

AMENDMENTS 001-002

by the Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

Report

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Amendment of Regulation (EC) No 810/2009 of 13 July 2009 establishing a Community Code on Visas

Proposal for a regulation (COM(2011)0516 – C7-0226/2011 – 2011/0223(COD))

Amendment 1

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 10

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(10) As regards Cyprus, this Regulation constitutes an act building upon or otherwise related to the Schengen *acquis* within the meaning of **Article 3(2)** of the 2003 Act of Accession.

(10) As regards Cyprus, this Regulation constitutes an act building upon or otherwise related to the Schengen *acquis* within the meaning of **Article 3(1)** of the 2003 Act of Accession.

Justification

Recitals 10 and 11 should follow the same logic as Recital 38 of the Visa Code and refer, respectively, to Article 3(1) of the 2003 Act of Accession and Article 4(1) of the 2005 Act of Accession, given that the provisions on airport transit visas are binding and apply to Cyprus, Romania and Bulgaria as from their accession date.

Amendment 2

Proposal for a regulation

Recital 11

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

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