

COUNCIL DECISION
of 15 September 2008
appointing a Belgian member and a Belgian alternate member of the Committee of the Regions
(2008/728/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

(a) as a member:

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 263 thereof,

Mr Patrick LACHAERT, Vlaams Volksvertegenwoordiger (change of mandate);

Having regard to the proposal of the Belgian Government,

and

Whereas:

(1) On 24 January 2006, the Council adopted Decision 2006/116/EC appointing the members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions for the period from 26 January 2006 to 25 January 2010 ⁽¹⁾.

(b) as an alternate member:

Mr Marc VAN DEN ABELEN, Vlaams Volksvertegenwoordiger.

(2) A member's seat on the Committee of the Regions has become vacant following the resignation of Mrs Joëlle KAPOMPOLÉ. An alternate member's seat has become vacant following the appointment of Mr Patrick LACHAERT as a member of the Committee of the Regions,

Article 2

This Decision shall take effect on the day of its adoption.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Done at Brussels, 15 September 2008.

Article 1

The following are hereby appointed to the Committee of the Regions for the remainder of the current term of office, which runs until 25 January 2010:

For the Council
The President
B. KOUCHNER

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 56, 25.2.2006, p. 75.