



Entry into office of a new member of the Court of Justice and partial renewal of the membership of the Civil Service Tribunal

Formal sitting of 6 October 2011

Following the resignation of Ms Pernilla Lindh, by decision of 8 September 2011 the representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the European Union appointed Mr Carl Gustav Fernlund as Judge at the Court of Justice of the European Union for the remainder of Ms Lindh's term of office, that is to say, until 6 October 2012.

In view of the expiry of the terms of office of Mr Stephane Gervasoni, Mr Paul J. Mahoney and Mr Haris Tagaras, by decision of 18 July 2011 the Council of the European Union appointed the following as Judges at the European Union Civil Service Tribunal for the period from 1 October 2011 until 30 September 2017:

- Mr René Barents;
- Mr Kieran Bradley;
- Mr Ezio Perillo.

A formal sitting has taken place today at the seat of the Court of Justice on the occasion of the taking of the oath and the entry into office of the new Judges.

Curricula vitae of the new Judges

Carl Gustav Fernlund

Born 1950; graduated in law from the University of Lund (1975); Clerk at the Landskrona District Court (1976-78); Assistant Judge at an administrative court of appeal (1978-82); Deputy Judge at an administrative court of appeal (1982); Legal Adviser to the Swedish Parliament's Standing Committee on the Constitution (1983-85); Legal Adviser at the Ministry of Finance (1985-90); Director of the Division for Personal Income Taxes at the Ministry of Finance (1990-96); Director of the Excise Duty Division at the Ministry of Finance (1996-98); Fiscal Counsellor at the Permanent Representation of Sweden to the European Union (1998-2000); Director-General for Legal Affairs in the Tax and Customs Department of the Ministry of Finance (2000-05); Judge at the Supreme Administrative Court (2005-09); President of the Administrative Court of Appeal, Gothenburg (2009-11); Judge at the Court of Justice since 6 October 2011.

René Barents

Born in 1951; graduated in law, specialisation in economics (Erasmus University Rotterdam, 1973); Doctor of Laws (University of Utrecht, 1981); Researcher in European law and international economic law (1973-74) and lecturer in European law and economic law at the Europa Institute of the University of Utrecht (1974-79) and at the University of Leiden (1979-81); Legal Secretary at the Court of Justice of the European Communities (1981-86), then Head of the Employee Rights Unit at the Court of Justice (1986-87); Member of the Legal Service of the Commission of the European Communities (1987-91); Legal Secretary at the Court of Justice (1991-2000); Head of Division (2000-09) in and then Director of the Research and Documentation Directorate of the Court of Justice of the European Union (2009-11); Professor (1988-2003) and Honorary Professor (since 2003) in European law at the University of Maastricht; Adviser to the Regional Court of Appeal, 's-Hertogenbosch (1993-2011); Member of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (since 1993); numerous publications on European law; Judge at the Civil Service Tribunal since 6 October 2011.

Kieran Bradley

Born in 1957; law degree (Trinity College, Dublin, 1975-79); Research assistant to Senator Mary Robinson (1978-79 and 1980); Pádraig Pearse Scholarship to study at the College of Europe (Dublin, 1979); postgraduate studies in European law at the College of Europe, Bruges (1979-80); Master's degree in law at the University of Cambridge (1980-81); Trainee at the European Parliament (Luxembourg, 1981); Administrator in the Secretariat of the Committee on Legal Affairs of the European Parliament (Luxembourg, 1981-88); Member of the Legal Service of the European Parliament (Brussels, 1988-95); Legal Secretary at the Court of Justice (1995-2000); Lecturer in European law at Harvard Law School (2000); Member of the Legal Service of the European Parliament (2000-03), then Head of Unit (2003-11) and Director (2011); author of numerous publications; Judge at the Civil Service Tribunal since 6 October 2011.

Ezio Perillo

Born in 1950; Doctor of Laws and lawyer at the Padua Bar; Assistant lecturer and senior researcher in civil and comparative law in the law faculty of the University of Padua (1977-82); Lecturer in Community law at the European College of Parma (1990-98), in the law faculties of the University of Padua (1985-87), the University of Macerata (1991-94) and the University of Naples (1995), and at the University of Milan (2000-01); Member of the Scientific Committee for the Master's in European Integration at the University of Padua; Official at the Court of Justice, in the Library, Research and Documentation Directorate (1982-84); Legal Secretary to Advocate General Mancini (1984-88); Legal Adviser to the Secretary-General of the European Parliament, Mr Enrico Vinci (1988-93); also, at the same institution: Head of Division in the Legal Service (1995-99); Director for Legislative Affairs and Conciliations, Inter-Institutional Relations and Relations with National Parliaments (1999-2004); Director for External Relations (2004-06); Director for Legislative Affairs in the Legal Service (2006-11); author of a number of publications on Italian civil law and European Union law; Judge at the Civil Service Tribunal since 6 October 2011.

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