Procedure file

Basic information

CNS - Consultation procedure Decision 1997/0173(CNS)	Procedure completed
EC/Cyprus relations: extension of the Community programmes Socrates, Leonardo and Youth for Europe III to Cyprus Subject 4.40.20 Cooperation and agreements in the fields of education, training and youth Geographical area Cyprus	

Key players

European Parliament			
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	General Affairs	2029	06/10/1997

Key events

27/06/1997	Legislative proposal published	COM(1997)0316	Summary
15/09/1997	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
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06/10/1997	Additional information		
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Technical information

Procedure reference	1997/0173(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; Rules of Procedure EP 050; EC before Amsterdam E 228-p3-a1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	CULT/4/09222

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal		COM(1997)0316 OJ C 267 03.09.1997, p. 0045	27/06/1997	EC	Summary

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex

Final act

Decision 1997/739
OJ L 299 04.11.1997, p. 0021 Summary

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OBJECTIVE: to open the LEONARDO, Youth for Europe III and SOCRATES programmes to Cyprus and lay down the conditions for management and detailed provisions for implementing this participation. SUBSTANCE: the proposal for a decision is the legal instrument for the conclusion of 3 bilateral agreements establishing cooperation between Cyprus and the Community in the framework of Community programmes concerning youth, education and training. In particular, these agreements provide as follows: -Cyprus is to participate in all activities conducted within the framework of LEONARDO, SOCRATES and Youth for Europe on the same basis, in principle, as the Member States of the Community; -in order to preserve the Community dimension of the programmes, a minimum number of partners of the Member States is required for all transnational projects proposed by Cyprus; -Cyprus is to put in place the national structures and mechanisms required for its participation; -it is to make an annual financial contribution to the Community budget corresponding to the cost of its participation in each programme. The contribution is to cover the operating and administrative costs arising from its participation. The contribution is to be: .ECU 253 000 for the SOCRATES programme in 1997 (ERASMUS will not be open in that year), then ECU 575 000 per annum in 1998 and 1999 (including ERASMUS), .ECU 482 000 per annum for the LEONARDO programme, .ECU 139 000 in 1997 for participation in part of the programme, ECU 246 000 in 1998 and ECU 300 000 in 1999 for participation in the whole of the Youth for Europe programme. The implementation of each agreement will be entrusted to a joint committee. Cyprus will also be invited to attend coordination meetings prior to the formal sessions of the programme management committees. Cyprus's participation will continue for the full duration of the programmes (i.e. until 31.12.1999).?

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OBJECTIVE: to open the LEONARDO, Youth for Europe III and SOCRATES programmes to Cyprus. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Decision 97/739/EC concerning the conclusion of bilateral agreements between the Community and Cyprus on Cyprus's participation in Community programmes in the fields of education, training and youth. CONTENT: this decision is the legal instrument for the conclusion of 3 bilateral agreements establishing cooperation between Cyprus and the Community in the framework of Community programmes concerning youth, education and training. In particular, these agreements set out the conditions and procedures for Cyprus's participation in the Community programmes Youth for Europe III, LEONARDO and SOCRATES. According to these agreements, Cyprus: - will participate in all activities conducted within the framework of LEONARDO, SOCRATES and Youth for Europe on the same basis, in principle, as the Member States of the Community; - in order to ensure the Community dimension of the Programme, will include in all transnational projects a minimum number of partners from the Member States; - will put in place the national structures and mechanisms required for its participation; - will make an annual financial contribution to the Community budget corresponding to the costs of its participation in each programme. This contribution is to be: . ECU 253 000 for the SOCRATES programme in 1997 (ERASMUS will not be open in that year), then ECU 575 000 per annum in 1998 and 1999 (including ERASMUS), . ECU 482 000 per annum for the LEONARDO programme, . ECU 139 000 in 1997 for participation in part of the programme, ECU 246 000 in 1998 and ECU 300 000 in 1999 for participation in the whole of the Youth for Europe programme. The implementation of each agreement will be entrusted to a joint committee. Cyprus will also be invited to attend coordination meetings prior to the formal sessions of the programme management committees. Cyprus's participation will continue for the full duration of the programmes (i.e. until 31 December 1999). ENTRY INTO FORCE: the agreements will enter into force on 1 November 1997.?

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The Council approved the agreements on Cyprus's participation in Community programmes in the fields of education, training and youth (Leonardo, Socrates and Youth for Europe), signed at Brussels on 25 July 1997. ?