**ORDINARY LEGISLATIVE procedure - First reading**

**European Parliament legislative resolution on the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on provisional legal aid for suspects or accused persons deprived of liberty and legal aid in European arrest warrant proceedings**

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**2. EP reference number:** A8-0165/2015 / P8\_TA-PROV(2016)0368

**3. Date of adoption of the resolution:** 4 October 2016

**4. Subject:** Legal aid for suspects and accused persons in criminal proceedings and for requested persons in European arrest warrant proceedings.

**5. Interinstitutional reference number:** 2013/0409(COD)

**6. Legal basis:** Article 82(2)(b) TFEU

**7. Competent Parliamentary Committee:** Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs (LIBE)

**8. Commission's position:** The Commission can accept all amendments adopted by the European Parliament.

**9. Outlook for amendment of the proposal:** There is no need for a formal modified proposal, as there is already agreement between the European Parliament and Council, endorsed by the Commission.

**10. Outlook for the adoption of Council's position:** Political agreement has been reached on the basis of a text discussed in the last trilogue on 23 June 2016. On 30 June 2016, the Coreper approved the compromise text agreed with the European Parliament. The Council adopted the proposal at the JHA Council on 13 October 2016.