#### Procedure file

Basic information		
AVC - Assent procedure (historic) 2004/01	19(AVC)	Procedure completed
EC/Croatia agreement: stabilisation and association agreement, protocol after the 2004 enlargement		
Subject 6.40.03 Relations with South-East Europe and the Balkans		
Geographical area Croatia		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	AFET Foreign Affairs		13/09/2004
		PPE-DE BROK Elmar	
	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	INTA International Trade	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	General Affairs	2640	21/02/2005
	General Affairs	2630	13/12/2004
European Commission	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	External Relations		

events			
12/05/2004	Initial legislative proposal published	COM(2004)0370	Summary
13/09/2004	Vote in committee		
13/01/2005	Legislative proposal published	14211/2004	Summary
25/01/2005	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A6-0011/2005	
27/01/2005	Results of vote in Parliament		
27/01/2005	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
27/01/2005	Decision by Parliament	T6-0013/2005	Summary
21/02/2005	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		

21/02/2005	End of procedure in Parliament	
15/03/2005	Final act published in Official Journal	

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2004/0119(AVC)
Procedure type	AVC - Assent procedure (historic)
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 300-p2/3-a1/2; Euratom Treaty A 101-p2; EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 310; Adhesion Act 2003 (10 countries) T 6-p2
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	AFET/6/22067

Documentation gateway				
Initial legislative proposal	COM(2004)0370	12/05/2004	EC	Summary
Supplementary legislative basic document	14310/2004	07/12/2004	CSL	Summary
Legislative proposal	14211/2004	13/01/2005	CSL	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A6-0011/2005	25/01/2005	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	T6-0013/2005 OJ C 253 13.10.2005, p. 0013-0026 E	27/01/2005	EP	Summary

Additional information	
European Commission	EUR-Lex

#### Final act

Decision 2005/205

OJ L 068 15.03.2005, p. 0030-0031 Summary

# EC/Croatia agreement: stabilisation and association agreement, protocol after the 2004 enlargement

PURPOSE: to update the Stabilisation and Association Agreement (SAA) between Croatia and the EU following the accession of ten new Member States. PROPOSED ACT: Council and Commission Decision. CONTENT: following the accession of ten new Member States to the EU in May 2004, the Council authorised the Commission to open negotiations with the Croatia to update the previously agreed Stabilisation and Association Agreement by drawing up a Protocol to the SAA. The Protocol itself covers certain technical adjustments linked to institutional and legal developments within the EU and seeks to reflect the EU's new landscape following enlargement. The Commission has now completed these negotiations. The proposal includes firstly, a Council Decision on the signature of the Protocol and secondly, a Commission Decision on the conclusion of the Protocol.?

#### EC/Croatia agreement: stabilisation and association agreement, protocol after the 2004 enlargement

This document comprises of the definitive protocol to the Agreement between the European Union and Croatia on the 10 new Member States adhering to the Association Agreement between it and the EU.

## EC/Croatia agreement: stabilisation and association agreement, protocol after the 2004 enlargement

PURPOSE: to enable the 10 New Member States to adhere to the Stabilisation and Association Agreement between the European Communities and Croatia.

PROPOSED ACT: Council and Commission Decision on the conclusion of the Protocol to the Stabilisation and Association Agreement.

CONTENT: in accordance with Article 6 (2)of the Treaty of Accession of the new Member States to the European Union, the accession of these new Member States to the Stabilisation and Association Agreement between the EU and Croatia should be approved by the conclusion of a protocol to this Agreement. This is the aim of this proposal. The text of the Protocol negotiated with Croatia is attached to this decision.

#### EC/Croatia agreement: stabilisation and association agreement, protocol after the 2004 enlargement

The European Parliament has given its assent to the Conclusion of the Protocol.

## EC/Croatia agreement: stabilisation and association agreement, protocol after the 2004 enlargement

PURPOSE: the taking into account of the accession of 10 new Member States to EU membership in relation to the Stabilisation and Association Agreement between the EC and Croatia .

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Council and Commission Decision 2005/202/EC, Euratom.

CONTENT: This Council and Commission Decision relates to the approval of the conclusion of a Protocol to the Stabilisation and Association Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Croatia, of the other part, to take account of the accession of the Czech Republic, the Republic of Estonia, the Republic of Cyprus, the Republic of Latvia, the Republic of Lithuania, the Republic of Hungary, the Republic of Malta, the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Slovenia, and the Slovak Republic to the European Union.