Basic information

2001/0113(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure Decision	Procedure completed
Nuclear safety, Chernobyl: implementation of the Shelter Fund. 2nd report **Subject** 3.60.04 Nuclear energy, industry and safety 3.70.08 Radioactive pollution	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
BUDG Budgets	VIRRANKOSKI Kyösti (ELDR)	26/06/2001

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
ITRE Industry, External Trade, Research, Energy	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
ENVI Environment, Public Health, Consumer Policy	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)	2385	2001-11-16

European Commission

Commission DG	Commissioner
External Relations	

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
29/05/2001	Legislative proposal published	COM(2001)0251	Summary
05/07/2001	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
09/10/2001	Vote in committee		Summary
09/10/2001	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0345/2001	

24/10/2001	Decision by Parliament	T5-0555/2001	Summary
24/10/2001	Debate in Parliament		
16/11/2001	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
16/11/2001	End of procedure in Parliament		
27/11/2001	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

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Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Decision
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Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	BUDG/5/14771

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A5-0345/2001	09/10/2001	
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European Commission

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Final act

Decision 2001/0824
OJ L 308 27.11.2001, p. 0025 Summary

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2001/0113(CNS) - 24/10/2001 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted the report by Mr Kyösti Tapio VIRRANKOSKI (ELDR, FIN) on a second contribution of the European Community to the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development for the Chernobyl Shelter Fund. (Please refer to the previous text).

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2001/0113(CNS) - 16/11/2001 - Final act

PURPOSE : to administer EUR 100 million to the Chernobyl Shelter Fund. COMMUNITY MEASURE : Council Decision 2001/824/EC, Euratom on a further contribution of the European Community to the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development for the Chernobyl Shelter Fund. CONTENT : this Decision stipulates that the Commission of the European Community will make a contribution of EUR 100 million to the Chernobyl Shelter Fund in accordance with Article II, Section 2.02 of the Rules of the Fund. The new contribution will be made up of four annual contributions over the years 2001-2004, subject to necessary authorisations of the budgetary authority. Moreover, the Commission will forward all relevant information to the Court of Auditors and may request from the EBRD supplementary information that the Court of Auditors may wish to obtain concerning those aspects of the operation of the Chernobyl Shelter Fund that relate to the Community's contribution. The Commission shall also ensure that, with respect to the procurement arrangements relating to grants made from resources of the Fund, there is no discrimination between the Member States.

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2001/0113(CNS) - 29/05/2001 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: to present a proposal for a Council Decision on a second contribution of the European Community to the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development for the Chernobyl Shelter Fund. CONTENT: the Chernoybl Shelter Fund provides a powerful tool to assist the Ukraine in resolving the safety risks posed by the ruins of the ill-fated Unit 4 of the Chernobyl nuclear power plant. In 1997, the G7 Nuclear Safety Working Group outlined and finalised a plan, designated as the Shelter Implementation Plan (SIP), to identify tasks to be executed over a period of 8-10 years to secure and stabilise the sarcophagus. In November 1997, the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (ERBD) set up the Chernobyl Shelther Fund (CSF). The first pledge to the Fund was made by the European Commission in 1997. Payments of EUR 50 million and EUR 40.5 million were made in 1999 and 2000. In the new Tacis Regulation covering the period 2000-2006, the support to 'relevant EU supported international initiatives such as the G7/EU initiative on the closure of Chernobyl' is explicitly mentioned as a priority action'. As the rules governing the SIP are not consistent with the rules applicable under the Tacis Regulation, it is necessary to establish a separate legal basis for the Community contribution so as to accomodate the Fund rules, as was the case for Council Decision 98/381/EC, Euratom. Against this background, the objective of the proposal is to solicit a Council decision for the second Community contribution of EUR 100 million pledged at the second pledging conference held in July 2000 in Berlin.