Basic information

1996/0176(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	Procedure completed
EC/Angola fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 3 May 1995 to 2 May 1999 **Subject** 3.15.15.02 Fisheries agreements with African countries **Geographical area** Angola	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
PECH Fisheries	CUNHA Arlindo (ELDR)	10/09/1996

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
BUDG Budgets	JÖNS Karin (PSE)	04/09/1996
DEVE Development and Cooperation		

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Research	2005	1997-05-14
Social Affairs	1948	1996-09-24

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
09/07/1996	Legislative proposal published	COM(1996)0323	Summary
16/09/1996	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
20/01/1997	Vote in committee		Summary
20/01/1997	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A4-0013/1997	
11/03/1997	Debate in Parliament		
14/05/1997	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		

14/05/1997	End of procedure in Parliament		
23/05/1997	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	1996/0176(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Legal basis	EC Treaty (before Amsterdam) E 043 EC Treaty (before Amsterdam) E 228-p2/3-a1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PECH/4/08229

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A4-0013/1997 OJ C 055 24.02.1997, p. 0003	20/01/1997	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0090/1997 OJ C 115 14.04.1997, p. 0053-0082	12/03/1997	Summary

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Legislative proposal	COM(1996)0323 OJ C 278 24.09.1996, p. 0007	09/07/1996	Summary

Additional information

Source	Document	Date
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Final act

Regulation 1997/0910
OJ L 131 23.05.1997, p. 0009 Summary

EC/Angola fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 3 May 1995 to 2 May 1999

1996/0176(CNS) - 14/05/1997 - Final act

OBJECTIVE: conclusion of a new fisheries Protocol between the European Community and Angola for the period 3 May 1996 - 2 May 1999. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Regulation (EC) No 910/97 concerning the conclusion of the Protocol defining for the period 3 May 1996 - 2 May 1999 the fishing opportunities and the financial contribution provided for by the EC-Angola Agreement on fishing off the coast of Angola. SUBSTANCE: the fishing possibilities provided for in the Protocol primarily concern Spanish, French and Portuguese fishermen. They are allocated as follows: - Shrimp vessels: 6 550 GRT per month, as an annual average, 22 vessels Spain; - Demersal trawlers: 2000 GRT per month, as an annual average, Spain; - bottom longliners: 1750 GRT per month, as an annual average, Portugal; - freezer seiners: 9 vessels France; - surface longliners: 2 vessels Portugal, 10 vessels Spain. Should licence applications from these Member States not exhaust the fishing possibilities provided in the Protocol the Commission may entertain licence applications from any other Member State. The financial compensation to Angola is set at ECU 31 000 000 payable in three equal annual instalments. To this compensation is added: - the EC contribution of ECU 5 000 000 towards the financing of Angolan scientific and technical programmes (equipment, infrastructure, monitoring, seminars, studies, institutional support for non-industrial fishing); - the provision to Angolan nationals of study and practical training grants in the various disciplines related to fisheries (not exceeding ECU 3 000 000); - the contribution to the cost of carrying out scientific studies and research campaigns, to the amount of ECU 350 000 per year. The Annexes to the Protocol lay down the conditions governing the issuing of licences and the obligations upon Community vessels (fees of ECU 56/month per GRT for shrimp vessels and ECU 195/year per GRT for demersal vessels; biological recovery; by-catches; landings; transhipments; statement of catches; signing of crews; scientific observers; inspection and monitoring, etc.). ENTRY INTO FORCE: the Regulation enters into force on 26 May 1997. The Protocol will enter into force once the requisite notifications have been given.

EC/Angola fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 3 May 1995 to 2 May 1999

1996/0176(CNS) - 24/09/1996

The Council adopted the Decision on the conclusion of the agreement in the form of an exchange of letters.

EC/Angola fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 3 May 1995 to 2 May 1999

1996/0176(CNS) - 12/03/1997 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

In adopting the report by Mr A. CUNHA (EPP, P) Parliament approved this proposal for a regulation with the following amendments: - during the final year of the application of the agreement and before the conclusion of any agreement on its renewal, the Commission should submit to the Council and the Parliament a report on the application of the agreement, - on the basis of this report and following consultation of the European Parliament the Council will grant the Commission a new negotiating mandate for the protocols for implementing the agreement.

EC/Angola fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 3 May 1995 to 2 May 1999

1996/0176(CNS) - 09/07/1996 - Legislative proposal

OBJECTIVE: conclusion of the Agreement concerning the provisional application of the Protocol defining for the period 3 May 1996 to 2 May 1999 the fishing opportunities and the financial contribution provided for by the EC-Angola Agreement on fishing off the coast of Angola. SUBSTANCE: the fishing possibilities provided for in the Protocol primarily concern Spanish, French and Portuguese fishermen. They are allocated as follows: - shrimp vessels: 6 550 GRT, per month, as an annual average, 22 vessels Spain; - demersal trawlers: 2 000 GRT, per month, as an annual average, Spain; - bottom longliners: 1 750 GRT, per month, as an annual average, Portugal; - freezer tuna seiners: 9 vessels France; - surface longliners: 2 vessels, Portugal, 10 vessels Spain. The financial compensation to Angola is set at ECU 31 000 000 payable in three equal annual instalments. To this compensation is added: - the EC contribution of ECU 5 000 000 towards the financing of Angolan scientific and technical programmes (equipment, infrastructure, monitoring, seminars, studies, institutional support for non-industrial fishing); - the provision to Angolan nationals of study and practical training grants in the various disciplines related to fisheries (not exceeding ECU 3 000 000); - the contribution to the cost of carrying out scientific studies and research campaigns, to the amount of ECU 350 000 per year. The Annexes to the Protocol lay down the conditions governing the issuing of licences and the obligations upon Community vessels (fees of ECU 56/month per GRT for shrimp vessels and ECU 195/year per GRT for demersal vessels; biological recovery; by-catches; landings; transhipments; statement of catches; signing of crews; scientific observers; inspection and monitoring, etc.).