Basic information

1998/0190(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	Procedure completed
EC staff regulation: remuneration in euros, tax, allowances (amend. Regul. 259/68, 260/68, 122/66, 300/76/EEC/ESCS) **Subject** 8.40.09 European officials, EU servants, staff regulations	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
JURI Legal Affairs, Citizens' Rights		

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
BUDG Budgets	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	25/06/1998

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Health	2131	1998-11-12

European Commission

Commission DG	Commissioner
Human Resources and Security	

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
20/05/1998	Legislative proposal published	COM(1998)0324	Summary
15/07/1998	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
22/07/1998	Vote in committee		
12/11/1998	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
12/11/1998	End of procedure in Parliament		
17/11/1998	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	1998/0190(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 52-p1 EC Treaty (before Amsterdam) E 109L-p4 EC Treaty (before Amsterdam) E 235
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	JURI/4/10326

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T4-0477/1998 OJ C 313 12.10.1998, p. 0050-0068	16/09/1998	Summary

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Legislative proposal	COM(1998)0324 OJ C 192 19.06.1998, p. 0007	20/05/1998	Summary

Additional information

Source	Document	Date
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Final act

Regulation 1998/2458
OJ L 307 17.11.1998, p. 0001 Summary

EC staff regulation: remuneration in euros, tax, allowances (amend. Regul. 259/68, 260/68, 122/66, 300/76/EEC/ESCS)

1998/0190(CNS) - 12/11/1998 - Final act

OBJECTIVE: to propose reform of the Staff Regulations of European Community officials to establish their remuneration in euros from 1 January 1999. COMMUNITY MEASURE: Council Regulation (EC, ECSC, EURATOM) no. 2458/98 amending Regulation (EEC, EURATOM, ECSC) no. 259/68 laying down the Staff Regulations of Officials and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Communities, and the other Regulations applicable to them with regard to the establishment of remuneration, pensions and other financial entitlements in euros. CONTENTS: the Regulation

seeks to establish the remuneration, pensions and other financial entitlements of officials and other servants of the European Communities in euros from 1 January 1999 in the Member States which have adopted the single currency (these remunerations etc. are currently expressed in Belgian francs -BEF). The purchasing power of these financial entitlements will not be affected by the present decision. ENTRY INTO FORCE: 17 November 1998. The Regulation will be applicable from 1 January 1999.

EC staff regulation: remuneration in euros, tax, allowances (amend. Regul. 259/68, 260/68, 122/66, 300/76/EEC/ESCS)

1998/0190(CNS) - 16/09/1998 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted the proposal for a Regulation amending the status of officials (procedure without report).

EC staff regulation: remuneration in euros, tax, allowances (amend. Regul. 259/68, 260/68, 122/66, 300/76/EEC/ESCS)

1998/0190(CNS) - 20/05/1998 - Legislative proposal

OBJECTIVE: to propose reform of the Staff Regulations of European Community officials to establish their remuneration in euros from 1 January 1999. SUBSTANCE: At present the components of remuneration and pensions (basic salary and allowances) of officials and the deductions effected in accordance with the Staff Regulations or implementing regulations (contributions, taxes etc.) are expressed in Belgian francs (BEF). From 1 January 1999, the euro will be the currency of 11 of the 15 current Community Member States. Between 1 January 1999 and 1 January 2002, any amount denominated either in the euro unit or in the national currency unit of a given participating Member State and payable within that Member State by crediting an account of the creditor, can be paid by the debtor either in the euro unit or in that national currency unit (transitional period). In view of the political significance and symbolic value of paying remuneration and pensions in euros for European officials, the Commission is planning to introduce euro units early, on 1 January 1999 (before the end of the transitional period during which national currencies and the euro can coexist). Consequently, the Commission proposes that from 1 January 1999, all references to the Belgian franc and all amounts expressed in Belgian francs in the Staff Regulations, the Conditions of Employment of other servants and any other regulations applicable to them be replaced by references to the euro and by amounts expressed in euros.