# Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	1998/0160(CNS)	Procedure completed
Youth for Europe programme: participation of Bulgaria		
Subject 4.40.20 Cooperation and agreements in the fields of education, training and youth		
Geographical area Bulgaria		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee for opinion  BUDG Budgets	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
Council of the European Union	Council configuration Fisheries	Meeting <u>2125</u>	Date 22/10/1998

Key events			
12/05/1998	Legislative proposal published	COM(1998)0281	Summary
19/06/1998	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
23/09/1998	Vote in committee		Summary
22/09/1998	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0342/1998	
06/10/1998	Decision by Parliament	T4-0539/1998	Summary
22/10/1998	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
22/10/1998	End of procedure in Parliament		
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Technical information	
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Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legislative instrument	Decision

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Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	CULT/4/10231

Documentation gateway				
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Additional information	
European Commission	<u>EUR-Lex</u>

#### Final act

Decision 1998/1216

OJ L 340 16.12.1998, p. 0030-0032 Summary

## Youth for Europe programme: participation of Bulgaria

OBJECTIVE: participation of Bulgaria in the Community programme in the field of youth (1998- 1999) as part of the preaccession strategy. SUBSTANCE: the proposal for a decision by the EC Bulgaria Association Programme lays down conditions and provisions for the participation of this country in the Community Programme in the field of youth. In particular, Bulgaria: - shall participate in the actions of the programme on the same footing as the Member States and in accordance with the objectives, criteria and procedures of the programme; - set up the necessary national structures in order to implement the programme; - pay a contribution to the Community budget for participation in the programme; The financial contribution will cover subsidies or any other financial support received from the Youth for Europe Programme by Bulgarian beneficiaries, supplementary administrative costs relating to the management of the programme by the Commission and financial support from the programme to the functioning of the national agency. This contribution shall be paid annually. The Community shall bear some of the cost of this contribution from Bulgaria's PHARE budget. The PHARE contribution will not, however, be used to meet the costs of administering the programme by the Commission which will be met entirely from the Bulgarian national budget. The total contribution shall be ECU 658 000 for the two years under consideration (ECU 501 900 from PHARE). Bulgaria shall participate in the assessment of its participation in the programme in order to prepare for the Community decision making process in anticipation of accession (particularly by taking part in prior coordination to meetings of the programme management committee and being informed of the results of these meetings). Bulgarian participation shall apply for the period 1998-1999.?

#### Youth for Europe programme: participation of Bulgaria

The draft report by Odile LEPERRE-VERRIER (ARE/F) was adopted. ?

### Youth for Europe programme: participation of Bulgaria

The European Parliament adopted without debate the report by Mrs Odile LEPERRE-VERRIER (ARE, F) on the participation of Bulgaria in the Community programme in the field of youth. Only a few amendments of a budgetary nature were adopted.?

#### Youth for Europe programme: participation of Bulgaria

PURPOSE: to allow for the participation of Bulgaria in the Community programme in the field of youth (1998-1999) as part of the pre-accession strategy. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Decision No 2/98 of the Association Council between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Bulgaria, of the other part adopting the terms and conditions for the participation of Bulgaria in the Community programme in the field of youth. CONTENT: this Decision by the EC/Bulgaria Association Council lays down conditions and provisions for the participation of this country in the Community Programme in the field of youth. In particular, Bulgaria: - shall participate in the actions of the programme on the same footing as the Member States and in accordance with the objectives, criteria and procedures of the programme; - shall set up the necessary national structures in order to implement the programme; - shall pay a contribution

to the Community budget for participation in the programme. The financial contribution will cover subsidies or any other financial support received from the Youth for Europe Programme by Bulgarian beneficiaries, supplementary administrative costs relating to the management of the programme by the Commission and financial support from the programme to the function of the national agency. This contribution shall be paid annually. The Community shall bear some of the cost of this contribution from Bulgaria's PHARE budget. The PHARE contribution will not, however, be used to meet the costs of administering the programme by the Commission which will be met entirely from the Bulgarian national budget. Bulgaria shall participate in the assessment of its participation in the programme in order to prepare for the Community decision making process in anticipation of accession (particularly by taking part in prior coordination to meetings of the programme management committee and being informed of the results of these meetings). The Decision shall apply for the duration of the Youth for Europe Programme. ENTRY INTO FORCE: 01.01.1999.?