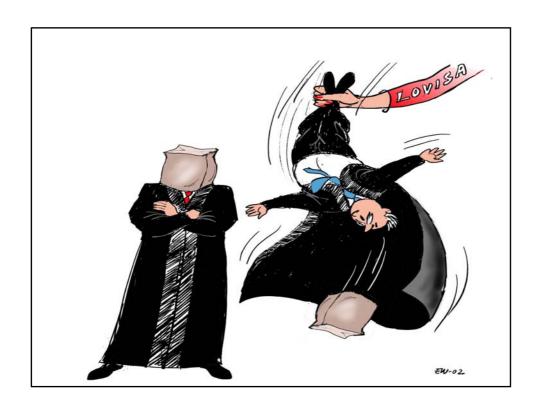


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# Future for the ICT committee of the CCBE ?

Open Discussion



## **FOYEN**

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## **Purpose of ICT committee**

- Support response from the CCBE to proposals emanating from the European Institutions in the field of information technology that might impact upon lawyers
- Respond to developments taking place on an international level that might impact upon lawyers

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# The means of responding externally

- In the form of CCBE position papers
- In the form of participation in fora for discussion of significant issues

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### FOYEN

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## The means of responding internally

- Explain to CCBE members how certain proposals might or do impact on the legal profession
- Create discussion ad see issues affecting the legal profession in the light of our key professional standards
- Suggest issues of interest to bars and law societies in the area of information technology
- Members of the committee should represent the CCBE at meetings organized by the European institutions on the subject of information technology

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#### **FOYEN**

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## What we have done 2005

- E-guidelines for lawyers
- Input to CCBE's position paper on Data retention to protect client/lawyer privilege
- Conference in Madrid

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## **FOYEN**

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## **E-guidelines for lawyers**

- I. Content of e-mail and Internet sites
  - Data
  - Nature of the on-line legal service
  - Links and references to third parties
- II. Lawyer correspondence
  - Deliberate interception and hacking
  - Inadvertent access
  - Viruses and malicious software
  - Electronic mail correspondence between lawyers
- III. Safeguarding personal data: data protection legislation
- IV. Safeguarding copyright
- V. Best practice
- VI. Archiving of electronic documents and e-mails

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