


# Procedure file

Basic information	
COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Regulation	2007/0260(COD) Procedure completed
Fishing in certain areas other than those of the North Atlantic: nominal catch statistics by Member States. Recast	
Repealing Regulation (EC) No 2597/95 Amended by	<a href="#">1994/0198(CNS)</a> <a href="#">2012/0343(COD)</a>
Subject	
3.15.05 Fish catches, import tariff quotas	
3.15.06 Fishing industry and statistics, fishery products	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	<b>JURI</b> Legal Affairs		19/12/2007
		PPE-DE <a href="#">SZÁJER József</a>	
	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	<b>PECH</b> Fisheries		19/12/2007
		ALDE <a href="#">MORILLON Philippe</a>	
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	<a href="#">Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)</a>	<a href="#">2927</a>	26/02/2009
European Commission	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	<a href="#">Legal Service</a>	BARROSO José Manuel	

Key events			
29/11/2007	Legislative proposal published	<a href="#">COM(2007)0760</a>	Summary
19/02/2008	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
28/05/2008	Vote in committee, 1st reading		Summary
04/06/2008	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	<a href="#">A6-0218/2008</a>	
17/06/2008	Results of vote in Parliament		
17/06/2008	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	<a href="#">T6-0274/2008</a>	Summary
26/02/2009	Act adopted by Council after Parliament's 1st reading		
11/03/2009	Final act signed		

11/03/2009	End of procedure in Parliament		
31/03/2009	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
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Procedure subtype	Recast
Legislative instrument	Regulation
	Repealing Regulation (EC) No 2597/95 <a href="#">1994/0198(CNS)</a> Amended by <a href="#">2012/0343(COD)</a>
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 285-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	JURI/6/57059

Documentation gateway					
For information		<a href="#">COM(2007)0740</a>	23/11/2007	EC	
Legislative proposal		<a href="#">COM(2007)0760</a>	29/11/2007	EC	Summary
Committee opinion	PECH	<a href="#">PE402.573</a>	03/04/2008	EP	
Committee draft report		<a href="#">PE405.792</a>	05/05/2008	EP	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		<a href="#">A6-0218/2008</a>	04/06/2008	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		<a href="#">T6-0274/2008</a>	17/06/2008	EP	Summary
Draft final act		<a href="#">03620/2008/LEX</a>	11/03/2009	CSL	
Follow-up document		<a href="#">COM(2018)0016</a>	12/01/2018	EC	
Follow-up document		COM(2023)0163	24/03/2023	EC	

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

Final act
<a href="#">Regulation 2009/216</a> <a href="#">OJ L 087 31.03.2009, p. 0001</a> Summary Final legislative act with provisions for delegated acts

## Fishing in certain areas other than those of the North Atlantic: nominal catch statistics by Member States. Recast

PURPOSE: recast of Council Regulation (EC) No 2597/95 on the submission of nominal catch statistics by Member States fishing in certain areas other than those of the North Atlantic.

PROPOSED ACT: Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council.

CONTENT: the codification of Council Regulation (EC) No 2597/95 has been initiated by the Commission. The new Regulation was to have superseded the various acts incorporated in it. In the meantime Council Decision 1999/468/EC laying down the procedures for the exercise of implementing powers conferred on the Commission has been amended by Decision 2006/512/EC, which introduced a regulatory procedure with scrutiny for measures of general scope designed to amend nonessential elements of a basic instrument adopted in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 251 of the Treaty (the co-decision procedure), including by deleting some of those elements or by supplementing the instrument by the addition of new non-essential elements.

In accordance with the joint statement of the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on Decision 2006/512/EC, for this new procedure to be applicable to instruments adopted in accordance with the co-decision procedure which are already in force, those instruments must be adjusted in accordance with the applicable procedures.

The Commission feels that it is therefore appropriate to transform the codification of Regulation (EC) No 2597/95 into a recast in order to incorporate the amendments necessary for the adjustment to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

On comitology, the text now states that power should be conferred on the Commission to adapt the lists of statistical fishing areas, or subdivisions thereof, and species. Since those measures are of general scope and are designed to amend non-essential elements of this Regulation, they should be adopted in accordance with the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

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The Committee on Legal Affairs adopted the report by József SZAJER (EPP-ED, HU) approving, under 1<sup>st</sup> reading of the codecision procedure, the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the submission of nominal catch statistics by Member States fishing in certain areas other than those of the North Atlantic (recast).

Although the proposal was not the subject to any formal amendments by the committee, it incorporates the recommendations of the Consultative Working Party of the legal services of Parliament, the Council and the Commission.

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The European Parliament adopted, by 656 votes to 8 with 20 abstentions, a legislative resolution approving, under 1<sup>st</sup> reading of the codecision procedure, the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the submission of nominal catch statistics by Member States fishing in certain areas other than those of the North Atlantic (recast).

The report had been tabled for consideration in plenary by József SZAJER (EPP-ED, HU) on behalf of the Committee on Legal Affairs.

The proposal is approved as adapted to the recommendations of the Consultative Working Party of the Legal Services of the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission.

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PURPOSE: recast of Council Regulation (EC) No 2597/95 on the submission of nominal catch statistics by Member States fishing in certain areas other than those of the North Atlantic.

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Regulation (EC) No 216/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the submission of nominal catch statistics by Member States fishing in certain areas other than those of the North Atlantic (recast).

CONTENT: the codification of Council Regulation (EC) No 2597/95 was initiated by the Commission. Before codification could be completed, Council Decision 1999/468/EC laying down the procedures for the exercise of implementing powers conferred on the Commission was amended by Decision 2006/512/EC, which introduced a regulatory procedure with scrutiny. In accordance with the joint statement of the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on Decision 2006/512/EC, for this new procedure to be applicable to instruments adopted in accordance with the co-decision procedure which are already in force, those instruments must be adjusted in accordance with the applicable procedures.

Accordingly, this Regulation recasts Regulation (EC) No 2597/95 in order to incorporate the amendments necessary for the adjustment to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

On comitology, the text now states that power should be conferred on the Commission to adapt the lists of statistical fishing areas, or subdivisions thereof, and species. Since those measures are of general scope and are designed to amend non-essential elements of this Regulation, they should be adopted in accordance with the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 20/04/2009.