



DOT Europe welcomes progress on Digital Services Act

20 January 2022, Brussels, Belgium – DOT Europe, the voice of leading internet companies in Europe, welcomes the progress made in the European Parliament on the Digital Services Act allowing for trilogues to commence.

In retaining the main elements of the compromise agreed by the IMCO Committee and rejecting the majority of contentious last-minute amendments, MEPs have improved the outlook for the file as it enters trilogue negotiations.

Commenting on the vote, DOT Europe's Director General, Siada El Ramly, said:

"The DSA should be a major cornerstone of internet policy for decades to come. While we do not agree with every aspect of the European Parliament's position, we welcome it as a step to further discussions on the file. We remain optimistic that the DSA will be fine-tuned in the trilogue process"

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Notes to the editor:

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