Basic information

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Gender equality: Community framework strategy and Community action programme to promote organisations active at European level in this field, extension of the programmes until 31 December 2006 Amending Decision 2001/51/EC 2000/0143(CNS) Amending Decision No 848/2004/EC 2003/0109(COD) **Subject** 4.10.04.01 Programmes and actions for gender equality	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
FEMM Women's Rights and Gender Equality	KRATSA-TSAGAROPOULOU Rodi (PPE-DE)	23/09/2004

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
BUDG Budgets	MULDER Jan (ALDE)	26/10/2004

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Economic and Financial Affairs ECOFIN	2672	2005-07-12
Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs	2627	2004-12-06

European Commission

Commission DG	Commissioner
Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion	

Key events

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15/09/2004	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
06/12/2004	Debate in Council		

26/04/2005	Vote in committee, 1st reading		Summary
03/05/2005	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	A6-0132/2005	
25/05/2005	Debate in Parliament		
26/05/2005	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	T6-0199/2005	Summary
26/05/2005	Results of vote in Parliament		
12/07/2005	Act adopted by Council after Parliament's 1st reading		
07/09/2005	Final act signed		
07/09/2005	End of procedure in Parliament		
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Technical information

Procedure reference	2004/0194(COD)
Procedure type	COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure)
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Decision
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Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	FEMM/6/23348

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Committee opinion	BUDG	PE357.573	22/04/2005	
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Decision 2005/1554 OJ L 255 30.09.2005, p. 0009-0010	Summary

Gender equality: Community framework strategy and Community action programme to promote organisations active at European level in this field, extension of the programmes until 31 December 2006

2004/0194(COD) - 07/09/2005 - Final act

PURPOSE: Extending the framework strategy as well as the action programme on the promotion of gender equality by one year.

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Decision 1554/2005/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council.

CONTENT: On 31 December 2005 both the Community framework strategy and the action plan on gender equality; first established in 2001 and 2004 respectively, expire. The framework programme was set up under Decision 2001/51/EC, whilst the action programme was established under Decision 848/2004/EC. Until such time as a new multi-annual framework programme can be agreed upon, it has become necessary to extend both of the existing programmes by one year.

Accordingly, Decision 2001/51/EEC has been amended so that the expiry date now reads 31 December 2006, rather than 31 December 2005. The financial contribution for the period 2001 – 2006 has been amended to read EUR 61.5 million. Similarly, Decision 848/004/EC has been amended so that the expiry date of the action programme now reads 31 December 2006, rather than 31 December 2005. The financial contribution for the programme 2004-2006, has been amended to read EUR 3.3 million.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 30/09/2005.

Gender equality: Community framework strategy and Community action programme to promote organisations active at European level in this field, extension of the programmes until 31 December 2006

2004/0194(COD) - 26/05/2005 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted a report by Rodi KRATSA-TSAGAROPOULOU (EPP-ED, EL) approving the Commission's proposal. (Please see the summary of 26/04/2005.)

Gender equality: Community framework strategy and Community action programme to promote organisations active at European level in this field, extension of the programmes until 31 December 2006

2004/0194(COD) - 19/08/2004 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE : to extend both the Programme relating to the Community framework strategy on gender equality (2001–2005) and the Community Action Programme to promote organisations active at European level in the field of equality between men and women until the end of the year 2006.

PROPOSED ACT : Council Decision.

CONTENT : the objective of the prolongation is to ensure the continuation of the Community Action Programme on gender equality during the year 2006. The present programme will expire on 31 December 2005. The prolongation is deemed necessary to guarantee continuity of Community action in a transitional period characterised by important institutional changes until the adoption of a new comprehensive multiannual Framework Programme on the financing of actions in the employment and social field, including gender equality.

FINANCIAL IMPACT :

1) Programme concerning the Community framework strategy on gender equality (2001-2005). It is proposed to increase the total budget from EUR 50 million to EUR 61.5 million.

- budget lines : Articles 04.0502 and 04.010405;

- total commitment appropriations : EUR 11.5 million for 2006 (Action 1 : EUR 5 300 million, Action 2 : EUR 1 900 million, Action 3 : EUR 3 900 million, technical assistance : EUR 0 400 million) ;

- impact on human resources : EUR 1 620 (15 posts); other administrative expenditure : EUR 162 400, making a total of EUR 1 636 240.

2) Programmes concerning the Community action programme to promote organisations active at European level in the field of equality between men and women. It is proposed to increase the budget from EUR 2.2 million to EUR 3.3 million.

- budget lines : A-3037 (No ABB 040503) et A-3046 (No ABB040501).

- total commitment appropriations : EUR 1.1 million for 2006.