

Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	1994/0055(CNS)	Procedure completed
Agricultural prices 1994/1995: basic price and standard quality for pig carcasses		
Subject 3.10.05.01 Meat		

Key players			
European Parliament			
Council of the European Union			
Council configuration	Meeting	Date	
Economic and Financial Affairs ECOFIN	1781	27/07/1994	

Key events			
30/01/1994	Legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0010	Summary
07/03/1994	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
29/03/1994	Vote in committee		Summary
28/03/1994	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A3-0197/1994	
19/04/1994	Debate in Parliament		
21/04/1994	Decision by Parliament	T3-0278/1994	
27/07/1994	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
27/07/1994	End of procedure in Parliament		
30/07/1994	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1994/0055(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Legal basis	EC before Amsterdam E 043
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal		COM(1994)0010	31/01/1994	EC	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report		CES0388/1994 OJ C 148 30.05.1994, p. 0049	24/03/1994	ESC	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A3-0197/1994 OJ C 128 09.05.1994, p. 0009	29/03/1994	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T3-0278/1994 OJ C 128 09.05.1994, p. 0249-0287	21/04/1994	EP	

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

Regulation 1994/1888 OJ L 197 30.07.1994, p. 0033 Summary

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1994/95 AGRICULTURAL PRICES: The aim of this proposal was to abolish consumption aid for olive oil in favour of production aid alone, and therefore to also abolish the representative market price from which the aid was calculated. Abolishing the representative price meant that the rules governing the calculation of the threshold price also had to be amended; this would no longer be derived from the representative market price, but would be the target price minus the production aid and unloading and forwarding costs. In addition, following the abolition of consumption aid, consumption promotion measures would be funded by an annual appropriation of ECU 10 million for projects within the Community and a maximum of ECU 5 million as a Community contribution to the budget of the International Olive Oil Council for promotion in third countries. Finally, the provisions on monitoring were to be simplified, with future checks able to focus on the production stage now that the consumption stage was no longer assisted. ?

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The committee voted this morning to accept the report by Mr DEBATISSE (EPP, F) on the 1994 agricultural prices package with the exception of the part dealing with the dairy sector. As was noted before, Mr DEBATISSE points out in his report that the 1994/95 marketing year will be the second year of the transitional stage leading to the full implementation of the 1992 CAP reform. Thus, these proposals represent a 'mini-package' of measures, making changes only where considered essential. However, this adherence to 'the letter of the law', argues the rapporteur, cannot hide the fact that the only concern underlying the 34 proposals for regulations is of a budgetary nature. Therefore, in general the amendments put forward by the rapporteur to the Commission's proposals aim to alleviate their negative impact on farmers' incomes. This is seen as particularly important in view of the double blow dealt to European agriculture by CAP reform and the GATT agreement. Significant amendments were adopted in the beef meat, dried fodder, durum wheat and linseed oil sectors. ?

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The Regulation was formally adopted on 27.07.94 without amendment to the initial proposal. It was to apply retrospectively from 01.07.94. ?