


Procedure file

Basic information	
COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Directive	2007/0288(COD) Procedure completed
Statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea. Recast	
Repealing Directive 95/64/EC Amended by	1994/0159(CNS) 2010/0041(COD)
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Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	JURI Legal Affairs		19/12/2007
	Committee for opinion	PPE-DE SZÁJER József	Appointed
	TRAN Transport and Tourism	Rapporteur for opinion	The committee decided not to give an opinion.
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Agriculture and Fisheries	2937	23/04/2009
European Commission	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	Legal Service	BARROSO José Manuel	

Key events			
20/12/2007	Legislative proposal published	COM(2007)0859	Summary
19/02/2008	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
26/06/2008	Vote in committee, 1st reading		Summary
03/07/2008	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	A6-0288/2008	
21/10/2008	Results of vote in Parliament		
21/10/2008	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	T6-0500/2008	Summary
23/04/2009	Act adopted by Council after Parliament's 1st reading		
06/05/2009	Final act signed		
06/05/2009	End of procedure in Parliament		
06/06/2009	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	

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Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	JURI/6/57792

Documentation gateway

For information	COM(2007)0740	23/11/2007	EC	
Legislative proposal	COM(2007)0859	21/12/2007	EC	Summary
Committee draft report	PE407.765	06/06/2008	EP	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A6-0288/2008	03/07/2008	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	T6-0500/2008	21/10/2008	EP	Summary
Commission response to text adopted in plenary	SP(2008)6664	12/11/2008	EC	
Draft final act	03715/2008/LEX	06/05/2009	CSL	

Additional information

National parliaments	IPEX
European Commission	EUR-Lex

Final act

[Directive 2009/42](#)
[OJ L 141 06.06.2009, p. 0029](#) Summary

Final legislative act with provisions for delegated acts

Delegated acts

2013/2798(DEA)	Examination of delegated act
2018/2686(DEA)	Examination of delegated act

Statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea. Recast

PURPOSE: recast of Council Directive 95/64/EC on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea (adapted to the new regulatory procedure with scrutiny).

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

CONTENT: the codification of Council Directive 95/64/EC of 8 December 1995 on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea has been initiated by the Commission. The new Directive 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 (comitology) has been amended by Decision 2006/512/EC, which introduced a regulatory procedure with scrutiny for measures of general scope designed to amend non-essential elements of a basic instrument adopted in accordance with the co-decision procedure.

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, those instruments must be adjusted in accordance with the applicable procedures.

It is therefore proposed to transform the codification of Directive 95/64/EC into a recast in order to incorporate the amendments necessary for the adjustment to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

Statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea. Recast

The Committee on Legal Affairs adopted a report drafted by József SZÁJER (EPP-ED, HU), and approved, in 1st reading of the codecision procedure, the proposal for a directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea (recast). It made two amendments in order to clarify the provisions on comitology. The proposal was approved as adapted to the recommendations of the Consultative Working Party of the Legal Services of the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission.

Statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea. Recast

The European Parliament adopted, by 653 votes to 16 with 13 abstentions, under 1st reading of the codecision procedure, a legislative resolution approving the proposal for a directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea (recast). The report had been tabled for consideration in plenary by József SZÁJER (EPP-ED, HU), on behalf of the Legal Affairs Committee. The Commission proposal was approved as adapted to the recommendations of the Consultative Working Party of the Legal Services of the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission. According to the Consultative Working Party, the proposal in question does not include any substantive amendments other than those identified as such in the proposal and, as regards the codification of the unchanged provisions of the earlier acts together with those amendments, the proposal contains a straightforward codification of the existing texts, without any change in their substance.

Statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea. Recast

PURPOSE: recast of Council Directive 95/64/EC on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea (adaption to the new regulatory procedure with scrutiny).

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Directive 2009/42/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea (recast).

CONTENT: following a first reading agreement with the Parliament, the Council adopted this Regulation which recasts legislation on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea. The codification of Council Directive 95/64/EC on statistical returns in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea was initiated by the Commission, when Council Decision 1999/468/EC laying down the procedures for the exercise of implementing powers conferred on the Commission (comitology) was amended by Decision 2006/512/EC, which introduced a regulatory procedure with scrutiny for measures of general scope designed to amend non-essential elements of a basic instrument adopted in accordance with the co-decision procedure.

Accordingly, the codification of Directive 95/64/EC was transformed into a recast in order to incorporate the amendments necessary for the adjustment to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

The new elements introduced into this Directive only concern the committee procedures. They therefore do not need to be transposed by the Member States.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 26/06/2009.