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New Slovak Civil Code

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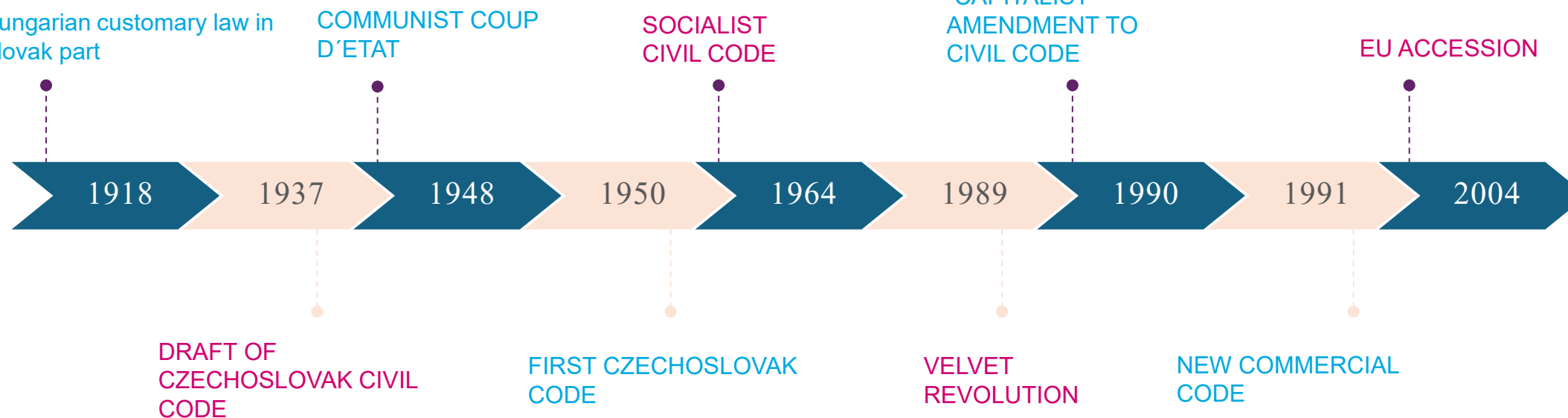
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BRIEF HISTORY OF CIVIL LAW IN SLOVAKIA

ESTABLISHMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA

- Austrian ABGB in Czech part
- Hungarian customary law in Slovak part



MAIN OBJECTIVES

- removing relics of socialist legal doctrine
- unifying civil and commercial law
- aligning with modern European trends
- ‘rational continuity’



EXAMPLES

Minimising
nullity of
contracts

Unified
statute of
limitations

Electronic
transactions

Matrimonial
property
regime

Consensual
divorce
proceedings

Testamenta-
ry freedom

Standard
contractual
process

Unified
system of
remedies

Modern law
of torts and
unjust
enrichment

Legal basis
for all legal
entities

Protection
of bona fide
acquirers

Removing
some
goldplating
in consumer
law

Thank you!