



TEXTS ADOPTED

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Failure in committee to secure a majority on a proposal for a legally binding act (interpretation of Rule 171(1), first subparagraph, point (b), of the Rules of Procedure)

European Parliament decision of 13 March 2019 concerning the failure in committee to secure a majority on a proposal for a legally binding act (interpretation of Rule 171(1), first subparagraph, point (b), of the Rules of Procedure) (2019/2011(REG))

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the letter of 7 March 2019 from the Chair of the Committee on Constitutional Affairs,
- having regard to Rule 226 of its Rules of Procedure,
- 1. Decides to append the following interpretation to Rule 171(1), first subparagraph, point (b), of the Rules of Procedure:

"If the proposal for a legally binding act, as amended or otherwise, does not secure a majority of the votes cast in committee, then the committee shall propose to Parliament that the act be rejected."
- 2. Instructs its President to forward this decision to the Council and the Commission, for information.