Basic information

2003/0268(NLE) NLE - Non-legislative enactments Decision	Procedure lapsed or withdrawn
EC/Andean Community agreement: political dialogue and cooperation agreement **Subject** 6.40.10 Relations with Latin America, Central America, Caribbean islands **Geographical area** Bolivia Colombia Ecuador Peru Venezuela	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
AFET Foreign Affairs, Human Rights, Common Security, Defense		

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
ITRE Industry, External Trade, Research, Energy		
DEVE Development and Cooperation		

Council of the European Union

European Commission

Commission DG	Commissioner
External Relations	ASHTON Catherine

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
14/11/2003	Legislative proposal published	COM(2003)0695	Summary
12/01/2004	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
19/02/2004	Vote in committee		Summary

19/02/2004	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0119/2004	
31/03/2004	Decision by Parliament	T5-0228/2004	Summary
31/03/2004	Results of vote in Parliament		
02/12/2009	Additional information		Summary
03/07/2018	Proposal withdrawn by Commission		

Technical information

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Procedure type	NLE - Non-legislative enactments
Procedure subtype	Consent by Parliament
Legislative instrument	Decision
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Stage reached in procedure	Procedure lapsed or withdrawn
Committee dossier	AFET/5/20374

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

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European Commission

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Additional information

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EC/Andean Community agreement: political dialogue and cooperation agreement

2003/0268(NLE) - 14/11/2003 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE : two proposals for the signature and conclusion respectively of a Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement between the EC and its Member States and the Andean Community and its member countries, the Republics of Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela. PROPOSED ACT : Council Decision. CONTENT : the EU and the Andean Community enjoy a comprehensive relationship that encompasses political dialogue based on the Rome Declaration of1996, a broad cooperation framework and a favourable trade regime (GSP drugs). Cooperation with the Andean Community is currently carried out in the context of the 1993 Framework Cooperation Agreement. Historically, this cooperation has focused on human rights and democracy, integrated rural development, social development and regional integration. At the European Union-Latin America and the Caribbean Summit held in Madrid on 16/17 May 2002, the Heads of State and Government of the EU and the Andean Community and its member countries decided to negotiate a Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement between the two regions. The text of the Agreement was initialled by the negotiators of both sides on 14/15 October 2003. The new EU-Andean Community Agreement focuses solely on political dialogue and cooperation and does not contain a trade component. The main objectives of the Agreement are to: - strengthen EU-Andean Community relations by developing political dialogue and reinforcing cooperation, and - create the conditions under which, building on the outcome of the Doha Work Programme, a feasible and mutually beneficial Association Agreement, including a free trade agreement, could be negotiated between the parties. The new Agreement institutionalises and strengthens the political Dialogue based until now on an informal arrangement known as the Rome Declaration (1996) and broadens cooperation to include new areas such as human rights, conflict prevention, migration as well as the fight against drugs and terrorism. Special emphasis is placed on cooperation in support of the process of regional integration in the Andean Community. The Agreement builds upon and will replace the existing 1993 Framework Cooperation Agreement between the two regions as well as the Rome Declaration when it comes into effect after ratification by both parties. The Commission has judged the results of the negotiations to be satisfactory and requests the Council: - to authorise the signature, on behalf of the EC of the Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement; and - to conclude the Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement. The European Parliament will be called upon to give its opinion on this agreement. The Member States are also Parties to the Agreement, which therefore needs to be approved by them according to their internal procedures.

EC/Andean Community agreement: political dialogue and cooperation agreement

2003/0268(NLE) - 31/03/2004 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted the report by José Ignacio SALAFRANCA SANCHEZ-NEYRA (EPP-ED, E) approving the signature of the Political Dialogue and Cooperation Agreement.