Basic information

1998/0073(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	Procedure completed
EC/Slovak Republic Europe agreement: five-year extension for State aid **Subject** 6.40.02 Relations with central and eastern Europe **Geographical area** Slovakia	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
AFET Foreign Affairs, Security and Defense Policy		

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
AGRI Agriculture and Rural Development		
ECON Economic and Monetary Affairs, Industrial Policy		
RELA External Economic Relations	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	19/01/1999

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
General Affairs	2346	2001-05-14

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
27/02/1998	Initial legislative proposal published	COM(1998)0105	Summary
09/11/1998	Legislative proposal published	11544/1998	Summary
02/12/1998	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
05/01/1999	Vote in committee		
14/05/2001	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		

14/05/2001	End of procedure in Parliament		
11/08/2001	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	1998/0073(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	International agreement
Legislative instrument	Decision
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 300-p2-a1 EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 133 Rules of Procedure EP 52-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	AFET/4/10553

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0060/1999 OJ C 150 28.05.1999, p. 0014-0025	09/02/1999	Summary

Council of the EU

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Legislative proposal	11544/1998	09/11/1998	Summary

European Commission

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Additional information

Source	Document	Date
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Final act

Decision 2001/0624
OJ L 217 11.08.2001, p. 0011

EC/Slovak Republic Europe agreement: five-year extension for State aid

1998/0073(CNS) - 27/02/1998 - Initial legislative proposal

PURPOSE : Extension by 5 years of certain aspects of the European Agreement between the EU and the Slovak Republic CONTENT : Article 64, para 4, point a) of the European Agreement between the EU and the Slovak Republic provides that, for the purposes of evaluating public aids granted by Slovakia, this country is - for a period of the first 5 years following the entry into force of the Agreement - considered as an area identical to those areas within the Community covered by Article 92 para 3, point a) of the Treaty (those regions in which the standard of living is abnormally low and where there is serious under-employment). The European Agreement also provides that this period may be extended by five years within five years by decision of the Association Council. The first period having come to its expiry, Slovakia has asked for an extension of five years. The Commission considers this country continues to fall within the criteria used for the eligibility of a region for aids covered by Art. 92. 3a) EC (in particular, GDP per capita of less than 75% of the Community's average GDP per capita). It proposes therefore that the Association Council should grant the requested extension. The decision provides, however, in the 2 years that follow the extension (and then each year), that Slovakia communicates to the European Commission the necessary regional data to evaluate whether the country still fulfils the required conditions.

EC/Slovak Republic Europe agreement: five-year extension for State aid

1998/0073(CNS) - 09/02/1999 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

Under consultation procedure without report, the European Parliament approved the proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the European Agreement signed on the 19th December 1994 between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Slovak Republic, of the other part, with regard to the extension for a further period of five years in accordance with the provisions of Article 64(4)(a) of the Europe Agreement.

EC/Slovak Republic Europe agreement: five-year extension for State aid

1998/0073(CNS) - 09/11/1998 - Legislative proposal

OBJECTIVE: to extend by 5 years certain aspects of the European Agreement between the EU and the Slovak Republic. CONTENTS: Article 64, para 4, point a) of the European Agreement between the EU and the Slovak Republic provides that, for the purposes of evaluating public aids granted by Slovakia, this country is - for a period of the first 5 years following the entry into force of the Agreement - considered as an area identical to those areas within the Community covered by Article 92 para 3, point a) of the Treaty (those regions in which the standard of living is abnormally low and where there is serious under-employment). The European Agreement also provides that this period may be extended by 5 years within 5 years by decision of the Association Council. The first period having come to its expiry, Slovakia has asked for an extension of 5 years. The Commission considers this country continues to fall within the criteria used for the eligibility of a region for aids covered by Article 92.3 a) EC (in particular, GDP per capita of less than 75% of the Community's average GDP per capita). It proposes therefore that the Association Council should grant the requested extension. The decision provides, however, in the 2 years that follow the extension (and then each year), that Slovakia communicates to the European Commission the necessary regional data to evaluate whether the country still fulfils the required conditions.