

# Procedure file

Basic information	
COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Directive	2003/0094(COD) Procedure completed
Electrical industry: Community law on equipment subject to voltage limits (repeal. Directive 73/23/EEC). Codification	
Repealed by <a href="#">2011/0357(COD)</a>	
Subject 3.40.06 Electronics, electrotechnical industries, ICT, robotics	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	<b>JURI</b> Legal Affairs and Internal Market		07/07/2003
		PPE-DE <a href="#">GARGANI Giuseppe</a>	
	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	<b>ITRE</b> Industry, External Trade, Research, Energy	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	<a href="#">Education, Youth, Culture and Sport</a>	<a href="#">2762</a>	13/11/2006
European Commission	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	<a href="#">Legal Service</a>	BARROSO José Manuel	

Key events			
12/05/2003	Legislative proposal published	<a href="#">COM(2003)0252</a>	Summary
15/05/2003	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
07/10/2003	Vote in committee, 1st reading		Summary
07/10/2003	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	<a href="#">A5-0338/2003</a>	
21/10/2003	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	<a href="#">T5-0434/2003</a>	Summary
13/11/2006	Act adopted by Council after Parliament's 1st reading		
12/12/2006	Final act signed		
12/12/2006	End of procedure in Parliament		
27/12/2006	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2003/0094(COD)
Procedure type	COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure)
Procedure subtype	Codification

Legislative instrument	Directive
	Repealed by <a href="#">2011/0357(COD)</a>
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 095
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	JURI/5/19584

### Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal	<a href="#">COM(2003)0252</a>	12/05/2003	EC	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	<a href="#">CES1161/2003</a> <a href="#">OJ C 010 14.01.2004, p. 0006</a>	24/09/2003	ESC	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	<a href="#">A5-0338/2003</a>	07/10/2003	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	<a href="#">T5-0434/2003</a> OJ C 082 01.04.2004, p. 0024-0068 E	21/10/2003	EP	Summary
Draft final act	<a href="#">03638/3/2006</a>	12/12/2006	CSL	

### Additional information

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

[Directive 2006/95](#)  
[OJ L 374 27.12.2006, p. 0010](#) Summary

## Electrical industry: Community law on equipment subject to voltage limits (repeal. Directive 73/23/EEC). Codification

**PURPOSE** : to codify the EU Directive on the harmonisation of the laws of Member States relating to electrical equipment designed for use within certain voltage limits. **CONTENT** : the basis for this proposal lies in the various measures the EU has adopted to try and codify legislation in the event of ten (or less) amendments being made to initial legislative acts. It recommends the codification of Directive 73/23/EEC on the harmonisation of the laws of Member States relating to electrical equipment designed for use within certain voltage limits. The new Directive will supersede the various Directives incorporated in it. Their content is fully preserved and they are brought together with only such formal amendments as are required by the codification exercise itself. The proposal follows preliminary consultation in all official languages. In so far as the Articles have been given new numbers, the correlation between the old and the new number is shown in a table contained in an Annex to the codified Directive.?

## Electrical industry: Community law on equipment subject to voltage limits (repeal. Directive 73/23/EEC). Codification

The committee adopted the report by its chairman, Giuseppe GARGANI (EPP-ED, I) approving the codification proposal unamended at 1st reading (codecision procedure).?

## Electrical industry: Community law on equipment subject to voltage limits (repeal. Directive 73/23/EEC). Codification

The European Parliament adopted a resolution drafted by Giuseppe GARGANI (EPP-ED, Italy) and approved the Commission's proposal.?

## Electrical industry: Community law on equipment subject to voltage limits (repeal. Directive

## 73/23/EEC). Codification

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PURPOSE: codification of legislation.

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Directive 2006/95/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the harmonisation of the laws of Member States relating to electrical equipment designed for use within certain voltage limits (codified version).

CONTENT: the purpose of this Directive is to undertake a codification of Directive 73/23/EEC on the harmonisation of the laws of Member States relating to electrical equipment designed for use within certain voltage limits. The new Directive will supersede the various acts incorporated in it. Their content is fully preserved and they are brought together with only such formal amendments as are required by the codification exercise itself.

ENTRY INTO FORCE : 16/01/2007.