

Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	2003/0212(CNS)	Procedure completed
Agricultural prices 2004/2005: aid for seeds (derog. Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71)		
Subject 3.10.06 Crop products in general, floriculture 3.10.14 Support for producers and premiums		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	AGRI Agriculture and Rural Development		07/10/2003
		PPE-DE DAUL Joseph	
	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	BUDG Budgets		07/10/2003
		ELDR MULDER Jan	
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Agriculture and Fisheries	2555	17/12/2003
European Commission	Commission DG Agriculture and Rural Development	Commissioner	

Key events			
22/09/2003	Legislative proposal published	COM(2003)0552	Summary
08/10/2003	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
25/11/2003	Vote in committee		Summary
25/11/2003	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0416/2003	
16/12/2003	Decision by Parliament	T5-0556/2003	Summary
17/12/2003	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
17/12/2003	End of procedure in Parliament		
31/12/2003	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	2003/0212(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 52-p1; EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 037
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	AGRI/5/20112

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal	COM(2003)0552	22/09/2003	EC	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	CES1604/2003 OJ C 080 30.03.2004, p. 0059-0060	10/11/2003	ESC	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0416/2003	25/11/2003	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	T5-0556/2003 OJ C 091 15.04.2004, p. 0025-0064 E	16/12/2003	EP	Summary

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

[Regulation 2003/2323](#)
[OJ L 345 31.12.2003, p. 0021-0023](#) Summary

Agricultural prices 2004/2005: aid for seeds (derog. Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71)

PURPOSE : on setting aid rates in the seed sector in the 2004/05 marketing year. PROPOSED ACT : Council Regulation. CONTENT : this proposal comes about as a result of the reform of the common agricultural policy. Article 3 of Council Regulation 2358/71/EEC on the common organisation of the market in seeds has been abolished with effect from the 2005/06 marketing year as part of the reform of the common agricultural policy, which also covers the seeds sector. Accordingly, by derogation from Article 3, any production aid for seeds should be set solely for the 2004/05 marketing year. Since the situation on the EU market and its probable development are not such as to ensure producers a fair income, the Commission proposes that production aid should be granted for the marketing year in question. The aid rates for the 2004/05 marketing year are set out in the Annex to the draft Regulation. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS : - budget line: B1- 180; - appropriations: EUR 110 million; - expenditure : EUR 109 million. There are no additional costs involved. The proposal keeps the aid rates for seeds for 2004/05 at the same level as for the preceding marketing years.?

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The committee adopted the report by its chairman, Joseph DAUL (EPP-ED, F) approving the proposal without amendment under the consultation procedure.?

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The European Parliament adopted a resolution drafted by Joseph DAUL (EPP-ED, France) and approved the proposal.?

Agricultural prices 2004/2005: aid for seeds (derog. Regulation (EEC) No 2358/71)

PURPOSE : to set aid rates in the seeds sector for the 2004/2005 marketing year. LEGISLATIVE ACT : Council Regulation 2323/2003/EC

setting aid rates in the seeds sector for the 2004/05 marketing year. CONTENT : the Council unanimously adopted a Regulation setting aid rates in the seeds sector for the 2004/2005 marketing year. The purpose of the Regulation is to set the aid rates for the 2004/2005 marketing year in a transitional context pending entry into force of the reform of the CMO for seeds, under which production aid for seeds will be incorporated into the single payment scheme as from the 2005/2006 marketing year. Since the situation on the European Union market and its probable development are not such as to ensure producers a fair income, production aid should be granted for the marketing year in question. ENTRY INTO FORCE : 03/01/2004.?