

Basic information	
2024/0311(COD)	Awaiting Council's 1st reading position
COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Directive	
Making available on the market of measuring instruments: electric vehicle supply equipment, compressed gas dispensers, and electricity, gas and thermal energy meters	
Amending Directive 2014/32 2011/0353(COD)	
Subject	
2.10.03 Standardisation, EC/EU standards and trade mark, certification, compliance	
3.40.11 Precision engineering, optics, photography, medical	

Key players			
European Parliament	Committee responsible	Rapporteur	Appointed
	IMCO Internal Market and Consumer Protection	TOMAŠIČ Zala (EPP)	04/02/2025
		Shadow rapporteur KALFON François (S&D) TUREK Filip (PfE) CAVEDAGNA Stefano (ECR) IJABS Ivars (Renew) VAN SPARRENTAK Kim (Greens/EFA)	
	ITRE Industry, Research and Energy	The committee decided not to give an opinion.	
Council of the European Union	Committee for opinion	Rapporteur for opinion	Appointed
European Commission	Commission DG	Commissioner	
	Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs	SÉJOURNÉ Stéphane	
European Economic and Social Committee			

Key events

Date	Event	Reference	Summary
29/11/2024	Legislative proposal published	COM(2024)0561 	Summary
19/12/2024	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
25/09/2025	Vote in committee, 1st reading		
25/09/2025	Committee decision to open interinstitutional negotiations with report adopted in committee		
30/09/2025	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	A10-0173/2025	Summary
06/10/2025	Committee decision to enter into interinstitutional negotiations announced in plenary (Rule 71)		
08/10/2025	Committee decision to enter into interinstitutional negotiations confirmed by plenary (Rule 71)		
04/12/2025	Approval in committee of the text agreed at 1st reading interinstitutional negotiations	PE781.115 	
09/02/2026	Debate in Parliament		
10/02/2026	Decision by Parliament, 1st reading	T10-0029/2026	
10/02/2026	Results of vote in Parliament		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2024/0311(COD)
Procedure type	COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure)
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Directive
Amendments and repeals	Amending Directive 2014/32 2011/0353(COD)
Legal basis	Treaty on the Functioning of the EU TFEU 114
Other legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 165
Mandatory consultation of other institutions	European Economic and Social Committee
Stage reached in procedure	Awaiting Council's 1st reading position
Committee dossier	IMCO/10/01619

Documentation gateway				
European Parliament				
Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee draft report		PE773.060	28/04/2025	
Amendments tabled in committee		PE774.329	05/06/2025	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A10-0173/2025	30/09/2025	Summary
Text agreed during interinstitutional negotiations		PE781.115	27/11/2025	

European Commission

Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
Legislative proposal	COM(2024)0561 	29/11/2024	Summary

National parliaments

Document type	Parliament /Chamber	Reference	Date	Summary
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Other institutions and bodies

Institution/body	Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
EESC	Economic and Social Committee: opinion, report	CES0177/2025	22/01/2025	

Additional information

Source	Document	Date
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Meetings with interest representatives published in line with the Rules of Procedure**Rapporteurs, Shadow Rapporteurs and Committee Chairs**

Transparency				
Name	Role	Committee	Date	Interest representatives
KALFON François	Shadow rapporteur	IMCO	27/08/2025	Hager Group
TOMAŠIČ Zala	Rapporteur	IMCO	23/04/2025	AVERE - The European Association for Electromobility
TOMAŠIČ Zala	Rapporteur	IMCO	19/03/2025	ChargeUp Europe
MARAN Pierfrancesco	Shadow rapporteur	IMCO	12/12/2024	Piaggio & C. S.p.A.

Other Members

Transparency		
Name	Date	Interest representatives
FIOCCHI Pietro	08/10/2024	Acea S.p.A.

Making available on the market of measuring instruments: electric vehicle supply equipment, compressed gas dispensers, and electricity, gas and thermal energy meters

2024/0311(COD) - 29/11/2024 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: to amend Directive 2014/32/EU as regards electric vehicle supply equipment, compressed gas dispensers, and electricity, gas and thermal energy meters.

PROPOSED ACT: Directive 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: one of the objectives of Directive 2014/32/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on measuring instruments (Measuring Instruments Directive - MID) is to guarantee the proper functioning of the internal market. Measuring instruments falling within the scope of that Directive are to meet the essential requirements set out in Annex I and in the relevant instrument-specific Annexes.

The scope and the associated essential requirements covered by the MID were already established by Directive 2004/22/EC, of which the MID is a recast. Thus, they have remained unchanged for more than 20 years. This means that the Measuring Instruments Directive does not cover new measuring instruments that are necessary to achieve the objectives of the European Green Deal. This is notably the case for electric vehicle supply equipment and compressed gas (e.g. hydrogen and natural gas) dispensers and thermal energy meters for cooling applications.

In addition, as far as electricity and gas meters are concerned, the MID does not address the growing role of digitalisation (smart metering) or the use of new gases (like hydrogen or other renewable gases as alternatives to more traditional gases) supplying households.

As a result, the absence of harmonised requirements for certain categories of measuring instruments is expected to lead to the emergence of diverging national legislations and therefore to a fragmentation of the single market. Such fragmentation leads to higher costs for economic operators and consumers.

Furthermore, some essential requirements of the MID are no longer technology neutral (e.g. display requirements) which prevent the use of modern solutions and their associated benefits in terms of convenience and protection for consumers.

CONTENT: the Commission proposal is a **targeted technical amendment** of Directive 2014/32/EU on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of measuring instruments (Measuring Instruments Directive - MID). This targeted technical amendment is needed to avoid further fragmentation of the single market.

More specifically, this proposal includes:

- technical adjustments to Annex I of the MID on the essential requirements applicable to all instruments covered by the directive. The adjustments to this annex will only affect the measuring instruments subject to this technical amendment;
- technical adjustments to Annex IV of the MID on gas meters and volume conversion devices to take into account the increased use of new gases and the rollout of smart meters;
- technical adjustments to Annex V of the MID on active electrical energy meters to take into account technological developments and the rollout of smart meters;
- addition of a new Annex Va on electric vehicle supply equipment to include harmonised essential requirements;
- technical adjustments to Annex VI of the MID on thermal energy meters to include thermal energy meters for cooling applications;
- addition of a new Annex VIIa on compressed gas dispensers with harmonised essential requirements.

Lastly, it is necessary to provide reasonable transitional arrangements for **distributors to supply stock** of measuring instruments and for **manufacturers** to adapt their products to the essential requirements set out in the Annexes to this Directive.

Making available on the market of measuring instruments: electric vehicle supply equipment, compressed gas dispensers, and electricity, gas and thermal energy meters

2024/0311(COD) - 30/09/2025 - Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading

The Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection adopted the report by Zala TOMAŠIČ (EPP, SI) on the proposal for a directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2014/32/EU as regards electric vehicle supply equipment, compressed gas dispensers, and electricity, gas and thermal energy meters.

Members support the inclusion of harmonised requirements for electric vehicle supply equipment and compressed gas dispensers.

The competent committee recommended that the position adopted at first reading by the European Parliament should amend the proposal.

The amendments primarily aim to modernise and clarify the scope and functionality of legal metrology devices, particularly focusing on digital environments and new technological capabilities. They improve the clarity of the wording regarding metrological control of data and ensure technological neutrality.

In this regard, Members introduced amendments to the annexes of the directive.

The amended text underlines the importance of further amendments, particularly in response to technological developments such as those affecting water meters, are considered in a future revision of Directive 2014/32/EU. It is important that such a revision aims to assess whether the essential requirements for these measuring instruments remain appropriate to ensure high metrological performance and their compatibility with evolving digital infrastructures.

It is also clarified that improving electric vehicle charging infrastructure serves the common interest of all stakeholders. This Directive does not aim to impose retrofitting obligations on existing charging stations, but to establish a harmonised framework for newly installed electric vehicle supply equipment.