

Basic information	
1997/0067(COD) COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Directive	Procedure completed
Framework for Community action in the field of water policy. Water Framework Directive Amended by 2006/0129(COD) Amended by 2006/0297(COD) Amended by 2008/0015(COD) Amended by 2011/0429(COD) Amended by 2013/0192(COD) Amended by 2022/0344(COD) Subject 3.70.04 Water control and management, pollution of waterways, water pollution	

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
04/03/1996	Debate in Council		
26/02/1997	Legislative proposal published	COM(1997)0049 	Summary
03/03/1997	Debate in Council		
14/05/1997	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
19/06/1997	Debate in Council		
16/10/1997	Debate in Council		
16/12/1997	Debate in Council		
23/03/1998	Debate in Council		
16/06/1998	Debate in Council		
24/06/1998	Vote in committee, 1st reading		Summary
24/06/1998	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	A4-0261/1998	
10/02/1999	Debate in Parliament		
17/06/1999	Modified legislative proposal published	COM(1999)0271 	Summary
26/07/1999	Vote in committee, 1st reading		
26/07/1999	Committee report tabled for plenary confirming Parliament's position	A5-0004/1999	
16/09/1999	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	T5-0013/1999	
22/10/1999	Council position published	09085/3/1999	Summary
28/10/1999	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 2nd reading		
25/01/2000	Vote in committee, 2nd reading		Summary
25/01/2000	Committee recommendation tabled for plenary, 2nd reading	A5-0027/2000	

15/02/2000	Debate in Parliament		
16/02/2000	Decision by Parliament, 2nd reading	T5-0054/2000	Summary
27/03/2000	Parliament's amendments rejected by Council		
23/05/2000	Formal meeting of Conciliation Committee		Summary
28/06/2000	Final decision by Conciliation Committee		
18/07/2000	Joint text approved by Conciliation Committee co-chairs	3639/2000	
21/08/2000	Report tabled for plenary, 3rd reading	A5-0214/2000	
06/09/2000	Debate in Parliament		
07/09/2000	Decision by Parliament, 3rd reading	T5-0369/2000	Summary
14/09/2000	Decision by Council, 3rd reading		
23/10/2000	Final act signed		
23/10/2000	End of procedure in Parliament		
22/12/2000	Final act published in Official Journal		