Basic information	
1997/2075(DEC) DEC - Discharge procedure	Procedure completed
1996 discharge: EC general budget **Subject** 8.70.03.07 Previous discharges	

Key events			
Date	**Event**	**Reference**	**Summary**
26/11/1996	Debate in Council		
24/04/1997	Debate in Council		
29/04/1997	Non-legislative basic document published	SEC(1997)0399	Summary
12/05/1997	Debate in Council		
16/05/1997	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
21/05/1997	Debate in Council		
17/03/1998	Vote in committee		Summary
17/03/1998	Committee report tabled for plenary	A4-0097/1998	
31/03/1998	Debate in Parliament		Summary
19/05/1998	Resolution/conclusions adopted by Council		
10/12/1998	Decision by Parliament	A4-0502/1998	
10/12/1998	Vote in committee		Summary
10/12/1998	Committee report tabled for plenary	A4-0502/1998	
15/12/1998	Debate in Parliament		Summary
17/12/1998	Report referred back to committee		
20/04/1999	Vote in committee		Summary
20/04/1999	Committee report tabled for plenary	A4-0196/1999	
03/05/1999	Debate in Parliament		
04/05/1999	End of procedure in Parliament		
03/07/1999	Final act published in Official Journal		