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SENATE

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COMITTEE on EU AFFAIRS

28th RESOLUTION

delivered on the 5th meeting held on 26th January 2015

on the Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions Commission Work Programme 2015 A New Start

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Following introductory information from Ms Věra Jourová, member of the European Commission, and Ms Lenka Pítrová, Director of Strategies and Institutional Department, Office of the Government of the Czech Republic, following the rapporteur's report by Senator Václav Hampl and after a debate

The Committee

I. Takes note of

the Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions Commission Work Programme 2015 A New Start;

II. States

that out of the initiatives announced by the Commission to be published in 2015, it intends to pay special attention, also with regard to the principle of subsidiarity, above all to the following draft legislative acts and their packages:

- Promoting integration and employability in the labour market (No. 2 in Annex I of the Commission Work Programme);
- Digital Single Market (DSM) Package (No. 4);
- Strategic Framework for the Energy Union (No. 5);
- Labour Mobility Package (No. 8);
- Deepening Economic and Monetary Union Package (No. 12);
- European Agenda on Migration (No. 18).

III. Further states

that out of earlier initiatives that the Commission intends to modify (or withdraw and propose anew) in 2015, it intends to pay special attention, also with regard to the principle of subsidiarity, above all to proposals replacing the following draft legislative acts:

- Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the reduction of national emissions of certain atmospheric pollutants and amending Directive 2003/35/EC (No. 37 in Annex II of the Commission Work Programme);
- Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directives 2008/98/EC on waste, 94/62/EC on packaging and packaging waste, 1999/31/EC on the landfill of waste, 2000/53/EC on end-of-life vehicles, 2006/66/EC on batteries and accumulators and waste batteries and accumulators, and 2012/19/EU on waste electrical and electronic equipment (No. 38).

IV. Authorises

the Committee Chairperson Senator Václav Hampl to submit this Resolution to the President of the Senate, to the European Commission and to the Presidency of the Conference of Community and European Affairs Committees of Parliaments of the European Union (COSAC).

Václav Hampl

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