


# Procedure file

Basic information	
IMM - Members' immunity	2007/2122(IMM)
Request for the defence of parliamentary immunity of Ashley Mote	Procedure completed
Subject	
8.40.01.03 Members' immunity	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	<b>JURI</b> Legal Affairs	UEN <a href="#">SPERONI Francesco Enrico</a>	22/05/2007

Key events			
10/05/2007	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
25/06/2007	Vote in committee		Summary
27/06/2007	Committee report tabled for plenary	<a href="#">A6-0250/2007</a>	
10/07/2007	Results of vote in Parliament		
10/07/2007	Decision by Parliament	<a href="#">T6-0313/2007</a>	Summary
10/07/2007	End of procedure in Parliament		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2007/2122(IMM)
Procedure type	IMM - Members' immunity
Procedure subtype	Waiver of immunity
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 7
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	JURI/6/49555

Documentation gateway					
Committee report tabled for plenary, single reading		<a href="#">A6-0250/2007</a>	27/06/2007	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, single reading		<a href="#">T6-0313/2007</a>	10/07/2007	EP	Summary

## Request for the defence of parliamentary immunity of Ashley Mote

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The committee adopted the report by Francesco Enrico SPERONI (UEN, IT) on the request for defence of the immunity and privileges of Ashley MOTE (ITS, UK) in connection with criminal proceedings brought against him in the territory of the United Kingdom.

The committee pointed out that Article 10 of the Protocol of 8 April 1965 on the Privileges and Immunities of the European Communities provides that, during the sessions of the European Parliament, its members shall enjoy "in the territory of their own State, the immunities accorded to members of their parliament.....". However, Members of the UK Parliament do not enjoy immunity from criminal prosecution. The committee accordingly recommended that Parliament should not defend the immunity and privileges of Mr Ashley Mote, given that he has no immunity to defend.

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The European Parliament decides not to defend the immunity and privileges of Ashley Mote. It instructs its President to forward this decision, and the report of the committee responsible, immediately to the appropriate authority of the United Kingdom.