

Procedure file

Basic information	
CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	2001/0200(CNS) Procedure completed
Marketing of fishery products: scheme to compensate for extra costs due to remoteness of Azores, Madeira, Canary Islands, Guyana, Réunion; extending the scheme until 31 December 2002	
Amending Regulation (EC) No 1587/98 1997/0200(CNS)	
Subject 3.15.06 Fishing industry and statistics, fishery products 4.70.06 Outlying and outermost regions, overseas countries and territories	
Geographical area Portugal Spain France Réunion	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	PECH Fisheries		09/10/2001
		PSE LAGE Carlos	
	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	BUDG Budgets	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
	JURI Legal Affairs and Internal Market		07/01/2002
		UEN CROWLEY Brian	
	RETT Regional Policy, Transport and Tourism	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Transport, Telecommunications and Energy	2420	25/03/2002
European Commission	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	Maritime Affairs and Fisheries		

Key events			
04/09/2001	Legislative proposal published	COM(2001)0498	Summary
01/10/2001	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
20/02/2002	Vote in committee		Summary
20/02/2002	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0041/2002	

14/03/2002	Debate in Parliament		
14/03/2002	Decision by Parliament	T5-0119/2002	Summary
25/03/2002	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
25/03/2002	End of procedure in Parliament		
05/04/2002	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	2001/0200(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
	Amending Regulation (EC) No 1587/98 1997/0200(CNS)
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 037
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PECH/5/15098

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal	COM(2001)0498 OJ C 332 27.11.2001, p. 0247 E	04/09/2001	EC	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0041/2002	20/02/2002	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	T5-0119/2002 OJ C 047 27.02.2003, p. 0418-0572 E	14/03/2002	EP	Summary

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

Regulation 2002/579 OJ L 089 05.04.2002, p. 0001-0002 Summary

Marketing of fishery products: scheme to compensate for extra costs due to remoteness of Azores, Madeira, Canary Islands, Guyana, Réunion; extending the scheme until 31 December 2002

PURPOSE: to extend Regulation 1587/98 by one year. **CONTENT:** In 1998 the Council adopted a Regulation aimed at compensating the Azores, Madeira, the Canary Islands and the French departments of Guyana and Réunion for additional costs incurred in the marketing of certain fishery products as a result of their remoteness. The Regulation is set to last from 1 January 1998 to 31 December 2001. Under the conditions of the Regulation, the Commission must submit a report on the implementation of the measures, and where appropriate, propose any necessary changes to achieve the objectives of the Regulation. The Commission however, has decided that it needs to carry out a detailed evaluation, with the aid of external consultants, on the impact of the measure and the costs incurred by fishing enterprises as a result of their remoteness. The Commission therefore seeks to extend the Regulation by a further year. This would allow for the continuity of the legal framework as well as allowing the Commission to integrate the results of the evaluation in its next report.?

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The committee adopted the report by Carlos LAGE (PES, P) amending the proposal slightly under the consultation procedure. It took the view that the conditions which gave rise to the additional costs were not likely to change, since they stemmed from the particular situation of the outermost regions, and that there was therefore a need for a permanent scheme, based on Article 299(2) of the Treaty, with regular adjustment. It should be possible, in certain cases, to reassign funds which were not used for certain species or products to other species or products, within the overall funding laid down in the regulation. To improve the information supplied to Parliament, the committee also called on the Commission to send Parliament a copy of the study carried out by external consultants on the impact of all Community measures adopted to date in the fisheries sector for the outermost regions.?

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The European Parliament adopted the resolution drafted by Carlos LAGE (PES, Portugal). (Please refer to the document dated 20/02/02). Parliament added that the extension of the scheme must not prevent specific adjustments without entailing any change to the overall financial provisions set out in the Regulation for each of the outermost regions.?

Marketing of fishery products: scheme to compensate for extra costs due to remoteness of Azores, Madeira, Canary Islands, Guyana, Réunion; extending the scheme until 31 December 2002

PURPOSE : to compensate certain outermost regions for additional costs in the marketing of fishery products. COMMUNITY MEASURE : Council Regulation 579/2002/EC amending Regulation 1587/98/EC introducing a scheme to compensate for the additional costs incurred in the marketing of certain fishery products from the Azores, Madeira, the Canary Islands and the French departments of Guiana and Reunion as a result of those regions' remoteness. CONTENT : In 1998, the Council adopted a Regulation introducing a scheme to compensate the above-named regions for the additional costs incurred in the marketing of certain fishery products. The scheme expires on 31 December 2001. After carrying out a detailed evaluation, and as part of the debate on the future of the common fisheries policy, the Commission will submit a report on the implementation of the Regulation, together with a new proposal, if appropriate. This regulation provides for the scheme to be extended for one year, to ensure the continuity of the legal framework of the scheme. It also provides that the Commission may adjust the quantities set for the various species to take account of changes in marketing conditions and characteristics. ENTRY INTO FORCE : 12/04/02.?