

| Basic information | |
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| 2015/0090(COD) COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Regulation | Procedure completed |
| Common agricultural policy (CAP): repealing obsolete acts Repealing Regulation (EC) No 320/2006 2005/0120(CNS) Subject 3.10.06.07 Sugar 3.10.07 Animal and vegetable fats, oils | |

| Key players | | | | |
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| European Parliament | Committee responsible | | Rapporteur | Appointed |
| | AGRI Agriculture and Rural Development | | SIEKIERSKI Czesław Adam (PPE) | 05/05/2015 |
| | | | Shadow rapporteur FLANAGAN Luke Ming (GUE/NGL) | |
| | Committee for opinion | | Rapporteur for opinion | Appointed |
| | DEVE Development | | The committee decided not to give an opinion. | |
| | INTA International Trade | | The committee decided not to give an opinion. | |
| | JURI Legal Affairs | | The committee decided not to give an opinion. | |
| | Committee for opinion on the legal basis | | Rapporteur for opinion | Appointed |
| | JURI Legal Affairs | | GUTELAND Jytte (S&D) | 15/07/2015 |
| | Council of the European Union | Council configuration | | Meetings |
| Agriculture and Fisheries | | 3425 | 2015-11-16 | |

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| European Commission | Commission DG | Commissioner |
| | Agriculture and Rural Development | HOGAN Phil |
| European Economic and Social Committee | | |

| Key events | | | |
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| Date | Event | Reference | Summary |
| 22/04/2015 | Legislative proposal published | COM(2015)0174  | Summary |
| 27/04/2015 | Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading | | |
| 15/09/2015 | Vote in committee, 1st reading | | |
| 18/09/2015 | Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading | A8-0255/2015 | Summary |
| 27/10/2015 | Decision by Parliament, 1st reading | T8-0360/2015 | Summary |
| 27/10/2015 | Results of vote in Parliament |  | |
| 16/11/2015 | Act adopted by Council after Parliament's 1st reading | | |
| 25/11/2015 | Final act signed | | |
| 25/11/2015 | End of procedure in Parliament | | |
| 11/12/2015 | Final act published in Official Journal | | |

| Technical information | |
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| Procedure reference | 2015/0090(COD) |
| Procedure type | COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) |
| Procedure subtype | Legislation |
| Legislative instrument | Regulation |
| Amendments and repeals | Repealing Regulation (EC) No 320/2006 2005/0120(CNS) |
| Other legal basis | Rules of Procedure EP 165 |
| Mandatory consultation of other institutions | European Economic and Social Committee |
| Stage reached in procedure | Procedure completed |
| Committee dossier | AGRI/8/03324 |

| Documentation gateway | | | | |
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| European Parliament | | | | |
| Document type | Committee | Reference | Date | Summary |
| Committee draft report | | PE560.619 | 23/06/2015 | |
| Amendments tabled in committee | | PE565.051 | 24/07/2015 | |
| Specific opinion | JURI | PE567.660 | 15/09/2015 | |

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| Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading | | A8-0255/2015 | 18/09/2015 | Summary |
| Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading | | T8-0360/2015 | 27/10/2015 | Summary |

Council of the EU

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| Draft final act | 00053/2015/LEX | 25/11/2015 | |

European Commission

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| Legislative proposal | COM(2015)0174  | 22/04/2015 | Summary |
| Commission response to text adopted in plenary | SP(2015)750 | 10/12/2015 | |

National parliaments

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| European Commission | EUR-Lex | |

Final act

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| Regulation 2015/2284 OJ L 327 11.12.2015, p. 0023 | Summary |
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Common agricultural policy (CAP): repealing obsolete acts

2015/0090(COD) - 27/10/2015 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted by 635 votes to 19, with 28 abstentions, a legislative resolution on the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Council Directive 76/621/EEC relating to the fixing of the maximum level of erucic acid in oils and fats and Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006 establishing a temporary scheme for the restructuring of the sugar industry.

The European Parliament's position adopted at first reading following the ordinary legislative procedure, amended the Commission proposal.

Members proposed that the reference to **Article 114 TFEU** should be added to the reference to Articles 42 and 43(2) concerning proposal's legal base.

Common agricultural policy (CAP): repealing obsolete acts

2015/0090(COD) - 22/04/2015 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: to repeal Council Directive 76/621/EEC relating to the fixing of the maximum level of erucic acid in oils and fats and Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006 establishing a temporary scheme for the restructuring of the sugar industry.

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

ROLE OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT: the European Parliament decides in accordance with the ordinary legislative procedure and on an equal footing with the Council.

BACKGROUND: the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission agreed in their inter-institutional agreement on better law making that Community law should be updated and condensed by repealing acts which are no longer applied. Improve transparency and certainty of Union law is the main aim of this Agreement.

The Commission has carried out several exercises to remove obsolete legislation from the acquis, partly through the traditional repeal procedure, partly by declaring the relevant Commission acts obsolete.

The Commission identified two Council acts related to the Common Agricultural Policy, which are based upon Article 42 and 43 of the Treaty (former Articles 36 and 37), which have exhausted all practical effects, but are formally still in force.

CONTENT: for reasons of legal security and clarity, the Commission proposes to repeal two legal acts relating to the common agricultural policy which have become obsolete, even though formally they are still in force:

- **Council Directive 76/621/EEC.** The content of that Directive has been taken up by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1881/2006;
- **Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006.** The temporary scheme established by that Regulation was applicable only until the marketing year 2009/2010.

Common agricultural policy (CAP): repealing obsolete acts

2015/0090(COD) - 25/11/2015 - Final act

PURPOSE: to repeal two acts relating to the common agriculture policy which have become obsolete.

LEGISLATIVE ACT: Regulation (EU) 2015/2284 of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Council Directive 76/621/EEC relating to the fixing of the maximum level of erucic acid in oils and fats and Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006 establishing a temporary scheme for the restructuring of the sugar industry.

CONTENT: for reasons of legal certainty and clarity, this Regulation repeals two legal acts relating to the common agricultural policy have become obsolete, even though formally they are still in force:

- **Council Directive 76/621/EEC:** the content of that Directive has been taken up by Commission Regulation (EC) No 1881/2006;
- **Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006:** the temporary scheme established by that Regulation was applicable only until the marketing year 2009 /2010.

Improving the **transparency of Union law** is an essential element of the better law-making strategy that Union institutions are implementing. In that context it is appropriate to repeal those legal acts which no longer have real effect.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 14.12.2015.

Common agricultural policy (CAP): repealing obsolete acts

2015/0090(COD) - 18/09/2015 - Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading

The Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development adopted the report by Czesław Adam SIEKIERSKI (EPP, PL) on the proposal for a regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Council Directive 76/621/EEC relating to the fixing of the maximum level of erucic acid in oils and fats and Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006 establishing a temporary scheme for the restructuring of the sugar industry.

The committee recommended that the European Parliament's position adopted at first reading following the ordinary legislative procedure, should amend the Commission proposal.

Members proposed that **the reference to Article 114 TFEU** should be added to the reference to Articles 42 and 43(2) in order to enhance consistency with the double legal basis (Agriculture and Internal market policy) used for the adoption of Directive 76/621/EEC relating to the fixing of the maximum level of erucic acid in oils and fats.