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RECOMMENDATION

on the draft Council decision concerning the conclusion of the Convention on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgments in civil and commercial matters
(9196/2008 – C6-0215/2008 – 2008/0048(AVC))

Committee on Legal Affairs

Rapporteur: Hans-Peter Mayer

Symbols for procedures

- * Consultation procedure
majority of the votes cast
- **I Cooperation procedure (first reading)
majority of the votes cast
- **II Cooperation procedure (second reading)
*majority of the votes cast, to approve the common position
majority of Parliament's component Members, to reject or amend
the common position*
- *** Assent procedure
*majority of Parliament's component Members except in cases
covered by Articles 105, 107, 161 and 300 of the EC Treaty and
Article 7 of the EU Treaty*
- ***I Codecision procedure (first reading)
majority of the votes cast
- ***II Codecision procedure (second reading)
*majority of the votes cast, to approve the common position
majority of Parliament's component Members, to reject or amend
the common position*
- ***III Codecision procedure (third reading)
majority of the votes cast, to approve the joint text

(The type of procedure depends on the legal basis proposed by the Commission.)

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DRAFT EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION

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(Assent procedure)

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the draft Council decision (9196/2008),
 - having regard to the request for assent submitted by the Council pursuant to Article 300(3), second subparagraph, in conjunction with Article 61(c) of the EC Treaty (C6-0215/2008),
 - having regard to Rules 75 and 83(7) of its Rules of Procedure,
 - having regard to the recommendation of the Committee on Legal Affairs (A6-0428/2008),
1. Gives its assent to conclusion of the Convention;
 2. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council and the Commission, and to the governments and parliaments of the Member States.

PROCEDURE

Title	Convention on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgments in civil and commercial matters
References	09196/2008 – C6-0215/2008 – COM(2008)0116 – 2008/0048(AVC)
Date of request for Parliament's assent	9.6.2008
Committee responsible Date announced in plenary	JURI 19.6.2008
Committee(s) asked for opinion(s) Date announced in plenary	LIBE 19.6.2008
Not delivering opinions Date of decision	LIBE 8.4.2008
Rapporteur(s) Date appointed	Hans-Peter Mayer 25.6.2008
Discussed in committee	9.9.2008
Date adopted	4.11.2008
Result of final vote	+: 24 -: 0 0: 0
Members present for the final vote	Carlo Casini, Titus Corlăţean, Bert Doorn, Monica Frassoni, Giuseppe Gargani, Lidia Joanna Geringer de Oedenberg, Othmar Karas, Klaus-Heiner Lehne, Katalin Lévai, Antonio López-Istúriz White, Antonio Masip Hidalgo, Hans-Peter Mayer, Manuel Medina Ortega, Aloyzas Sakalas, Francesco Enrico Speroni, Diana Wallis, Jaroslav Zvěřina, Tadeusz Zwiefka
Substitute(s) present for the final vote	Sharon Bowles, Sajjad Karim, Eva Lichtenberger, Rareş-Lucian Niculescu, Georgios Papastamkos, Gabriele Stauner, József Szájer, Jacques Toubon, Renate Weber