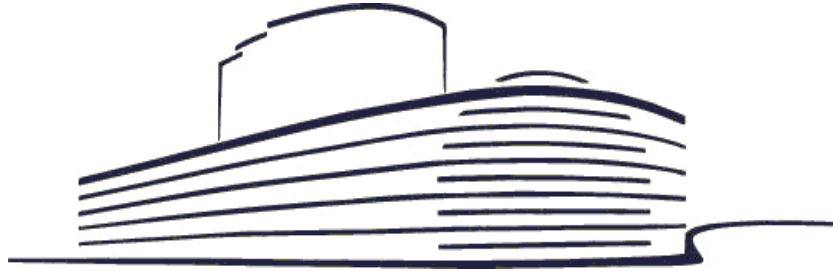


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*	Consultation procedure
** I	Cooperation procedure: first reading
** II	Cooperation procedure: second reading
***	Assent procedure
***I	Codcision procedure: first reading
***II	Codcision procedure: second reading
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(The type of procedure is determined by the legal basis proposed by the Commission)

## INFORMATION RELATING TO VOTING TIME

Unless stated otherwise, the rapporteurs informed the Chair in writing, before the vote, of their position on the amendments.

## ABBREVIATIONS USED FOR PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES

AFET	Committee on Foreign Affairs
DEVE	Committee on Development
INTA	Committee on International Trade
BUDG	Committee on Budgets
CONT	Committee on Budgetary Control
ECON	Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs
EMPL	Committee on Employment and Social Affairs
ENVI	Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety
ITRE	Committee on Industry, Research and Energy
IMCO	Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection
TRAN	Committee on Transport and Tourism
REGI	Committee on Regional Development
AGRI	Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development
PECH	Committee on Fisheries
CULT	Committee on Culture and Education
JURI	Committee on Legal Affairs
LIBE	Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs
AFCO	Committee on Constitutional Affairs
FEMM	Committee on Women's Rights and Gender Equality
PETI	Committee on Petitions

## ABBREVIATIONS USED FOR POLITICAL GROUPS

PPE-DE	Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats) and European Democrats
PSE	Socialist Group in the European Parliament
ALDE	Group of the Alliance of Liberals and Democrats for Europe
UEN	Union for Europe of the Nations Group
Verts/ALE	Group of the Greens/European Free Alliance
GUE/NGL	Confederal Group of the European United Left – Nordic Green Left
IND/DEM	Independence and Democracy Group
ITS	Identity, Tradition and Sovereignty Group
NI	Non-attached Members

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## MINUTES

IN THE CHAIR: Hans-Gert PÖTTERING  
President

### 1. Opening of sitting

The sitting opened at 9.05.

### 2. Fight against terrorism (debate)

Oral question (O-0046/2007) by Manfred Weber, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Martine Roure, on behalf of the PSE Group, Alexander Alvaro, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Cristiana Muscardini and Roberta Angelilli, on behalf of the UEN Group, to the Council: Fight against terrorism (B6-0139/2007)

Oral question (O-0051/2007) by Manfred Weber and Joseph Daul, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Martine Roure, on behalf of the PSE Group, Alexander Alvaro, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Cristiana Muscardini and Roberta Angelilli, on behalf of the UEN Group to the Commission: Fight against terrorism (B6-0313/2007)

Oral question (O-0053/2007) by Kathalijne Maria Buitenweg, Hélène Flautre and Cem Özdemir, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Giusto Catania, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, to the Council: Fight against terrorism (B6-0314/2007)

The President established that the President-in-Office of the Council had not yet arrived.

The following spoke: Kathalijne Maria Buitenweg requested that the debate be held over until the President-in-Office of the Council arrived, as oral questions were for the Council.

However, the President proposed to the House that the debate open immediately, in order to remain within the limits of the time allowed.

The House agreed to the proposal.

Joseph Daul, Martine Roure, Alexander Alvaro, Cristiana Muscardini, Kathalijne Maria Buitenweg and Giusto Catania moved the oral questions.

Manuel Lobo Antunes (President-in-Office of the Council) and Franco Frattini (Vice-President of the Commission) answered the questions.

IN THE CHAIR: Manuel António dos SANTOS  
Vice-President

The following spoke: Manfred Weber, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Jan Marinus Wiersma, on behalf of the PSE Group, Graham Watson, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Konrad Szymański, on behalf of the UEN Group, Cem Özdemir, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Tobias Pflüger, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, Johannes Blokland, on behalf of the IND/DEM Group, Andreas Mölzer, on behalf of the ITS Group, Jim Allister, Non-attached Member, Jaime Mayor Oreja, Bárbara Dührkop Dührkop, Sarah Ludford, Mario Borghezio, Kyriacos Triantaphyllides, Koenraad Dillen, Timothy Kirkhope, Claudio Fava, Sophia in 't Veld, Paul Marie Coûteaux and Ryszard

Czarnecki.

IN THE CHAIR: Luisa MORGANTINI  
Vice-President

The following spoke: Miguel Portas, Viorica-Pompilia-Georgeta Moisuc, Antonio Tajani, Michael Cashman, Ignasi Guardans Cambó, Mirosław Mariusz Piotrowski, Mihael Brejc, Dan Mihalache, Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Jan Tadeusz Masiel, Barbara Kudrycka, Csaba Sándor Tabajdi, Marian-Jean Marinescu, Genowefa Grabowska, Bogdan Klich, Ana Maria Gomes, Hubert Pirker, Libor Rouček, Herbert Reul, Proinsias De Rossa, Charlotte Cederschiöld, Giulietto Chiesa, Maria da Assunção Esteves, Ioannis Varvitsiotis, Józef Pinior, Geoffrey Van Orden, Marianne Mikko, Jana Hybášková, Paulo Casaca, Manuel Lobo Antunes and Franco Frattini.

As the motions for a resolution tabled were not yet available, they would be announced in the House at a later time.

The debate closed.

Vote: 11.10.2007.

IN THE CHAIR: Luigi COCILOVO  
Vice-President

The following spoke: Sophia in 't Veld regretted that the Council and the Commission had not replied to her questions on the High-level contact group on data protection (E-5454/2006) and on the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act (FISA) (E-4176/2007), and requested that they reply in writing.

### **3. Membership of Parliament**

The Netherlands authorities had given notice of the appointment of Lily Jacobs to replace Margrietus van den Berg as Member of Parliament with effect from 04.09.2007.

Under Rule 3(2), until such time as her credentials had been verified or a ruling had been given on any dispute, and provided that she had previously made a written declaration stating that she did not hold any office incompatible with that of Member of the European Parliament, Lily Jacobs would take her seat in Parliament and on its bodies and would enjoy all the rights attaching thereto.

### **4. Order of business**

At the request of the political groups, Parliament decided that the Recommendation for second reading on the Council common position with a view to adopting the decision of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing for the period 2007-2013 the specific programme "Drugs prevention and information" as part of the General programme "Fundamental Rights and Justice" [08698/4/2007 - C6-0258/2007 - 2005/0037B(COD)] - Rapporteur: Inger Segelström (A6-0308/2007) (*item 50 of the preliminary draft agenda*) would be put to the vote, without debate, during voting time on Thursday at 12.00.

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The following spoke: Richard Howitt requested that the President of Parliament take steps as a matter of urgency to ensure protection of the delegation from Colombia that had visited the European Parliament on 27 and 28 June 2007 and against whom death threats had been directed

during the week. (The President noted the request.)

## **5. Voting time**

Details of voting (amendments, separate and split votes, etc.) appear in the 'Results of votes' annex to the Minutes.

### **5.1. Balancing fishing capacity and fishing opportunities (Rule 131) (vote)**

Report on Member States' efforts during 2005 to achieve a sustainable balance between fishing capacity and fishing opportunities [2007/2108(INI)] - Committee on Fisheries. Rapporteur: Paulo Casaca (A6-0297/2007)

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 1)*

MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

Adopted by single vote (*P6\_TA(2007)0368*)

### **5.2. Draft amending budget No 5/2007 (Rule 131) (vote)**

Report on Draft amending budget No 5/2007 of the European Union for the financial year 2007, Section III - Commission [11707/2007 – C6 0232/2007 – 2007/2162(BUD)] - Committee on Budgets. Rapporteur: James Elles (A6-0300/2007)

*(Qualified majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 2)*

MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

Adopted by single vote (*P6\_TA(2007)0369*)

### **5.3. Inland transport of dangerous goods \*\*\*I (vote)**

Report on the proposal for a directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the inland transport of dangerous goods [COM(2006)0852 - C6-0012/2007 - 2006/0278(COD)] - Committee on Transport and Tourism. Rapporteur: Bogusław Liberadzki (A6-0253/2007)

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 3)*

COMMISSION PROPOSAL

Approved as amended (*P6\_TA(2007)0370*)

DRAFT LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION

Adopted (*P6\_TA(2007)0370*)

## 6. Welcome

On behalf of the European Parliament, the President welcomed members of a delegation from the Parliament of the Republic of South Africa, who had taken their seats in the distinguished visitors' gallery.

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Gary Titley spoke on the procedure concerning the forthcoming vote on three Jeggle reports.

## 7. Voting time (continuation)

### 7.1. Dehydrated preserved milk for human consumption \* (vote)

Report on the proposal for a Council directive amending Directive 2001/114/EC relating to certain partly or wholly dehydrated preserved milk for human consumption [COM(2007)0058 - C6-0083/2007 - 2007/0025(CNS)] - Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development. Rapporteur: Elisabeth Jeggle (A6-0282/2007)

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 4)*

COMMISSION PROPOSAL

Approved (P6\_TA(2007)0371)

DRAFT LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION

Adopted (P6\_TA(2007)0371)

### 7.2. Common organisation of the milk and milk products market \* (vote)

Report on the proposal for a Council directive amending Regulation (EC) No 1255/1999 on the common organisation of the market in milk and milk products [COM(2007)0058 - C6-0084/2007 - 2007/0026(CNS)] - Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development. Rapporteur: Elisabeth Jeggle (A6-0283/2007)

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 5)*

COMMISSION PROPOSAL

Approved as amended (P6\_TA(2007)0372)

DRAFT LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION

Adopted (P6\_TA(2007)0372)



### **7.3. Additional rules on the common organisation of the milk and milk products markets \* (vote)**

Report on the proposal for a Council directive amending Regulation (EC) No 2597/97 laying down additional rules on the common organisation of the market in milk and milk products for drinking milk [COM(2007)0058 - C6-0085/2007 - 2007/0027(CNS)] - Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development. Rapporteur: Elisabeth Jeggle (A6-0284/2007)

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 6)*

COMMISSION PROPOSAL

Approved as amended (*P6\_TA(2007)0373*)

DRAFT LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION

Adopted (*P6\_TA(2007)0373*)

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Geoffrey Van Orden addressed the South African delegation present in the gallery with a message condemning the Mugabe in Zimbabwe. (The President noted his remarks.)

### **7.4. Restrictions imposed by the EU on liquids that passengers can take on board aeroplanes (vote)**

The debate had been held on 12.02.2007 (*Minutes of 12.02.2007, Item 16*).

The following motion for a resolution had been tabled to wind up the debate:

- Paolo Costa, on behalf of the TRAN Committee, on Commission Regulation (EC) No 1546/2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 622/2003 laying down measures for the implementation of the common basic standards on aviation security (introduction of liquids onto aircraft) (B6-0267/2007)

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 7)*

MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

Adopted (*P6\_TA(2007)0374*)

### **7.5. Freight transport logistics in Europe and sustainable mobility (vote)**

Report on freight transport logistics in Europe – the key to sustainable mobility [2006/2228(INI)] - Committee on Transport and Tourism. Rapporteur: Inés Ayala Sender (A6-0286/2007)

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 8)*

## MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

Adopted (P6\_TA(2007)0375)

### **7.6. EURES activity report 2004-2005: Towards a single European labour market (vote)**

Motion for a resolution B6-0322/2007

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 9)*

## MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

Adopted (P6\_TA(2007)0376)

### **7.7. Reducing alcohol-related harm (vote)**

Report on a European Union strategy to support Member States in reducing alcohol-related harm [2007/2005(INI)] - Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety. Rapporteur: Alessandro Foglietta (A6-0303/2007)

*(Simple majority)*

*(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 10)*

## MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

Adopted (P6\_TA(2007)0377)

## **8. Explanations of vote**

*Written explanations of vote:*

Explanations of vote submitted in writing under Rule 163(3) appear in the *Verbatim Report of Proceedings* for the sitting.

*Oral explanations of vote:*

Reports: Elisabeth Jeggle (A6-0282/2007, A6-0283/2007, A6-0284/2007):

- Andreas Mölzer, Hynek Fajmon

Introduction of liquids onto aircraft - B6-0267/2007:

- Hubert Pirker, John Attard-Montalto, Zita Pleštinová

Report: Alessandro Foglietta - A6-0303/2007:

- Zuzana Roithová, Erna Hennicot-Schoepges.

## **9. Corrections to votes and voting intentions**

Corrections to votes and voting intentions appear on the 'Séance en direct' website under 'Votes'/'Results of votes'/'Roll-call votes'. They are published in hard copy in the 'Result of roll-call votes' annex.

The electronic version on Europarl will be regularly updated for a maximum of two weeks after the

day of the vote concerned.

After the two-week deadline has passed, the list of corrections to votes and voting intentions will be finalised so that it can be translated and published in the Official Journal.

*(The sitting was suspended at 12.55 and resumed at 15.00.)*

IN THE CHAIR: Marek SIWIEC  
Vice-President

## **10. Approval of Minutes of previous sitting**

Jean Lambert had informed the Presidency that she had been present at the sitting of 03.09.2007 but that her name was not on the attendance register.

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The Minutes of the previous sitting were approved.

## **11. Financial instability and the impact on the real economy (debate)**

Council and Commission statements: Financial instability and the impact on the real economy

Manuel Lobo Antunes (President-in-Office of the Council), Joaquín Almunia (Member of the Commission) and Charlie McCreevy (Member of the Commission) made the statements.

The following spoke: John Purvis, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Robert Goebbels, on behalf of the PSE Group, Margarita Starkevičiūtė, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Brian Crowley, on behalf of the UEN Group, Alain Lipietz, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Godfrey Bloom, on behalf of the IND/DEM Group, Luca Romagnoli, on behalf of the ITS Group, Cristobal Montoro Romero, Pervenche Berès, Andrea Losco, Guntars Krasts, Karsten Friedrich Hoppenstedt and Ieke van den Burg.

IN THE CHAIR: Miguel Angel MARTÍNEZ MARTÍNEZ  
Vice-President

The following spoke: Olle Schmidt, Mario Borghezio, Poul Nyrup Rasmussen, Antolín Sánchez Presedo, Peter Skinner, Udo Bullmann, Harald Ettl, Benoît Hamon, Elisa Ferreira, Manuel Lobo Antunes, Joaquín Almunia and Charlie McCreevy.

The debate closed.

## **12. Convention to Combat Desertification (debate)**

Oral question (O-0049/2007) by Miroslav Ouzký, on behalf of the ENVI Committee, to the Council: Objectives for the Conference of the Parties to the Convention to Combat Desertification to be held in Madrid, 3-14 September 2007 (B6-0140/2007)

Oral question (O-0050/2007) by Miroslav Ouzký, on behalf of the ENVI Committee, to the Commission: Objectives for the Conference of the Parties to the Convention to Combat Desertification to be held in Madrid, 3-14 September 2007 (B6-0312/2007)

Miroslav Ouzký moved the oral questions.

Manuel Lobo Antunes (President-in-Office of the Council) and Joaquín Almunia (Member of the Commission) answered the questions.

The following spoke: Cristina Gutiérrez-Cortines, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, María Sornosa Martínez, on behalf of the PSE Group, Satu Hassi, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Roberto Musacchio, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, Johannes Blokland, on behalf of the IND/DEM Group, Roberta Alma Anastase, Edite Estrela, Kyriacos Triantaphyllides and Manuel Lobo Antunes.

Motions for a resolution to wind up the debate tabled pursuant to Rule 108(5):

Cristina Gutiérrez-Cortines, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, María Sornosa Martínez, on behalf of the PSE Group, Vittorio Prodi, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Liam Aylward, Adriana Poli Bortone, Alessandro Foglietta and Cristiana Muscardini, on behalf of the UEN Group, Marie Anne Isler Béguin and David Hammerstein, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Roberto Musacchio, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, Johannes Blokland, on behalf of the IND/DEM Group, on the EU objectives for the 8th meeting of the Conference of Parties (COP8) to the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD), to be held in Madrid from 3 to 14 September 2007 (B6-0329/2007)

The debate closed.

Vote: *Minutes of 06.09.2007, Item 5.3.*

*(The sitting was suspended at 17.15 pending Question Time and resumed at 17.30.)*

IN THE CHAIR: Manuel António dos SANTOS  
Vice-President

### **13. Question Time (Council)**

Parliament considered a number of questions to the Council (B6-0138/2007).

Question 1 (Manuel Medina Ortega): Global approach to immigration.

Manuel Lobo Antunes (President-in-Office of the Council) answered the question and supplementaries by Manuel Medina Ortega, Hubert Pirker and Paul Rübiger.

Question 2 (Marie Panayotopoulos-Cassiotou): Updating of labour legislation in respect of gender equality.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and supplementaries by Marie Panayotopoulos-Cassiotou and Danutė Budreikaitė.

Question 3 (Chris Davies): Palestine.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and supplementaries by Chris Davies and David Martin.

Question 4 lapsed as its author was absent.

Question 5 (David Martin): Aid for trade.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by David Martin.

Question 6 (Esko Seppänen): Northern dimension policy.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Esko Seppänen.

Question 7 (Bernd Posselt): Frontex.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Bernd Posselt.

Question 8 (Sarah Ludford): Improvement of police cooperation.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Sarah Ludford.

Question 9 (Dimitrios Papadimoulis): Ecumenical nature of the Patriarchate of Constantinople.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and supplementaries by Dimitrios Papadimoulis and Bernd Posselt.

Question 10 lapsed as its author was absent.

Question 11 (Mairead McGuinness): Outcome of the EU-Brazil summit.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and supplementaries by Mairead McGuinness and Jim Allister.

Question 12 (Marianne Mikko): EU assistance to Estonia regarding agreements on fisheries with Russia on Lake Peipsi.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Marianne Mikko.

Question 13 (Brian Crowley): EU-Bosnia relations.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Brian Crowley.

Questions 14 to 16 were withdrawn by their authors.

Question 17 lapsed as its author was absent.

Question 18 (Lidia Joanna Geringer de Oedenberg): The European Court of Auditors.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Lidia Joanna Geringer de Oedenberg.

Questions 19 and 20 lapsed as their authors were absent.

Question 21 (Marian Harkin): Demarcation between Schengen and non-Schengen Member States.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Marian Harkin.

Question 22 (Proinsias De Rossa): Establishment of EU-Israel Subcommittee on Human Rights.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Proinsias De Rossa.

Question 23 (Johan Van Hecke): Situation in Zimbabwe.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Johan Van Hecke.

Question 24 (Danutė Budreikaitė): North European Gas Pipeline.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Danutė Budreikaitė.

Question 25 (Luisa Morgantini): Mordechai Vanunu sentenced to six months in prison.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question.

Question 26 (Richard Howitt): Progress on the Temporary Agency Workers Directive.

Manuel Lobo Antunes answered the question and a supplementary by Richard Howitt.

Questions which had not been answered for lack of time would receive written answers (*see annex to the Verbatim Report of Proceedings*).

Council Question Time closed.

*(The sitting was suspended at 19.00 and resumed at 21.00.)*

IN THE CHAIR: Mechtild ROTHE  
Vice-President

## **14. Human rights dialogues and consultations on human rights with third countries (debate)**

Report on the functioning of the on the functioning of the human rights dialogues and consultations on human rights with third countries [2007/2001(INI)] - Committee on Foreign Affairs. Rapporteur: Elena Valenciano Martínez-Orozco (A6-0302/2007)

Elena Valenciano Martínez-Orozco introduced the report.

The following spoke: Joe Borg (Member of the Commission).

The following spoke: Feleknas Uca (draftsman of the opinion of the FEMM Committee), Roberta Alma Anastase, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Véronique De Keyser, on behalf of the PSE Group, Anders Samuelsen, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Hélène Flautre, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Luisa Morgantini, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, Bastiaan Belder, on behalf of the IND/DEM Group, Irena Belohorská, Non-attached Member, Charles Tannock, Józef Pinior, Lydie Polfer, Marek Aleksander Czarnecki, Raúl Romeva i Rueda, Erik Meijer, Kathy Sinnott, Laima Liucija Andrikienė, Evgeni Kirilov, Sarah Ludford, Mikel Irujo Amezaga, Bernd Posselt, Katrin Saks, Hannu Takkula, Francisco José Millán Mon, Ana Maria Gomes, Anna Ibrisagic, Pierre Schapira, Luís Queiró, Csaba Sándor Tabajdi, Tunne Kelam, Justas Vincas Paleckis, Geoffrey Van Orden, Gabriela Crețu, Bogusław Sonik and Joe Borg,

The debate closed.

*Vote: Minutes of 06.09.2007, Item 5.4.*

## **15. Sustainability in EU fisheries through maximum sustainable yield (debate)**

Report on the implementation of sustainable fishing in the EU on the basis of maximum sustainable yield [2006/2224(INI)] - Committee on Fisheries. Rapporteur: Carmen Fraga Estévez (A6-0298/2007)

Carmen Fraga Estévez introduced the report.

The following spoke: Joe Borg (Member of the Commission).

The following spoke: Avril Doyle, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Paulo Casaca, on behalf of the PSE Group, Chris Davies, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Carl Schlyter, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Pedro Guerreiro, on behalf of the GUE/NGL Group, Thomas Wise, on behalf of the IND/DEM Group, Jean-Claude Martinez, on behalf of the ITS Group, Jim Allister, Non-attached Member, Rosa Miguélez Ramos, Ian Hudgton, Urszula Krupa, Catherine Stihler, Marianne Mikko and Joe Borg.

The debate closed.

Vote: *Minutes of 06.09.2007, Item 5.5.*

## **16. Agenda for next sitting**

The agenda for the next day's sitting had been established ('Agenda' PE 393.244/OJJE).

## **17. Closure of sitting**

The sitting closed at 23.25.

Harald Rømer  
Secretary-General

Gérard Onesta  
Vice-President





## ATTENDANCE REGISTER

5.9.2007

The following signed:

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