

Basic information	
<b>2025/0900(APP)</b> APP - Consent procedure	Preparatory phase in Parliament
Amendment of the European Electoral Act allowing Members to vote in plenary by proxy voting during pregnancy and after giving birth  See also <a href="#">2025/2195(INL)</a>  <b>Subject</b>  8.40.01.01 Elections, direct universal suffrage	

Key players			
European Parliament	<b>Committee responsible</b>	<b>Rapporteur</b>	<b>Appointed</b>
	Pending final decision on the referral		
Council of the European Union			
European Commission	<b>Commission DG</b>	<b>Commissioner</b>	
	Justice and Consumers	MCGRATH Michael	

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
13/11/2025	Preparatory document	<a href="#">T10-0257/2025</a>	
17/03/2026	Legislative proposal published	<a href="#">06708/2026</a>	

Forecasts	
27/04/2026	Indicative plenary sitting date

Technical information	
<b>Procedure reference</b>	2025/0900(APP)
<b>Procedure type</b>	APP - Consent procedure
<b>Procedure subtype</b>	Legislation
<b>Amendments and repeals</b>	See also <a href="#">2025/2195(INL)</a>
<b>Stage reached in procedure</b>	Preparatory phase in Parliament

Documentation gateway

**European Parliament**

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Preparatory document		<a href="#">T10-0257/2025</a>	13/11/2025	
Committee draft report		<a href="#">PE786.666</a>	25/03/2026	

**Council of the EU**

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Legislative proposal	<a href="#">06708/2026</a>	17/03/2026	

**Additional information**

Source	Document	Date
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