

# Procedure file

Basic information	
COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) <a href="#">1996/0305(COD)</a> Directive	Procedure completed
Approximation of the laws of the Member States on machinery (codified version) Repealed by <a href="#">2001/0004(COD)</a>	
Subject 2.10.03 Standardisation, EC/EU standards and trade mark, certification, compliance 3.40.08 Mechanical engineering, machine-tool industry 4.15.15 Health and safety at work, occupational medicine	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	<b>JURI</b> Legal Affairs, Citizens' Rights		
	Former committee responsible		
	<b>JURI</b> Legal Affairs, Citizens' Rights		
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	<a href="#">General Affairs</a>	<a href="#">2097</a>	25/05/1998
	Fisheries	<a href="#">2077</a>	24/03/1998

Key events			
15/01/1997	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
01/09/1997	Vote in committee, 1st reading		
17/09/1997	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	T4-0438/1997	Summary
02/04/1998	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 2nd reading		
14/04/1998	Vote in committee, 2nd reading		
30/04/1998	Decision by Parliament, 2nd reading	T4-0227/1998	Summary
25/05/1998	Act approved by Council, 2nd reading		
22/06/1998	Final act signed		
22/06/1998	End of procedure in Parliament		
23/07/1998	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1996/0305(COD)
Procedure type	COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure)
Procedure subtype	Codification

Legislative instrument	Directive
	Repealed by <a href="#">2001/0004(COD)</a>
Legal basis	EC before Amsterdam E 100A; Rules of Procedure EP 66_o-p4; Rules of Procedure EP 52-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	JURI/4/09935

### Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal	COM(1996)0667	13/12/1996	EC	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	<a href="#">CES0226/1997</a> <a href="#">OJ C 133 28.04.1997, p. 0006</a>	26/02/1997	ESC	Summary
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	T4-0438/1997 <a href="#">OJ C 304 06.10.1997, p. 0075-0079</a>	17/09/1997	EP	Summary
Council position	<a href="#">12080/1/1997</a> <a href="#">OJ C 161 27.05.1998, p. 0054</a>	23/03/1998	CSL	Summary
Commission communication on Council's position	SEC(1998)0566	27/03/1998	EC	Summary
Text adopted by Parliament, 2nd reading	T4-0227/1998 <a href="#">OJ C 152 18.05.1998, p. 0014-0031</a>	30/04/1998	EP	Summary

### Additional information

European Commission	<a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
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### Final act

<a href="#">Directive 1998/37</a> <a href="#">OJ L 207 23.07.1998, p. 0001</a> Summary
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## Approximation of the laws of the Member States on machinery (codified version)

The aim of this proposal is the consolidation of Council Directive 89/392/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to machinery. The new directive will supersede the various directives incorporated in it; their content is fully preserved, and it only brings them together, making only such formal amendments as are required by the codification exercise itself. ?

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The Committee approves the Commission proposal.?

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Parliament approved the proposal (procedure without debate). ?

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This is concerned with consolidation of texts and the common position follows the Commission proposal, adding a number of technical corrections without political content. ?

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The Commission fully endorses the common position. ?

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The European Parliament approved the common position. ?

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OBJECTIVE: consolidation of Directive 89/392/EEC, which has been amended several times. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Directive 98/37/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council. SUBSTANCE: The directive aims to consolidate Council Directive 89/392/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to machinery. The new directive replaces the various directives which have been consolidated. ENTRY INTO FORCE: 12/08/1998. ?