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**Amendment 7**

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(2019/2198(INI))

**Motion for a resolution**

**Citation 10 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

– *having regard to the ECtHR case  
of Magyar Helsinki Bizottság v.  
Hungary<sup>5a</sup>,*

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*5a*

[https://hudoc.echr.coe.int/eng#{f%22itemid%22:\[f%22001-167828%22\]}](https://hudoc.echr.coe.int/eng#{f%22itemid%22:[f%22001-167828%22]})

Or. en

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A9-0004/8

**Amendment 8**

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**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital I a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ia.     whereas many reports on Member States published by the European Commission do not contain the names of the officials and/or experts who wrote them, which provides arguments for Eurosceptics in blaming the Commission for a lack of transparency;***

Or. en

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A9-0004/9

**Amendment 9**

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**Motion for a resolution**

**Recital I b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***Ib.       whereas the Cooperation and  
Verification Mechanism (CVM) Reports  
on Romania and Bulgaria do not contain  
the names of the officials and experts who  
wrote them;***

Or. en

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**Amendment 10**

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**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 3 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**3a. Welcomes the decision of the Council of the EU, further to the opening by the Ombudsman of case 1011/2015/TN, to apply Regulation 1049/2001 to documents held by its General Secretariat in relation to tasks of support to various intergovernmental bodies and entities, such as the opinions of the panel in question regarding the candidates' suitability to perform the duties of Judge and Advocate-General at the Court of Justice and the General Court of the EU; salutes the Ombudsman's opinion that greater openness is to be favoured regarding the issue of how to strike the correct balance between the need to protect the personal data of persons being assessed for high public office with the need to ensure maximum transparency in relation to the process of making appointments to high public office;**

Or. en

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A9-0004/11

**Amendment 11**

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**Ioan-Rareş Bogdan**

Public access to documents for the years 2016-2018  
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**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 22 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**22a. Emphasises that when the EU institutions issue official documents or reports that have any sort of impact on the Member States or their citizens, they must contain the names of the officials and/or experts who wrote them; stresses that the right of EU citizens to know the identity of the authors of such documents prevails over the need to protect, if necessary and if applicable, the privacy rights of the individuals who wrote such documents or reports;**

Or. en

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A9-0004/12

**Amendment 12**

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**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 24 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**24a. Supports the call made by civil society<sup>8a</sup> for public hearings of the European Court of Justice to be live streamed, as is already the case for some national and international courts, such as the Conseil Constitutionnel in France and the European Court of Human Rights;**

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<sup>8a</sup>

<https://thegoodlobby.eu/campaigns/openletter-to-the-president-of-the-court-of-justice-of-the-european-union-asking-for-eu-courts-to-live-stream-their-public-hearings>

Or. en

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**Amendment 13**

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(2019/2198(INI))

**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 45 a (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***45a. Strongly emphasises that any exceptions to public access to EU documents or information need to be analysed on a case-by-case basis, taking into consideration that access to such documents is the rule, while exceptions from the rule are matters of strict interpretation;***

Or. en

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A9-0004/14

**Amendment 14**

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**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 45 b (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

***45b. Points out that, in the case of European officials or experts who write reports or documents with an impact on the Member States, the right to know their names takes priority over any possible applicable protection of the personal data of these individuals;***

Or. en



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A9-0004/15

**Amendment 15**

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**Motion for a resolution**

**Paragraph 45 c (new)**

*Motion for a resolution*

*Amendment*

**45c. Calls on the Commission to include in the Cooperation and Verification Mechanism (CVM) Reports and in the Rule of Law Reports on the Member States the names of the officials and/or experts who wrote them;**

Or. en