


Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	1995/0108(CNS)	Procedure completed
EC/Canada agreement: Community cooperation programme in the field of training		
Subject 4.40.20 Cooperation and agreements in the fields of education, training and youth		
Geographical area Canada		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	CONT Budgetary Control	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
	BUDG Budgets		
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Telecommunications	1888	27/11/1995
	Education, Youth, Culture and Sport	1875	23/10/1995
	Education, Youth, Culture and Sport	1839	31/03/1995

Key events			
31/03/1995	Debate in Council	1839	Summary
25/07/1995	Legislative proposal published	COM(1995)0077	Summary
18/09/1995	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
10/10/1995	Vote in committee		
09/10/1995	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0240/1995	
12/10/1995	Debate in Parliament		
13/10/1995	Decision by Parliament	T4-0491/1995	Summary
27/11/1995	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
27/11/1995	End of procedure in Parliament		
13/12/1995	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1995/0108(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legislative instrument	Decision
Legal basis	EC before Amsterdam E 127; EC before Amsterdam E 126; EC before Amsterdam E 228-p2/3-a1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	CULT/4/07054

Documentation gateway					
Legislative proposal		COM(1995)0077 OJ C 305 16.11.1995, p. 0003	26/07/1995	EC	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A4-0240/1995 OJ C 287 30.10.1995, p. 0017	10/10/1995	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0491/1995 OJ C 287 30.10.1995, p. 0230-0238	13/10/1995	EP	Summary

Additional information	
European Commission	EUR-Lex

Final act
Decision 1995/523 OJ L 300 13.12.1995, p. 0018 Summary

EC/Canada agreement: Community cooperation programme in the field of training

The Council took note of an oral interim report by Ms CRESSON on the progress made in the negotiation of EC/United States and EC/Canada Agreements in the field of higher education and training, in accordance with the negotiating briefs adopted by the Council on 21 November 1994.

EC/Canada agreement: Community cooperation programme in the field of training

- OBJECTIVE: to conclude a Cooperation Agreement between the European Community and Canada in the field of higher education and professional training. - SUBSTANCE: The Agreement provides for the conclusion of joint teaching projects to be undertaken by the two partners, namely the EC and Canada. The partnerships shall comprise at least 3 partners from each side of the Atlantic, two of which shall be based in the different Member States of the Community and in the Canadian provinces, respectively (priority shall be given to placement schemes, including language training for students, the development of innovative study programmes and the organization of intensive 3-week programmes, etc.). A joint committee is to be set up comprising representatives from the EU and Canada whose purpose is to assess the cooperation activities provided for in the Agreement. The budget allocated for the activities provided for in the Agreement is ECU 3.24 m. The Agreement is to run for a period of 5 years (1995 - 1999), commencing on the date of its entry into force. ?

EC/Canada agreement: Community cooperation programme in the field of training

In adopting the report of Mrs Mary BANOTTI (PPE, IRL), Parliament approved the conclusion of the Cooperation Agreement between the European Community and Canada in the field of higher education. ?

EC/Canada agreement: Community cooperation programme in the field of training

- OBJECTIVE: the conclusion of a Cooperation Agreement between the European Community and Canada in the field of higher education and professional training. The aim of the Agreement is to promote and enhance relations between the parties to their mutual advantage, by way of collaboration in the area of education and training. - COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Decision 95/523/EC on the conclusion of an agreement between the European Community and Canada establishing a programme of cooperation in the area of higher education and training. - SUBSTANCE: The Agreement provides for the following categories of activity: . joint projects undertaken by the two partners, namely the EU and Canada: these may comprise institutions of higher education, professional training establishments or a combination of both. The partners are encouraged to involve other relevant bodies in their activities, as associate members, in order to strengthen links with the professions. In order to maximise the advantages brought by the multilateral character of the Cooperation Agreement, the partnerships shall comprise at least 3 partners from each side of the Atlantic, two of which shall be based in the different Member States of the Community and in the Canadian provinces, respectively (priority shall be given, for example, to placement schemes, including language training for students, the development of innovative study programmes, the organisation of intensive 3-week programmes, etc); . complementary measures, particularly work experience exchanges in the area of higher education and training, which seek to strengthen the dialogue between the Community and Canada (organisation of conferences to discuss issues of interest to both parties and the dissemination of information on the programme itself and its results) and the provision of technical assistance for the activities deployed by the programme. An annex to the Agreement specifies the actions which are eligible under the present Agreement. .commitology: a joint committee shall be set up comprising representatives from the EU and Canada, whose purpose is to assess the cooperation activities provided for in the programme and to measure their effectiveness; . financing: the cooperation activities are to be funded equally by the two parties. As far as Community participation is concerned, the reference amount is set at ECU 3.24 m over 5 years (annual appropriations are authorised by the budgetary authorities within the limits of the financial perspectives); .duration of the Agreement: initial period of 5 years (1995-1999) commencing on the date of its entry into force (date on which the parties notify each other that all the necessary procedures have been completed). ?