

Procedure file

Basic information	
CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	1994/0205(CNS) Procedure completed
EC/Comoros fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 20 July 1994 to 19 July 1997	
Subject 3.15.15.03 Fisheries agreements with Indian Ocean countries	
Geographical area Comoros	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	PECH Fisheries		26/09/1994
		ARE MACARTNEY Allan	
Council of the European Union	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	BUDG Budgets		
	DEVE Development and Cooperation		
	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Social Affairs	1862	29/06/1995
	Culture	1799	10/11/1994

Key events			
16/09/1994	Legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0390	Summary
24/10/1994	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
23/02/1995	Vote in committee		Summary
23/02/1995	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0031/1995	
17/03/1995	Decision by Parliament	T4-0116/1995	Summary
29/06/1995	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
29/06/1995	End of procedure in Parliament		
31/07/1995	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	1994/0205(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Legal basis	EC before Amsterdam E 043; EC before Amsterdam E 228-p2/3
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PECH/4/06050

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal	COM(1994)0390	16/09/1994	EC	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0031/1995 OJ C 068 20.03.1995, p. 0013	23/02/1995	EP	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading	T4-0116/1995 OJ C 089 10.04.1995, p. 0189-0195	17/03/1995	EP	Summary

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

Regulation 1995/1893 OJ L 180 31.07.1995, p. 0008 Summary
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EC/Comoros fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 20 July 1994 to 19 July 1997

This proposal aimed to conclude a new fisheries protocol between the Community and the Islamic Republic of the Comoros. This protocol laid down the technical and financial conditions covering fishing activities of Community vessels in Comorian waters between 20 July 1994 and 19 July 1997. The protocol thus provided for the following fisheries opportunities: - licences for 37 ocean-going freezer tuna vessels; - licences for other categories of fishing vessels under terms to be defined by the joint committee established by the EC-Comoros fisheries agreement and at the request of the Community. In return, the Republic of the Comoros would be granted: - financial compensation amounting to ECU 675 000, payable in three equal annual instalments, covering a catch weight in Comorian waters of 4 500 tonnes of tuna fished per year. If the annual catch exceeded this quantity, the compensation would be increased proportionately; - a contribution of ECU 260 000 towards the financing of scientific or technical programmes to develop the fisheries industry; - awards for study and practical training to improve the skills and knowledge of fishermen, to a maximum of ECU 145 000. ?

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The Committee unanimously adopted (with one abstention) the report by Mr McCARTNEY on the protocol relating to the fishing opportunities and the financial contribution provided for in the fisheries agreement with the Cpùprps osma,ds. Several amendments were adopted to the Commission proposals reflecting the dissatisfaction of members at the lack of information available on the implementation of the previous agreement. These included the now usual call for the Commission to provide annual reports on the state of implementation of the accord. Despite reservations by some members and protestations by the Commission that it lacked the means to do so, the report also calls for the Commission to report on the state of stocks in Comoros waters, with particular regard to small-scale local fishermen, before the conclusion of any renewal agreement.

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The Commission proposal was deemed adopted in accordance with Rule 52(5) of the Rules of Procedure concerning the delegation of the power of decision to committees. ?

EC/Comoros fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 20 July 1994 to 19 July 1997

The Council adopted this regulation concluding a new fisheries protocol between the Community and the Comoros. This protocol laid down the technical and financial conditions covering fishing activities of Community vessels in Comorian waters between 20 July 1994 and 19 July 1997. The protocol thus provided for the following fisheries opportunities: - licences for 37 ocean-going freezer tuna vessels; - licences for other categories of fishing vessels under terms to be defined by the joint committee established by the EC-Comoros fisheries agreement and at the request of the Community. In return, the Islamic Federal Republic of the Comoros would be granted: - financial compensation amounting to ECU 675 000, payable in three equal annual instalments, covering a catch weight in Comorian waters of 4 500 tonnes of tuna fished per year. If the annual catch exceeded this quantity, the compensation would be increased proportionately; - a contribution of ECU 260 000 towards the financing of scientific or technical programmes to develop the fisheries industry; - awards for study and practical training to improve the skills and knowledge of fishermen, to a maximum of ECU 145 000. The protocol would apply from 20 July 1994 and enter into force on the date of its signature. The Council was authorised to designate the persons empowered to sign the protocol in order to bind the Community. The regulation would apply from 29 June 1995. ?