



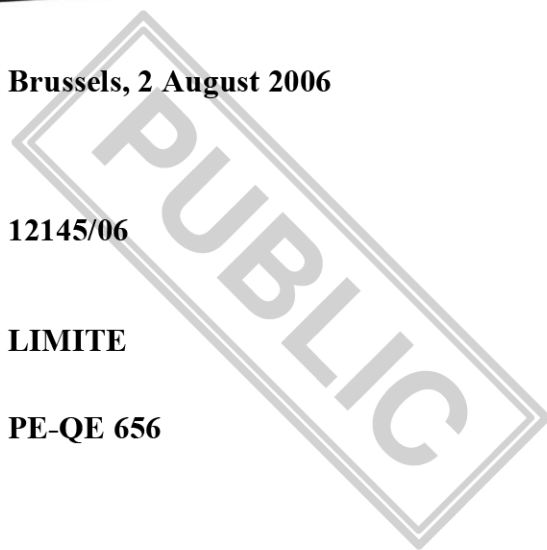
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**AMENDMENT to Preliminary draft reply to Written Question
E-0292/06 put by Joseph Muscat (PSE)**

from : Lithuanian delegation

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Subject : " Translation of 'euro' "

Delegation - Author: Lithuania

Place: Add new paragraph at the end of the text (11169/06)

Amendment:

The Council fully recognises the national and cultural identity of all the Member States and the role played by languages in that identity. The Council would emphasise that the definition of the spelling of the word "euro" applies exclusively to its use in the relevant legal texts and has no effect on the linguistic and grammatical rules governing the use of that word in the everyday spoken or written language of the Member States.

Justification:

Agreed text of DRAFT JOINT REPLY TO WRITTEN QUESTIONS E-2323/04, E-2325/04, E-2327/04, E-2329/04, E-2331/04, E-2333/04, E-2335/04, E-2337/04, E-2339/04 and E-2341/04 put by Rolandas PAVILIONIS on 11.10.2004.