

Basic information	
<p><b>2025/0059(COD)</b></p> <p>COD - Ordinary legislative procedure (ex-codecision procedure) Regulation</p>	Awaiting Parliament's position in 1st reading
<p>Common system for the return of third-country nationals staying illegally in the Union (Return Regulation)</p> <p>Repealing Directive 2001/40 <a href="#">2000/0819(CNS)</a> Repealing Decision 2004/191 <a href="#">2003/0019(CNS)</a> Repealing Directive 2008/115 <a href="#">2005/0167(COD)</a></p> <p><b>Subject</b></p> <p>7.10 Free movement and integration of third-country nationals 7.10.08 Migration policy</p> <p><b>Legislative priorities</b></p> <p><a href="#">Joint Declaration 2026</a></p>	

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
11/03/2025	Legislative proposal published	<a href="#">COM(2025)0101</a> 	<a href="#">Summary</a>
16/06/2025	Committee referral announced in Parliament, 1st reading		
09/03/2026	Vote in committee, 1st reading		
09/03/2026	Committee decision to open interinstitutional negotiations with report adopted in committee		
10/03/2026	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading	<a href="#">A10-0048/2026</a>	<a href="#">Summary</a>
12/03/2026	Committee decision to enter into interinstitutional negotiations announced in plenary (Rule 71)		
26/03/2026	Results of vote in Parliament		
26/03/2026	Committee decision to enter into interinstitutional negotiations confirmed by plenary (Rule 71 - vote)		