

Procedure file

Basic information	
CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	1994/0278(CNS) Procedure completed
Certification of animals and animal products Repealed by 2013/0140(COD)	
Subject 3.10.08 Animal health requirements, veterinary legislation and pharmacy 4.20.05 Health legislation and policy	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	AGRI Agriculture and Rural Development		
Council of the European Union	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
	ENVI Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection		
	Council configuration	Meeting	Date
	Agriculture and Fisheries	1980	17/12/1996

Key events			
05/12/1994	Legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0561	Summary
01/02/1995	Vote in committee		Summary
13/02/1995	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
17/02/1995	Decision by Parliament	T4-0065/1995	Summary
17/12/1996	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
17/12/1996	End of procedure in Parliament		
16/01/1997	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1994/0278(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
	Repealed by 2013/0140(COD)

Legal basis	EC before Amsterdam E 043; Rules of Procedure EP 52-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	AGRI/4/06405

Documentation gateway

Legislative proposal		COM(1994)0561 OJ C 373 29.12.1994, p. 0016	05/12/1994	EC	Summary
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0065/1995 OJ C 056 06.03.1995, p. 0158-0165	17/02/1995	EP	Summary

Additional information

European Commission	EUR-Lex
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Final act

[Directive 1996/93](#)
[OJ L 013 16.01.1997, p. 0028](#) Summary

Final legislative act with provisions for delegated acts

Certification of animals and animal products

The proposed regulation seeks to grant accurate and reliable certification with a view to safeguarding public and animal health and protecting animal welfare, and consequently ensuring the smooth functioning of the internal market in live animals and animal products. The regulation applies to all certifications required by veterinary legislation and lays down rules in respect of the obligations of certifying officers and competent authorities. It is particularly necessary to apply appropriate penalties in the case of false or misleading certification and to take measures to prevent any new misleading certification. ?

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The Committee on Agriculture approved the Commission's proposal in accordance with the procedure provided for in Article 143(1) of Parliament's Rules of Procedure (procedure without report). ?

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Certification of animals and animal products

OBJECTIVE: To ensure the smooth functioning of the internal market in live animals and animal products through the introduction of common rules on certification. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Directive 96/93/EC on the certification of animals and animal products. SUBSTANCE: Rules are laid down in respect of the obligations of certifying officers and of competent authorities, with a view to ensuring that certification is accurate and reliable. The competent authorities are required to investigate, and take appropriate measures to penalize, any instances of false or misleading certification which are brought to their attention and to prevent any new misleading certification. DEADLINE FOR TRANSPOSITION: 1 January 1998. ?