

Basic information	
2004/2090(INI) INI - Own-initiative procedure Deliberations of the Committee of petitions in 2003 and 2004 Subject 1.20.03 Right of petition 8.40.01.06 Committees, interparliamentary delegations	Procedure completed

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	<div style="border: 1px solid red; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">PETI</div> Petitions	WIELAND Rainer (PPE-DE)	01/09/2004

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
28/10/2004	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
17/01/2005	Vote in committee		Summary
11/02/2005	Committee report tabled for plenary	A6-0040/2005	
08/03/2005	Debate in Parliament	CRE link	
09/03/2005	Decision by Parliament	T6-0068/2005	Summary
09/03/2005	End of procedure in Parliament		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2004/2090(INI)
Procedure type	INI - Own-initiative procedure
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 233-p7
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PETI/6/22626

Documentation gateway				
European Parliament				
Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, single reading		A6-0040/2005	11/02/2005	
Text adopted by Parliament, single reading		T6-0068/2005 OJ C 320 15.12.2005, p. 0072-0161 E	09/03/2005	Summary

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Commission response to text adopted in plenary	SP(2005)1714	07/06/2005	

Deliberations of the Committee of petitions in 2003 and 2004

2004/2090(INI) - 09/03/2005 - Text adopted by Parliament, single reading

The European Parliament adopted the own-initiative report by Rainer WIELAND (EPP-ED,DE) on the work of the Petitions Committee 2003-2004 which reaffirms that the Committee on Petitions is one of the most important bodies within the European Parliament for the exercise of parliamentary scrutiny over the EU institutions as well as national, regional, local and social authorities, thereby improving transparency and awareness of the actions of the European Union as they relate to the European citizen. (Please refer to the summary dated 17/01/2005).

In addition, the Council and the Commission are called upon to review the 1989 Interinstitutional Agreement with the European Parliament, with a view to affording petitioners a more effective means of redress and defining a clear and coherent framework for essential cooperation between the institutions in the area concerned.

Parliament is of the opinion that a Standing Working Group should be set up to improve and to monitor permanently the processing of petitions submitted to the European Parliament.