

Procedure file

Basic information		
NLE - Non-legislative enactments Decision	2014/0270(NLE)	Preparatory phase in Parliament
EC/Morocco Euro-Mediterranean Association Agreement: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol		
See also 1995/0363(AVC)		
Subject 6.20.03 Bilateral economic and trade agreements and relations 6.40.05.02 Relations with the countries of the Great Maghreb and Maghreb Geographical area Morocco		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	AFET Foreign Affairs		
	Former committee responsible		
	AFET Foreign Affairs		
Council of the European Union European Commission	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	INTA International Trade	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
	Former committee for opinion		
	INTA International Trade		
	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	Neighbourhood and Enlargement Negotiations	HAHN Johannes	

Key events			
22/09/2014	Preparatory document	COM(2014)0583	Summary

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2014/0270(NLE)
Procedure type	NLE - Non-legislative enactments
Procedure subtype	Consent by Parliament
Legislative instrument	Decision
	See also 1995/0363(AVC)
Legal basis	Treaty on the Functioning of the EU TFEU 217; Treaty on the Functioning of the EU TFEU 218-p6a

Stage reached in procedure	Preparatory phase in Parliament
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Documentation gateway

Document attached to the procedure		COM(2014)0582	22/09/2014	EC	
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Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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EC/Morocco Euro-Mediterranean Association Agreement: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol

PURPOSE: to conclude a Protocol to the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an Association between the European Communities and its Member States, of the one part, and Morocco, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union.

PROPOSED ACT: Council Decision.

ROLE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT: Council may adopt the act only if Parliament has given its consent to the act.

BACKGROUND: [the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement](#) establishing an Association between the European Communities and its Member States, of the one part, and Morocco, of the other part, was signed on 26 February 1996 and entered into force on 1 March 2000.

On 14 September 2012, the Council has authorised the Commission to open negotiations with the third countries concerned with a view to concluding the relevant protocols. The negotiations with Morocco were successfully concluded by the initialling of the Protocol.

The Protocol should now be concluded on behalf of the EU.

CONTENT: the proposal invites the Council to conclude a decision approving, on behalf of the EU and its Member States, the Protocol to the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an Association between the European Communities and its Member States, of the one part, and Morocco, of the other part to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union.

The text of the Protocol is attached to the proposal.