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THE EUROPEAN UNION**

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**Interinstitutional File:
2013/0162 (COD)**

**VOTE 116
INF 182
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NOTE

Subject: - Voting result
 - Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the return of
 cultural objects unlawfully removed from the territory of a Member State
 [First reading] (LA)
 - Adoption of the legislative act
 3311st meeting of the COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
 (Foreign Affairs/Trade)
 8 May 2014, Brussels

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

Reference documents:

8798/14
PE-CONS 55/14

approved by Coreper, Part 1, on 30.04.2014

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"Documents", "Legislative Transparency", "Monthly Summary of Council
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Institution: **Council of the European Union**
 Session: **3311**
 Configuration: **Foreign Affairs**
 Item: **2013/0162 (COD)** (Document: 55/14)
 Voting Rule: **qualified majority**
 Subject: Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the return of cultural objects unlawfully removed from the territory of a Member State (first reading)

Vote	Members	Votes Cast
 Yes	28	352
 No	0	0
 Abstain	0	0
Not participating	0	0
Total	28	352

Sitting date: **8/05/2014**
 Final result



Member State	Weighting	Vote	Member State	Weighting	Vote
 BELGIQUE/BELGIË	12		 LIETUVA	7	
 БЪЛГАРИЯ	10		 LUXEMBOURG	4	
 CESKÁ REPUBLIKA	12		 MAGYARORSZÁG	12	
 DANMARK	7		 MALTA	3	
 DEUTSCHLAND	29		 NEDERLAND	13	
 EESTI	4		 ÖSTERREICH	10	
 ÉIRE/IRELAND	7		 POLSKA	27	
 ΕΛΛΑΔΑ	12		 PORTUGAL	12	
 ESPAÑA	27		 ROMÂNIA	14	
 FRANCE	29		 SLOVENIJA	4	
 HRVATSKA	7		 SLOVENSKO	7	
 ITALIA	29		 SUOMI/FINLAND	7	
 ΚΥΠΡΟΣ	4		 SVERIGE	10	
 LATVIJA	4		 UNITED KINGDOM	29	

* qualified majority is reached if at least 260 votes in favour are cast by at least 15 of the 28 participating Council members
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