


# Procedure file

Basic information	
COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Directive	2006/0071(COD) Procedure completed
Intellectual property: term of protection of copyright and certain related rights (repeal. Directive 93/98/EEC). Codification	
Amended by <a href="#">2008/0157(COD)</a>	
Subject 3.50.15 Intellectual property, copyright	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	<b>JURI</b> Legal Affairs		21/06/2006
		PPE-DE <a href="#">GARGANI Giuseppe</a>	
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	<a href="#">Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs2767</a>		30/11/2006
European Commission	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	<a href="#">Legal Service</a>	BARROSO José Manuel	

Key events			
18/05/2006	Legislative proposal published	<a href="#">COM(2006)0219</a>	Summary
01/06/2006	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
12/09/2006	Vote in committee, 1st reading		Summary
09/10/2006	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	<a href="#">A6-0323/2006</a>	
12/10/2006	Results of vote in Parliament		
12/10/2006	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	<a href="#">T6-0404/2006</a>	Summary
30/11/2006	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
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Procedure reference	2006/0071(COD)
Procedure type	COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codification procedure)
Procedure subtype	Codification
Legislative instrument	Directive
	Amended by <a href="#">2008/0157(COD)</a>
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 055; EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 095; EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 047-p2
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	JURI/6/37075

### Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal	<a href="#">COM(2006)0219</a>	19/05/2006	EC	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	<a href="#">A6-0323/2006</a>	09/10/2006	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	<a href="#">T6-0404/2006</a>	12/10/2006	EP	Summary
Draft final act	<a href="#">03643/2/2006</a>	12/12/2006	CSL	

### Additional information

National parliaments	<a href="#">IPEX</a>
European Commission	<a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>

### Final act

[Directive 2006/116](#)  
[OJ L 372 27.12.2006, p. 0012-0018](#) Summary

## Intellectual property: term of protection of copyright and certain related rights (repeal. Directive 93/98/EEC). Codification

**PURPOSE:** to codify a Directive on the term of protection of copyright and certain related rights.

**PROPOSED ACT:** Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council.

**CONTENT:** the purpose of this proposal is to undertake a codification of Council Directive 93/98/EEC harmonising the term of protection of copyright and certain related rights. This is being done in accordance with EU provisions for the simplification and clarification of EU law given that Directive 93/98/EEC has been subject to numerous amendments.

The new Directive will supersede the various acts incorporated in it whilst fully preserving the content of the acts being codified. It does no more than bring them together with only such formal amendments as are required by the codification exercise itself.

## Intellectual property: term of protection of copyright and certain related rights (repeal. Directive 93/98/EEC). Codification

The committee adopted the report by its chairman, Giuseppe GARGANI (EPP-ED, IT), approving unamended (under the codecision procedure) the codified version of the proposed directive on the term of protection of copyright and certain related rights.

## Intellectual property: term of protection of copyright and certain related rights (repeal. Directive 93/98/EEC). Codification

The European Parliament adopted the resolution drafted by Giuseppe GARGANI (EPP-ED, IT), and approved the codified version of the proposed directive on the term of protection of copyright and certain related rights.

## Intellectual property: term of protection of copyright and certain related rights (repeal. Directive 93/98/EEC). Codification

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**PURPOSE:** to codify Council Directive 93/98/EEC.

**LEGISLATIVE ACT:** Directive 2006/116/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the term of protection of copyright and certain related rights (codified version).

**CONTENT:** the purpose of this proposal is to undertake a codification of Council Directive 93/98/EEC harmonising the term of protection of copyright and certain related rights. This is being done in accordance with EU provisions for the simplification and clarification of EU law given that Directive 93/98/EEC has been subject to numerous amendments.

The new Directive supersedes the various acts incorporated in it whilst fully preserving the content of the acts being codified. It does no more than bring them together with only such formal amendments as are required by the codification exercise itself.