

Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	2002/0811(CNS)	Procedure completed
Europol: Staff regulations, Director and Deputy Directors. Initiative Belgium, Netherlands and Luxembourg		
Subject 7.30.05.01 Europol, CEPOL		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	LIBE Citizens' Freedoms and Rights, Justice and Home Affairs	PPE-DE DEPREZ Gérard	11/09/2002
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)	2469	19/12/2002
	Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)	2477	19/12/2002
	Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)	2455	14/10/2002

Key events			
18/06/2002	Legislative proposal published	09566/2002	Summary
01/07/2002	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
08/10/2002	Vote in committee		Summary
08/10/2002	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0345/2002	
22/10/2002	Decision by Parliament	T5-0489/2002	Summary
19/12/2002	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
19/12/2002	End of procedure in Parliament		
31/01/2003	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2002/0811(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure

Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Legal basis	Treaty on the European Union (after Amsterdam) M 039-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	LIBE/5/16413

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal		09566/2002 OJ C 161 05.07.2002, p. 0016	18/06/2002	CSL	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A5-0345/2002	08/10/2002	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T5-0489/2002 OJ C 300 11.12.2003, p. 0024-0112 E	22/10/2002	EP	Summary

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

52003XG0131(01) OJ C 024 31.01.2003, p. 0001-0008 Summary
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Europol: Staff regulations, Director and Deputy Directors. Initiative Belgium, Netherlands and Luxembourg

PURPOSE : to amend the Staff Regulations for Europol employees. **CONTENT** : These amendments to the Europol Staff Regulations deal in particular with the procedures for the nomination of the director and Deputy Directors, and for the application of other powers in their respect. Appendix 8 of the Regulations is replaced with new provisions that cover: -selection procedures; -termination of service, with reference to resignation; compulsory resignation; retirement in the interests of the service; dismissal, and retirement. -disciplinary proceedings, including disciplinary measures and special provisions for the case provided for in Article 29(6) of the Europol Convention; -appeals; -special provisions concerning the Director. ?

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The committee adopted the report by Gérard DEPREZ (EPP-ED, B) recommending that Parliament reject the initiative under the consultation procedure. While it agreed with the substance of the initiative, which it felt to be both timely and appropriate, the committee felt that Parliament should make a political point of rejecting it as the initiative, like many others, had been forwarded to Parliament simply for form's sake without being accompanied by an explanatory memorandum justifying and explaining it and such consultation was therefore merely a bogus exercise. Moreover, no action had been taken by Council on the recommendation recently adopted by Parliament, by a very large majority, calling for the Europol Convention to be replaced by a Council decision, which would ensure that Europol was incorporated into the EU institutional system and subject to democratic oversight.?

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The European Parliament adopted a resolution drafted by Gerard M. J. DEPREZ (EPP-ED, B) and rejected the initiative of Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg. (Please refer to the document dated 08/10/02.) The Commission and/or the Presidency were asked to submit a fresh initiative which is in keeping with the enacting terms proposed by the recommendation to the Council adopted by Parliament on 30 May 2002 on the automatic incorporation into the EU's institutional system.?

Europol: Staff regulations, Director and Deputy Directors. Initiative Belgium, Netherlands and

Luxembourg

PURPOSE : to amend the Staff Regulations applicable to Europol employees. COMMUNITY MEASURE : Council Act of 19 December 2002 amending the Staff Regulations applicable to Europol employees. CONTENT : the Act, proposed by an initiative from Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg aims to define the procedures relating to the nomination of the Director and Deputy Directors of the Europol and for the application of other powers in their respect by the authority vested with nominating powers. The special provisions concern in particular issues such as the selection procedures, the termination of service, resignation, compulsory resignation, the retirement in the interests of Europol, dismissal, retirement and lastly disciplinary measures. ENTRY INTO FORCE : 20 December 2002.?