

PARLIAMENT OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC Chamber of Deputies Ondřej Benešík Chairman Committee for European Affairs

Prague, 13 June 2017

Dear Mr. President,

I would like to inform you on the opinion of the Committee for European Affairs of the Chamber of Deputies of the Parliament of the Czech Republic

on the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 182/2011 laying down the rules and general principles concerning mechanisms for control by Member States of the Commission's exercise of implementing powers, COM (2017) 85 final, Council Code 7804/17.

The respective document was included on the agenda of the 67th Session of the Committee for European Affairs and was scrutinized on 1st June 2017. According to the Rules of Procedure of the Chamber of Deputies the Deputy Minister of Forign Affairs and the Deputy Minister of Agriculture were present at the session to introduce the preliminary Government's Framework Position.

After the hearing of the rapporteur's review and after the discussion the Committee has adopted the Resolution No. 398 which is enclosed to this letter.

Enclosure

Mr. Jean-Claude JunckerPresident of the European Commission

Brussels

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Resolution No. 398

67th Session on June 1, 2017

Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 182/2011 laying down the rules and general principles concerning mechanisms for control by Member States of the Commission's exercise of implementing powers, COM (2017) 85 final, Council Code 7804/17.

Conclusions of the Resolution:

Committee for European Affairs

- 1. **takes note of** the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 182/2011 laying down the rules and general principles concerning mechanisms for control by Member States of the Commission's exercise of implementing powers, COM (2017) 85 final, Council Code 7804/17;
- 2. **supports** the Government's Framework Position on the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 182/2011 laying down the rules and general principles concerning mechanisms for control by Member States of the Commission's exercise of implementing powers, COM (2017) 85 final, Council Code 7804/17;
- 3. **expresses concern** in relation to complying with the principle of proportionality as far as the extend changes of proposed is mentioned, particularly since absence of any opinion in the Appeal Committee concerns very small number of cases;
- 4. **expresses doubts** about the correctness of the Commission's view that the Proposal for the Regulation does not require the impact assessments;
- 5. **considers** that the possibility of introducing proposals for implementing acts, where no opinion has been delivered, to the Council of the EU can lead to unjustified delays in the comitology procedure and to unnecessary administrative burden at the same time;
- 6. **considers** that publication of the votes of the Member States' representatives in the Appeal Committee may lead to comitology decisions being driven by political rather than professional goals and opinions;
- 7. **authorizes** the Chairman of the Committee for European Affairs to forward this resolution to the President of the European Commission **in the context of the Political dialogue**.