

The *European Affairs in the Croatian Parliament Bulletin* is published monthly by the European Affairs Department. The Bulletin provides an overview of the Parliament's work related to European affairs and arising from the membership of the Republic of Croatia in the European Union.

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.

Monitoring the work of the Government in the European Union institutions

In December 2025, the Croatian Government submitted to the Parliament its position for 15 Council meetings:

- Education, Youth, Culture and Sport Council on 27 and 28 November 2025
- Foreign Affairs Council (Defence) on 1 December 2025
- Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council (Employment and Social Policy) on 1 December 2025
- Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council (Health) on 2 December 2025
- Transport, Telecommunications and Energy Council (Transport) on 4 December 2025
- Competitiveness Council (Internal Market and Industry) on 8 December 2025
- Justice and Home Affairs Council on 8 and 9 December 2025
- Competitiveness Council (Research and Space) on 9 December 2025
- Agriculture and Fisheries Council on 11 and 12 December 2025
- Economic and Financial Affairs Council on 12 December 2025
- Transport, Telecommunications and Energy Council (Energy) on 15 December 2025
- Foreign Affairs Council on 15 December 2025
- Environment Council on 16 December 2025
- General Affairs Council on 16 December 2025

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 daily the received EU documents, 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 December 2025, the EU institutions forwarded to the Croatian Parliament 76 documents: 35 draft legislative acts, and 41 communications and other non-binding documents.

Application of EU law

In December 2025, the Croatian Parliament enacted 15 laws in the process of harmonization with European Union law.