

**COUNCIL DECISION**  
**of 7 June 1999**  
**appointing a member of the Committee of the Regions**

(1999/387/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

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

Having regard to Council Decision 98/110/EC of 26 January 1998 <sup>(1)</sup>, appointing members and alternate members of the Committee of the Regions,

Whereas a seat as a member of the Committee has become vacant following the resignation of Mr Philip Houben, of which the Council was notified on 1 September 1998;

Having regard to the proposal from the Netherlands Government,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Sole Article*

Mr A. G. J. M. Rombouts is hereby appointed a member of the Committee of the Regions in place of Mr Philip Houben for the remainder of his term of office, which expires on 25 January 2002.

Done at Luxembourg, 7 June 1999.

*For the Council*

*The President*

E. BULMAHN

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 28, 4.2.1998, p. 19.