## Irish voters to decide fate of EU reform treaty Plans to reform FU institutions could be thrown into disarray when Irish voters go to the polls for a referendum on the Lisbon treaty. All 27 EU nations must ratify the treaty if it is to come into effect in 2009. So far 15 countries have completed that process Sweden Ratified by Ratification parliamentary vote\* in process **IRELAND: Only EU country Finland** to hold referendum as treaty affects its constitution Estonia Denmark Latvia Netherlands Lithuania Belgium Poland Czech Rep. Germany Slovakia Hungary Austria Luxembourg France Romania Slovenia Bulgaria Spain Portugal Italy Greece Malta UK: Government being taken to court by Conservative Party donor Stuart Wheeler Cypru over its refusal to conduct referendum on treaty Source: European Union \*as of June 9, 2008 © GRAPHIC NEWS