

WHAT ARE THE CHANCES OF **DEFEATING TTIP?**

IN BRITAIN: **LOW**



The **Tories** have been the **key driving force** behind the most extreme version of TTIP.

An **even worse agreement** with the US and Canada could follow soon after Brexit.

In the UK, many trade deals pass **without debate** or possibility of amendment.

IN EUROPE: **HIGH**



A Europe-wide campaign has seen **over 3 million people** sign up to say **no to TTIP**.

TTIP needs the approval of all 28 EU countries – and **some of them have pledged to veto it**.

Opposition in the European Parliament forced a recent vote on TTIP to be **cancelled**.

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WHAT IS TTIP ANYWAY?

It's short for the **Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership**, a treaty currently being negotiated between the European Union and the USA.

TTIP is often referred to as a "trade deal" in the media. But that's misleading. Trade deals usually bring down tariffs on imported goods and quotas for exports.

TTIP isn't about tariffs, but aims to remove so-called **non-tariff barriers** to trade. That's business speak for a host of consumer, environmental, health and safety regulations that are there to protect the public. These protections will be **put at risk by TTIP**.

WHY WE NEED TO STOP TTIP

CORPORATE POWER

TTIP would help corporations to **sue governments** using 'special tribunals' if they do anything that hurts corporate profits.

KEY PROTECTIONS

TTIP targets Europe's consumer, worker, health and environmental regulations, which are stricter in Europe than in the USA. Any future government regulations could be challenged by multinationals.

PRIVATISATION

Under the Tories, more and more services have been privatised. But TTIP could be used to stop a new government from taking them back into public hands in the future.

THE TORIES LOVE TTIP

18 months ago, in a letter to EU President Donald Tusk, Cameron **insisted on the most extreme version of TTIP** on offer - implying Britain might otherwise leave the EU.



SO SHOULD WE LEAVE THE EU?

Absolutely not. We'd be far more at risk from TTIP, or another treaty just like it, outside of the EU. The British Tories would sign us up to TTIP tomorrow if they could - but across Europe there is huge opposition to it (see overleaf).

To ditch TTIP and challenge corporate power, vote to 'remain' on the 23rd June - so we can stay in Europe to change Europe.

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