Basic information

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Online gambling in relation to recent ECJ rulings **Subject** 2.40 Free movement of services, freedom to provide 3.30.25 International information networks and society, internet 4.60.06 Consumers' economic and legal interests 8.50 EU law	

Key players

Council of the European Union	**Council configuration**	**Meetings**	**Date**
	Competitiveness (Internal Market, Industry, Research and Space)	2982	2009-12-03
European Commission	**Commission DG**	**Commissioner**	
	Communications Networks, Content and Technology	VASSILIOU Androulla	

Key events

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03/12/2009	Debate in Council		Summary
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11/02/2010	End of procedure in Parliament		

Technical information

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2009/2784(RSP) - 03/12/2009

The Council took note of a Presidency report (doc. *16571/09*) concerning the legal framework for ambling and betting in the EU Member States. The Swedish Presidency conducted a number of experts meetings on exchange of best practice with a particular focus on socio-economic costs of gambling, gambling responsibility measures and bans on the promotion and abetting of crimes.

The Swedish Presidency encourages all relevant parties, including the preparatory bodies of the Council, to continue work and the exchanges of experience on the "Legal framework for Betting and Gambling". In doing so, a deeper understanding of common features and differences at Member State level could be developed and a higher effectiveness of policy tools and approaches be aimed at.