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The Croatian Parliament, as the national parliament of an EU member state, participates in the decision-making process at the European level by overseeing the activities of the Government in the European Union institutions and by exercising the powers conferred on national parliaments by the Lisbon Treaty.

Activities of the European Affairs Committee

At its 58th **session** held on 2 February 2023, joint with the Committee on Agriculture the Committee discussed report of the Ministry of Agriculture on the Council of the European Union for Agriculture and Fisheries (AGRIFISH) meeting held on 30 January 2023 in Brussels.

Monitoring the work of the Government in the European Union institutions

In February 2023, the Croatian Government submitted to the Parliament its positions for 4 Council meetings:

- 3930 General Affairs Council
- 3931 Economic and Financial Affairs Council
- 3932 Foreign Affairs Council
- 3933 General Affairs Council

EU documents forwarded directly to the Croatian Parliament

Pursuant to the Protocol (no. 1) on the Role of National Parliaments in the European Union, all draft legislative acts and communications are forwarded directly to national parliaments.

The Croatian Parliament publishes on a daily basis the EU documents received, along with information on the reference code assigned to each document, the applicable adoption procedure, its submission date and the timeframe for carrying out the subsidiarity check.

In February 2023, the EU institutions forwarded to the Croatian Parliament <u>62</u> <u>documents</u>: 42 draft legislative acts, and 20 communications and other non-binding documents.



In February 2023, the Croatian Parliament enacted <u>2 laws</u> in the process of harmonization with European Union law.