

# Procedure file

Basic information	
CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	1994/0092(CNS) Procedure completed
Specific research programme RTD: cooperation with third countries and international organisations 1994-1998 Amended by <a href="#">1995/0271(CNS)</a>	
Subject 3.50.20 Scientific and technological cooperation and agreements	

Key players			
European Parliament			
Council of the European Union			
	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Fisheries	<a href="#">1804</a>	23/11/1994
	Research	<a href="#">1789</a>	29/09/1994

Key events			
30/03/1994	Legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0068	Summary
21/04/1994	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
26/04/1994	Vote in committee		Summary
26/04/1994	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A3-0296/1994	
03/05/1994	Debate in Parliament		
05/05/1994	Decision by Parliament	T3-0424/1994	
03/06/1994	Modified legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0243	Summary
23/11/1994	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
23/11/1994	End of procedure in Parliament		
22/12/1994	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1994/0092(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Decision

	Amended by <a href="#">1995/0271(CNS)</a>
Legal basis	EC before Amsterdam E 130I-p4; Rules of Procedure EP 163
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	ENER/3/05538

### Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal	COM(1994)0068	30/03/1994	EC	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A3-0296/1994 <a href="#">OJ C 205 25.07.1994, p. 0005</a>	26/04/1994	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	T3-0424/1994 <a href="#">OJ C 205 25.07.1994, p. 0232-0338</a>	05/05/1994	EP	
Modified legislative proposal	COM(1994)0243	03/06/1994	EC	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	<a href="#">CES1019/1994</a> <a href="#">OJ C 393 31.12.1994, p. 0117</a>	14/09/1994	ESC	

### Additional information

European Commission	<a href="#">EUR-Lex</a>
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### Final act

<a href="#">Decision 1994/807</a> <a href="#">OJ L 334 22.12.1994, p. 0109</a> Summary
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## Specific research programme RTD: cooperation with third countries and international organisations 1994-1998

The proposal for a decision aimed to establish a specific programme of research and technological development, including demonstration, in the field of cooperation with third countries and international organisations for the period 1994-1998. - Amount deemed necessary: ECU 540 million. - General objectives of the programme: to enhance the Community's scientific and technological capacity, to support the implementation of Community policies relating to third countries and to help resolve regional and global problems. The programme covered four areas of action: - Cooperation with other fora for European scientific and technological cooperation: COST actions, Eureka, international organisations; - Cooperation with the countries of Central and Eastern Europe and the New Independent States of the former Soviet Union; - Cooperation with non-European industrialised third countries; - Cooperation with developing countries. Participation in the programme was open, with financial support from the Community, to all legal entities established in the Community or in an associated country, following the conclusion of an agreement with that country, as well as to the Joint Research Centre. The programme would 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 was authorised to hold negotiations with a view to concluding international agreements with third countries in Europe in order to involve them in all or some of the programme. ?

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The Committee on Energy adopted the draft report by Mr REGGE. ?

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The Commission's amended proposal took over the European Parliament's amendments concerning: the implementation schedule for the programme (the first appropriations would be allocated within twelve months of the adoption of the programme); the measures to simplify and improve the procedures and make them more transparent; the staff and administrative expenditure; the reference to the financial perspective; the contribution of Community instruments such as Phare, Tacis and the European Development Fund; access by Eastern countries to

European information networks; cooperation with developing countries in the field of advanced technologies. The Commission did not accept the amendments concerning comitology, international cooperation (extension of the Commission's negotiating mandate to the countries of the Mediterranean Basin) and systematic priority for SMEs in the selection of projects. ?

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The Council decision adopted a specific programme for research and technological development, including demonstration, in the field of cooperation with third countries and international organisations for the period 1994-1998. - General objective: to add value to the RTD activities in the Community and the Member States as well as other Community policies through mutually beneficial selective cooperation with third countries and international organisations. - Amount deemed necessary: ECU 540 million. Indicative breakdown by area (in million ecus): - Cooperation with other fora for European scientific and technological cooperation (COST actions, Eureka, international organisations): 46 - Cooperation with the countries of Central and Eastern Europe and with the New Independent States of the former Soviet Union: 232 - Cooperation with non-European industrialised third countries: 30 - Cooperation with developing countries: 232 Participation in the programme was open, with financial support from the Community, to all legal entities established in the Community or in an associated country, following the conclusion of an agreement with the third country in question, and to the Joint Research Centre. The programme would be implemented through shared-cost actions, concerted actions, specific measures and accompanying measures relating to international cooperation, to the dissemination of results and to training for researchers and users. ?