

Plenary Meeting of the LXI COSAC

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Conclusions of the LXI COSAC

1. 31st Bi-annual Report of COSAC

1.1 COSAC welcomes the 31st Bi-annual Report and warmly thanks the Secretariat for its excellent work in preparing it. The Report provides useful information about Parliaments' outlook on the EU trade policy, on European cooperation in the field of education, and on the law-making process in the digital era. It further explores the efficiency of the parliamentary scrutiny mechanism to face the challenges of new technologies.

2. Integration of the COSAC webpage into the IPEX platform

2.1 COSAC welcomes the progress made in transferring the content from the COSAC website to IPEX, and notes that all the files pertaining to past COSAC meetings have successfully been uploaded on IPEX.

2.2 COSAC thanks IPEX for the assistance extended during the transfer phase of the COSAC website and for setting up the framework for a true one-stop-shop for interparliamentary cooperation in the EU.

3. Cooperation on EU affairs

3.1 While supporting the improvement of parliamentary cooperation on IPEX, as an important channel for communication and systematic sharing of information, COSAC invites national Parliaments to proactively upload any useful information regarding their subsidiarity and proportionality checks, and their contributions adopted in the framework of the political dialogue.

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