Basic information

2014/0224(NLE) NLE - Non-legislative enactments Decision	Procedure completed
EU/Philippines Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol See also 2013/0441(NLE) **Subject** 6.20.03 Bilateral economic and trade agreements and relations 6.40.08 Relations with Asian countries **Geographical area** Philippines	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
AFET Foreign Affairs	BROK Elmar (PPE)	22/06/2015
	Shadow rapporteur BETTINI Goffredo Maria (S&D) TANNOCK Timothy Charles Ayrton (ECR) KYUCHYUK Ilhan (ALDE) HADJIGEORGIOU Takis (GUE/NGL) BÜTIKOFER Reinhard (Verts/ALE)	

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
DEVE Development	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
INTA International Trade	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Competitiveness (Internal Market, Industry, Research and Space)	3580	2017-11-30

European Commission	

Commission DG	Commissioner
European External Action Service	ASHTON Catherine

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
23/07/2014	Preparatory document	COM(2014)0482	Summary
29/09/2014	Legislative proposal published	13085/2014	Summary
28/01/2015	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
19/04/2016	Vote in committee		
25/04/2016	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A8-0148/2016	Summary
07/06/2016	Debate in Parliament		
08/06/2016	Decision by Parliament	T8-0261/2016	Summary
08/06/2016	Results of vote in Parliament		
30/11/2017	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
30/11/2017	End of procedure in Parliament		
23/12/2017	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	2014/0224(NLE)
Procedure type	NLE - Non-legislative enactments
Procedure subtype	Consent by Parliament
Legislative instrument	Decision
Amendments and repeals	See also 2013/0441(NLE)
Legal basis	Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union TFEU 218-p6a Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union TFEU 207 Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union TFEU 209-p2
Other legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 165
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	AFET/8/00904

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary

Committee draft report		PE567.753	06/10/2015	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A8-0148/2016	25/04/2016	Summary
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T8-0261/2016	08/06/2016	Summary

Council of the EU

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Document attached to the procedure	13082/2014	29/09/2014	
Legislative proposal	13085/2014	29/09/2014	Summary

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Preparatory document	COM(2014)0482	23/07/2014	Summary
Document attached to the procedure	COM(2014)0483	23/07/2014	

Additional information

Source	Document	Date
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Final act

Decision 2017/2428
OJ L 344 23.12.2017, p. 0001 Summary

EU/Philippines Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol

2014/0224(NLE) - 08/06/2016 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted by 579 votes to 58, with 43 abstentions, a legislative resolution of 8 June 2016 on the draft Council decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, of the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of the Republic of Croatia to the European Union.

Parliament gave its consent to the conclusion of the Protocol.

EU/Philippines Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol

2014/0224(NLE) - 30/11/2017 - Final act

PURPOSE: to approve the conclusion of the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union.

NON-LEGISLATIVE ACT: Council Decision (EU) 2017/2428 on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, of the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of the Republic of Croatia to the European Union.

CONTENT: the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, was signed in Phnom Penh on 11 July 2012.

In accordance with Croatia's Act of Accession, the accession to the Agreement must be approved by the conclusion of a Protocol to this Agreement. The Protocol to the Framework Agreement has been signed, subject to its conclusion at a later date.

Under this Decision, **the Protocol to the Framework Agreement for Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take into account Croatia's accession** to the European Union, is hereby approved on behalf of the European Union and its Member States.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 23.12.2017.

EU/Philippines Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol

2014/0224(NLE) - 29/09/2014 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: to conclude the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union.

PROPOSED ACT: Council Decision.

ROLE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT: Council may adopt the act only if Parliament has given its consent to the act.

BACKGROUND: in accordance with a Council Decision, the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and Philippines, of the other part has been signed, subject to its conclusion at a later date.

It is now necessary to approve the Protocol on behalf of the European Union.

CONTENT: under this proposal, the Council is called upon to adopt a decision aiming to approve the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union.

The proposed Protocol incorporates Croatia as contracting party to the Agreement and commits the EU to providing the authentic version of the Agreement in the Croatian language.

For details are regards the main provisions of the Protocol, *please refer to the summary of the initial legislative proposal dated 23/07/2014*.

EU/Philippines Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol

2014/0224(NLE) - 23/07/2014 - Preparatory document

PURPOSE: to conclude, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union.

PROPOSED ACT: Council Decision.

ROLE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT: Council may adopt the act only if Parliament has given its consent to the act.

BACKGROUND: according to its Act of Accession, Croatia undertakes to accede to the international agreements signed or concluded by the European Union and its Member States by means of a protocol to those agreements.

The Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, was signed in Phnom Penh on 11 July 2012.

The Agreement is currently undergoing ratification and has not yet entered into force.

Following a Council Decision on the signing, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, of the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession Croatia to the European Union, the Protocol was signed.

It is now necessary to approve the Protocol on behalf of the Union and its Member States.

CONTENT: under this proposal, the Council is called upon to adopt a decision aiming to approve the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union on behalf of the European Union and its Member States.

The proposed Protocol incorporates **Croatia as contracting party to the Agreement** and commits the EU to providing the authentic version of the Agreement in the Croatian language.

EU/Philippines Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol

2014/0224(NLE) - 23/07/2014

PURPOSE: to conclude, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union.

PROPOSED ACT: Council Decision.

ROLE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT: Council may adopt the act only if Parliament has given its consent to the act.

BACKGROUND: according to its Act of Accession, Croatia undertakes to accede to the international agreements signed or concluded by the European Union and its Member States by means of a protocol to those agreements.

The Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, was signed in Phnom Penh on 11 July 2012.

The Agreement is currently undergoing ratification and has not yet entered into force.

Following a Council Decision on the signing, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, of the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession Croatia to the European Union, the Protocol was signed.

It is now necessary to approve the Protocol on behalf of the Union and its Member States.

CONTENT: under this proposal, the Council is called upon to adopt a decision aiming to approve the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of Croatia to the European Union on behalf of the European Union and its Member States.

The proposed Protocol incorporates **Croatia as contracting party to the Agreement** and commits the EU to providing the authentic version of the Agreement in the Croatian language.

EU/Philippines Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation: accession of Croatia to the EU. Protocol

2014/0224(NLE) - 25/04/2016 - Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading

The Committee on Foreign Affairs adopted the report by Elmar BROK (EPP, DE) on the draft Council decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union and its Member States, of the Protocol to the Framework Agreement on Partnership and Cooperation between the European Union and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of the Philippines, of the other part, to take account of the accession of the Republic of Croatia to the European Union.

The committee recommended that the European Parliament should **give its consent** to the conclusion of the Protocol.

The proposed Protocol incorporates Croatia as contracting party to the Agreement and commits the EU to providing the authentic version of the Agreement in the Croatian language.