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The Chamber of Deputies draws attention that a clear distinction must be made, at least at the level of the blue card application analysis between citizens who want to occupy a highly qualified employment for a limited period and those who want to remain in the Union a very long time or permanently. The Chamber of Deputies believes that it is necessary to introduce a minimum requirements of education and training equivalent to that provided by the national law of the Member State, for the purposes of access to higher education, from which performing to take into consideration a period of 3 years of professional experience. The Chamber of Deputies rejects the limiting salary threshold to 1.4 of the average salary, fact which leads to the abolishment of the law of the Member State to determine the salary level of nationals of third countries in terms of protecting the domestic labor market and considers whether to accept the assimilation professional experience with higher education, then the salary threshold for qualified workers should be maintained at a higher level.

The salary threshold calculated on the average salary of 1.4 could transform Member States with low average salary in an entrance gate to obtain a blue card in easier conditions than those set out in other States that are in fact the final destination of the workers. The Chamber of Deputies considers as being unjustified the permission to work in a second Member State immediately after the filing of application because the applicant knows in advance the fact that he will leave to the second Member State and the deadline for settlement of the application in the second Member State is short enough, therefor 30 days; in addition, a refusal of the grant of the blue card would give rise to legal difficulties in relation to termination of concerned employment contracts.