


# Procedure file

Basic information		
REG - Parliament's Rules of Procedure	<a href="#">1999/2195(REG)</a>	Procedure completed
EP Rules of procedure, rules 139, 159 and 162: justification of amendments to documents of a legislative nature		
Subject 8.40.01.08 Business of Parliament, procedure, sittings, rules of procedure		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	<b>AFCO</b> Constitutional Affairs	PPE-DE <a href="#">INGLEWOOD The Lord</a>	11/01/2000

Key events			
12/10/2000	Vote in committee		Summary
12/10/2000	Committee report tabled for plenary	<a href="#">A5-0306/2000</a>	
23/10/2000	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
10/06/2002	Debate in Parliament		
12/06/2002	Decision by Parliament	<a href="#">T5-0307/2002</a>	Summary
12/06/2002	End of procedure in Parliament		
30/10/2003	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1999/2195(REG)
Procedure type	REG - Parliament's Rules of Procedure
Procedure subtype	Rules
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 237-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	AFCO/5/12197

Documentation gateway				
Committee report tabled for plenary, single reading		<a href="#">A5-0306/2000</a>	12/10/2000	EP

		<a href="#">OJ C 223 08.08.2001, p. 0004</a>			
Text adopted by Parliament, single reading		<a href="#">T5-0307/2002</a> <a href="#">OJ C 261 30.10.2003, p. 0153-0381 E</a>	12/06/2002	EP	Summary

## EP Rules of procedure, rules 139, 159 and 162: justification of amendments to documents of a legislative nature

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The committee adopted the report by Lord INGLEWOOD (EPP-ED, UK) on the various rules of the Rules of Procedure relating to justifications of amendments. The report pointed out that the changes to the Rules following the entry into force of the Amsterdam Treaty had given rise to a number of questions concerning the admissibility of amendments. The committee therefore proposed introducing new paragraphs into the Rules of Procedure stipulating that amendments to documents of a legislative nature may be accompanied by short justifications, which shall be the responsibility of the author and shall not be put to the vote.?

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By adopting the report by Lord INGLEWOOD (EPP-ED, UK), the European Parliament aligned itself with the position expressed by the committee responsible (please refer to the previous summary).?