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2022/0117 (COD)**

**VOTE 29
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NOTE

Subject:

- Voting result
- Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on protecting persons who engage in public participation from manifestly unfounded claims or abusive court proceedings ('Strategic lawsuits against public participation')
 - Adoption of the legislative act
 - 4014th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (General Affairs)
19 March 2024, Brussels

The outcome of voting on the abovementioned legislative act is attached to this note.

Reference document:

88/23

approved by Coreper, Part 2, on 13.03.2024

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Institution: **Council of the European Union**
 Session: **4014**
 Configuration: **General Affairs**
 Item: **2022/0117 (COD)** (Document: **88/23**)
 Voting Rule: **qualified majority**
 Subject: **DIRECTIVE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on protecting persons who engage in public participation from manifestly unfounded claims or abusive court proceedings ('Strategic lawsuits against public participation')**

Vote	Members	Population (%)	Sitting date: 19/03/2024 Final result 
 Yes	25	97,84%	
 No	1	2,16%	
 Abstain	0	0%	
Not participating	0		
Total	26		

Member State	Weighting	Vote	Member State	Weighting	Vote
 BELGIQUE/BELGIË	2,64		 LIETUVA	0,64	
 БЪЛГАРИЯ	1,46		 LUXEMBOURG	0,15	
 Ceská republika	2,44		 MAGYARORSZÁG	2,16	
 DANMARK			 MALTA	0,12	
 DEUTSCHLAND	18,97		 NEDERLAND	4,04	
 EESTI	0,31		 ÖSTERREICH	2,04	
 ÉIRE/IRELAND	1,17		 POLSKA	8,49	
 ΕΛΛΑΔΑ	2,34		 PORTUGAL	2,37	
 ESPAÑA	10,81		 ROMÂNIA	4,29	
 FRANCE	15,31		 SLOVENIJA	0,48	
 HRVATSKA	0,87		 SLOVENSKO	1,23	
 ITALIA	13,43		 SUOMI/FINLAND	1,26	
 ΚΥΠΡΟΣ	0,21		 SVERIGE	2,37	
 LATVIJA	0,42				

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