


Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	1998/0177(CNS)	Procedure completed
Research RTD, 5th EC framework-programme 1998-2002: specific programme "quality of life and management of living resources"		
Subject 3.50.02.01 EC, EU framework programme 3.70.01 Protection of natural resources: fauna, flora, nature, wildlife, countryside; biodiversity 4.20 Public health		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	ENER Research, Technological Development and Energy		28/04/1998
		PSE TANNERT Christof	
	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	BUDG Budgets		01/09/1998
		PSE GHILARDOTTI Fiorella	
	RELA External Economic Relations		23/07/1998
		ELDR PLOOIJ-VAN GORSEL Ely	
	ENVI Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
	DEVE Development and Cooperation	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
PECH Fisheries		25/06/1998	
	PPE LANGENHAGEN Brigitte		
FEMM Women's Rights		25/06/1998	
	PSE KARAMANOU Anna		
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	General Affairs	2158	25/01/1999
	Research	2154	22/12/1998
	Research	2123	13/10/1998
	Research	2109	22/06/1998

Key events			
10/06/1998	Legislative proposal published	COM(1998)0305	Summary

22/06/1998	Debate in Council	2109	
15/07/1998	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
13/10/1998	Debate in Council	2123	
26/11/1998	Vote in committee		Summary
26/11/1998	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0451/1998	
14/12/1998	Debate in Parliament		
15/12/1998	Decision by Parliament	T4-0725/1998	Summary
25/01/1999	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
25/01/1999	End of procedure in Parliament		
12/03/1999	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	1998/0177(CNS)
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Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	ENER/4/10298

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal		COM(1998)0305	10/06/1998	EC	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report		CES1140/1998 OJ C 407 28.12.1998, p. 0123	10/09/1998	ESC	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A4-0451/1998 OJ C 098 09.04.1999, p. 0004	26/11/1998	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0725/1998 OJ C 098 09.04.1999, p. 0025-0060	15/12/1998	EP	Summary

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

Decision 1999/167 OJ L 064 12.03.1999, p. 0001 Summary

OBJECTIVE: to adopt a specific programme for research, technological development and demonstration on 'Quality of life and management of living resources' (1998 to 2002). **SUBSTANCE:** with a view to the implementation of the fifth framework programme of R&TD, the Commission proposes adopting a specific programme on 'quality of life and management of living resources' for the period 1998-2002. The amount deemed necessary for the implementation of the specific programme is ECU 2635 m (ECU 547 m for 1998-1999; ECU 2088 m for 2000-2002). The main outlines of the programme are as follows: a) five key actions: - health, food and environmental factors, - control of infectious diseases, - the 'cell factory', - sustainable agriculture, fisheries and forestry, including integrated development of rural areas, - the ageing population; b) research and technological development activities of a generic nature: - chronic and degenerative diseases (e.g. cancer and diabetes), cardiovascular diseases and rare diseases; - research into genomes and diseases of genetic origin; - neurosciences; - public-health and health-services research; - biomedical ethics and bioethics; - socio-economic aspects of life sciences and technologies (impact on employment); c) support for research infrastructures. ?

Research RTD, 5th EC framework-programme 1998-2002: specific programme "quality of life and management of living resources"

The Committee on Research, Technological Development and Energy has adopted the report TANNERT (PES,D) on the specific programme about "the quality of life" and implementing the 5th framework programme. The Committee took on board a Commission proposal for the distribution of the amount foreseen in two periods: one for 1999 (553) and another for 2000-2002 (1860). The EP and the Council could accept an overall amount for EC and Euratom research activities of Ecu 14.960 million, of which Ecu 13.700m for the EC programme and Ecu 1.260m for the Euratom programme. ?

Research RTD, 5th EC framework-programme 1998-2002: specific programme "quality of life and management of living resources"

Following on from the successful conclusion of the conciliation procedure between the Parliament and the Council of Ministers regarding the Fifth Framework Programme (1998-2002), the Parliament then adopted its opinion on the specific RTD programme on the 'quality of life and management of living resources', drafted by Mr. TANNERT (PSE, D). There were several amendments to the Commission's proposal adopted. Some of these relate to the budget : a total budget of 2413 million ECU was agreed. This is broken down into 553 million ECU for the 1998/99 period, and 1860 million ECU for the 2000/02 period. Other amendments were designed to take account of ethical, socio-economic, environmental, and health and safety considerations, as well as of sustainability and gender dimensions. The Parliament also introduced amendments to increase the involvement of SMEs, research centres and universities in the programme. ?

Research RTD, 5th EC framework-programme 1998-2002: specific programme "quality of life and management of living resources"

PURPOSE: to adopt a specific programme for research, technological development and demonstration on quality of life and management of living resources (1998-2002). **COMMUNITY MEASURE:** Council decision 1999/167/EC. **CONTENT:** in accordance with the 5th framework programme for R&D, the amount deemed necessary for carrying out the specific programme is EURO 2,413 million (EURO 553 million for the period 1998 to 1999 and EURO 1,860 million for the period 2000 to 2002). Indicative breakdown (in millions of Euros): a) key actions: - food, nutrition and health: 290 - control of infectious diseases: 300 - the cell factory: 400 - environment and health: 160 - sustainable agriculture, fisheries and forestry and integrated development of rural areas including mountain areas: 520 - the aging population and disabilities: 190 b) research and technological development activities of a generic nature: 483 : - chronic and degenerative diseases (in particular cancer and diabetes), cardiovascular diseases and rare diseases; - research into genomes and diseases of genetic origin; - neurosciences; - public health and health services research; - research relating to the disabled; - study of problems relating to medical ethics and bioethics in the context of respect for fundamental human values; - study of the socioeconomic aspects of life sciences and technologies within the perspective of sustainable development (the impact of society, economy and employment). c) support for research infrastructures : 70. ?