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Committee on Legal Affairs

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**MINUTES**

Meeting of 24 July 2019, 9.00-12.30

BRUSSELS

*The meeting opened at 9.07 on Wednesday, 24 July 2019, with Lucy Nethsingha (Chair) presiding.*

**24 July 2019, 09.00 – 10.30**

*In camera*

**1. Coordinators' meeting**

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**24 July 2019, 10.30 – 10.35**

*The meeting continued in camera.*

**2. Adoption of agenda**

**Decision:** The draft agenda was adopted with the following changes proposed to the draft agenda:

- item 6 was postponed.

**24 July 2019, 10.35 – 11.45**

*In camera*

**3. Verification of credentials and term of office (Rule 3 and 4)**

The Committee verified by 20 in favour, none against and 1 abstention the credentials of:

- (i) Mr Hannes HANSO, to replace Mr Ivari PADAR, as from 4 April 2019;
- (ii) Mr Pablo ARIAS ECHEVERRÍA, to replace Mrs Teresa JIMÉNEZ-BECERRIL BARRIO, as from 21 May 2019;

in both cases until the end of the last legislature at 10:00 on 2 July 2019.

#### **4. Disputes involving Parliament (Rule 149)**

- The Committee adopted by 20-0-0 a recommendation that Parliament should intervene in case C-389/19 P Commission v Sweden - Appeal against the judgment of the General Court of 7 March 2019 in case T-837/16 - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 (REACH) – Authorisation of substances of very high concern – Lead chromate paint – Commission Implementing Decision C(2016)5644 of 7 September 2016 - Possible involvement of the European Parliament in the appeal procedure (rapporteur: Geoffroy Didier);
- The Committee adopted by 16-3-2 a recommendation that Parliament should not intervene in case Case C-389/19 P-R Commission v Sweden - Interim measures requested in connection with the pending appeal Case C-389/19 P against the judgment of the General Court of 7 March 2019 in case T-837/16 (rapporteur: Geoffroy Didier);
- The Committee adopted by 20-0-0 a recommendation that the Parliament should intervene in case T-315/19, XY v Commission - Objection of illegality of Articles 20 of Annex VIII of the Staff Regulations - Possible intervention of the European Parliament;
- The Committee adopted by 20-1-2 a recommendation that the Parliament should not intervene in Case T-279/19, Front Polisario v Council - Council Decision (EU) 2019/217 on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Union and Morocco on the amendment of Protocols 1 and 4 to the Association Agreement EU-Morocco - Possible intervention by the European Parliament;
- The Committee adopted by 22-0-1 a recommendation that the Parliament should submit observations in case C-361/19 De Ruiter – Reference for a preliminary ruling – Article 99(1) of Regulation 1306/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council - Common Agricultural Policy - Possible submission of observations by the European Parliament.

The following spoke: Lucy Nethsingha (Chair), Geoffroy Didier (the rapporteur), Lara Wolters (S&D), Patrick Breyer (Verts/ALE), Karen Melchior (Renew Europe), Sergey Lagodinsky (Verts/ALE) and the Legal Service.

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**24 July 2019, 11.45 – 12.30**

*The meeting continued in public.*

## **5. Chair's announcements**

At the meeting of 24 July 2019 the coordinators decided:

- to draft a letter to the Conference of the Committee Chairs concerning the examination of declaration of financial interests of Commissioners-designate Kadri Simson and Ioan Mircea Pașcu stating that since the Commissioners-designate have not been allocated portfolios, the Committee is not in a position to decide on the conflict of interest. This letter is to be discussed by the Coordinators at their meeting of 3 September 2019 in view of taking the position to the Conference of Committee Chairs;
- to allocate points to the political groups and not to allocate points to the non-attached Members; however, non-attached Members may express their wishes to become a rapporteur and decision on that is to be taken by Coordinators on an *ad hoc* basis;
- to recommend to give a mandate to the Chair by the Committee at the meeting on 24 July 2019 to table budgetary amendments on the Court of Justice on behalf of JURI Committee;
- to invite to the meeting of 3 September 2019 the selected candidates for the post of Deputy Executive Director of the European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO) to make a statement before the JURI Committee before the Council appoints the successful candidate;
- to transmit to the President of Parliament a list of unfinished business it wishes to see confirmed in the 9th legislative term;
- to appoint Iban García del Blanco (S&D, ES) as rapporteur for the request for the waiver of immunity of José Manuel Fernandes (EPP, PT);
- to endorse the proposal for JURI 2020 meetings calendar;
- to request authorisation to organise a hearing/conference on cross-border restitution claims of works of art and cultural goods looted in armed conflicts at the JURI meeting of 3 December 2019 and invite other relevant committees to participate in this hearing;
- to invite the Commission to present to the Committee the following communications at one of the forthcoming meetings:
  - “Better regulation: taking stock and sustaining our commitment”;
  - “The principles of subsidiarity and proportionality: Strengthening their role in the EU's policymaking”;
  - “Monitoring the application of European Union law 2018 Annual Report”;
  - “Further strengthening the rule of law within the Union”;
- to invite a representative of the High-Level Expert Group on Artificial Intelligence to

present the paper on Ethics guidelines for trustworthy artificial intelligence;

- to request authorisation for the following INI reports:
  - “Annual Reports 2017-2018 on Subsidiarity and Proportionality”;
  - “Monitoring the application of European Union Law 2017 and 2018”;
- to proceed to update JURI Notice 0011/2016 Principles for immunity cases and JURI Guidelines of the JURI committee for the application of Rule 141 following the revision of the Rules of Procedure;
- to use written procedure to be formulated over the summer recess concerning a parliamentary ruling on the accelerated proceedings expected to be referred to the Committee by the end of July 2019.

### ***Corrigenda (Rule 241)***

#### **6. Action of the Union following its accession to the Geneva Act of the Lisbon Agreement on Appellations of Origin and Geographical Indications**

\*\*\*I 2018/0189(COD) COM(2018)0365 – C8-0383/2018

- Examination of corrigendum: postponed.

#### **7. Protection of persons reporting on breaches of Union law**

\*\*\*I 2018/0106(COD) COM(2018)0218 – C8-0159/2018

Examination of corrigendum: The Committee examined the corrigendum and decided to submit it to Plenary.

### ***\*\*\* Voting time \*\*\****

#### **8. General budget of the European Union for the financial year 2020 - all sections 2019/2028(BUD)**

Responsible:  
BUDG

Vote on a mandate for the Chair as rapporteur: The Committee adopted by 20 votes in favour, 1 against and 2 abstentions the mandate for the rapporteur on general budget of the European Union for the financial year 2020 - all sections.

### ***\*\*\* End of vote \*\*\****

#### **9. Any other business**

#### **10. Next meetings**

- 3 September 2019, 9.00 – 12.30 and 14.30 – 18.30 (Brussels)

*The meeting closed at 11.28.*

## Results of roll-call votes

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#### Key to symbols:

+ : in favour

- : against

0 : abstention

1. General budget of the European Union for the financial year 2020 – all sections 2019/2028(BUD) Rapp. Lucy Nethsingha (vote on a mandate for the rapporteur)

1.1. Final vote

20	+
ECR	Raffaele Stancanelli
GUE/NGL	Manon Aubry
NI	Sabrina Pignedoli
PPE	Geoffroy Didier, Angelika Niebler, József Szájer, Axel Voss, Marion Walsmann, Michaela Šojdrová
RENEW	Karen Melchior, Lucy Nethsingha, Liesje Schreinemacher, Stéphane Séjourné
S&D	Ibán Garcia Del Blanco, Jackie Jones, Franco Roberti, Lara Wolters, Tiemo Wölken
VERTS/ALE	Patrick Breyer, Sergey Lagodinsky

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ID	Gilles Lebreton

2	0
NI	Mislav Kolakušić, Lefteris Nikolaou-Alavanos

Corrections to votes and voting intentions	
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<p>Lucy Nethsingha, Sergey Lagodinsky, Marion Walsmann, Ibán Garcia Del Blanco, Raffaele Stancanelli</p>
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<p>Manon Aubry, Patrick Breyer, Geoffroy Didier, Angel Dzhambazki, Jackie Jones, Mislav Kolakušić, Gilles Lebreton, Karen Melchior, Lefteris Nikolaou-Alavanos, Sabrina Pignedoli, Franco Roberti, Liesje Schreinemacher, József Szájer, Stéphane Séjourné, Axel Voss, Lara Wolters, Tiemo Wölken</p>
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<p>Pascal Durand, Heidi Hautala, Angelika Niebler, Marie Toussaint</p>

<p>209 (7)</p>
<p>Michaela Šojdřová</p>
<p>216 (3)</p>
<p>56 (8) (Точка от дневния ред/Punto del orden del día/Bod pořadu jednání (OJ)/Punkt på dagsordenen/Tagesordnungspunkt/ Päevakorra punkt/Ημερήσια Διάταξη Σημείο/Agenda item/Point OJ/Τοčka dnevnoĝ reda/Punto all'ordine del giorno/Darba kārtības punkts/Darbotvarkēs punktas/Napirendi pont/Punt Agenda/Agendapunt/Punkt porzãdku dziennego/Ponto OD/Punct de pe ordinea de zi/Bod programu schõdze/Τοčka UL/Esityslistan kohta/Fõredragningslista punkt)</p>

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