

Motion no. 2.

The Parliament of Sint Maarten in its Public meeting of today, Wednesday, January 27, 2016

Considering:

- that through a preliminary ruling clarity can be obtained faster, on how a higher court looks at one or more questions of law, which is favorable for legal certainty and the investment climate and results in saving costs;
- that posing preliminary questions in tax cases is expected to be possible soon in the European part of the Kingdom of the Netherlands (see TK no. 34305);
- that there is also a proposal pending to amend the Kingdom Law on cassation for Aruba, Curaçao, Sint Maarten and Bonaire, Statia and Saba to expand the possibility of asking preliminary questions in civil cases (TK no. 34237, R2024), with a relatively simple change of the aforementioned Kingdom Law the preliminary procedure in tax cases can be introduced;
- that an amendment has been drafted to include such a preliminary procedure in tax cases possibly with delayed entry into force.

Resolves:

1. to support the scope of the aforementioned amendment;
2. that amongst the Parliaments one or more special delegates can be sent for the handling and submission of a draft amendment with the aforementioned scope.

And goes over to the order of the day.

Copies to be sent to:

- The First and Second Chamber of the Netherlands
- The Parliament of Aruba
- The Parliament of Curaçao
- The Government of Sint Maarten
- The Government of the Netherlands
- The Government of Aruba
- The Government of Curaçao





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