

Common organisation of the markets in the sugar sector

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The need for early adoption of the proposal on the Common Market Organisation (CMO) on sugar as soon as possible has been brought to the attention of the Council by the Commission. It was stated that if the proposal was not adopted by 30 June 2001 the latest, a legal gap would occur regarding the quota system of the sugar regime. Therefore, the Council is called upon to take a swift decision in order to avoid this legal gap.