

Quiz – European citizens' initiative

1. A European citizens' initiative is an invitation to the to propose legislation on matters where the EU has competence to legislate.
A. European Parliament
B. European Commission
C. European Council
D. European Court of Justice
2. A citizens' initiative has to be backed by at leastmillion EU citizens, coming from at least out of the 28 member states.
A. 1 / 7
B. 1 / 5
C. 2 / 7
D. 2 / 5
3. The rules and procedures governing the citizens' initiative are set out in an EU adopted by the European Parliament and the Council of the European Union in February 2011.
A. directive
B. opinion
C. regulation
D. decision
4. A citizens' initiative is possible in where the Commission has the power to propose legislation, for example environment, agriculture, transport or public health.
A. only a number of fields
B. any field
5. The Commission is to propose legislation as a result of an initiative.
A. obliged
B. not obliged
6. All EU citizens (nationals of a Member State) old enough to in the European Parliament elections can sign a citizens' initiative.
A. vote
B. stand as a candidate
7. Citizens' initiatives be run by organisations.
A. cannot
B. can

ANSWERS: European Commission / 1, 7 / regulation / any field / not obliged / vote / cannot