Basic information

1994/0216(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	Procedure completed
EC/South Africa Cooperation Agreement **Subject** 6.20.03 Bilateral economic and trade agreements and relations 6.40.07 Relations with African countries **Geographical area** South Africa	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
DEVE Development and Cooperation	KINNOCK Glenys (PSE)	14/11/1994

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
AFET Foreign Affairs, Security and Defense Policy		

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
General Affairs	1820	1994-12-19

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
21/09/1994	Legislative proposal published	COM(1994)0402	Summary
24/10/1994	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
28/11/1994	Vote in committee		Summary
28/11/1994	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0084/1994	
30/11/1994	Debate in Parliament		
19/12/1994	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
19/12/1994	End of procedure in Parliament		
30/12/1994	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1994/0216(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legislative instrument	Decision
Legal basis	EC Treaty (before Amsterdam) E 113 EC Treaty (before Amsterdam) E 228-p2/3-a1 EC Treaty (before Amsterdam) E 130Y
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	DEVE/4/06072

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A4-0084/1994 OJ C 363 19.12.1994, p. 0003	28/11/1994	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0163/1994 OJ C 363 19.12.1994, p. 0008-0013	30/11/1994	Summary

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Legislative proposal	COM(1994)0402 OJ C 282 08.10.1994, p. 0009	21/09/1994	Summary

Additional information		
Source	**Document**	**Date**
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Final act	
Decision 1994/0822 OJ L 341 30.12.1994, p. 0061	Summary

EC/South Africa Cooperation Agreement

1994/0216(CNS) - 19/12/1994 - Final act

OBJECTIVE: global cooperation agreement between the EC and South Africa adopted within the framework of Community support for the transition towards a democratic and multi-racial South Africa. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Decision 822/94/EC concerning the conclusion of a cooperation agreement between the Community and South Africa. SUBSTANCE: this simplified agreement comprised only a few articles, including: . a strict clause on human rights, . a clause on global cooperation aimed at strengthening relations between the parties in all areas (including trade) in order to promote balanced and sustainable socio-economic development in South Africa, . provisions aimed at enabling the parties to undertake specific cooperation activities. The agreement in now way prejudged the content of future relations nor their legal basis. It defined a global framework designed to fill the breach before the establishment of a democratic government in South Africa. DURATION OF THE AGREEMENT: unspecified. ENTRY INTO FORCE: one month after notification by each party that all the necessary procedures had been completed.

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1994/0216(CNS) - 21/09/1994 - Legislative proposal

This proposal for a decision aimed to conclude a cooperation agreement between the Community and South Africa. It was a simplified agreement with only a few articles, including a strict clause on human rights, a clause on global cooperation and provisions to permit the parties to undertake specific cooperation activities if necessary. This agreement did not prejudge in any way the content of future relations, nor their legal basis. It defined a global framework designed to fill the gap pending the establishment of democratic government in South Africa.

EC/South Africa Cooperation Agreement

1994/0216(CNS) - 30/11/1994 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

Parliament approved the conclusion of the agreement.