

# Quality of petrol and diesel fuels

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The Commission notes that its proposals have been made slightly more stringent by the common position. While, at the same time, the basic structure of the text is very close to its initial proposal. The principle of cost effectiveness is maintained, together with the undertaking to base subsequent proposals on detailed scientific and technical assessments. The Commission also welcomes the fact that the common position has been unanimously supported by the Member States.