

Procedure file

Basic information		
CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	1994/0281(CNS)	Procedure completed
Fisheries sector: criteria and arrangements regarding Community structural assistance		
Subject 3.15 Fisheries policy		

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	PECH Fisheries		
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Social Affairs	1862	29/06/1995

Key events			
05/12/1994	Legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0568	Summary
25/04/1995	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
25/04/1995	Vote in committee		
19/05/1995	Decision by Parliament	T4-0259/1995	Summary
29/06/1995	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
29/06/1995	End of procedure in Parliament		
06/07/1995	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1994/0281(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 52-p1; EC before Amsterdam E 043
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PECH/4/06539

Documentation gateway					
Legislative proposal		COM(1994)0568 OJ C 389 31.12.1994, p. 0011	06/12/1994	EC	Summary
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0259/1995 OJ C 151 19.06.1995, p. 0357-0367	19/05/1995	EP	Summary
Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report		CES0590/1995 OJ C 236 11.09.1995, p. 0053	31/05/1995	ESC	Summary

Additional information	
European Commission	EUR-Lex

Final act
Regulation 1995/1624 OJ L 155 06.07.1995, p. 0001 Summary

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The implementation of the provisions of the London Convention relating to the re-measuring of the capacity of vessels in gross tonnage (GT) and the extension of its provisions to all vessels of the fishing fleet of the European Union, following the adoption of Regulation (EEC) No 2930/86 defining the characteristics of fishing vessels, will result in the Commission having to revise a certain number of texts which use the tonnage of vessels as a parameter for intervention in its structural actions. It was in this context that the Commission presented a proposal which sought to amend certain provisions of the Regulation applying the FIG: - the amendment of Article 8 and Annex III of the FIG Regulation seeks to replace the expression in GRT of the threshold tonnage subject to certain measures with the GT unit of tonnage; - the amendment of the scales of assistance relating to fishing fleets in Annex IV of the FIG Regulation seeks eventually to replace the premium scales in ECU/GRT with premium scales in ECU/GT. As from 1.1.2004, only the GT unit of tonnage shall be referred to in the present Regulation; - finally, reference to the committee which will allow the multiannual guideline programmes to be adopted will have to be changed. ?

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The European Parliament approved this proposal for a regulation in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 143 of its Rules of Procedure (procedure without report). ?

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The ESC approved the Commission proposal.

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OBJECTIVE: to amend certain provisions of the implementing regulation relating to the financial instrument for fisheries guidance (IFOP) with regard to vessel tonnage, in light of the implementation of the provisions of the London Convention which will generalise, by 1 January 2004 at the latest, the use of gross tonnage as the unit of tonnage to all vessels of the fishing fleet of the European Union. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Regulation (EC) No 1624/95 amending Regulation (EC) No 3699/93 laying down the criteria and arrangements regarding Community structural assistance in the fisheries and aquaculture sector and the processing and marketing of its products. SUBSTANCE: . amendment of Article 8 and Annex III to the IFOP Regulation to replace the expression in GRT of the threshold tonnage subject to certain measures with the GT unit of tonnage; . amendment of the scales of assistance relating to fishing fleets in Annex IV of the IFOP Regulation to eventually replace the premium scales in ECU/GRT with premium scales in ECU/GT; . from 1 January 2004, only reference to the GT unit of tonnage shall be possible in this Regulation; . reduction in the activity threshold that renders a fishing vessel eligible for measures of permanent withdrawal as regards fishing vessels registered in the North Baltic ports; DATE OF ENTRY INTO FORCE: 6 July 1995. ?