

Democratic Complementarity: Implementing the Treaty Provisions on National Parliaments

WORKSHOP FOR THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS

DRAFT PROGRAMME

20 March 2017, Altiero Spinelli, ASP 3E-2, 16.30–18.00

16.30–16.35 Welcome by the AFCO Chair **Danuta HÜBNER, MEP**

16.35–17.05 Presentations by experts		Research papers
Dr Olivier ROZENBERG , Associate Professor, Centre d'études européennes, Sciences Po (Paris)		<i>The Role of National Parliaments in the EU after Lisbon: Potentialities and Challenges</i>
Dr Diane FROMAGE , Assistant Professor, Faculty of Law, Maastricht University		<i>Subsidiarity as a means to enhance cooperation between EU Institutions and National Parliaments</i>
Dr Luís HELENO TERRINHA , Guest Professor, Porto Faculty of Law, Universidade Católica Portuguesa		<i>The Legisprudential role of National Parliaments in the European Union</i>
17.05–17.35 Questions and debate		
17.35–18.00 Replies by experts		

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