


# Procedure file

Basic information	
COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Directive	2008/0005(COD) Procedure completed
Textile names. Recast	
Repealing Directive 96/74/EC Repealed by	<a href="#">1994/0005(COD)</a> <a href="#">2009/0006(COD)</a>
Subject	3.40.10 Textile and clothing industry, leathers

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>IMCO</b> Internal Market and Consumer Protection		31/01/2008
		PSE <a href="#">MEDINA ORTEGA Manuel</a>	
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	<a href="#">Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs2916</a>		16/12/2008
European Commission	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	<a href="#">Legal Service</a>	BARROSO José Manuel	

Key events			
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="#">A6-0215/2008</a>	
17/06/2008	Results of vote in Parliament		
17/06/2008	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	<a href="#">T6-0277/2008</a>	Summary
16/12/2008	Act adopted by Council after Parliament's 1st reading		
14/01/2009	Final act signed		
14/01/2009	End of procedure in Parliament		
23/01/2009	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2008/0005(COD)
Procedure type	COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure)

Procedure subtype	Recast
Legislative instrument	Directive
	Repealing Directive 96/74/EC <a href="#">1994/0005(COD)</a> Repealed by <a href="#">2009/0006(COD)</a>
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 095
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	JURI/6/58180

### Documentation gateway

For information	<a href="#">COM(2007)0740</a>	23/11/2007	EC	
Legislative proposal	<a href="#">COM(2007)0870</a>	11/01/2008	EC	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	<a href="#">CES0264/2008</a>	13/02/2008	ESC	
Committee draft report	<a href="#">PE405.793</a>	05/05/2008	EP	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	<a href="#">A6-0215/2008</a>	04/06/2008	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	<a href="#">T6-0277/2008</a>	17/06/2008	EP	Summary
Draft final act	<a href="#">03650/2008/LEX</a>	14/01/2009	CSL	

### Additional information

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

### Final act

[Directive 2008/121](#)  
[OJ L 019 23.01.2009, p. 0029](#) Summary

## Textile names. Recast

PURPOSE: to recast the Directive on textile names.

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

CONTENT: to recall, the Commission proposed to codify Directive 96/74/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on textile names. The new Directive was to have superseded the various acts incorporated in it. Since the codification of textile names was first proposed, however, a new act was adopted that applies a new implementing procedure: the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

The purpose of this proposal, therefore, is to transform the codification of Directive 96/74/EC into a recast in order to incorporate the amendments needed to include the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

## Textile names. Recast

The Committee on Legal Affairs adopted the report by József SZAJER (EPP-ED, HU) approving, at first reading of the codecision procedure, the proposal for a directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on textile names (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.

## Textile names. Recast

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The European Parliament adopted, by 660 votes to 11 with 8 abstentions, a legislative resolution approving, under 1<sup>st</sup> reading of the codecision procedure, the proposal for a directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on textile names (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.

## Textile names. Recast

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**PURPOSE:** to recast the Directive on textile names.

**LEGISLATIVE ACT:** Directive 2008/121/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on textile names (recast)

**CONTENT:** the Council approved, in the interests of clarity, a recast of Directive 96/74/EC on textile names, since it has been substantially amended several times. The Directive has ensured the harmonisation within the EU, since 1996, of the names of textile fibres and the particulars appearing on labels, markings and documents which accompany textile products.

This Directive recasts Directive 96/74/EC in order to incorporate the amendments needed to include the regulatory procedure with scrutiny in the text.

**ENTRY INTO FORCE:** 12/02/2009.