


Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	1994/0082(CNS)	Procedure completed
Specific research programme: industrial technologies and materials (1994-1998)		
Subject 3.40 Industrial policy		

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

Key events			
29/03/1994	Legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0068	Summary
21/04/1994	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
26/04/1994	Vote in committee		Summary
25/04/1994	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A3-0293/1994	
03/05/1994	Debate in Parliament		
05/05/1994	Decision by Parliament	T3-0428/1994	
02/06/1994	Modified legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0243	Summary
27/07/1994	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
27/07/1994	End of procedure in Parliament		
26/08/1994	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1994/0082(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Decision
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 163; EC before Amsterdam E 130I-p4

Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	ENER/3/05540

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal	COM(1994)0068	30/03/1994	EC	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A3-0293/1994 OJ C 205 25.07.1994, p. 0005	26/04/1994	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	T3-0428/1994 OJ C 205 25.07.1994, p. 0232-0361	05/05/1994	EP	
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	CES0759/1994 OJ C 295 22.10.1994, p. 0080	02/06/1994	ESC	Summary
Modified legislative proposal	COM(1994)0243	03/06/1994	EC	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	CES1019/1994 OJ C 393 31.12.1994, p. 0117	14/09/1994	ESC	

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

[Decision 1994/571](#)
[OJ L 222 26.08.1994, p. 0019](#) Summary

Specific research programme: industrial technologies and materials (1994-1998)

The purpose of this proposal for a decision is to establish a specific RTD and demonstration programme in the field of industrial and materials technologies for the period 1994-1998. - Amount deemed necessary: ECU 1,623 million. - General objective of the programme: to promote the development, integration and application of critical generic technologies used in the various stages of the life cycle of products and materials through multidisciplinary and multisector collaboration. Research fields covered by the programme: - production technologies for the industry of the future: . integration of new technologies in production systems . development of technologies for actual production . rational management of raw materials . reliability of production systems . human factors in production systems; - technologies for product innovation: . materials engineering . new methods of product design and manufacture; . reliability and quality of materials and products; . recycling of products at the end of their life span; - technologies for means of transport: . vehicle design and integration of systems; . vehicle production; . vehicle efficiency; . environmental technologies . vehicle security . vehicle operation. Participation in the programme is open, with financial support from the Community, to all legal entities established in the Community or in an associated country following an agreement with the said third country, and to the Joint Research Centre. The programme will be implemented through shared cost actions, concerted actions, specific measures and accompanying measures relating to international cooperation, the dissemination of results and the training of researchers and users. The Commission is authorised to start negotiations with a view to concluding international agreements with third European countries, in order to associate them with all or part of the programme.?

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The parliamentary committee adopted the draft report by Mr ROBLES PIQUER.?

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The Commission's amended proposal includes the amendments by the European Parliament dealing with: the deadlines for implementing the programme (the first appropriations will be committed within twelve months of the adoption of the programme at most), efforts to simplify,

improve and make procedures more transparent, staff and operating costs, the reference to the financial perspectives, the need to evaluate the economic and social impact and, more importantly, the consequences on employment of projects implemented within the framework of the programme and the need to evaluate the impact of any technological risks from these activities. The Commission did not incorporate the amendments on comitology, international cooperation (extending the Commission's negotiating mandate to the countries of the Mediterranean basin) or systematic priority for SMEs when selecting projects.?

Specific research programme: industrial technologies and materials (1994-1998)

The Council passed the decision adopting a specific RTD programme in the field of industrial and materials technologies for the period from 27 July 1994 to 31 December 1998. The amount deemed necessary to implement this programme is ECU 1,617 million and the suggested allocation of this amount (in million ecus) is as follows: production technologies: ECU 590 million, materials and technologies for product innovation: ECU 566 million, technologies relating to means of transport: 461.?