


# Procedure file

Basic information	
REG - Parliament's Rules of Procedure	1994/2200(REG)
EP Rules of procedure, rule 47.2: debate on topical subjects	Procedure completed
Subject	8.40.01.08 Business of Parliament, procedure, sittings, rules of procedure

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	<b>REGL</b> Rules of Procedure, Verification of Credentials and Immunities	ARE <a href="#">DELL'ALBA Gianfranco</a>	21/02/1995

Key events			
22/11/1994	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
26/06/1995	Vote in committee		Summary
26/06/1995	Committee report tabled for plenary	<a href="#">A4-0163/1995</a>	
16/01/1996	Debate in Parliament		
17/01/1996	Decision by Parliament	T4-0007/1996	Summary
17/01/1996	End of procedure in Parliament		
05/02/1996	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1994/2200(REG)
Procedure type	REG - Parliament's Rules of Procedure
Procedure subtype	Rules
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 237-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	REGL/4/06226

Documentation gateway				
Committee report tabled for plenary, single reading		<a href="#">A4-0163/1995</a> <a href="#">OJ C 249 25.09.1995, p. 0004</a>	26/06/1995	EP

## EP Rules of procedure, rule 47.2: debate on topical subjects

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The purpose of the present report, adopted in committee, is to amend the provisions of Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure in order to allow the President of the European Parliament to decide on the admissibility of appeals filed with her against decisions by the Conference of Presidents. It will be up to the President to determine independently whether or not a petition filed by a political group or at least 29 members to change the list of subjects which may be debated under the terms of Rule 47 is admissible, without exceeding the limit of five subjects allowed under the said article. The proposed amendment also sets Friday morning as the standard date for debates on topical, urgent or important matters.?

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Adopting the report by Mr DELL'ALBA (ARE, I), the European Parliament decided to amend Article 47(2) of its Rules of Procedure in order to make the President of the European Parliament responsible for evaluating the admissibility of motions submitted to the President by a political group or at least 29 members with a view to amending the list of matters which can be debated under the terms of the article in question.?