

Basic information	
2002/0231(COD) COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Regulation	Procedure completed
Chemical substances: tests, good laboratory practice (repeal. Directive 87/18/EEC). Codification Subject 3.40.01 Chemical industry, fertilizers, plastics 3.40.12 Luxury products industry, cosmetics 3.50.01.05 Research specific areas 4.20.04 Pharmaceutical products and industry	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible		Rapporteur
	JURI Legal Affairs and Internal Market		GARGANI Giuseppe (PPE-DE)
	Committee for opinion		Rapporteur for opinion
	ENVI Environment, Public Health, Consumer Policy		The committee decided not to give an opinion.
Council of the European Union	Council configuration	Meetings	Date
	Economic and Financial Affairs ECOFIN	2557	2004-01-20
European Commission	Commission DG		Commissioner
	Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs		

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
26/09/2002	Legislative proposal published	COM(2002)0530 	Summary
09/10/2002	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
10/06/2003	Vote in committee, 1st reading		Summary
10/06/2003	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	A5-0206/2003	
01/07/2003	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	T5-0302/2003	Summary

20/01/2004	Act adopted by Council after Parliament's 1st reading		
11/02/2004	End of procedure in Parliament		
12/02/2004	Final act signed		
20/02/2004	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2002/0231(COD)
Procedure type	COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure)
Procedure subtype	Codification
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Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 095 Rules of Procedure EP 52-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
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European Commission

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Other institutions and bodies

Institution/body	Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
EESC	Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	CES0075/2003 OJ C 085 08.04.2003, p. 0138-0139	22/01/2003	

Additional information		
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Chemical substances: tests, good laboratory practice (repeal. Directive 87/18/EEC). Codification

2002/0231(COD) - 26/09/2002 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE : to present a proposal for a Directive on the harmonisation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to the application of the principles of good laboratory practice and the verification of their applications for tests on chemical substances (Codification). **CONTENT** : Good laboratory practice (GLP) is a quality system concerned with the organisational process and the conditions under which non-clinical health and environmental safety studies are planned, performed, monitored, recorded, archived and reported. In the context of the people's Europe, the Commission attaches great importance to simplifying and clarifying Community law so as to make it clearer and more accessible to the ordinary citizen. This aim cannot be achieved so long as numerous provisions that have been amended several times, often quite substantially, remain shattered, so that they must be sought partly in the original instrument and partly later amending ones. Considerable research work, comparing many different instruments, is thus needed to identify current rules. For this reason a codification of rules that have frequently been amended is also essential if Community law is to be clear and transparent. The purpose of this proposal is to undertake the codification of Council Directive 87/18/EEC of 18 December 1986, on the harmonisation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to the principles of good laboratory practice and the verification of their applications for tests on chemical substances. The new Directive will supersede the various Directives incorporated in it; their content is fully preserved, and they are brought together with only such formal amendments as are required by the codification exercise itself.

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2002/0231(COD) - 11/02/2004 - Final act

PURPOSE: the harmonisation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to the application of the principles of good laboratory practice and the verification of their applications for tests on chemical substances (Codification). **LEGISLATIVE ACT**: Directive 2004/10/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the harmonisation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to the application of the principles of good laboratory practice and the verification of their applications for tests on chemical substances (codified version). **CONTENT**: The European Parliament and the Council adopted Directive 2004/10/EC concerning the harmonisation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to the application of the principles of good laboratory practice and the verification of their applications for tests on chemical substances (codified version). **ENTRY INTO FORCE**: 11/03/2004.

Chemical substances: tests, good laboratory practice (repeal. Directive 87/18/EEC). Codification

2002/0231(COD) - 01/07/2003 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted a resolution drafted by Giuseppe GARGANI (EPP-ED, Italy) and approved the Commission's proposal.