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NOTE

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

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	0,88		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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