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## NEWS

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**o Greece: Public Consultation of the Hellenic Copyright Organization**

Source: <http://web.opi.gr/portal/page/portal/opi/contact.html/consultation.html>

**o Greece: "Copyright and New Technologies"**

**o WIPO: Standing Committee on Copyright**

Source: <http://www.ip-watch.org/weblog/index.php?p=952>

**o European Commission: Public Hearing on Private Copyright Levies**

Source: [http://ec.europa.eu/internal\\_market/copyright/levy\\_reform/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/internal_market/copyright/levy_reform/index_en.htm)

**o European Commission: Commission survey on IPR enforcement in third countries**

Source: *IPR Helpdesk*

**o European Commission: Says yes to the use of open source software for its computers**

Source: *Endiamesa, Issue no 35*

**o European Parliament: Rejection of proposal to make ISPs shut off suspected pirates**

Source: <http://www.ip-watch.org/weblog/index.php?p=1004>

**o European Commission: The European Commission is holding a conference on counterfeiting and piracy**

Source:

<http://europa.eu/rapid/pressReleasesAction.do?reference=IP/08/652&format=HTML&aged=0&language=EN&guiLanguage=en>

**o Great Britain: Report on internet piracy**

Source: <http://www.variety.com/article/VR1117981753.html?categoryid=13&cs=1>

**o Great Britain: Symbian Patent Application**

Source: [www.allaboutsymbian.com/news/item/6972\\_Symbian\\_wins\\_in\\_High\\_Court\\_Rule](http://www.allaboutsymbian.com/news/item/6972_Symbian_wins_in_High_Court_Rule)

**o Sweden: Supreme Court's rule on advertising breaks during films**

Source: <http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/europe/7304096.stm>

**o France: TFI against You Tube and Daily Motion**

Source: *Endiamesa, Issue no 36*

**o Germany: ATRIP Conference 2008**

Source: <http://www.ip.mpg.de/go/atrip/>

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