Waste: control of shipments of waste within, into and out of the EC (amend. Regul. 259/93/EEC)

1995/0107(SYN) - 18/09/1996 - Text adopted by Parliament, 2nd reading

Parliament adopted the recommendation for second reading by Mr Ivar VIRGIN, (PPE, S) on the proposal for a Council Regulation on the control of shipments of waste. In amending the common position of the Council, Parliament called on the Commission to introduce a new waste category, i.e. mainly containing contaminated metal scrap, which would otherwise escape the export ban. Under the Basle Convention, the export of hazardous waste for recycling purposes is prohibited from 1 January 1998.