




Basic information	
2004/0230(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	Procedure completed
EC/Switzerland agreement: participation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community programmes Subject 3.30.01.02 Programmes and actions in audiovisual sector 6.40.11 Relations with industrialised countries Geographical area Switzerland	

Key players				
European Parliament	Committee responsible		Rapporteur	Appointed
	<div style="border: 1px solid red; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">CULT</div> Culture and Education		SIFUNAKIS Nikolaos (PSE)	25/11/2004
	Committee for opinion		Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	<div style="border: 1px solid red; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">AFET</div> Foreign Affairs		The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
Council of the European Union	Council configuration		Meetings	Date
	General Affairs		2711	2006-02-27
European Commission	Commission DG		Commissioner	
	Education, Youth, Sport and Culture			

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
06/10/2004	Legislative proposal published	COM(2004)0649 	Summary
16/11/2004	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
01/02/2005	Vote in committee		Summary
03/02/2005	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A6-0018/2005	

22/02/2005	Decision by Parliament	T6-0023/2005	Summary
22/02/2005	Results of vote in Parliament		
27/02/2006	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
27/02/2006	End of procedure in Parliament		
28/03/2006	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2004/0230(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legislative instrument	Decision
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 150-p4 EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 300-p3-a1 EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 300-p2 EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 157-p3
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	CULT/6/24414

Documentation gateway				
European Parliament				
Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A6-0018/2005	03/02/2005	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T6-0023/2005 OJ C 304 01.12.2005, p. 0017-0090 E	22/02/2005	Summary
European Commission				
Document type	Reference	Date	Summary	
Legislative proposal	COM(2004)0649 	06/10/2004	Summary	

Additional information		
Source	Document	Date
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Final act

EC/Switzerland agreement: participation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community programmes

2004/0230(CNS) - 06/10/2004 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE : The Conclusion of an Agreement between the Community and the Swiss Confederation in the Audiovisual field.

PROPOSED ACT : Council Decision

CONTENT : The European Commission has finalized an Agreement between the Community and the Swiss Confederation in the Audiovisual field, which established the terms and conditions for the participation of the Swiss Confederation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community programmes. It also contains a Final Act. To cover the costs resulting from its participation in the MEDIA programme, Switzerland shall each year pay a contribution to the general budget of the European Communities in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the proposed Decision.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: The financial contribution to be made by Switzerland to the budget of the European Union in order to participate in the "MEDIA Plus" and "MEDIA-Training" programmes, will be allocated proportionally to the respective programme budgets and is EUR 4.2 million for 2005 and EUR 4.2 million for 2006.

EC/Switzerland agreement: participation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community programmes

2004/0230(CNS) - 22/02/2005 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted the report by Nikolaos SIFOUNAKIS (PES, EL) on the conclusion of an Agreement between the Community and the Swiss Confederation in the Audiovisual field, establishing the terms and conditions for the participation of the Swiss Confederation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community programmes, and a final Act.

EC/Switzerland agreement: participation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community programmes

2004/0230(CNS) - 27/02/2006 - Final act

PURPOSE: to conclude and Agreement between the Community and the Swiss in the audiovisual field and establishing terms for Swiss participation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community programmes.

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Council Decision 2006/234/EC concerning the conclusion of an Agreement between the Community and the Swiss Confederation in the audiovisual field, establishing the terms and conditions for the participation of the Swiss Confederation in the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA Training Community programmes.

CONTENT: in concluding this Agreement, the Community establishes the terms and conditions under which the Swiss Confederation may participate on the MEDIA Plus and MEDIA training programmes.

Financially speaking, the Swiss will be obliged to contribute, annually to the total cost of its participation. The amounts are set out in an Annex to the Agreement and are as follows: EUR 4.2 million in 2005; and EUR 4.2 million in 2006.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 1 April 2006.