## Procedure file

Basic information				
REG - Parliament's Rules of Procedure	2007/2170(REG)	Procedure completed		
EP Rules of Procedure, Rule 116: written declaration, interpretation				
Subject 8.40.01.08 Business of Parliament, procedure, sittings, rules of procedure				

Key players				
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed	
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Key events			
31/03/2008	Vote in committee		Summary
31/03/2008	Decision by committee, without report		
10/04/2008	10/04/2008Decision by ParliamentSummary		Summary
10/04/2008	End of procedure in Parliament		

Technical information		
Procedure reference	2007/2170(REG)	
Procedure type	REG - Parliament's Rules of Procedure	
Procedure subtype	Interpretation of Rules	
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 236	
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed	
Committee dossier	AFCO/6/51944	

## EP Rules of Procedure, Rule 116: written declaration, interpretation

The Committee on Constitutional Affairs, which had been consulted on the application of Rule 116, provided the following interpretation on that provision:

'The contents of a written declaration shall not exceed the form of a declaration and, in particular, not contain any decision on matters for the adoption of which specific procedures and competences are laid down in the Rules of Procedure.'

The Parliament approved the interpretation at its sitting of 10 April 2008.