

**Title:** **AM-58-2 to R3: Shifting Europe's Transport Infrastructure Towards Sustainability and Justice: The European Rail Network at the Centre**

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## **Demands**

### **Insert from line 57 to 58:**

– An end to fiscal exemptions for flight tickets, and the regulation of low-cost flights

- A European legislation putting an end to very short-haul flights (any flight shorter than 500km) connecting two cities that could be connected by land or train.

## **Explanation / Comment**

The point is to prevent very short flights (shorter than 500km) to exist as proportionnaly short flights have a greater carbon footprint per km while solutions by trains, buses or highways can be found. Expectation can be made for flights connecting with islands or cities separated by sea as long as they do not have a train or car alternative (for example Channel tunnel or bridge connecting Copenhagen and Malmö).