Basic information

1994/0129(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	Procedure completed
Characteristics of fishing vessels (amend. Regul. 2930/86/EEC) **Subject** 3.15.03 Fishing fleets, safety of fishing vessels	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
PECH Fisheries	BALDARELLI Francesco (PSE)	07/09/1994

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
TRAN Transport and Tourism		

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Fisheries	1766	1994-06-10
Health	1823	1994-12-22

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
20/05/1994	Legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0182	Summary
10/06/1994	Debate in Council		
21/07/1994	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
24/10/1994	Vote in committee		Summary
24/10/1994	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0032/1994	
28/10/1994	Debate in Parliament		
22/12/1994	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
22/12/1994	End of procedure in Parliament		
29/12/1994	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	1994/0129(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 170 EC Treaty (before Amsterdam) E 043
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PECH/4/05807

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A4-0032/1994 OJ C 323 21.11.1994, p. 0026	24/10/1994	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0098/1994 OJ C 323 21.11.1994, p. 0487-0502	28/10/1994	Summary

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Legislative proposal	COM(1994)0182 OJ C 160 11.06.1994, p. 0015	20/05/1994	Summary

Other institutions and bodies

Institution/body	Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
EESC	Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	CES1012/1994 OJ C 393 31.12.1994, p. 0085	14/09/1994	Summary

Additional information

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Final act

Regulation 1994/3259
OJ L 339 29.12.1994, p. 0011 Summary

Characteristics of fishing vessels (amend. Regul. 2930/86/EEC)

1994/0129(CNS) - 22/12/1994 - Final act

The Council regulation amended Regulation (EEC) No 2930/86 defining the characteristics of fishing vessels with a view to harmonising within the Community the tonnage of vessels of all dimensions. The amendments adopted related to the definition and calculation of the gross tonnage of large, medium and small vessels. The regulation stipulated that: - the gross tonnage of new and existing large fishing vessels (over 24 metres) should be defined and measured in accordance with Annex I to the 1969 Convention on Tonnage Measurement of Ships; - the gross tonnage of new medium-sized fishing vessels (15-24 metres) should be measured in accordance with Annex I of the 1969 Convention; - the gross tonnage of small vessels (under 15 metres) should be defined and measured according to a formula using simple measurements that were easily accessible. Member States should ensure that existing medium-sized vessels were re-measured in accordance with Annex 1 to the 1969 Convention before 1 January 2004. In order to define the gross tonnage of small vessels and to assess the gross tonnage of existing large vessels, a simple formula was introduced which incorporated only the overall length, the breadth and the depth of the vessel. The regulation entered into force on 5 January 1995.

Characteristics of fishing vessels (amend. Regul. 2930/86/EEC)

1994/0129(CNS) - 20/05/1994 - Legislative proposal

The proposal for a regulation aimed to amend Regulation (EEC) No 2930/86 defining the characteristics of fishing vessels with a view to harmonising within the Community the gross tonnage of vessels of all sizes. The amendments related to the definition and calculation of the gross tonnage of large, medium and small vessels. It was proposed that: - the gross tonnage of new and existing large fishing vessels (over 24 metres) should be defined and measured in accordance with Annex I to the 1969 Convention on Tonnage Measurement of Ships; - the gross tonnage of new medium-sized fishing vessels (10-24 metres) should be measured in accordance with Annex I of the 1969 Convention; - the gross tonnage of small vessels (under 10 metres) should be defined and measured according to a formula using simple measurements that were easily accessible. In order to define the gross tonnage of small vessels and to assess the gross tonnage of existing large vessels, a simple formula was introduced which incorporated only the overall length, the breadth and the depth of the vessel. It was proposed that the timetable for re-measuring existing medium-sized vessels be prolonged to 1996.

Characteristics of fishing vessels (amend. Regul. 2930/86/EEC)

1994/0129(CNS) - 28/10/1994 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

Parliament approved the Commission proposal subject to its amendments, which aimed to: - prolong to 1 January 1998 the timetable for the re-measuring of all medium-sized vessels in accordance with Annex I to the 1969 Convention, - ensure that the cost of re-measuring the gross tonnage of medium-sized vessels (between 10 and 24 metres long) was financed 50% by the vessel owner and 50% by the Community, - make provision for official certification for compliance with working conditions.

Characteristics of fishing vessels (amend. Regul. 2930/86/EEC)

1994/0129(CNS) - 14/09/1994 - Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report