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**2013/0402 (COD)**

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**VOTE 29**  
**INF 97**  
**PUBLIC 32**  
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#### **NOTE**

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Subject:           – Voting result

                      – Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of undisclosed know-how and business information (trade secrets) against their unlawful acquisition, use and disclosure (First reading)

                      – Adoption of the legislative act

                      3470th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
                      (Competitiveness (Internal Market, Industry, Research and Space))  
                      26 and 27 May 2016, Brussels

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

Reference document:

8478/1/16  
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PE-CONS 76/15  
approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 11.05.2016

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## General Secretariat of the Council

Institution: **Council of the European Union**  
Session: **3470**  
Configuration: **Competitiveness**  
Item: **2013/0402 (COD) (Document: PE-CONS 76/15)**  
Voting Rule: **qualified majority**  
Subject: **Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of undisclosed know-how and business information (trade secrets) against their unlawful acquisition, use and disclosure (First reading)**

Vote	Members	Population (%)
Yes	28	100%
No	0	0%
Abstain	0	0%
Not participating	0	
Total	28	

Sitting date: **27/05/2016**

Final result



Member State	Weighting	Vote
BELGIQUE/BELGIË	2,21	
БЪЛГАРИЯ	1,42	
CESKÁ REPUBLIKA	2,05	
DANMARK	1,11	
DEUTSCHLAND	15,93	
EESTI	0,26	
ÉIRE/IRELAND	0,91	
ΕΛΛΑΔΑ	2,13	
ESPAÑA	9,12	
FRANCE	13,04	
HRVATSKA	0,83	
ITALIA	12,07	
ΚΥΠΡΟΣ	0,17	
LATVIJA	0,39	

Member State	Weighting	Vote
LIETUVA	0,57	
LUXEMBOURG	0,11	
MAGYARORSZÁG	1,94	
MALTA	0,08	
NEDERLAND	3,37	
ÖSTERREICH	1,89	
POLSKA	7,47	
PORTUGAL	2,04	
ROMÂNIA	3,90	
SLOVENIJA	0,41	
SLOVENSKO	1,08	
SUOMI/FINLAND	1,08	
SVERIGE	1,92	
UNITED KINGDOM	12,73	

\* When acting on a proposal from the Commission or the High Representative, qualified majority is reached if at least 55 % of members vote in favour (16 MS) accounting for at least 65% of the population

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