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Summary

# EC/Uzbekistan Partnership and Cooperation Agreement: accession of Bulgaria and Romania to the EU. Protocol

2007/0044(CNS) - 18/12/2008 - Final act

PURPOSE: to conclude a Protocol enabling Romania and Bulgaria to accede to the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement between the European Union and Uzbekistan.

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Council and Commission Decision 2009/50/EC, Euratom on the conclusion of the Protocol to the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Uzbekistan, of the other part, to take account of the Accession of the Republic of Bulgaria and Romania to the European Union.

CONTENT: the Protocol to the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Uzbekistan, of the other part, to take account of the accession of the Republic of Bulgaria and Romania to the European Union is hereby approved on behalf of the Community, the European Atomic Energy Community and the Member States.

To recall, the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement (PCA) between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Uzbekistan (AVC/1996/0151), of the other part, entered into force on 1 July 1999.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: the Protocol shall enter into force once all the corresponding procedures have been completed. Pending its entry into force, the Protocol has been applied on a provisional basis as from 1 January 2007.

# EC/Uzbekistan Partnership and Cooperation Agreement: accession of Bulgaria and Romania to the EU. Protocol

2007/0044(CNS) - 16/03/2007 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: to include Romania and Bulgaria in the Protocol to the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement between the European Union and Uzbekistan.

PROPOSED ACT: Council and Commission Decision.

CONTENT: the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement (PCA) between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Uzbekistan (AVC/1996/0151), of the other part, is a "mixed" agreement, which entered into force on 1 July 1999, i.e. before the enlargement of the Union to include the Republic of Bulgaria and Romania.

A Protocol to the PCA therefore needs to be drawn up to allow the new Member States to accede to the Agreement, in accordance with Article 6(2) of the Act of Accession annexed to the Treaty of Accession of 25 April 2005.

On 23 October 2006, the Council authorised the Commission to open negotiations, on behalf of the Community and its Member States, with the Republic of Uzbekistan with a view to concluding a Protocol to the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement. The negotiations with the Republic of Uzbekistan have subsequently been completed. The text of the negotiated protocol is attached.

The Commission proposes that the Council should conclude the Protocol on behalf of the European Community and its Member States and gives its approval for conclusion of the Protocol by the European Atomic Energy Community.

# EC/Uzbekistan Partnership and Cooperation Agreement: accession of Bulgaria and Romania to the EU. Protocol

2007/0044(CNS) - 02/09/2008 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted, by 653 votes to 18 with 17 abstentions, under the consultation procedure, a legislative resolution approving the proposal for a Council and Commission decision on the conclusion of the Protocol to the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Uzbekistan, of the other part, to take account of the accession of the Republic of Bulgaria and Romania to the EU. The report had been tabled for consideration in plenary by Jacek SARYUSZ-WOLSKI (EPP-ED, PL) on behalf of the Committee on Foreign Affairs.