



**Amendment to the Rules of Procedure
Competition for the 2030 European Capital of Culture title in Belgium**

The three Ministers of Culture of the Flemish, French and German Speaking Communities having regard to Decision No 445/2014/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 establishing a Union action for the European Capitals of Culture for the years 2020 to 2033 and repealing Decision No 1622/2006/EC (hereinafter referred to as "the Decision") hereby issue this amendment to the Rules of Procedure for the competition for the 2030 European Capital of Culture title in Belgium.

After deliberation, the following amendment shall be made:

Article 1. In Article 4, clause 5, the phrases: "Voting in the panel shall not be secret. Votes shall be given by show of hands" shall be replaced with the phrase: "Voting in the panel shall be secret."

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