



**COUNCIL OF
THE EUROPEAN UNION**

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**Interinstitutional File:
2008/0160 (COD)**

**VOTE 116
INF 222
PUBLIC 122
CODEC 1008**

NOTE

Subject: – Voting result
 – Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council
 concerning trade in seal products (First reading) (LA)
 - Adoption of legislative act
 – 2957th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (General
 Affairs and External Relations)
 Brussels, 27 July 2009

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:

PE-CONS 3668/09 ENV 393 AGRI 241 MI 236 CINER 79 OECGE 141
CODEC 783
+ COR 1 (fi)
+ COR 2 (dk)
+ COR 3 (de)
+ REV 1 (ga)
11152/09 CODEC 871 ENV 446 AGRI 271 MI 250 COMER 93 PECHE 161
+ ADD 1
approved by COREPER, Part 1, on 22.07.09

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Institution	Council of the European Union
Session	2957th meeting
Configuration	General Affairs and External Relations
Item	2008/0160 COD (Document : PE-CONS 3668/09)
Voting Rule	Qualified majority (EU-27)*
Subject	Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning trade in seal products

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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
Vote	Members	Votes Cast
Yes	24	314
No	0	0
Abstain	3	31
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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