

Judgment of the General Court of 26 June 2024 – Fest v Parliament

(Case T-305/23) (1)

(Law governing the institutions – Member of Parliament – Privileges and immunities – Decision to waive parliamentary immunity – Articles 8 and 9 of Protocol No 7 on the privileges and immunities of the EU – Concept of 'connection to parliamentary duties' – Manifest error of assessment)

(C/2024/4858)

Language of the case: German

Parties

Applicant: Nicolaus Fest (Zagreb, Croatia) (represented by: G. Seidel, lawyer)

Defendant: European Parliament (represented by: N. Lorenz and A.-M. Dumbrăvan, acting as Agents)

Re:

By its action based on Article 263 TFEU, the applicant seeks annulment of European Parliament Decision P9_TA(2023) 0061, of 14 March 2023, on the request to waive his immunity.

Operative part of the judgment

The Court:

- 1. Dismisses the action;
- 2. Orders Mr Nicolaus Fest to bear his own costs and pay those incurred by the European Parliament.

^{(&}lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ C 286, 14.8.2023.