Basic information

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Special Report from the European Ombudsman following the draft recommendation to the Council of the Union concerning the publicity of the Council's meetings in its legislative capacity, complaint 2395/2003 /GG **Subject** 1.20.05 Public access to information and documents, administrative practice 8.40.02 Council of the Union	

Key players

European Parliament	**Committee responsible**	**Rapporteur**	**Appointed**
	PETI Petitions	HAMMERSTEIN David (Verts/ALE)	11/10/2005
European Commission	**Commission DG**	**Commissioner**	
	Legal Service		

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
15/12/2005	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
23/02/2006	Vote in committee		Summary
03/03/2006	Committee report tabled for plenary	A6-0056/2006	
03/04/2006	Debate in Parliament		
04/04/2006	Decision by Parliament	T6-0121/2006	Summary
04/04/2006	Results of vote in Parliament		
04/04/2006	End of procedure in Parliament		

Technical information

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Procedure type	INI - Own-initiative procedure
Procedure subtype	Initiative

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Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PETI/6/32441

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Committee draft report		PE367.904	18/01/2006	
Amendments tabled in committee		PE369.885	08/02/2006	
Committee report tabled for plenary, single reading		A6-0056/2006	03/03/2006	
Text adopted by Parliament, single reading		T6-0121/2006	04/04/2006	Summary

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2005/2243(INI) - 04/04/2006 - Text adopted by Parliament, single reading

The European Parliament adopted the own-initiative report drawn up by David **HAMMERSTEIN MINTZ** (Greens/EFA, ES) in response to the Special Report from the European Ombudsman on the openness of meetings of the Council when it is acting in its legislative capacity. (Please refer to the summary dated 23/02/2006). The report was adopted by 595 votes for, 9 against and 12 abstentions.