COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

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NOTE
from: General Secretariat
to: Permanent Representatives Committee/Council
– Outcome of the European Parliament's first reading (Brussels, 11 to 12 October 2005)

I. INTRODUCTION

Pursuant to Article 43(1) of the European Parliament's Rules of Procedure, which provides for the approval of a legislative proposal without amendment by a simplified procedure, the report by Ms WALLIS (ALDE-UK) was adopted without debate.

II. VOTE

The European Parliament's legislative Resolution is set out in annex hereto.
Protection of copyright and certain related rights


(Codecision procedure - Codification)

The European Parliament,

– having regard to the Commission proposal to the European Parliament and the Council (COM(2006)0219)¹,

– having regard to Article 251(2) and Articles 47(2), 55 and 95 of the EC Treaty, pursuant to which the Commission submitted the proposal to Parliament (C6-0160/2006),

– having regard to the Interinstitutional Agreement of 20 December 1994 – Accelerated working method for official codification of legislative texts²,

– having regard to Rules 80, 51 and 43 of its Rules of Procedure,

– having regard to the report of the Committee on Legal Affairs (A6-0323/2006),

1. Approves the Commission proposal;

2. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council and the Commission.

¹ Not yet published in OJ.