

Basic information	
<b>2010/0813(NLE)</b> NLE - Non-legislative enactments Decision	Procedure completed
European Central Bank (ECB): appointment of Vice-President  <b>Subject</b> 5.20.03 European Central Bank (ECB), ESCB	

Key players			
European Parliament	<b>Committee responsible</b>	<b>Rapporteur</b>	<b>Appointed</b>
	<b>ECON</b> Economic and Monetary Affairs	BOWLES Sharon (ALDE)	10/02/2010
Council of the European Union			
European Commission	<b>Commission DG</b>	<b>Commissioner</b>	
	Economic and Financial Affairs	REHN Olli	

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
24/02/2010	Legislative proposal published	N7-0011/2010	
11/03/2010	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
23/03/2010	Vote in committee		Summary
23/03/2010	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A7-0059/2010	
25/03/2010	Decision by Parliament	T7-0073/2010	Summary
25/03/2010	Results of vote in Parliament		
26/03/2010	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
26/03/2010	End of procedure in Parliament		
21/04/2010	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
<b>Procedure reference</b>	2010/0813(NLE)
<b>Procedure type</b>	NLE - Non-legislative enactments
<b>Procedure subtype</b>	Appointment

<b>Legislative instrument</b>	Decision
<b>Legal basis</b>	Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union TFEU 283-p2
<b>Other legal basis</b>	Rules of Procedure EP 165
<b>Stage reached in procedure</b>	Procedure completed
<b>Committee dossier</b>	ECON/7/02361

<a href="#">Documentation gateway</a>				
<b>European Parliament</b>				
Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee draft report		<a href="#">PE439.360</a>	04/03/2010	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		<a href="#">A7-0059/2010</a>	23/03/2010	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		<a href="#">T7-0073/2010</a>	25/03/2010	<a href="#">Summary</a>
<b>Council of the EU</b>				
Document type	Reference	Date	Summary	
Legislative proposal	<a href="#">N7-0011/2010</a>	24/02/2010		
<b>Other institutions and bodies</b>				
Institution/body	Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
ECB	European Central Bank: opinion, guideline, report	<a href="#">CON/2010/0019</a> <a href="#">OJ C 058 10.03.2010, p. 0003</a>	04/03/2010	<a href="#">Summary</a>

<a href="#">Additional information</a>		
Source	Document	Date
European Commission	<a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>	

<a href="#">Final act</a>
<a href="#">Decision 2010/0223</a> <a href="#">OJ L 099 21.04.2010, p. 0007</a> <span style="float: right;"><a href="#">Summary</a></span>

## European Central Bank (ECB): appointment of Vice-President

2010/0813(NLE) - 25/03/2010 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted by 488 votes to 73, with 60 abstentions, a decision on the Council recommendation on the appointment of the Vice-President of the European Central Bank. It delivers a favourable opinion to the European Council on the Council recommendation to appoint Vítor Constâncio as Vice-President of the European Central Bank.

To recall, by letter of 24 February 2010 the Council consulted the European Parliament on the appointment of Vítor Constâncio as Vice-President of the European Central Bank for a term of office of eight years. The Parliament's Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs evaluated the credentials of the nominee and subsequently held a two-hour hearing with the nominee on 23 March 2010.

## **European Central Bank (ECB): appointment of Vice-President**

2010/0813(NLE) - 04/03/2010 - European Central Bank: opinion, guideline, report

### **Opinion of the Governing Council of the European Central Bank (ECB) on a Council recommendation on the appointment of the Vice-President of the European Central Bank.**

The Council's recommendation of 24 February 2010, which was submitted to the European Council and on which the European Parliament and the ECB's Governing Council are being consulted, recommends that Vítor CONSTÂNCIO be appointed as the Vice-President of the ECB for a term of office of eight years with effect from 1 June 2010.

The ECB's Governing Council is of the opinion that the proposed candidate is a person of recognised standing and professional experience in monetary or banking matters as required by Article 283(2) of the Treaty. The ECB's Governing Council has no objection to the Council's recommendation to appoint Vítor CONSTÂNCIO as the Vice-President of the ECB.

## **European Central Bank (ECB): appointment of Vice-President**

2010/0813(NLE) - 26/03/2010 - Final act

**PURPOSE:** to appoint the Vice-President of the European Central Bank.

**LEGISLATIVE ACT:** Decision of the European Council 2010/223/EU appointing the Vice-President of the European Central Bank.

**PURPOSE:** under this Decision, Mr Vítor CONSTÂNCIO is hereby appointed Vice-President of the European Central Bank for a term of office of 8 years.

This appointment takes effect from 1 June 2010.