Basic information

2007/0269(COD) COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Regulation	Procedure completed
Statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road: implementing powers conferred on the Commission Amending Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 1997/0233(CNS) **Subject** 3.20.05 Road transport: passengers and freight 3.20.20 Transport statistics	

Key players

European Parliament

Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
TRAN Transport and Tourism	JARZEMBOWSKI Georg (PPE-DE)	22/01/2008

Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
JURI Legal Affairs	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	19/12/2007

Council of the European Union

Council configuration	Meetings	Date
Agriculture and Fisheries	2934	2009-03-23

European Commission

Commission DG	Commissioner
Eurostat - European statistics	ALMUNIA Joaquín

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
06/12/2007	Legislative proposal published	COM(2007)0778	Summary
19/02/2008	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
29/05/2008	Vote in committee, 1st reading		Summary
13/06/2008	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	A6-0258/2008	
23/09/2008	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	T6-0416/2008	Summary

23/09/2008	Results of vote in Parliament		
23/03/2009	Act adopted by Council after Parliament's 1st reading		
22/04/2009	End of procedure in Parliament		
23/04/2009	Final act signed		
21/05/2009	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information

Procedure reference	2007/0269(COD)
Procedure type	COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure)
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Amendments and repeals	Amending Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 1997/0233(CNS)
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 285-p1
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	TRAN/6/58040

Documentation gateway

European Parliament

Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee draft report		PE405.965	08/05/2008	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A6-0258/2008	13/06/2008	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T6-0416/2008	23/09/2008	Summary

Council of the EU

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Draft final act	03704/2008/LEX	23/04/2009	

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Legislative proposal	COM(2007)0778	06/12/2007	Summary
Commission response to text adopted in plenary	SP(2008)6073	17/10/2008	

Other institutions and bodies

Institution/body	Document type	Reference	Date	Summary

EESC	Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	CES0760/2008	22/04/2008	

Additional information		
Source	**Document**	**Date**
National parliaments	IPEX	
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Final act	
Regulation 2009/0399 OJ L 126 21.05.2009, p. 0009	Summary

Statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road: implementing powers conferred on the Commission

2007/0269(COD) - 23/09/2008 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted, by 604 votes to 12 with 6 abstentions, a legislative resolution amending the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road as regards the implementing powers conferred on the Commission – Adaptation to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny. The report had been tabled for consideration in plenary by Georg **JARZEMBOWSKI** (EPP-ED, DE) on behalf of the Committee on Transport and Tourism.

The main amendment – adopted under 1st reading of the codecision procedure – was the deletion of Article 9, since it considered that Article 9 was a repetition of Articles 3 to 6, although a somewhat different wording is used. Parliament considered Article 9 to be redundant.

Statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road: implementing powers conferred on the Commission

2007/0269(COD) - 06/12/2007 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: adaptation to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny of Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road as regards the implementing powers conferred on the Commission (comitology).

PROPOSED ACT: Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council.

CONTENT: the purpose of the adaptation is to introduce the new regulatory procedure with scrutiny in Regulation (EC) No 1172/98, as provided for in Article 5a of Decision 1999/468/EC as amended (reform of comitology procedures).

The Commission has carefully examined all the instruments adopted under the codecision procedure in order to identify those which permit the Commission to adopt measures of general scope designed to amend non-essential elements of the basic instrument in question. The Commission has identified more than 200 instruments that should be adjusted. Some of these instruments come under the Commission's codification programme. Among these is Council Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road.

In this connection, under Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 the Commission is authorised to adapt the data collection characteristics and the contents of the Annexes and to lay down the minimum precision requirements for the statistical returns transmitted by the Member States and the implementing procedures for that Regulation, including measures for adapting it to economic and technical progress. Since these measures of general scope are designed to amend non-essential elements of the Regulation in question or to supplement it by the addition of new non-essential elements, they must be adopted in accordance with the regulatory procedure with scrutiny provided for in Article 5a of Decision 1999/468/EC.

Statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road: implementing powers conferred on the Commission

2007/0269(COD) - 23/04/2009 - Final act

PURPOSE: to adapt Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny as regards the implementing powers conferred on the Commission.

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Regulation (EC) No 399/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road, as regards the implementing powers conferred on the Commission.

CONTENT: following a first reading agreement with the Parliament, the Council adopted this Regulation which recasts legislation on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road. Implementing powers conferred on the Commission will be exercised in accordance with Council Decision 1999/468/EC as amended by Council Decision 2006/512/EC which introduced the regulatory procedure with scrutiny for the adoption of measures of general scope and designed to amend non-essential elements of a basic instrument adopted in accordance with the codecision procedure. Accordingly, the Commission will adopt certain implementing measures in accordance with the regulatory procedure with scrutiny.

The Commission is here empowered to adapt the data collection characteristics and the contents of the Annexes and to lay down the minimum precision requirements for the statistical returns transmitted by the Member States and the implementing procedures for that Regulation, including measures for adapting it to economic and technical progress. Since those measures are of general scope and are designed to amend non-essential elements of that Regulation they will be adopted in accordance with the regulatory procedure with scrutiny provided for in Article 5a of Decision 1999 /468/EC.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 10/06/2009.