



COUNCIL
OF THE
EUROPEAN UNION
- Press office -

Brussels, 29 November 2006

REVISED

**2767th EMPLOYMENT, SOCIAL POLICY, HEALTH
AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS
Council meeting**

Brussels, 30 November and 1 December 2006

**Justus Lipsius Building
Press Centre

PUBLIC DELIBERATIONS¹
New: VIDEO STREAMING

The deliberations concern the following A items (without discussion):

30 November (*from 10h00*)

- Directive of the European parliament and of the Council on the quality required of shellfish waters
= Adoption of the legislative act

- Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning misleading and comparative advertising
= Adoption of the legislative act

- Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the term of protection of copyright and certain related rights
= Adoption of the legislative act

¹ All Council deliberations under the co-decision procedure are open to the public.
The Council's first deliberations on important legislative acts other than those adopted by co-decision are open to the public.

- Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on rental right and lending right and on certain rights related to copyright in the field of intellectual property
- = Adoption of the legislative act

and the following B items (with discussion):

30 November (from 10h00)

- Health in All Policies
- = *Council conclusions*

1 December (from 10h00)

- Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing for the period 2007-2013 the specific programme "Fight against violence (Daphne)" as part of the general programme "Fundamental Rights and Justice"
- = *Political agreement*
- Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on improving the portability of supplementary pension rights
- = *Progress report and Policy debate*
- Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the procedure for implementing Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems
- = *Title III, Chapter IV (Invalidity benefits and old-age and survivors' pensions)*
- = *Partial general approach*
- Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems, and determining the content of Annex XI
- = Parts of the proposal relating to Title III, Chapter IV of the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the procedure for implementing Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems
- *Partial general approach*

PUBLIC DEBATES²

New: VIDEO STREAMING

The debates concern the following B items (with discussion):

30 November 2006 (from 10h00)

- Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a second Programme of Community action in the field of Health (2007-2013)
 - = *Political agreement*
- EU strategy to reduce alcohol-related harm
 - = *Policy debate*
 - = *Council conclusions*
- International Health Regulations
 - = *Exchange of views*
- Follow-up to the high level reflection process on patient mobility and healthcare developments in the EU
 - = *Exchange of views*

1 December (from 10h00)

- Communication from the Commission: Green Paper on modernising labour law to meet the challenges of the 21st century
 - = *Presentation by the Commission*
 - = *Exchange of views*
- Decent Work
 - = *Council conclusions*
- Commission communication: "The demographic future of Europe - from challenge to opportunity"
 - = *Presentation by the Commission*
 - = *Endorsement of the SPC opinion*
- Review of the implementation by the Member States and the EU institutions of the Beijing
 - Platform for Action
 - = *Council conclusions*
- Men and gender equality

² The Council regularly holds public debates on important issues affecting the interests of the Union and its citizens, as well as policy debates on the Council's programmes.

= Council conclusions

PRESS CONFERENCES

New: VIDEO STREAMING

Thursday, 30 November

+10.00 tour de table
+17.00 : press conference

Friday, 1 December

+9:30 tour de table
+18.00 : press conference

Journalists and the general public can follow public debates and deliberations at the press centre (close circuit TV distribution) and on our website: <http://www.consilium.europa.eu/videostreaming>

Press conferences can also be followed on our website.

For live or pre-recorded coverage provided by Europe by Satellite (EbS) check website: <http://ec.europa.eu/avservices/ebs/schedule.cfm>