

**CULT_PV(2013)1217_1****MINUTES**

Meeting of 17 December 2013, from 9.00 to 12.30 and from 15.00 to 18.30
BRUSSELS

The meeting opened at 9.15 on Tuesday 17 December 2013, with Doris Pack (Chair) in the chair.

1. Adoption of agenda

CULT_OJ (2013)1217v01-00

The agenda was adopted in the form shown in these minutes.

2. Approval of minutes of the meeting of:

4-5 November 2013

PE 522.907v01-00

The minutes were approved.

3. Chair's announcements

The Chair reported-back on the latest developments in the "European Capitals of Culture, 2020-2033.

4. Presentation of the Policy Department B study on "European Capitals of Culture: Success Strategies and Long-Term Effects" by Dr Beatriz Garcia (Institute of Cultural Capital - University of Liverpool)

Speakers: Santiago Fisas Ayxela, Seán Kelly, Morten Løkkegaard, Doris Pack, Marie-Thérèse Sanchez-Schmid, Marco Scurria, Helga Trüpel, László Tökés, Beatriz García (University of Liverpool), Vincent Lagarre (European Commission).

5. Discharge 2012: EU general budget - European Commission

CULT/7/13859

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PE527.906v01-00

Rapporteur Morten Løkkegaard (ALDE) PA – PE524.571v01-00
for the
opinion:
Responsible: CONT – Markus Pieper (PPE) PR – PE521.558v01-00

Consideration of a draft opinion

Deadline for tabling amendments: Wednesday 15 January 2014, 12.00

Mr Løkkegaard introduced his draft opinion and responded to points made by Members.

Speakers: Morten Løkkegaard, Doris Pack

6. European gastronomic heritage: cultural and educational aspects

CULT/7/13733

2013/2181(INI)

Rapporteur: Santiago Fisas Aixela (PPE) PR – PE521.738v01-00
Responsible: CULT –

Consideration of a draft report

Deadline for tabling amendments: Thursday 16 January 2014, 12.00

Mr Fisas Aixela introduced his draft report and responded to points made by Members.

Speakers: Santiago Fisas Aixela, Emma McClarkin, Doris Pack, Marie-Thérèse Sanchez-Schmid

7. Exchange of views with members of the European Theatre Convention

Speakers: Emma McClarkin, Doris Pack, Rui Tavares, Helga Trüpel, Serge Rangoni (European Theatre Convention).

The meeting closed at 11.55.

8. Coordinators' meeting

The coordinators' decisions are recorded under point 10 of these minutes.

The meeting opened at 15.05 on Tuesday 17 December 2013, with Doris Pack (Chair) in the chair.

9. Historical memory in education and in culture in the EU

CULT/7/13173

2013/2129(INI)

Responsible: CULT –

Adoption of a draft report

The draft report, as amended, was not adopted: for: 11; against: 13; abstention(s): 4.

Speakers: Jean-Marie Cavada, Morten Løkkegaard, Marek Henryk Migalski, Katarína Neved'álová, Doris Pack, Chrysoula Paliadeli, Hannu Takkula, Helga Trüpel, László Tőkés, Gianni Vattimo

10. Approval of the coordinators' decisions

The coordinators's decisions were approved as follows:

1. Referrals

A. Referrals

B. Documents for information

1) Report from European Court of Auditors - Report on the annual accounts of the European schools for the financial year 2012 together with the Schools' replies

Decision: Forward to the CULT rapporteur for the 2012 discharge procedure, Mr Morten Løkkegaard.

2) Directors of the "Ecole nationale d'administration", Paris

Decision: The coordinators took note of the letter from the President confirming that Mr Fisas Ayxela will serve as member of the Board of Directors until the end of the current parliament, with Mrs Thomas as substitute member. They confirmed their earlier decisions:

- (i) to review their decision at the beginning of the next parliamentary term, bearing in mind the principle of rotation between the groups;
- (ii) that, in order to provide an additional European rather than national perspective not otherwise available to the Board, the EP representative should normally not be a French MEP.

3) European Heritage Label panel's report

Decision: The coordinators took note of the panel report for 2013.

2. Public hearing on “New technologies and open educational resources” - 20-21 January 2014

The coordinators agreed that the following expert witnesses should be invited to attend:

- Harald Melcher Managing Partner, m2more GmbH, Berlin. Educational publisher
- Claudio Dondi Menon, European network for research and innovation
- Willem van Valkenburg Delft University of Technology (TU Delft)
- António Sampaio da Nóbrega Former Dean, University of Lisbon

3. Delegation to Riga, Latvia, 24-28 March 2014

The coordinators agreed that the group agents will send the names of Members planning to take part in the delegation to the secretariat by 12 noon on Thursday, 16 January.

4. Oral question with motion for resolution (Rule 115): Internationalisation of higher education

The coordinators agreed that Mr Tavares should write to them by the end of 17 December, seeking their views on any final changes he wished to make to the OQ concerning “Union status” for higher education institutions; and that they would reply by the end of 18 December.

5. European added value assessment on Volunteering

The coordinators took note of a letter from the acting director of the EPRS responsible for impact assessment and European added value, proposing that his services draw up a “European added-value assessment” on volunteering as follow-up to two recent parliamentary resolutions on the subject; and approved this proposal.

6. Language regime of European Commission

Mrs Kammerevert drew attention to the continued practice of the Commission of publishing a number of important documents (e.g. a recent consultative document on copyright rules) in EN only, despite parliamentary resolutions deplored this and a recent ruling of the European Ombudsman on this matter.

The coordinators agreed that the Chair should write to the Commission on behalf of the Committee, urging that the Commission respect the principle of multilingualism, and underlining the particular importance of this in publications addressed to citizens in general or dealing with politically sensitive issues.

11. Any other business

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12. Next meeting(s)

20 January 2014, from 15.00 to 18.30
21 January 2014, from 9.00 to 12.30 and from 15.00 to 18.30

The meeting closed at 16.05.

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Ivo Belet, Nadja Hirsch, Seán Kelly, Iosif Matula, Raimon Obiols, Georgios Papanikolaou, Rui Tavares, Claudiu Ciprian Tănasescu

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Preslav Borissov, Francesco De Angelis, Sylvie Guillaume, Rareş-Lucian Niculescu, Dubravka Šuica	
193 (3)	
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Dr Beatriz Garcia (Institute of Cultural Capital, University of Liverpool), Ms Dubravka Vrgoc (European Theatre Convention), Serge Rangoni (European Theatre Convention)

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