

Basic information	
<p><b>2013/0019(NLE)</b></p> <p>NLE - Non-legislative enactments Decision</p>	Procedure completed
<p>Hague Convention (2007) on the international recovery of child support and other forms of family maintenance: amending Annexes 1, II and III</p> <p>See also <a href="#">2009/0100(NLE)</a></p> <p><b>Subject</b></p> <p>4.10.02 Family policy, family law, parental leave 4.10.03 Child protection, children's rights 7.40.02 Judicial cooperation in civil and commercial matters</p>	

Key players				
European Parliament	<b>Committee responsible</b>		<b>Rapporteur</b>	<b>Appointed</b>
	<b>JURI</b> Legal Affairs		LÓPEZ-ISTÚRIZ WHITE Antonio (PPE)	27/02/2013
	<b>Committee for opinion</b>		<b>Rapporteur for opinion</b>	<b>Appointed</b>
	<b>LIBE</b> Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs		The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
	<b>FEMM</b> Women's Rights and Gender Equality		The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
Council of the European Union	<b>Council configuration</b>		<b>Meetings</b>	<b>Date</b>
	Agriculture and Fisheries		3308	2014-04-09
European Commission	<b>Commission DG</b>		<b>Commissioner</b>	
	Justice and Consumers		REDING Viviane	

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
29/01/2013	Legislative proposal published	COM(2013)0035 	Summary
12/03/2013	Committee referral announced in Parliament		

19/03/2013	Vote in committee		
21/03/2013	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	<a href="#">A7-0091/2013</a>	<a href="#">Summary</a>
17/04/2013	Decision by Parliament	<a href="#">T7-0172/2013</a>	<a href="#">Summary</a>
17/04/2013	Results of vote in Parliament		
09/04/2014	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
09/04/2014	End of procedure in Parliament		
16/04/2014	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
<b>Procedure reference</b>	2013/0019(NLE)
<b>Procedure type</b>	NLE - Non-legislative enactments
<b>Procedure subtype</b>	Consultation of Parliament
<b>Legislative instrument</b>	Decision
<b>Amendments and repeals</b>	See also <a href="#">2009/0100(NLE)</a>
<b>Legal basis</b>	Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union TFEU 218-p6 Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union TFEU 081-p3
<b>Other legal basis</b>	Rules of Procedure EP 165
<b>Stage reached in procedure</b>	Procedure completed
<b>Committee dossier</b>	JURI/7/11780

Documentation gateway				
<b>European Parliament</b>				
<b>Document type</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Reference</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Summary</b>
Committee draft report		<a href="#">PE506.218</a>	06/03/2013	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		<a href="#">A7-0091/2013</a>	21/03/2013	<a href="#">Summary</a>
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		<a href="#">T7-0172/2013</a>	17/04/2013	<a href="#">Summary</a>
<b>European Commission</b>				
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<b>National parliaments</b>				
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Additional information		
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Final act	
<a href="#">Decision 2014/0218</a> <a href="#">OJ L 113 16.04.2014, p. 0001</a>	<a href="#">Summary</a>

## Hague Convention (2007) on the international recovery of child support and other forms of family maintenance: amending Annexes 1, II and III

2013/0019(NLE) - 29/01/2013 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: to amend Annexes II and III of Council Decision of 9 June 2011 on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of The Hague Convention of 23 November 2007, on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance.

PROPOSED ACT: Council Decision (amendment of Council Decision 2011/432/EU).

ROLE OF THE PARLIAMENT: Parliament is consulted for opinion.

BACKGROUND: on 9 June 2011, the Council adopted [Decision 2011/432/EU](#) on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of the 2007 Hague Maintenance Convention. The Council Decision provides that the Union make the reservations and declarations set out in the Convention when depositing the instrument on the approval of the Convention. The text of the declaration and of the reservations respectively are set out in Annex II and III to the Council Decision.

After the adoption of the Council Decision on 9 June 2011, some Member States have felt it necessary to amend their previous statement (Latvia) or to make ex novo the declaration and reservations under Article 5 and 6 of the Council Decision (Cyprus, Luxembourg and Portugal).

Accordingly, before depositing the instrument of approval, Annexes II and III need to be amended.

IMPACT ANALYSIS: no impact assessment was undertaken. The issue was discussed in the Council during the meetings of the Working Party on Civil Law Matters (general questions), in particular on 11 June 2012. The Commission informed Member States that the proposal amending the Council Decision of 9 June 2011 would not be adopted before the end of November 2012, at the earliest.

LEGAL BASIS: the first subparagraph of Article 81(3), in conjunction with point (b) of the second subparagraph of Article 218(6) and the first sentence of the second subparagraph of Article 218(8) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU).

CONTENT: the proposal aims to replace Annexes II and III of Decision 2011/432/EU by the corresponding draft annexes set out in the text.

BUDGETARY IMPLICATIONS : there are no implications for the Union budget.

## Hague Convention (2007) on the international recovery of child support and other forms of family maintenance: amending Annexes 1, II and III

2013/0019(NLE) - 21/03/2013 - Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading

The Committee on Legal Affairs adopted the report by Antonio LÓPEZ-ISTÚRIZ WHITE (EPP, ES) on the proposal for a Council decision amending Annexes II and III of Council Decision of 9 June 2011 on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of The Hague Convention of 23 November 2007, on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance.

The committee approves the amendment of Annexes II and III to Council Decision 2011/432/EU as proposed by the Commission.

# Hague Convention (2007) on the international recovery of child support and other forms of family maintenance: amending Annexes 1, II and III

2013/0019(NLE) - 17/04/2013 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted by 649 votes to 3, with 17 abstentions, a legislative resolution on the proposal for a Council decision amending Annexes II and III of Council Decision of 9 June 2011 on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of The Hague Convention of 23 November 2007 on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance.

Parliament approved the amendment of Annexes II and III to Council Decision 2011/432/EU as proposed by the Commission.

# Hague Convention (2007) on the international recovery of child support and other forms of family maintenance: amending Annexes 1, II and III

2013/0019(NLE) - 09/04/2014 - Final act

**PURPOSE:** to amend Annexes II and III of Council Decision of 9 June 2011 on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of The Hague Convention of 23 November 2007 on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance.

**LEGISLATIVE ACT:** Decision 2014/218/EU of the Council amending Annexes I, II and III to Decision 2011/432/EU on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of the Hague Convention of 23 November 2007 on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance.

**BACKGROUND:** the Council adopted [Council Decision 2011/432/EU](#) on the approval, on behalf of the European Union, of The Hague Convention of 2007 on maintenance obligations. The Council Decision provides that the Union makes the reservations and declarations referred to in the Convention when depositing the instrument of approval of the Convention.

Annex II of Decision 2011/432/EU indicates the reservation to be made by the Union at the time of the approval of the Convention in line with Article 62 of the Convention.

Annexe III of the same Decision indicates the declarations to be made by the Union at the time of the approval of the Convention in line with Article 63 of the Convention.

After the adoption of the Decision in question, some Member states considered that it was necessary to amend their previous declaration (Latvia) or to reformulate their reserve and their declarations under the Council decision (Cyprus, Luxembourg and Portugal). Annexes II and III should therefore be amended before the deposit of the instruments of approval.

**CONTENT:** with the present Decision, Annexes II and III of Decision 2011/432/UE are replaced by the new corresponding Annexes annexed to the Decision.

**Territorial provisions:** the United Kingdom and Ireland participate in the adoption and application of this Decision.

Denmark is not participating in this Decision and is not bound by it nor subject to its application.

**ENTRY INTO FORCE:** the Decision enters into force on the 09.04.2014.