



**COUNCIL OF  
THE EUROPEAN UNION**

**Brussels, 7 June 2010**

**10796/10**

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**Interinstitutional File:  
2008/0211 (COD)**

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**VOTE      21  
INF        74  
PUBLIC    27  
CODEC    534**

**NOTE**

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Subject:      –      Voting result  
                 –      Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on  
                                 the protection of animals used for scientific purposes (LA+S) (First reading)  
                                 -      Adoption of  
                                 (a)    the Council's position  
                                 (b)    the statement of the Council reasons  
                 –      3018th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
                                 (Justice and Home Affairs)  
                                 Luxembourg, Thursday 3 and Friday 4 June 2010

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This information note sets out the result of the vote on the above-mentioned legislation act, which took place at the aforementioned Council session.

Reference documents:

6106/10 AGRILEG 9 VETER 2 ENV 63 RECH 39 CODEC 88  
+ ADD 1  
9968/10 CODEC 453 AGRILEG 60 VETER 18 ENV 311 RECH 192  
+ ADD 1  
approved by COREPER, Part 1, 02.06.2010

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<http://www.consilium.europa.eu>.

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| Institution   | Council of the European Union                                       |
| Session       | 3018th meeting                                                      |
| Configuration | Justice and Home Affairs                                            |
| Item          | 2008/0211 (COD) ( Document : 6106/10 )                              |
| Voting Rule   | Qualified majority (EU-27)*                                         |
| Subject       | Directive on the protection of animals used for scientific purposes |

03/06/2010



| Member State      | Vote | Weighting |
|-------------------|------|-----------|
| BELGIQUE / BELGIE |      | 12        |
| БЪЛГАРИЯ          |      | 10        |
| ČESKÁ REPUBLIKA   |      | 12        |
| DANMARK           |      | 7         |
| DEUTSCHLAND       |      | 29        |
| EESTI             |      | 4         |
| ÉIRE/IRELAND      |      | 7         |
| ΕΛΛΑΣ             |      | 12        |
| ESPAÑA            |      | 27        |
| FRANCE            |      | 29        |
| ITALIA            |      | 29        |
| ΚΥΠΡΟΣ            |      | 4         |
| LATVIJA           |      | 4         |
| LIETUVA           |      | 7         |
| LUXEMBOURG        |      | 4         |
| MAGYARORSZAG      |      | 12        |
| MALTA             |      | 3         |
| NEDERLAND         |      | 13        |
| ÖSTERREICH        |      | 10        |

| Member State      | Vote    | Weighting  |
|-------------------|---------|------------|
| POLSKA            |         | 27         |
| PORTUGAL          |         | 12         |
| ROMÂNIA           |         | 14         |
| SLOVENIJA         |         | 4          |
| SLOVENSKO         |         | 7          |
| SUOMI / FINLAND   |         | 7          |
| SVERIGE           |         | 10         |
| UNITED KINGDOM    |         | 29         |
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| Vote              | Members | Votes Cast |
| Yes               | 26      | 316        |
| No                | 0       | 0          |
| Abstain           | 1       | 29         |
| Not Participating |         |            |
| Total             | 27      | 345        |

\* Qualified majority is reached if  
at least 255 votes in favour are cast  
by at least 14 Council members

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