

Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	2000/0047(CNS)	Procedure completed
Agricultural prices 2000/2001: sugar price, standard quality of beet		
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Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	AGRI Agriculture and Rural Development		19/10/1999
		PPE-DE JEGGLE Elisabeth	
	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	BUDG Budgets		22/09/1999
		ELDR MULDER Jan	
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	Agriculture and Fisheries	2276	19/06/2000

Key events			
29/02/2000	Legislative proposal published	COM(2000)0077	Summary
17/03/2000	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
18/04/2000	Vote in committee		Summary
18/04/2000	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0115/2000	
15/05/2000	Debate in Parliament		
16/05/2000	Decision by Parliament	T5-0206/2000	Summary
19/06/2000	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		Summary
19/06/2000	End of procedure in Parliament		
29/06/2000	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2000/0047(CNS)

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Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed

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Legislative proposal		COM(2000)0077	29/02/2000	EC	Summary
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Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report		CES0485/2000 OJ C 168 16.06.2000, p. 0017	27/04/2000	ESC	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T5-0206/2000 OJ C 059 23.02.2001, p. 0019-0048	16/05/2000	EP	Summary

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

Regulation 2000/1363 OJ L 156 29.06.2000, p. 0001 Summary
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Agricultural prices 2000/2001: sugar price, standard quality of beet

PURPOSE: the setting of certain sugar prices and the standard quality of beet for the 2000/2001 marketing year. CONTENT: As a result of the decisions on Agenda 2000 in May 1999 and the reforms of the common market organisations (CMOs) since 1992, the yearly fixing of institutional prices and amounts now affects only a few sectors. This is the last marketing year of the current production quota regime and the Commission is proposing that the basic price for beet, the intervention price for white sugar and the manufacturing margin be frozen. The minimum prices for A beet and B beet therefore remain unchanged (they are derived for the basic price for beet by applying a levy of 2% and 30% respectively). However, the actual minimum price for B beet will ultimately depend on the final rate of the levy on B beet to be fixed later by the Management Committee procedure (in accordance with Art. 33 of Regulation 2038/99/EC). The Commission is proposing that the amount of the monthly reimbursement of storage costs be kept at EUR 0.33 per 100 kg in view of the stable interest rates prevailing in the Community. The Commission notes that, in accordance with Art. 26 of the basic Regulation, it may have to reduce the production quotas for the 2000/2001 marketing year if the GATT constraints so require. The change in appropriation requirements compared to those on which the budget was based is +EUR 30 million. The increase of EUR 30 million results from a slight downward revision to the forecast world market price for sugar for 1999/2000 to \$187/tonne and a consequent increase in the rate of export refund from EUR 525/tonne to EUR 535/tonne. The proposal also updates the committee procedures into line with Council Decision 1999/468/EC of 28 June 1999 laying down the procedures for the exercise of implementing powers conferred on the Commission.?

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The European Parliament adopted the report drafted by Elisabeth Jeggle (EPP/ED, Germany) on the farm-price package for 2000/2001. It amended the Commission's proposal fixing certain sugar prices and the standard quality of beet by stating that the additional costs of EU foreign policy should not be financed from the sugar sector alone nor from the agricultural sector alone. The Commission must present a proposal for the revision of the common market organisation of the sugar sector before the Council takes a decision on the agricultural prices for the 2000/2001 marketing year.?

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Following discussion of Commission proposals on setting prices for agricultural products the Council adopted the Regulations concerning sugar (by a qualified majority) and pigmeat (see Annex I) since they were urgent, and noted that there were problems with the other products;

it agreed to resume consideration of this subject at its next meeting. The Spanish delegation regretted that no solution had been found as regards its repeated request for a support system for nuts, during the current discussion of agricultural prices for the 2000/2001 marketing year.?

Agricultural prices 2000/2001: sugar price, standard quality of beet

PURPOSE: to fix certain sugar prices and the standard quality of beet for the 2000/2001 marketing year. **COMMUNITY MEASURE:** Council Regulation 1363/2000/EC fixing certain sugar prices and the standard quality of beet for the 2000/2001 marketing year. **CONTENT:** The Council formally adopted the Regulation on the fixing of certain sugar prices and the standard quality of beet. For the last marketing year of the current production quota regime, the basic price for beet, the intervention price for white sugar and the manufacturing margin are frozen. Consequently, the minimum prices for A beet and B beet remain unchanged (they equal 98% and 68% of the basic price respectively). However, it should be noted that the actual minimum price for B beet will ultimately depend on the final rate of the levy on B beet, which will be fixed later by the Management Committee procedure (in accordance with Article 33 of Regulation 99/2038/EC). The reimbursement of storage costs will be kept at EUR 0,33 per 100 kg. **ENTRY INTO FORCE:** This Regulation shall enter into force on 02.07.2000 and shall apply for the 2000/2001 marketing year. ?