Request for the waiver of the immunity of Czesaw Adam Siekierski

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The European Parliament decided to waive the immunity of Czesaw Adam SIEKIERSKI (EPP, PL).

Parliament recalled that the Prosecutor-General of Poland forwarded to the President of Parliament a request made by the Polish General Inspectorate of Road Traffic to grant authorisation to take legal action against a Member of the European Parliament, Czesaw Adam Siekierski, in connection with a speeding offence.

From the circumstances of the case it appears that the alleged offence and the ensuing prosecution clearly have nothing to do with the position of Mr Siekierski as a Member of the European Parliament and there is no evidence of *fumus persecutionis (*a sufficiently serious and precise suspicion that the matter is being brought before a court with the intention of causing political damage to the Member concerned).

Therefore, Parliament decided to waive the parliamentary immunity of Czesaw Adam Siekierski.