Common agricultural policy (CAP): repealing obsolete acts

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PURPOSE: to repeal two acts relating to the common agriculture policy which have become obsolete.

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Regulation (EU) 2015/2284 of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Council Directive 76/621/EEC relating to the fixing of the maximum level of erucic acid in oils and fats and Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006 establishing a temporary scheme for the restructuring of the sugar industry.

CONTENT: for reasons of legal certainty and clarity, this Regulation repeals two legal acts relating to the common agricultural policy have become obsolete, even though formally they are still in force:

- **Council Directive 76/621/EEC**: the content of that Directive has been taken up by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1881/2006;
- **Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006**: the temporary scheme established by that Regulation was applicable only until the marketing year 2009/2010.

Improving the **transparency of Union law** is an essential element of the better law–making strategy that Union institutions are implementing. In that context it is appropriate to repeal those legal acts which no longer have real effect.

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