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**VOTE 47**  
**INF 179**  
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## NOTE

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Subject: Voting result

DIRECTIVE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on driving licences, amending Regulation (EU) 2018/1724 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Directive (EU) 2022/2561 of the European Parliament and of the Council, and repealing Directive 2006/126/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and Commission Regulation (EU) No 383/2012

- Adoption of the Council's position at first reading and of the statement of the Council's reasons
- 4119th meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (Competitiveness (Internal Market, Industry, Research and Space)), 29 and 30 September 2025, Brussels

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

Reference documents:

8353/25 + ADD1 REV1

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 24.09.2025

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## General Secretariat of the Council

Institution: **Council of the European Union**  
 Session: **4119**  
 Configuration: **Competitiveness**  
 Item: **2023/0053 (COD) (Document: 8353/25)**  
 Voting Rule: **qualified majority**  
 Subject: **Position of the Council at first reading with a view to the adoption of a DIRECTIVE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on driving licences, amending Regulation (EU) 2018/1724 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Directive (EU) 2022/2561 of the European Parliament and of the Council, and repealing Directive 2006/126/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and Commission Regulation (EU) No 383/2012**

Vote	Members	Population (%)
Yes	23	95,56%
No	2	0,98%
Abstain	2	3,45%
Not participating	0	
Total	27	

Sitting date: **29/09/2025**

Final result



Member State	Population (%)**	Vote	Member State	Population (%)**	Vote
BELGIQUE/BELGIË	2,62		LIETUVA	0,64	
БЪЛГАРИЯ	1,43		LUXEMBOURG	0,15	
ČESKO	2,42		MAGYARORSZÁG	2,13	
DANMARK	1,32		MALTA	0,12	
DEUTSCHLAND	18,49		NEDERLAND	4,01	
EESTI	0,30		ÖSTERREICH	2,02	
ÉIRE/IRELAND	1,19		POLSKA	8,33	
ΕΛΛΑΔΑ	2,31		PORTUGAL	2,36	
ESPAÑA	10,78		ROMÂNIA	4,23	
FRANCE	15,17		SLOVENIJA	0,47	
HRVATSKA	0,86		SLOVENSKO	1,21	
ITALIA	13,23		SUOMI/FINLAND	1,25	
ΚΥΠΡΟΣ	0,21		SVERIGE	2,34	
LATVIJA	0,42				

\* 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 (15 MS) accounting for at least 65% of the population.

\*\* Indicative percentage of the population of the Union (%) .The qualified majority is calculated in accordance with the population figures adapted each year.

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