



Procedure file

Basic information		
RSP - Resolutions on topical subjects	2007/2643(RSP)	Procedure completed
Resolution on the European Private Company and the Fourteenth Company Law Directive on the transfer of the company seat		
Subject 3.45.01 Company law		

Key players	
European Parliament	

Key events			
25/10/2007	Results of vote in Parliament		
25/10/2007	Debate in Parliament		Summary
25/10/2007	Decision by Parliament	T6-0491/2007	Summary
25/10/2007	End of procedure in Parliament		

Technical information	
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Procedure subtype	Resolution on statement
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 123-p2
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed

Documentation gateway					
Motion for a resolution		B6-0399/2007	25/10/2007	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, topical subjects		T6-0491/2007	25/10/2007	EP	Summary
Commission response to text adopted in plenary		SP(2007)6028	21/11/2007	EC	
Commission response to text adopted in plenary		SP(2007)6302	20/12/2007	EC	

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The European Parliament adopted a resolution on the European Private Company and the Fourteenth Company Law Directive on the transfer of the company seat. In view of the fact that the EU regulatory framework for company law and corporate governance needs to be adapted to take account of the growing trend for European companies to operate cross-border within the EU, Parliament welcomed the Commission's announcement that it would present a legislative proposal on the Statute of the European Private Company no later than 30 June 2008, stressing that it expects that legislative proposal to be formally included in the Commission's legislative work programme for 2008. It trusted that the Commission would not fail to act and will present a proposal by the deadline of 30 June 2008 as announced.

However, Parliament regretted that the Commission, after a considerable delay, had now informed Parliament that it intended to make no legislative proposal for a Fourteenth Company Law Directive on the transfer of the seat. Parliament reserved the right, nevertheless, to take

further action with regard to the question of cross-border transfers of company seats.

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The House held a debate, following on the Commission statement, on company law.
The resolution winding up this debate was due to be put to the vote later that same day.