

COUNCIL DECISION
of 18 November 2008
appointing two German alternate members of the Committee of the Regions
(2008/872/EC)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

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

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

Having regard to the proposal of the German Government,

— Mr Roland HEINTZE, Mitglied der Hamburger Bürgerschaft,

Whereas:

— Mr Roland RIESE, Mitglied des Niedersächsischen Landtages.

Article 2

- (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⁾.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 November 2008.

- (2) Two seats as alternate members of the Committee of the Regions have become vacant following the expiry of the mandates of Mr Stefan KRAXNER and Ms Ulrike KUHLO,

For the Council

The President

M. BARNIER

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 56, 25.2.2006, p. 75.