EC staff regulation: equal treatment of men and women

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OBJECTIVE: to make the principle of equal treatment one of the fundamental conditions of employment of European public servants. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Regulation (EC/ECSC/Euratom) No 781/98 amending the Staff Regulations of Officials and Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Communities in respect of equal treatment. SUBSTANCE: The purpose of the Regulation is to agree that the principle of equal treatment should be stated among the fundamental rules in the Staff Regulations and Conditions of Employment governing employees of the European Community, and no longer only in respect of recruitment. It also calls on the institutions to determine, by agreement, positive measures to promote equal opportunities for men and women in the fields covered by the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants. The Regulation also provides for officials and temporary staff to be selected without distinction as to sex, race, religion, political conviction or sexual orientation, and irrespective of their marital status or family situation. ENTRY INTO FORCE: 16.04.1998.