

# Procedure file

| Basic information  |                                |                               |
|--|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| CNS - Consultation procedure<br>Regulation   | <a href="#">2001/0096(CNS)</a> | Procedure lapsed or withdrawn |
| Common fisheries policy: control system and recovery plan for stocks                 |                                |                               |
| Subject<br>3.15.07 Fisheries inspectorate, surveillance of fishing vessels and areas |                                |                               |

| Key players                   |   |              |
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| European Parliament           |   |              |
| Council of the European Union |   |              |
| European Commission           | Commission DG<br><a href="#">Maritime Affairs and Fisheries</a> | Commissioner |

| Key events |  |               |         |
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| 26/04/2001 | Legislative proposal published             | COM(2001)0201 | Summary |
| 17/05/2001 | Committee referral announced in Parliament |               |         |
| 17/03/2006 | Additional information                     |               | Summary |

| Technical information      |                                    |
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| Procedure reference        | 2001/0096(CNS)                     |
| Procedure type             | CNS - Consultation procedure       |
| Procedure subtype          | Legislation                        |
| Legislative instrument     | Regulation                         |
| Legal basis                | EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 037 |
| Stage reached in procedure | Procedure lapsed or withdrawn      |
| Committee dossier          | PECH/5/14699                       |

| Documentation gateway |  |   |            |    |         |
|-----------------------|--|---|------------|----|---------|
| Legislative proposal  |  | COM(2001)0201<br><a href="#">OJ C 213 31.07.2001, p. 0245 E</a> | 27/04/2001 | EC | Summary |

| Additional information |                         |
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| European Commission    | <a href="#">EUR-Lex</a> |

## Common fisheries policy: control system and recovery plan for stocks

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PURPOSE : to amend Regulation 2847/93/EEC establishing a control system applicable to the common fisheries policy. CONTENT : in November 2000, the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (ICES) indicated that certain stocks were at serious risk of collapse. The Commission and the Council noted the need to establish a recovery plan for those stocks. To ensure the success of the new conservation and management measures, measures must be laid down to control fishing of those stocks. Therefore, the aim of this proposal is to amend Regulation 2847/93/EEC establishing a control system applicable to the common fisheries policy so as to introduce these new control measures which will ensure better compliance with the quotas. The planned amendment involves Article 21 on the suspension of fishing activities, to provide for: - an obligation on the flag Member States to provisionally prohibit, from the date of suspension of the quota, the use by its vessels of fishing gear likely to induce catches of a stock or groups of stocks subject to a recovery plan; - an obligation on the Commission, when it prohibits fishing due to exhaustion of a quota by a Member State, to prohibit on the same date the use or keeping on board of fishing gear likely to induce catches of a stock or groups subject to a recovery plan. ?

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?Following the screening exercise of proposals pending undertaken as part of its effort for better regulation in the framework of the Partnership for Growth and Jobs in the European Union, the Commission has decided to withdraw certain proposals on which the Legislator has not yet reached a decision and which were found not to be consistent with the Lisbon and Better Regulation criteria, unlikely to make further progress in the legislative process or found to be no longer topical for objective reasons?. (OJ C64 of 17.03.2006, pages 3-10).