

Order of the General Court of 12 July 2012 — Compagnia Generale delle Acque v Commission

(Case T-264/00) ⁽¹⁾

(Annulment action — State aid — Reductions in social security contributions for undertakings in Venice and Chioggia — Commission decision declaring the aid scheme incompatible with the common market and imposing the recovery of the aid paid — Action partially inadmissible and partially manifestly devoid of any basis in law)

(2012/C 258/38)

Language of the case: Italian

Parties

Applicant: Compagnia Generale delle Acque SpA (Venice, Italy) (represented by: A. Biagnini, P. Petinelli and A. Bortoluzzi, lawyers)

Defendant: European Commission (represented by: V. Di Bucci, Agent and A. Dal Ferro, lawyer)

Intervener in support of the applicant: Italian Republic (represented initially by U. Leanza, then I. Braguglia, then R. Adam, and finally by I. Bruni, Agents, and G. Aiello and P. Gentili, avvocati dello Stato)

Re:

Application for annulment of Commission Decision 2000/394/EC of 25 November 1999 on aid to firms in Venice and Chioggia by way of relief from social security contributions under Laws No 30/1997 and 206/1995 (OJ 2000 L 150, p. 50).

Operative part of the order

1. *The objection of inadmissibility raised by the European Commission relates to the substance of the case.*
2. *The action is dismissed as being partially manifestly inadmissible and partially manifestly devoid of any basis in law.*
3. *Compagnia Generale delle Acque SpA is ordered to bear its own costs and to pay those incurred by the Commission.*
4. *The Italian Republic is ordered to bear its own costs.*

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 355, 9.12.2000.

Order of the General Court of 13 July 2012 — IVBN v Commission

(Case T-201/10) ⁽¹⁾

(Action for annulment — State aid — Scheme of aid granted by the Netherlands to housing corporations — Existing aid — Special project aid to housing corporations — Decision accepting the Member State's commitments — Decision declaring new aid compatible — No individual concern — Failure to initiate the procedure under Article 108(2) TFEU — Action inadmissible in part and in part manifestly devoid of any basis in law)

(2012/C 258/39)

Language of the case: Dutch

Parties

Applicant: Vereniging van Institutionele Beleggers in Vastgoed, Nederland (IVBN) (Voorburg, the Netherlands) (represented by: M. Meulenbelt, lawyer)

Defendant: European Commission (represented by: H. van Vliet, S. Noë and S. Thomas, Agents, and H. Gilliams, lawyer)

Re:

Application for annulment of Commission Decision C(2009) 9963 final of 15 December 2009 relating to State aid E 2/2005 and N 642/2009 — (Netherlands — Existing and special project aid to housing corporations).

Operative part of the order

1. *The action is dismissed.*
2. *Vereniging van Institutionele Beleggers in Vastgoed, Nederland (IVBN) is ordered to bear its own costs and to pay those incurred by the European Commission.*

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 179, 3.7.2010.

Action brought on 27 June 2012 — CD v Council of the European Union

(Case T-646/11)

(2012/C 258/40)

Language of the case: French

Parties

Applicant: CD (Minsk, Belarus) (represented by: M. Michaluskas, lawyer)