



Parlamentul României  
Senat

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**OPINION**

**of the ROMANIAN SENATE, on the  
Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council  
on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgments in civil and  
commercial matters**

COM (2010) 748 final

The Senate of Romania has checked the compliance with the subsidiarity and proportionality principles of the **Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgments in civil and commercial matters - COM (2010) 748 final**, according to the provisions of the Treaty of Lisbon (protocol no.2).

Taking into account the report of our permanent Juridical Committee on Nominations, Discipline, Immunities and Validations, **the Plenum of the Senate**, during its session of the 23-th of February 2011, has found that the mentioned proposal, elaborated according to Article 81(2)(a), (c) and (e) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union (TFEU), **is compliant with the subsidiarity and proportionality principles**, taking into consideration that the objective of the proposal at facilitating cross-border litigation and the free circulation of judgments in the European Union, cannot be reasonable reached by the Member States by themselves and does not exceed what is necessary to achieve this objective.

PRESIDENT  
Mircea Dan GEOANĂ