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OPINION

of the Committee on Legal Affairs

for the Committee on Budgetary Control

on minimising administrative costs imposed by legislation
(2005/2140(INI))

Draftsman: Bert Doorn

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SUGGESTIONS

The Committee on Legal Affairs calls on the Committee on Budgetary Control, as the committee responsible, to incorporate the following suggestions in its motion for a resolution:

A. whereas on 16 May 2006 the European Parliament adopted the following resolutions:

- the resolution on Better lawmaking 2004: application of the principle of subsidiarity – 12th annual report¹, based on the Doorn report;
- the resolution on the implementation, consequences and impact of the internal market legislation in force², based on the McCarthy report;
- the resolution on the Commission's 21st and 22nd Annual reports on monitoring the application of Community law (2003 and 2004)³, based on the Frassoni report;
- the resolution on a strategy for the simplification of the regulatory environment⁴, based on the Gargani report,

B. whereas one of the tasks of the Committee on Budgetary Control of the European Parliament is to oversee the proper expenditure of European funds by European institutions,

1. Notes that the Mulder report on minimising administrative costs imposed by legislation repeats the conclusions of the reports by Doorn, McCarthy, Frassoni and Gargani;
2. Insists that the Committee on Legal Affairs has primary responsibility for the better lawmaking agenda; however, welcomes the aspects of the Mulder report which deal with the financial impact of European regulation on the budget of the European Union, particularly paragraphs 1, 9, 10, 12 and 13;

Other paragraphs in Mulder report to be deleted

¹ *Texts Adopted*, P6_TA(2006)0203.

² *Texts Adopted*, P6_TA(2006)0204.

³ *Texts Adopted*, P6_TA(2006)0202.

⁴ *Texts Adopted*, P6_TA(2006)0205.

PROCEDURE

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Members present for the final vote	Maria Berger, Carlo Casini, Rosa Díez González, Bert Doorn, Giuseppe Gargani, Klaus-Heiner Lehne, Hans-Peter Mayer, Aloyzas Sakalas, Francesco Enrico Speroni, Gabriele Stauner, Diana Wallis, Rainer Wieland, Nicola Zingaretti, Jaroslav Zvěřina
Substitute(s) present for the final vote	Kurt Lechner, Eva Lichtenberger, Manuel Medina Ortega, Marie Panayotopoulos-Cassiotou, Michel Rocard
Substitute(s) under Rule 178(2) present for the final vote	
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