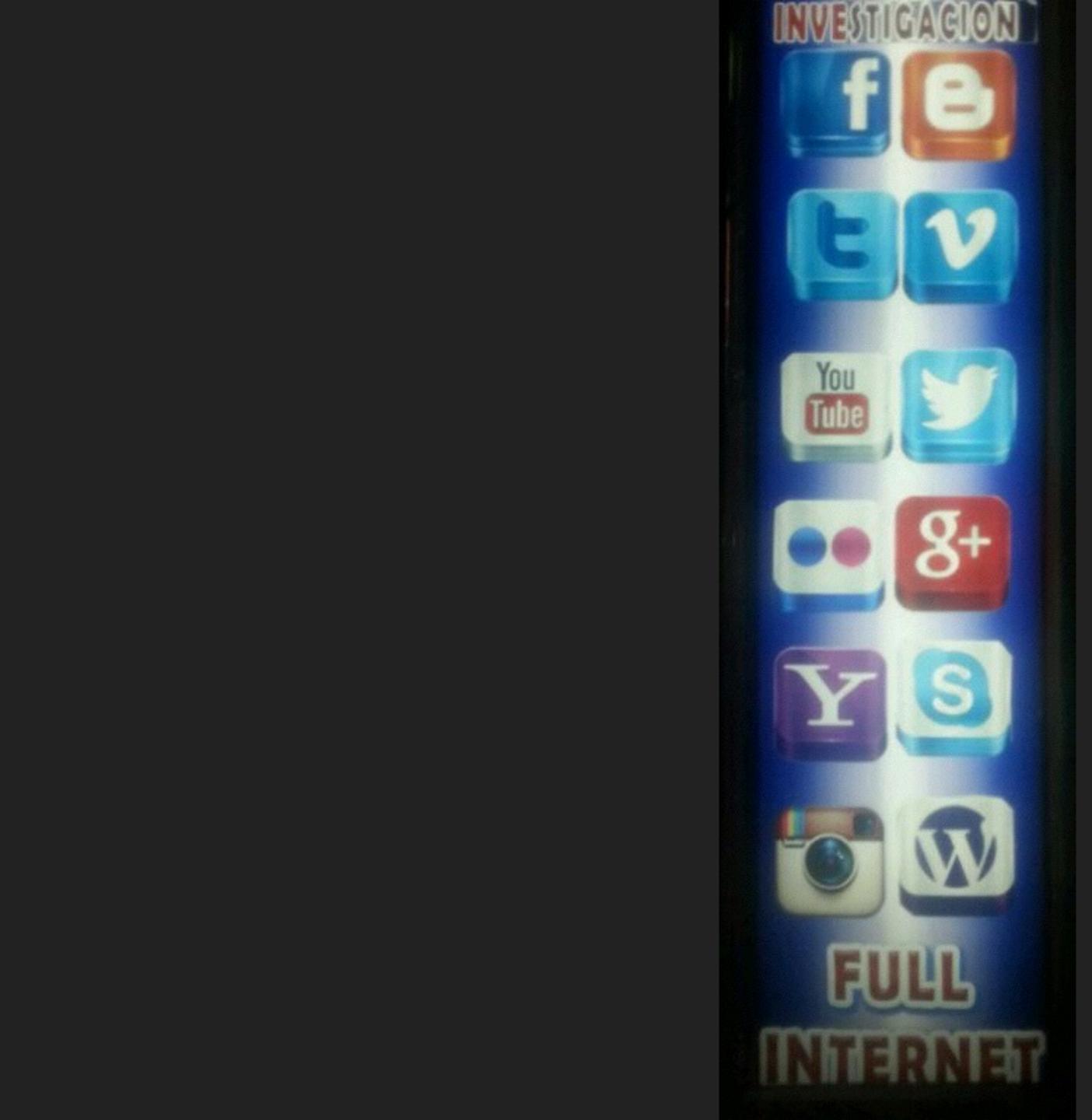


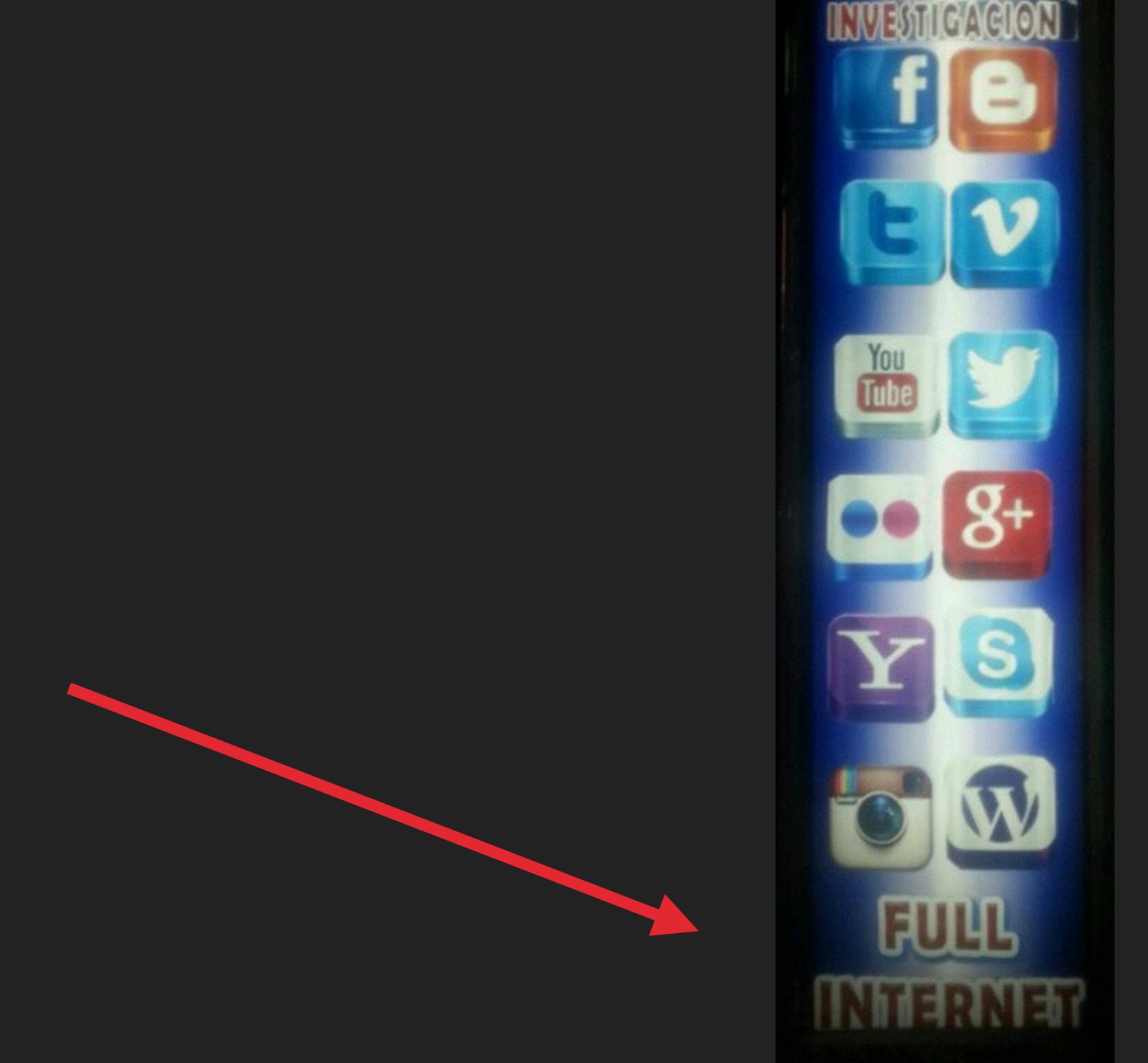


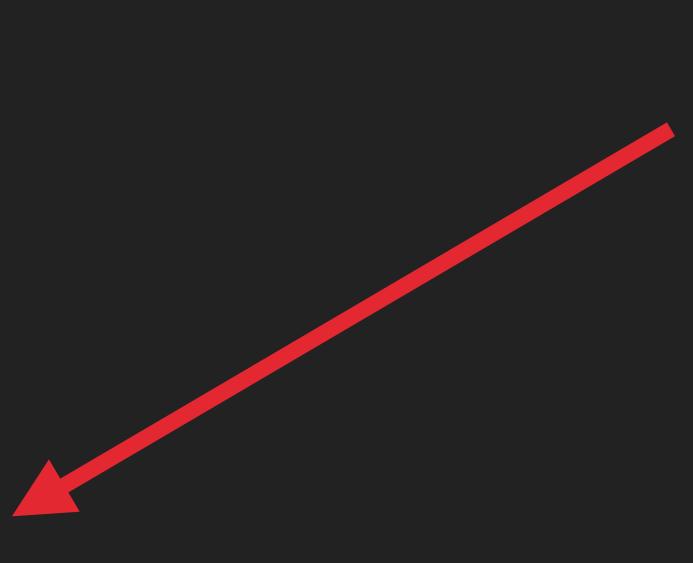
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