Basic information

1997/0901(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure	Procedure completed
Convention on the service and notification of judicial and extra judicial acts, civil and commercial **Subject** 7.40.02 Judicial cooperation in civil and commercial matters	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
LIBE Civil Liberties and Internal Affairs	NASSAUER Hartmut (PPE)	25/02/1997

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
JURI Legal Affairs, Citizens' Rights	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
General Affairs	2019	1997-06-26
Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)	2008	1997-05-26
Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)	1933	1996-06-04
Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)	1909	1996-03-20

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
20/03/1996	Debate in Council		
04/06/1996	Debate in Council		
06/02/1997	Legislative proposal published	05313/1997	Summary
19/02/1997	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
20/03/1997	Vote in committee		Summary
20/03/1997	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0101/1997	
26/05/1997	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
26/05/1997	End of procedure in Parliament		
27/08/1997	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1997/0901(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legal basis	Treaty on European Union (after Amsterdam) M K.3-p2 Treaty on European Union (after Amsterdam) M K.6-p2
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	LIBE/4/08638

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A4-0101/1997 OJ C 132 28.04.1997, p. 0006	20/03/1997	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0186/1997 OJ C 132 28.04.1997, p. 0303-0306	11/04/1997	Summary

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Additional information

Source	Document	Date
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Final act

Justice and Home Affairs act 1997/0827(01)
OJ C 261 27.08.1997, p. 0001-0001

Convention on the service and notification of judicial and extra judicial acts, civil and commercial

1997/0901(CNS) - 06/02/1997 - Legislative proposal

OBJECTIVE: the draft Council act seeks the adoption by the Member States according to their respective constitutional rules of: - the Convention on the service in the Member States of the European Union of judicial and extrajudicial documents in civil or commercial matters; - the protocol on the

interpretation by the Court of Justice of the Communities of that Convention. SUBSTANCE: the convention, drawn up on the basis of Article K.3 of the Treaty on European Union, will make it possible to improve and speed up the movement between the Member States of judicial and extrajudicial documents in civil and commercial matters for the purpose of service. To this end the forwarding of these documents will be carried out directly and by rapid means between the bodies designated by the Member States. The protocol sets out the conditions under which the Court of Justice is competent to give preliminary rulings on the interpretation of the Convention. The adoption of these two instruments and the signature by the Member States on this same occasion should take place at the Justice and Home Affairs Council meeting on 27 and 28 May 1997.

Convention on the service and notification of judicial and extra judicial acts, civil and commercial

1997/0901(CNS) - 11/04/1997 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

Parliament adopted without debate the report by Mr Hartmut NASSAUER (PPE, Germany) on the draft Council Acts.