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1. DAĦLA

Mibdija f'Ottubru 2005, l-istrateġija għas-simplifikazzjoni ta' l-ambjent regolatorju[1] stabbiliet programm kontinwu ta' miżuri ta' simplifikazzjoni li għandhom jiġu adottati bejn l-2005 u l-2008 bl-għan li ttejjeb il-kwalità u l-effikaċja ta' l-acquis filwaqt li żżomm l-għanijiet ta' politika ewlenin tagħha.

It-tieni rapport ta' progress, li jikkumplimenta l-Komunikazzjoni dwar "*It-tieni reviżjoni strateġika dwar Regolamentazzjoni Aħjar fl-Unjoni Ewropea*"[2], jiddeskrivi f'termini kwalitattivi kif ukoll kwantitattivi r-riżultati miksuba diġà, iħejji t-triq 'il quddiem għal-leġiżlatura ta' l-UE u jimmira li jagħti spinta ġdida lill-istrateġija ta' simplifikazzjoni li hija element essenzjali tal-Politika globali għal Regolamentazzjoni Aħjar u l-Istrateġija għat-Tkabbir u l-Impjiegi ta' l-Unjoni Ewropea.

Dan ir-rapport juri wkoll li l-Kummissjoni qed twettaq b'mod effettiv l-impenji tagħha skond il-programm kontinwu.

Iċ-ċittadini u l-kumpaniji diġà raw riżultati tanġibbli u se jaraw aktar hekk kif jiġi adottat l-għadd kbir ta' inizjattivi li bħalissa hemm pendenti quddiem il-leġiżlatura. L-isforz qed ikun iffokat fuq proġetti li jġibu magħhom benefiċċji sinifikanti għall-partijiet interessati, bħal impriżi żgħar u ta' daqs medju (IŻM) jew intraprendituri individwali, li ħafna drabi jħabbtu wiċċhom ma' talbiet regolatorji sproporzjonati.

Il-Kummissjoni se tlesti proċess sħiħ ta' eżami ta' l-acquis Komunitarju, filwaqt li tiċċekkja jekk għadhomx meħtieġa l-istrumenti eżistenti, li jintuża l-istil regolatorju tajjeb u li kull piż impost ikun ħafif kif hu kompatibbli mar-riżultati ta' politika mixtieqa. Dan il-proċess se jidentifika wkoll inizjattivi ġodda għal inklużjoni fil-programm kontinwu ta' simplifikazzjoni aġġornat li għandhom jiġu ppreżentati fil-bidu ta' l-2009. Biex tassew issir differenza, dan il-momentum irid jissokta anki fil-leġiżlatura li jmiss.

Fl-istess waqt, kull meta jinstab mod li jħaffef il-ħajja għan-negozji mingħajr ma jaffettwa l-għanijiet ta' politika sottostanti jew jipproponi bidliet sinifikanti oħra għall-qafas regolatorju, il-Kummissjoni se tagħmel użu mill-hekk imsejjaħ mekkaniżmu ta' azzjonijiet mgħaġġla[3] li jgħin biex jitnaqqas il-piż amministrattiv fl-UE b'25 %[4] kif inhi l-mira sa l-2012. L-eżerċizzju ewlieni mniedi mill-Kummissjoni biex 'tħejji u tkejjel' il-piż amministrattiv f'oqsma prijoritarji jista' wkoll jagħti spinta lill-programm ta' simplifikazzjoni.

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1 Komunikazzjoni tal-Kummissjoni KUMM(2005) 535.

2 It-tieni reviżjoni strateġika ta' Regolamentazzjoni Aħjar fl-Unjoni Ewropea - KUMM(2008) 32.

3 Dokument ta' Ħidma tal-Kummissjoni: It-tnaqqis ta' piżijiet amministrattivi fl-Unjoni Ewropea rapport ta' progress ta' l-2007 u perspettiva għall-2008 KUMM(2008) 35.

4 Konklużjonijiet tal-Kunsill tar-Rebbiegħa ta' l-2006

2. IL-QAGĦDA PREŻENTI TAL-PROGRAMM KURRENTI TA' SIMPLIFIKAZZJONI

2.1. Ħarsa ġenerali

L-istrateġija ta' simplifikazzjoni ta' Ottubru 2005 identifikat sensiela inizjali ta' madwar 100 inizjattiva għall-programm kontinwu ta' l-2005 sa l-2008. F'Novembru 2006 ġew miżjuda 43 inizjattiva ġdida[5] u 16 oħra f'Ottubru 2007[6], u dan wessa' l-ambitu ta' l-eżerċizzju ta' simplifikazzjoni għall-oqsma kollha ta' politika u estenda l-iskeda ta' żmien sa l-2009. Il-programm juża tekniki leġiżlattivi bħalma huma r-revoka, il-kodifikazzjoni u l-abbozzar ġdid[7].

L-implimentazzjoni tal-programm kontinwu fil-biċċa l-kbira tiegħu qiegħed iżomm ma' l-iskeda. Sa issa, il-Kummissjoni adottat aktar min-nofs tal-programm aġġornat ta' l-2005-2009.

Mill-inizjattivi skedati għall-adozzjoni fl-2007, 80 % tal-programm twettaq mill-Kummissjoni.

Sa issa, il-Kummissjoni adottat 91 proposta li jikkonsistu f'24 hekk imsejħa atti awtonomi adottati permezz ta' proċedura ta' komitoloġija, 16 adottati mil-leġiżlatura, 44 għadhom pendenti quddiem il-leġiżlatura u sebgħa li huma jew reviżjonijiet fejn ma kienitx meħtieġa azzjoni leġiżlattiva, jew inizjattivi amalgamati.

B'mod ġenerali, sa minn Ottubru 2005, il-Kummissjoni diġà ppreżentat madwar 400 att legali għal revoka, modifika jew sostituzzjoni. B'riżultat ta' dan, madwar 300 att legali li jirrappreżentaw madwar 5 000 paġna tal-Ġurnal Uffiċjali se jitħassru mill-ktieb ta' l-istatut tal-Komunità. Barra minn hekk, minn mindu l-Kummissjoni ħadet il-ħatra, hi ħadet azzjoni jew ipproponiet it-tneħħija ta' 2 500 att skadut mill-*acquis*.

2.2. Leġiżlazzjoni diġà adottata

L-implimentazzjoni ta' l-istrateġija għas-simplifikazzjoni ta' l-ambjent regolatorju diġà ġabet magħha benefiċċji reali għan-negozji u ċ-ċittadini.

2.2.1. Atti adottati mill-Kummissjoni

Sa issa, ġew adottati 24 inizjattiva ta' simplifikazzjoni bħala atti awtonomi tal-Kummissjoni permezz tal-proċedura ta' komitoloġija (l-Anness 4). Per eżempju:

- Fl-2005, il-Kummissjoni adottat regolament li jelenka l-ħlasijiet imnaqqsa u jintroduċi skema ta' għajnuna amministrattiva għall-IŻM li jirreġistraw il-**farmaċewtiċi** Dan jipprovdi għall-IŻM tnaqqis ta' 90 % fil-ħlasijiet għal parir xjentifiku, ħlasijiet imnaqqsa għall-IŻM meta japplikaw għal awtorizzazzjonijiet ta' tqegħid fis-suq u l-għoti ta' għajnuna regolatorja għall-IŻM. Diġà qed isir użu estensiv minn dawn il-possibbiltajiet mill-IŻM attivi f'dan il-kamp.
- Ir-regoli li jikkonċernaw il-**prova ta' importazzjoni** f'pajjiżi terzi (b'rabta ma' **rifużjonijiet ta' l-esportazzjoni differenzjati** għal ċerti prodotti agrikoli) ġew emendati biex jippermettu lill-esportaturi japplikaw għal rifużjonijiet biex jużaw l-informazzjoni kompjuterizzata dwar il-monitoraġġ u l-intraċċar tal-kontejner tat-trasportatur bħala alternattiva għad-dokumenti doganali normali (li huma diffiċli biex jinkisbu f'ċerti pajjiżi).

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5 Dokument ta' Ħidma tal-Kumissjoni KUMM(2006) 690.

6 Programm Leġiżlattiv u ta' Ħidma tal-Kummissjoni 2008 - KUMM(2007).640.

7 Il-metodoloġija tal-Kummissjoni għas-simplifikazzjoni u d-definizzjonijiet tat-tekniki leġiżlattivi relatati huma ppreżentati fid-dettall fil-Komunikazzjoni ta' l-2005.

- Il-Kummissjoni diġà adottat Rakkomandazzjoni dwar **swieq tal-komunikazzjonijiet elettroniċi** li tiffoka r-regolamentazzjoni fuq il-livell tal-bejgħ bl-ingrossa u naqqset in-numru ta' swieq li huma suxxettibbli għal regolamentazzjoni *ex ante* minn 18 għal 7. B'riżultat ta' dan, huwa stmat li l-ispejjeż amminsitrattivi qegħdin jitnaqqsu b'madwar 25-30 % għal operaturi ta' netwerks fissi u b'madwar 30-40 % għal awtoritajiet regolatorji nazzjonali (ARN). Il-proċeduri semplifikati ta' reviżjoni tas-swieq se jġibu magħhom ukoll tfaddil addizzjonali għall-ARN.

2.2.2. Atti adottati mil-leġiżlatura

Il-biċċa l-kbira tal-programm tiddependi għall-adozzjoni tagħha fuq il-leġiżlatura, tipikament skond il-proċedura ta' kodeċiżjoni. Sa llum, 16-il inizjattiva ta' simplifikazzjoni fil-programm kontinwu ta' l-2005-2009 ġew adottati (l-Anness 5), per eżempju:

- Fil-qasam ta' l-agrikoltura, il-leġiżlatura adottat l-abbozzar tal-**21 Organizzazzjoni ta' Suq Komuni fi skema waħdanija** biex tarmonizza u tissimplifika l-Politika Agrikola Komuni għall-benefiċċju komuni tal-bdiewa, l-amministrazzjonijiet u l-kumpaniji li jimmaniġġjaw il-prodotti agrikoli. Il-ħolqien ta' OSK waħdanija se jqassar il-leġiżlazzjoni fis-settur tal-biedja, itejjeb it-trasparenza tagħha u jagħmel il-politika iktar aċċessibbli. Dan jimplika r-revoka ta' kważi 50 att tal-Kunsill u jibdel aktar minn 650 artikolu legali fir-regolamenti attwali b'madwar 200 li joħolqu ambjent regolatorju globali ħafna aktar sempliċi mingħajr ma jbiddlu l-politiki sottostanti.

- Id-direttiva dwar ir-rimedji fl-**akkwist pubbliku.** Fl-2003, dan is-settur kien stmat għal € 1 500 biljun, li jammonta għal 16.3 % tal-PGD ta' l-UE15. Id-direttiva l-ġdida ttejjeb il-proċeduri ta' reviżjoni nazzjonali li n-negozji jistgħu jużaw jekk iqisu li awtorità pubblika tat kuntratt b'mod inġust. B'mod partikolari, id-direttiva tintroduċi perjodu ta' waqfien obbligatorju bejn in-notifika tad-deċiżjoni ta' l-għoti u l-iffirmar tal-kuntratt, biex dawk li jitfgħu l-offerta jkollhom ċans jeżaminaw id-deċiżjoni u jevalwaw jekk għandhomx jibdew proċedura ta' reviżjoni. Id-Direttiva tinkludi regoli supplimentari maħsuba biex jiżguraw l-effikaċja. L-introduzzjoni ta' dawn id-drittijiet u l-mekkaniżmi ġodda għal dawk li l-offerta tagħhom ma tintlaqax fis-27 Stat Membru hija kruċjali biex jiġi żgurat li l-kuntratti finalment jingħataw lill-kumpanija li għamlet l-aħjar offerta, u għalhekk biex tinħoloq fiduċja fost in-negozji u l-pubbliku li l-proċeduri ta' akkwist pubbliku huma ġusti. Il-miżuri ta' simplifikazzjoni jinkludu r-revoka ta' mekkaniżmi eżistenti ta' konċiljazzjoni u attestazzjoni li għalihom in-negozji ma esprimew l-ebda interess reali u li bħalissa mhumiex użati.

- Id-direttiva dwar is-**servizzi ta' ħlas** tikkontribwixxi għall-ħolqien ta' "Żona Unika ta' Pagamenti" fl-UE li tista' tiffranka lill-ekonomija ta' l-UE sa € 28 biljun kull sena. L-għan hu li l-ħlasijiet elettroniċi fl-UE – b'karta ta' kreditu, karta ta' debitu, trasferiment ta' kreditu, debitu dirett jew mezzi oħrajn – isiru faċili, orħos u sikuri bħalma huma l-ħlasijiet 'domestiċi' fi Stat Membru llum il-ġurnata. Id-direttiva tiggarantixxi aċċess ġust u miftuħ għas-swieq tal-pagamenti u żżid u tistandardizza l-ħarsien tal-konsumatur. Il-benefiċċji ta' simplifikazzjoni joriginaw mill-armonizzazzjoni tar-rekwiżiti ta' aċċess għas-suq, mill-ġlieda kontra l-effett ta' frammentazzjoni li jirriżulta mid-diverġenza tar-regoli nazzjonali u ta' l-UE dwar ir-rekwiżiti tat-tagħrif u mill-armonizzazzjoni tad-drittijiet u l-obbligi bażiċi ta' l-utenti u l-forniturі fl-interess taċ-ċertezza u l-effiċjenza. Suq tal-pagamenti aktar effiċjenti u kompetittiv ifisser ukoll li l-Ewropej iħallsu anqas għal servizzi bankarji bażiċi, li l-ispiża medja annwali tagħhom tvarja minn € 34 sa € 252 fl-UE kollha.

- Ir-revoka ta' ħafna mir-rekwiżiti eżistenti ta' **qabel l-ippakkjar** neħħiet ir-regoli nazzjonali u Komunitarji għal madwar 70 prodott tal-konsumatur. In-negozji issa għandhom aktar flessibbiltà biex iwieġbu għall-ħtiġijiet tal-konsumatur;
- Fil-qasam tad-**dwana**, il-leġiżlatur adotta d-deċiżjoni e-Customs (dwana elettronika) li se toħloq sistema elettronika Ewropea għall-iskambju ta' *data* bejn l-awtoritajiet pubbliċi u l-kumpaniji. Il-proċeduri doganali armonizzati li jużaw sistemi doganali awtomatizzati u konnessi bejniethom se jagħtu spinta lill-kummerċ internazzjonali. Meta taħdem b'mod sħiħ, is-sistema integrata għandha tiffranka lin-negozji € 2.5 biljun fis-sena, aktar mill-ħlas ta' l-investiment ta' € 40 – 50 miljun kull sena li jsir mill-Kummissjoni u mill-Istati Membri. • Huwa previst li l-Kodiċi Doganali modernizzat, li se jirrevedi l-leġiżlazzjoni doganali Komunitarja, se jiġi adottat fl-2008.

2.3. Proposti pendenti quddiem il-leġiżlatura

Madwar 44 proposta ta' simplifikazzjoni bħalissa jinsabu pendenti quddiem il-leġiżlatura. Dawn jinkludu għadd ta' proposti importanti li l-adozzjoni tagħhom se tgħin biex tissimplifika l-ambjent regolatorju, per eżempju:

- Ir-reviżjoni innovattiva tal-liġi ta' l-assigurazzjoni ta' l-UE (**Solvency II**) se ttejjeb il-ħarsien tat-titolari tal-polza fl-UE kollha permezz ta' rekwiżiti ta' solvenza sensittivi għar-riskju għal impriżi ta' assigurazzjoni. Solvency II se jippromwovi ġestjoni aħjar tar-riskju, ipprezzar sod u superviżjoni msaħħa, u b'hekk isaħħaħ il-fiduċja tal-konsumatur. Se jżid ukoll il-kompetizzjoni (speċjalment għal negozji involuti fil-bejgħ bl-imnut fil-kobor bħall-assigurazzjoni ta' vetturi u djar), inaqqas uħud mill-prezzijiet ta' l-assigurazzjoni, iħeġġeġ l-innovazzjoni tal-prodott u jtejjeb il-kompetittività internazzjonali ta' l-assiguraturi Ewropej. Fl-aħħarnett, l-ambjent regolatorju se jkun aktar trasparenti u faċili għall-utent b'direttiva waħda li tissostitwixxi t-taħlita ta' regoli atttwali li jinsabu f'14-il direttiva differenti.

- Il-**kodiċi ta' kondotta għal sistemi ta' prenotazzjoni kompjuterizzata** ġie żviluppat għal suq li evolva b'mod sinifikanti mat-tneħħija tal-linji ta' l-ajru u ż-żieda fil-prenotazzjonijiet bl-internet u issa huwa l-waqt li jintroduċi aktar kompetizzjoni. Il-Kummissjoni tipproponi li jingħata aktar spazju lill-forzi tas-suq biex jingħelbu l-prezzijiet ta' prenotazzjoni ogħla milli meħtieġ, imħallsa mil-linji ta' l-ajru u mill-passiġġieri. Iż-żieda fil-kompetizzjoni se ttejjeb il-kwalità tas-servizzi offruti u tnaqqas l-ispejjeż ta' distribuzzjoni fis-settur tat-trasport bl-ajru: il-prezzijiet ta' prenotazzjoni għal kull segment ta' vjaġġ huma mistennija li jsiru bejn € 0.7 sa € 0.9 orħos, u b'hekk l-ispejjeż totali jitnaqqsu b'€ 190-240 miljun fis-sena;
- L-għan tat-tibdil fir-regoli li jirregolaw **in-netwerks u s-servizzi ta' komunikazzjonijiet elettroniċi** huwa li jiżgura kompetizzjoni effettiva, jippromwovi l-investiment, jikkonsolida s-suq intern u jsaħħaħ l-interessi tal-konsumatur. It-tnaqqis sostanzjali tar-regolamentazzjoni huwa appoġġjat meta jkun hemm tendenza ċara lejn il-kompetizzjoni. Studju indipendenti ta' l-ispejjeż u l-benefiċċji ta' l-Awtorità tas-Suq tal-Komunikazzjonijiet Elettroniċi jistima benefiċċji ekonomiċi potenzjali li huma 10-30 darba aktar l-ispejjeż operattivi tagħha (jiġifieri € 250 – 800 miljun) minħabba n-nuqqas ta' inċertezza regolatorja u r-riżoluzzjoni aktar rapida tal-każijiet. Għall-fornituri tas-servizz li jiddependu fuq l-ispektrum, ir-reviżjoni tintroduċi aktar flessibbiltà, tnaqqas l-ispiża ta' l-attivitajiet tan-negozju u tneħħi l-ostakoli għad-dħul ta' parteċipanti ġodda. B'riżultat ta' dan, il-konsumaturi se jaraw għażla aħjar u prezzijiet aktar baxxi għal dawn is-servizzi;

- Id-Direttiva ġdida dwar **it-trasport fuq l-art ta' merkanzija perikoluża** se tgħaqqad flimkien it-tliet mezzi kollha ta' trasport ta' l-art (permezz tat-triq, il-ferrovija u l-passaġġi ta' l-ilma interni) f'biċċa waħda ta' leġiżlazzjoni. Il-proposta fiha dispożizzjonijiet uniformi għat-tlieta li huma (fejn ikun possibbli) u tirrevoka d-dispożizzjonijiet skaduti. B'mod partikolari, żewġ direttivi dwar konsulenti ta' sikurezza fuq merkanzija perikoluża u erba' deċiżjonijiet dwar derogi nazzjonali se jiġu revokati. Ir-riżultat se jkun test trasparenti u faċli għall-utent, li se jnaqqas il-volum ta' l-*acquis* b'madwar 2 000 paġna;
- Ir-reviżjoni tad-direttiva dwar il-**ġugarelli** se taġġorna r-rekwiżiti ta' sikurezza u tevita l-effetti ta' ħsara fuq it-tfal għaż-żmien medju u fit-tul, u fl-istess waqt ittejjeb it-tħaddim tas-swieq interni għall-ġugarelli. Bħala għan primarju r-reviżjoni timmira li timmodernizza r-rekwiżiti ta' sikurezza tal-ġugarelli fir-rigward tal-karatteristiċi kimiċi, fiżiċi u mekkaniċi tagħhom. Din se tqis l-aħħar għarfien xjentifiku biex tiżgura li fis-suq ta' l-UE jkun hemm disponibbli ġugarelli sikuri biss. Barra minn hekk, il-mod kif id-direttiva hija infurzata fi ħdan l-Istati Membri se tkun imtejba u se jissaħħu l-obbligi għall-Istati Membri li jwettqu sorveljanza tas-suq xierqa u effettiva.

2.4. Inizjattivi li qed tħejji l-Kummissjoni (2008-2009)

L-isforzi tal-Kummissjoni se jiġu intensifikati matul is-sentejn li ġejjin. Il-programm aġġornat ta' l-2008-2009 (Anness 1) jikkonsisti f'45 inizjattiva għall-2008 u 9 inizjattivi għall-2009. Eżempji ta' l-inizjattivi ta' simplifikazzjoni li jmiss jinkludu::

- Ir-**reviżjoni ta' l-*acquis* dwar il-liġi tal-kumpaniji, il-kontabbiltà u l-verifika** se tneħħi jew tnaqqas firxa ta' rekwiżiti amministrattivi li issa jitqiesu skaduti, eċċessivi jew duplikati. Se tneħħi ċerti rekwiżiti tat-tagħrif mid-Direttivi dwar il-liġi tal-Kumpaniji, tissimplifika r-rekwiżiti ta' żvelar għall-kumpaniji u tippermetti lill-Istati Membri li jkomplu jnaqqsu r-rekwiżiti ta' rrappurtar u verifika għall-IŻM;
- Ir-**reviżjoni tar-Regolament ta' Eżenzjoni Ġenerali Sħiħa (REĠS)** se tiġbor f'dokument wieħed id-dispożizzjonijiet kollha li jikkonċernaw l-għajnuniet mill-istat eżenti mill-obbligu li jinnotifikaw, u b'hekk inaqqsu l-piż amministrattiv għall-benefiċjarji, l-Istati Membri u l-Kummissjoni. Ir-REĠS ġdid se jiġbor fih oqsma li diġà huma koperti minn eżenzjonijiet sħaħ fuq taħriġ, impjiegi u IŻM kif ukoll oqsma ġodda bħall-ambjent, il-kapital ta' riskju u l-għajnuna reġjonali. Se jtejjeb ukoll b'mod konsiderevoli l-aċċess ta' l-IŻM għal programmi ta' għajnuna mill-istat, per eżempju l-"bonus ta' l-IŻM" flimkien ma' l-għajnuna bażika normalment applikabbli għall-investiment u l-impjiegi se jiġi armonizzat u jiżdied minn 15 % għal 20 % għal intrapriżi żgħar u minn 7.5 % sa 10 % għal dawk ta' daqs medju;
- Ir-**reviżjoni ta' l-Intrastat** se tnaqqas il-piż impost fuq in-negozji mis-sistema ta' ġbir ta' *data* għall-istatistika Komunitarja marbuta mal-kummerċ ta' merkanzija bejn l-Istati Membri. Il-Kummissjoni se tipproponi fi żmien qasir is-simplifikazzjoni ulterjuri ta' l-iskema fuq linji tradizzjonali billi jitnaqqas l-għadd ta' intestaturi ta' nomenklatura u billi jiżdiedu l-livelli biex jiġi eżentat għadd kbir ta' intrapriżi. Huwa stmat li sa 190 000 intrapriża jistgħu jiġu eżentati mill-obbligu li jirrapportaw l-istatistika. Fl-istess waqt, il-Kummissjoni se tinvestiga għażliet oħra fit-tul inkluża bidla possibbli għal sistema ta' rappurtar b'direzzjoni waħda[8];

[8] Statistika ta' l-Intrastat qed tiġi prodotta bħalissa billi tintuża sistema fejn kull pajjiż jirrapporta kemm fuq il-flussi ta' l-importazzjoni kif ukoll fuq dawk ta' esportazzjoni. Kull fluss qed jiġi għalhekk irrapportat darbtejn.

- Ir-regolament li jmiss dwar **fatturi avvanzati ta' sikurezza u tajers** se jbiddlu madwar 50 direttiva separata b'regolament uniku. Dan se jħaffef sostanzjalment il-piż fuq l-Istati Membri, li ma għandhomx aktar għalfejn jittrasponu r-regoli tal-KE f'dan il-qasam. Barra minn hekk, ir-referenzi diretti għal Regolamenti ta' l-UNECE se jħaffu konsiderevolment l-allinjament tal-liġi ta' l-UE mar-regoli ta' l-UNECE, u b'hekk jippermettu lill-industrija tadatta ruħha aktar malajr għall-iżviluppi tekniċi fil-livell internazzjonali;
- Ir-reviżjoni tad-direttiva dwar **Skart ta' Tagħmir Elettriku u Elettroniku** (WEEE) u d-direttiva li tirrestringi l-użu ta' ċerti sustanzi perikolużi fit-tagħmir elettriku u elettroniku (RoHS) se jiċċaraw il-kunċetti, jiffaċilitaw l-implimentazzjoni u l-infurzar tagħhom, inaqqsu l-ispejjeż amministrattivi għal fabbrikanti u amministraturi kif ukoll jipprovdu lill-operaturi b'kundizzjonijiet ugwali aktar trasparenti;
- Il-proposta għal Direttiva ta' qafas dwar id-**drittijiet tal-konsumatur** se tipprovdi definizzjonijiet komuni u tirregola d-drittijiet kuntrattwali u rimedji għall-konsumaturi. Billi tagħmel il-qafas regolatorju aktar sempliċi u ċar għan-negozji u l-konsumaturi, din se tikkontribwixxi għat-tħaddim tas-suq intern u l-fiduċja tal-konsumatur;
- L-immodernizzar u l-abbozzar tas-sistema ta' kontroll tal-**Politika Komuni tas-Sajd** (PKS) se jtaffu r-restrizzjonijiet għas-settur u jżidu l-użu ta' l-għodda ta' l-IT biex inaqqsu l-obbligi ta' rappurtar.

L-inizjattivi ta' simplifikazzjoni li huma partikolarment rilevanti għall-IŻM se jiġu wkoll enfasizzati fl-"*Att dwar in-Negozji ż-Żgħar għall-Ewropa*", li għandu jitnieda fl-2008.

2.5. Simplifikazzjoni lil hinn mill-programm kontinwu

Is-simplifikazzjoni ma tieqafx bil-programmi ffokati bħall-programm kontinwu ta' simplifikazzjoni, il-programm għat-tnaqqis ta' piżijiet amminsitrattivi u l-programm ta' kodifikazzjoni. L-istess imperattiv ta' sempliċità għandu japplika f'kull livell tal-proposti leġiżlattivi kollha, kif ukoll għall-proċeduri operattivi. Per eżempju:

- Fil-kamp tar-riċerka - kontributur ewlieni għall-istrateġija ta' Liżbona – ġew proposti wkoll miżuri konkreti[9] biex jiġi ssimplifikat is-**seba' programm ta' qafas għar-riċerka, l-iżvilupp teknoloġiku u l-attivitajiet ta' dimostrazzjoni**. Ir-regoli amministrattivi u finanzjarji ġew emendati kif xieraq u l-ġestjoni tal-Programm ta' Qafas tal-proġetti ta' riċerka individwali ġiet armonizzata;
- Il-Kummissjoni pproponiet li tissimplifika l-istruttura tal-programm **Erasmus Mundus** matul it-tieni fażi tagħha (2009-13). L-azzjoni Komunitarja fil-kamp ta' l-edukazzjoni ogħla marbuta ma' pajjiżi terzi se ssir aktar koerenti bl-armonizzazzjoni ta' firxa wiesgħa ta' programmi eżistenti, li bħalissa qed jitmexxew skond regoli differenti minkejja li jkopru essenzjalment l-istess oqsma. Dan se joħloq punt ta' aċċess uniku għall-partijiet interessati involuti f'kooperazzjoni akkademika ma' pajjiżi terzi u f'mobilità internazzjonali;
- Il-Kummissjoni ssostitwiet u aġġornat erba' avviżi distinti dwar mistoqsijiet ġurisdizzjonali differenti f'**Avviż Ġurisdizzjonali Konsolidat** uniku skond ir-Regolament tal-KE dwar l-Għaqdiet. Hi ssimplifikat minnufih il-prassi u l-gwida amministrattiva;

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[9] SEG(2005) 431 Dokument ta' Ħidma tal-Persunal tal-Kummissjoni: Simplifikazzjoni fis-seba' programm ta' qafas KUMM(2005) 119.

- L-introduzzjoni ta' **"ġurnal elettroniku" għas-sajd** wasslet biex jitneħħew il-karti fil-proċess kollu ta' rappurtar ta' *data* dwar is-sajd għas-sajjieda u l-amministrazzjonijiet nazzjonali;
- Ir-regolamenti ġodda għall-politika ta' koeżjoni għall-2007-2013 naqqsu l-għadd ta' fondi u l-istadji ta' pprogrammar u ssimplifikaw il-ġestjoni finanzjarja u b'hekk kabbru l-flessibbiltà għall-awtoritajiet lokali li jmexxu l-programmi fil-prattika. Ir-regoli li jirregolaw il-Fond ta' Koeżjoni u l-Fond Strutturali ġew armonizzati biex l-awtoritajiet lokali u l-benefiċjarji jkollhom ġabra waħda biss ta' regoli x'japplikaw għaż-żewġ Fondi. Fl-istess spirtu, regolament wieħed ġdid tal-Kummissjoni li jimplimenta l-Fondi Strutturali ħa post 10 regolamenti ta' implimentazzjoni.

Barra minn hekk, it-tlestija tas-Suq Intern tibqa' wieħed mill-aktar mezzi b'saħħithom biex jitjieb l-ambjent tan-negozju. It-tneħħija ta' l-ostakli bejn l-Istati Membri tat spinta lill-PGD ta' l-UE b'€ 223 biljun jew bi 2.2 % fl-għaxar snin wara t-tlestija tal-pakkett dwar is-Suq Waħdieni fl-1993. Dan jammonta għal € 1 450 ta' dħul iżjed għal kull familja. Barra minn hekk, l-impjiegi żdiedu b'1.4 % filwaqt li nħolqu 2.75 miljun impjieg ġdid. Ġabra unika ta' regoli ta' l-UE tfisser li n-negozji ma jkollhomx bżonn ifittxu u jiddeċifraw 27 ġabra differenti ta' regoli nazzjonali, jadattaw il-prodotti jew is-servizzi tagħhom għalihom u mbagħad juru l-konformità magħhom. Per eżempju:

- Dan l-aħħar il-Kummissjoni pproponiet li timmodifika l-**approvazzjonijiet tat-tip tal-vetturi** ta' l-UE billi tintroduċi regoli armonizzati għal vetturi li jaħdmu bl-idroġenu, filwaqt li tippermetti lill-fabbrikanti jiksbu ekonomiji ta' skala minn serje akbar ta' produzzjoni għas-suq Ewropew kollu, u tiggarantixxi lill-konsumaturi ta' l-UE li dawn il-vetturi innovattivi se jissodisfaw standards għoljin ta' sikurezza u ħarsien ambjentali. L-adattament tas-sistema ta' l-approvazzjoni tat-tip għat-teknoloġiji ta' għada se jippermetti wkoll lill-industrija tal-karozzi ta' l-UE żżomm il-pass mal-kompetituri globali ewlenin tagħha, filwaqt li ttejjeb il-kompetittività tagħha fis-swieq ta' pajjiżi terzi.
- F'Diċembru 2007, il-Kummissjoni pproponiet direttiva ġdida bl-għan li jitneħħew l-ostakli għall-**kummerċ intra-Komunitarju ta' prodotti relatati mad-difiża**. Sa issa, iċ-ċirkolazzjoni ta' dawn il-prodotti fi ħdan is-suq intern kienet imxekkla minn taħlita ta' proċeduri nazzjonali li mhux biss jimponu piż amministrattiv li jaqbeż € 430 miljun kull sena fuq il-kumpaniji u l-awtoritajiet pubbliċi iżda jintroduċu wkoll dewmien twil għat-twettiq, sa diversi xhur. Jidher ċar li dan il-piż huwa sproporzjonat mal-ħtiġijiet proprji ta' kontroll, kif muri mill-fatt li, minkejja li jinħarġu madwar 11 500 liċenzja għat-trasferiment intra-Komunitarju kull sena, tliet applikazzjonijiet biss ġew irrifjutati matul il-perjodu 2004-2006. Din il-proposta se tgħin biex l-industriji ta' difiża Ewropej isiru ekonomikament u teknoloġikament aktar kompetittivi, ittejjeb il-kundizzjonijiet għall-parteċipazzjoni ta' l-IŻM fl-iżvilupp u fil-produzzjoni ta' l-armamenti, tippermetti lill-Istati Membri jissodisfaw il-ħtiġijiet militari tagħhom taħt kundizzjonijiet ta' sikurezza xierqa b'inqas spejjeż u ssaħħaħ is-sigurtà tal-provvista għall-akkwist pubbliku u l-kooperazzjoni industrijali.

2.6. Strumenti ta' komunikazzjoni u konsultazzjoni mal-partijiet interessati

It-tagħrif ċar u trasparenti dwar il-progress fl-implimentazzjoni tal-programm ta' simplifikazzjoni huwa kruċjali biex jiġi żgurat il-momentum tal-programm. Għal dan il-għan, il-Kummissjoni waqqfet websajt ta' simplifikazzjoni[10] biex tipprovdi tagħrif ġenerali dwar l-istrateġija ta' simplifikazzjoni u tippermetti lill-partijiet interessati jikkontrollaw il-progress

[10] http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/regulation/better_regulation/simplification/intro.htm

tal-programm kontinwu. Barra minn hekk, f'għadd ta' setturi ulterjuri (eż. l-agrikoltura) il-konsultazzjoni mal-partijiet interessati u ma' l-esperti settorjali ta' l-Istati Membri hija ffaċilitata permezz ta' gruppi settorjali.

B'konsistenza mar-riżoluzzjoni tagħha li tintroduċi s-simplifikazzjoni fl-esperjenza prattika tal-partijiet interessati, fil-Ħarifa 2007 il-Kummissjoni nediet websajt ġdida ta' konsultazzjoni onlajn biex tisma' t-tħassib u s-suġġerimenti tan-negozji fir-rigward tal-piżijiet imposti mil-leġiżlazzjoni u l-burokrazija żejda b'mod ġenerali. Il-Kummissjoni se tagħmel l-aħjar użu possibbli minn dan il-kontribut tal-partijiet interessati. Minkejja li hija primarjament maħsuba biex tagħti sehem fil-"Programm ta' Azzjoni għat-tnaqqis tal-piżijiet amministrattivi fl-Unjoni Ewropea", kull kontribuzzjoni li tindirizza kwistjonijiet usa' rilevanti għas-sustanza tar-regolamentazzjoni se titqies fit-tfassil ta' l-istrateġija ta' simplifikazzjoni.

3. PROGRAMM TA' KODIFIKAZZJONI

Il-kodifikazzjoni[11] hija parti ewlenija mill-isforz tal-Kummissjoni biex jitnaqqas id-daqs ta' l-*acquis* u jsir aktar aċċessibbli.

Il-programm ta' kodifikazzjoni jinvolvi madwar 400 att ta' kodifikazzjoni, li l-biċċa l-kbira tagħhom huma proposti leġiżlattivi. Total ta' 87 att bħal dawn għaddew b'suċċess mill-proċess ta' kodifikazzjoni u ġew adottati u ppubblikati fil-ĠU (62 att tal-Kummissjoni u 25 att tal-Parlament Ewropew u tal-Kunsill). Dawn is-87 att jieħdu post it-348 att preċedenti. Barra minn hekk, 65 att jinsabu pendenti quddiem il-leġiżlatura u erba' atti se jiġu adottati dalwaqt mill-Kummissjoni. Għaldaqstant 152 att ta' kodifikazzjoni ġew diġà finalizzati mill-Kummissjoni.

Biex jitlesta l-programm ta' kodifikazzjoni sa tmiem l-2008 (Anness 2), ittieħdu miżuri biex jitlestew it-traduzzjonijiet b'lura ta' testi li qed jiġu kodifikati fil-lingwi ġodda ta' l-UE. L-adozzjoni ta' l-atti kodifikati min-naħa tal-leġiżlatura hija soġġetta għar-regoli stabbiliti fil-Ftehim Interistituzzjonali dwar Metodu ta' Ħidma Aċċelerat għall-Kodifikazzjoni Uffiċjali ta' l-20 ta' Diċembru 1994.

4. ASPETTI INTERISTITUZZJONALI

4.1. Proposti pendenti quddiem il-leġiżlatura

Ir-responsabbiltà għal simplifikazzjoni b'suċċess hija maqsuma bejn dawk kollha involuti fil-proċess ta' teħid ta' deċiżjonijiet. Fl-2007, il-leġiżlatura rnexxielha tlesti x-xogħol b'lura marbut ma' proposti li jmorru lura għall-programm ta' simplifikazzjoni għall-2003-2004.

Madankollu, 44 proposta fil-programm kontinwu ta' l-2005-2009 għadhom pendenti quddiem il-leġiżlatura (Anness 3). Fil-każ tad-direttivi, ir-regoli tal-KE għandhom imbagħad jiġu trasposti fil-liġi nazzjonali. Għaldaqstant, jistgħu jgħaddu diversi snin qabel ma l-benefiċċji ta' simplifikazzjoni jkunu jistgħu jitgawdew (u jiġu nnotati) miċ-ċittadini u min-negozji.

Il-Kummissjoni għalhekk ħeġġet lill-istituzzjonijiet l-oħra biex jadottaw il-proposti ta' simplifikazzjoni tagħha fl-iqsar żmien possibbli.

4.2. Is-simplifikazzjoni u l-istituzzjonijiet l-oħra

Taħt l-Istrateġija ta' Liżbona għat-Tkabbir Ekonomiku u l-Impjiegi, il-Kunsill għall-Kompetittività jissorvelja l-implimentazzjoni ta' l-aġenda għal Regolamentazzjoni Aħjar

[11] Ara n-nota 7 f'qiegħ il-paġna

f'rapport ta' progress fi tmiem kull Presidenza, li jindika *inter alia* l-progress tal-programm kontinwu ta' simplifikazzjoni. Filwaqt li l-Kummissjoni tilqa' l-interess kontinwu tal-Kunsill f'regolazzjoni aħjar b'mod ġenerali u fis-simplifikazzjoni b'mod partikolari, hi tinnota li l-metodi ta' ħidma tal-Kunsill għall-eżami tal-proposti ta' simplifikazzjoni għadhom ma nbidlux fundamentalment, minkejja l-impenji li saru fil-Ftehim Interistituzzjonali dwar Leġiżlazzjoni Aħjar.

Fir-Riżoluzzjoni tiegħu dwar l-Istrateġija għas-Simplifikazzjoni ta' l-Ambjent Regolatorju[12], il-Parlament Ewropew laqa' l-programm tal-Kummissjoni dwar il-kodifikazzjoni u qabel li l-programm ta' simplifikazzjoni għandu jiġi promoss u appoġġjat minn inizjattivi ta' simplifikazzjoni nazzjonali korrispondenti. Il-Parlament qed jistieden ukoll lit-tliet istituzzjonijiet biex jikkonkludu ftehim interistituzzjonali dwar metodi ta' tħaddim aċċelerati għal miżuri ta' simplifikazzjoni. Il-Kummissjoni tapprezza l-appoġġ kostruttiv tal-Parlament u l-azzjoni li diġà ttieħdet biex tiġi implimentata l-aġenda għal regolamentazzjoni aħjar. Il-Kummissjoni b'mod speċjali tilqa' l-emenda li għamel il-Parlament tal-proċeduri interni tagħha għall-eżami ta' kodifikazzjoni u l-abbozzar ta' proposti, li tiċċara t-tqassim ta' responsabbiltajiet bejn il-kumitati u tissalvagwardja l-partijiet kodifikati minn emendi mhux xierqa fis-sustanza tagħhom.

Il-Kummissjoni għaldaqstant tħeġġeġ lill-Kunsill u lill-Parlament biex jiżguraw l-adozzjoni rapida tal-proposti ta' simplifikazzjoni pendenti tagħha u jiżguraw li l-kontenut ta' simplifikazzjoni jinżamm fil-proċess

4.3. Kooperazzjoni mal-Kumitat Ekonomiku u Soċjali Ewropew u mal-Kumitat tar-Reġjuni

Il-Kummissjoni ppruvat torganizza aħjar il-konsultazzjoni tas-soċjetà ċivili organizzata dwar il-kwalità regolatorja ta' l-*acquis*.

Wara talba mill-Kummissjoni, f'Settembru 2007 il-KESE ta l-opinjoni tiegħu dwar l-ambitu għas-simplifikazzjoni tal-qafas regolatorju fis-settur tal-magni. Dan kellu jkopri kemm ir-regoli speċifiċi għas-settur kif ukoll il-leġiżlazzjoni usa' li għandha x'taqsam mal-magni, per eżempju s-saħħa, s-sikurezza u l-ħarsien ta' l-ambjent. Il-Kummissjoni beħsiebha ssegwi din il-kooperazzjoni u issa indirizzat talbiet simili lill-Kumitat għal rapporti ulterjuri dwar setturi ewlenin oħra, bħas-settur tal-kostruzzjoni u s-servizzi tan-negozju.

Il-Kummissjoni tilqa' wkoll ir-rapport dwar regolazzjoni aħjar adottat mill-Kumitat tar-Reġjuni f'Ottubru 2007[13].

5. KONKLUŻJONIJIET / RIMARKI TA' L-GĦELUQ

It-tnaqqis tal-burokrazija żejda huwa punt fundamentali fuq l-aġenda politika tal-Komunità. Bħall-komponenti l-oħra ta' l-Aġenda għal Regolamentazzjoni Aħjar imfassla mill-Kummissjoni fil-bidu tal-mandat tagħha, l-Istrateġija ta' Simplifikazzjoni laħqet ritmu normali u qed tagħti l-ewwel benefiċċji tanġibbli u impressjonanti. Il-Kummissjoni se tlesti eżami ta' madwar 95 000 paġna ta' l-acquis Komunitarju biex jiġu identifikati l-oqsma possibbli li fuqhom l-attivitajiet ta' simplifikazzjoni fil-ġejjieni jistgħu jiffokaw, u se tintegra r-riżultati fil-programm kontinwu ta' simplifikazzjoni aġġornat li għandu jiġi ppreżentat fil-bidu ta' l-2009. Il-Kummissjoni hija determinata li twettaq sa l-aħħar il-programm kontinwu

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12 Numru ta' referenza EP: A6-0271/2007 / P6_TA-PROV(2007)0365

13 Opinjoni tal-Kumitat tar-Reġjuni dwar LEĠIŻLAZZJONI AĦJAR 2005 u 2006. CdR397/2006 fin

preżenti biex l-*acquis* ikun kemm jista' jkun sempliċi, konċiż u aġġornat. Hemm metodu li tqiegħed fil-prattika u l-azzjoni qed tipproduċi r-riżultati.

Madankollu jidher ċar li l-qafas regolatorju ma jistax jitjieb mill-Kummissjoni waħidha. Aktar minn qatt qabel, huwa essenzjali impenn koordinat u determinat fil-livelli regolatorji kollha biex l-intenzjonijiet politiċi mixtieqa jissarrfu f'riżultati tanġibbli u jkun żgurat li jintlaħqu l-aspettattivi ġenwini tal-kumpaniji u taċ-ċittadini. Min-naħa tagħhom, il-Parlament Ewropew u l-Kunsill jaqsmu r-responsabbiltà istituzzjonali għat-tmexxija 'l quddiem tal-proposti tal-Kummissjoni lejn l-istadju finali ta' l-adozzjoni. Sa issa, minkejja l-isforzi magħrufa, ġew adottati inqas minn kwart tal-proposti kollha ta' simplifikazzjoni ppreżentati mill-Kummissjoni li jeħtieġu adozzjoni mil-leġiżlatura. Naturalment, huwa essenzjali li jinżamm il-kontenut ta' simplifikazzjoni ta' dawn il-proposti matul il-proċess ta' teħid ta' deċiżjonijiet.

Bl-istess mod, l-awtoritajiet nazzjonali, reġjonali jew lokali responsabbli mit-traspożizzjoni u l-implimentazzjoni tal-liġi ta' l-UE għandhom jistinkaw biex jikkumplimentaw il-ħidma li saret fi Brussell. Ħafna drabi d-dewmien fit-traspożizzjoni jew regolamentazzjoni mhux meħtieġa (gold-plating) tgħawwar l-effett ta' simplifikazzjoni tar-regoli ta' l-UE. Il-ħidma li qed titwettaq bħalissa biex jitħejja u jitkejjel il-piż amminsitrattiv f'ċerti oqsma ta' politika hi mistennija li tipprovdi lezzjonijiet interessanti f'dan ir-rigward. B'konformità mal-Komunikazzjoni riċenti tagħha "Ewropa li Tikseb ir-Riżultati – L-Applikazzjoni tal-Liġi Komunitarja", il-Kummissjoni se tintensifika l-isforzi bikrija tagħha biex ma tippermettix li jsir ksur tal-liġi tal-KE billi ttejjeb il-kwalità ta' l-għajnuna li toffri lill-Istati Membri biex tiffaċilita t-traspożizzjoni u l-applikazzjoni korretti tad-direttivi.

Fl-aħħarnett, billi l-biċċa l-kbira ta' l-ispazju regolatorju ta' l-UE mhuwiex imfassal fil-livell Komunitarju, il-programmi ta' simplifikazzjoni jistgħu wkoll jiġu żviluppati jew infurzati mill-ġdid fil-livell nazzjonali (u fejn xieraq, reġjonali) biex tiġi trattata l-kwantità żejda ta' burokrazija li żdiedet indipendentement mil-leġiżlazzjoni ta' l-UE. Fil-ġejjieni, il-Kummissjoni se tagħmel enfasi fuq dan l-aspett meta tħares lejn il-Programmi ta' Riforma Nazzjonali ppreżentati fil-kuntest ta' l-Aġenda ta' Liżbona.

ANNEX 1

Simplification Rolling programme (2008-2009)

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2008[14]				
1.	Legislative proposals arising from the Communication on the 'Health Check' in the Common Agricultural Policy	Revision	Following the 2007 Communication on the "Health Check" in the Common Agricultural Policy (CAP), the legislative proposals will provide options aiming at making the Single Payment Scheme more effective, adapting the market support instruments and addressing the new challenges facing the sector. The "Health Check" is not a fundamental reform, rather it essentially aims to ensure that the CAP functions effectively and to simplify it where possible. This initiative arises from the review clauses regarding the Single Payment Scheme and certain agricultural markets that were included in the 2003/04 CAP reforms.	
2.	Commission Regulation on information and promotion actions for agricultural products on the internal market and in third countries	Revision	This initiative has as objective to establish the conditions regarding co-financing of information and promotion programmes for agricultural products in the internal market and in third countries. It will take the form of a consolidation of two existing Commission Regulations ((EC) No 1071/2005 and (EC) No 1346/2005).	X

[14] As adopted in the Commission Legislative and Work Programme of the Commission 2008 - COM(2007) 640.

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3.	Private Storage: Commission Regulation laying down common rules for private storage of agricultural products under Common Agricultural Policy	Revision	The aim of the proposal is to replace multiple sectoral rules by horizontal ones and to simplify management mechanisms relating to the private storage of agricultural products. Existing sectoral provisions, which may vary from one sector to another, will be examined with a view to eliminating unnecessary provisions and to harmonising the system of private storage.	
4.	Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 establishing a common organisation of markets (CMO) and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products (single CMO regulation)	Revision, recast and repeal	The single common market organisation (CMO) regulation, scheduled for adoption by Council in October 2007, merges existing CMOs into a single text. It does not modify policy but streamlines and harmonises legislation. Various substantive amendments were made in the meantime to the existing CMOs. This is notably the case in the milk, the sugar and the fruit and vegetables sectors, It is important to incorporate these amendments into the single CMO in order to achieve the aim of having one single simplified legal text which will facilitate the access to the existing legislation and thus create a much higher degree of transparency and legal clarity. The initiative thus concerns the subsequent Commission proposal.	X
5.	Milk Package (two separate initiatives): 1) Commission Regulation laying down certain implementing rules with regard to intervention for butter 2) Commission Regulation laying down certain implementing rules with regard to intervention for skimmed milk powder	Revision	The purpose of the initiative is to simplify the procedures relating to intervention buying of butter, to abolish national butter quality grades, and to abolition private storage aid for cream and skimmed milk powder. Technical clarifications and simplification (e.g. concerning the security provisions) will improve the readability of the text.	X

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6.	Streamline Controls: Amendment of Commission Regulation (EC) No 796/2004 regarding the detailed rules of cross compliance and the integrated administration and control system	Revision	This proposal stems directly from the Commission report to the Council on the application of the system of cross-compliance (COM(2007) 147). Its amendments will lead to simpler and more effective rules concerning the controls on direct payments to farmers with regard to the selection of the control sample, the timing of these controls, and the specific rules concerning on the spot checks.	X
7.	Starch Production Refunds: Commission Regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 1722/93 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 concerning production refunds in the cereals sector	Revision	Objective of this initiative is the simplification of control procedures by increasing the threshold for special control requirements. It will simplify the business environment in which EU starch producers operate by eliminating the unnecessary / disproportionate administrative measures related to the control on modified starches This proposal has been elaborated following the consultation of NGOs/stakeholders.	X
8.	Controls of export refunds: Commission Regulation amending Regulations (EC) No 2090/2002, (EC) No 3122/94 and (EC) No 800/1999 as regards physical and substitution controls in the framework of export refunds on agricultural products	Revision	Modification of Regulation (EC) No 2090/2002 laying down detailed rules for applying Council Regulation (EC) No 386/90 as regards physical checks carried out when agricultural products qualifying for refunds are exported.	X
9.	Fresh fruit and vegetables: proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standards for fresh fruit and vegetables and establishing requirements on checks on conformity to these marketing standards	Revision	The objective of the proposal is to merge 34 regulations on marketing standards for fresh fruit and vegetables into one regulation, reduce the list of products covered by marketing standards and rationalise checking operations.	X

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10.	Common market organisation of wine: amendment of the Council Regulation establishing the single Common Market Organisation Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 to include the provisions with regard the common market organisation of wine.	Revision	The amendment will include the specific rules concerning the common organisation of the wine market into the general rules concerning the organisation of the common market in agricultural produce. This will clarify and simplify the EU legislation.	X
11.	Commission Regulation on the application of Articles 87 and 88 of the Treaty to regional aid, SME, R&D, environmental aid, employment, training. (General Block Exemption Regulation - final adoption)	Revision	The final objective pursued by the Commission is to group all existing Block Exemption Regulations into one single Regulation for the first time ever. This will bring a qualitative impact in terms of clarity, predictability and transparency of EU rules for business and national and regional authorities. The new GBER will cover areas already covered by block exemptions (training, employment, SME) and new areas (environment, risk capital, regional aid). Texts on research and capital risk were adopted in 2006, but those applicable to the environment will be adopted in 2007. Finalisation of the draft new GBER is scheduled for 2007 and formal adoption by the Commission in 2008.	
12.	Council Directive 2001/23/EC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to the safeguarding of employees' rights in the event of transfers of undertakings, businesses or parts of undertakings or businesses	Revision	Directive 2001/23/EC does not contain any provisions on conflict of laws. As a result, there is a lack of clarity as to how to apply the provisions of the Directive to cross-border transfers. The aim of the proposal - to be made by the Commission following the two phases of consultation of social partners - is therefore to clarify the application of the Directive to cross-border operations. The proposal would increase legal certainty for economic and judicial agents and result in costs savings for undertakings and better protection for workers. ***Following the results of the first phase of consultations which took***	

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			place in November 2007, it appears that the revision of the Directive is not necessary.	
13.	Community initiative on work-related musculoskeletal disorders	Recast	The objective of this initiative is to integrate into a single legislative instrument the provisions on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks of musculo-skeletal disorders at work. These provisions are currently fragmented over different directives, namely Council Directive 90/269/EEC on the minimum health and safety requirements for the manual handling of loads and Council Directive 90/270/EEC on the minimum health and safety requirements for work with display screen equipment. A single legislative instrument would be more comprehensive, clearer and easier to apply. It will benefit employers in terms of legal clarity and workers in terms of providing better protection against the risks of musculo-skeletal disorders.	
14.	Revision of the Pharmaceutical "Variations" Regulations: change to the legal basis, in Directives 2001/83/EC on the Community code relating to medicinal products for human use and 2001/82/EC for veterinary use	Revision	The objective is to simplify the rules concerning post-licensing changes to medicines (so-called 'Variations' Regulations). Administrative management of these rules currently mobilise more than 60% of the human resources and financial costs of companies' regulatory departments. In some cases, this burden may hinder innovation by preventing the introduction of changes that are beneficial to patients and society. The objective of this initiative is to reduce the administrative burden for industry by streamlining the circumstances obliging industry to fill applications for variations of human and	

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			veterinary medical products. The current legal basis for implementing rules on changes to the marketing authorisation doesn't allow the Commission to set rules for purely national marketing authorisation. This legal basis should be widened to close the gap for harmonisation. This initiative aims at changing the legal basis for Directives: 2001/83/EC on the Community code relating to medicinal products for human use and Directive 2001/82/EC on the Community code relating to medicinal products for veterinary use.	
15.	Revision of the pharmaceutical "Variations" Regulations: simplification and modernisation of Regulation (EC) No 1084/2003 and (EC) No 1085/2003	Revision	The objective is to reduce the administrative burden for industry by simplifying the rules for variations of human and veterinary medicinal products. The Variations regulation are implementing rules adopted by the Commission on changes to the marketing authorisation of pharmaceuticals.	
16.	Regulation on Advanced Safety Features and Tyres	Revision	The proposal will simplify EC legislation in the domain of vehicle safety by replacing existing legislation in the area into one main Regulation. It will include electronic stability control and low rolling resistance tyres. The proposal will repeal some 50 separate Directives and will replace them, where appropriate, with references to UNECE Regulations. The beneficiaries of the simplification aspect of this proposal will primarily be vehicle manufacturers and national approval authorities. Replacing Directives with a Regulation will also ease the administrative burden on the Member States since they would not have to transpose legal acts in the domain of vehicle safety in the future. Furthermore, references to UNECE Regulations will avoid the existing duplication between EU and UNECE law and will thus lead to "better regulation".	

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17.	Textiles: simplification and replacement by a single regulation	Revision	The replacement of 3 Directives by 1 Regulation will simplify procedures for Member States, companies and the Commission leading to shorter periods for adoption of new fibre names. The standard methods of quantitative analysis of binary and ternary textile fibre mixtures currently included in two of the directives are to be transferred to the standardisation process. This means that consumers and companies could benefit faster from the use of new innovative products. Innovation and technological developments will be thus encouraged. In addition, the legal nature of the legislation (Regulation) will facilitate the application of technical adaptations by the Member States.	
18.	Pressure Vessels and Transportable Pressure Equipment	Repeal	The objective is to repeal 4 Directives on Pressure Vessels (76/767/EEC, 84/525/EEC, 84/526/EEC, 84/527/EEC) and integration of the still relevant provisions into the revision of Directive 99/36/EC (Transportable Pressure Equipment).	
19.	Metrology: extension of the scope of Directive 2004/22/EC on measuring instruments and repeal of 8 "old approach" methodology Directives	Repeal	The objective is to provide for a coherent legal framework for legal metrology. The extension of the scope of the Directive is the legal prerequisite for the repeal of the following "old approach" Directives.	
20.	Eco-management and audit scheme: revision of the Regulation (EC) No 761/2001 of 19 March 2001 allowing voluntary participation by organisations in a Community eco-management and audit scheme (EMAS)	Revision	The revision aims at improving environmental performance of the organisations participating and increasing participation from both industrial and public sector. Legal compliance and environmental performance improvement of the participating organisations will be facilitated by providing access to advice on environmental legal obligations and guidance on the best environmental management practice. Administrative burden will be reduced for large corporations	

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			by allowing corporate registration and for small organisations by cluster registration. All participating organisations will benefit from reduced procedural requirements, simplified rules for the use of logo and harmonised rules for accreditation, verification and registration. In addition SMEs and small local authorities will benefit from reduced verification and reporting obligations and lower registration fees. Synergies with other environmental management systems will be facilitated. Incentives and regulatory relief for participating organisations by the member states will be encouraged.	
21.	Eco-label award scheme: revision of Regulation (EC) No 1980/2000 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 July 2000 on a revised Community eco-label award scheme	Revision	The revision aims at enhancing effectiveness and market impact by increasing the range of eligible product groups and the number of eco-labelled goods and services actually available to the consumer. For this purpose, the procedure of developing and adopting eco-label criteria will be thoroughly changed and simplified. Economic stakeholders will be involved to a greater extent into the process, thereby increasing ownership and self-regulatory aspects of the scheme, whereas the administrative burden put on Member States will be reduced. Once the criteria are adopted, it will be easy for economic operators to apply for the award of the eco-label to their products. Synergies with existing eco-labels at national level will be facilitated and limits will be put on the costs and fees Member States' authorities may charge on the applicant. Furthermore, the criteria should be defined in such a way that they can be easily used for the purpose of green public procurement.	

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22.	Biocides: revision of the legislation on the placing of biocidal products on the market	Recast	This proposal follows the 2007 Report on the implementation of the Biocides Directive (98/8/EC). The objective is to provide a revised legal framework for regulating the placing on the market of biocidal products. The revision aims to address concerns regarding complexity and the cost, as well as the availability of certain biocidal products, and bring about a significant simplification of the current legislative framework and procedures. The revision of the biocides legislative framework will bring it in line with the EU Chemicals policy (REACH Regulation).	X
23.	WEEE: revision of Directive 2002/96/EC on Waste Electric and Electronic Equipments	Revision	The revision of the Directive 2002/96/EC will examine possibilities to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of the directive in achieving its environmental goals and eliminate any unnecessary costs to business, consumers, NGOs and public authorities arising from implementation of the directive. The revision will concern the targets, scope, treatment requirement and the operation of the producer responsibility provisions.	
24.	RoHS: revision of Directive 2002/95/EC on the limitation of the use of certain hazardous substances in the electric and electronic equipments	Revision	The revision aims at clarifying concepts and facilitate the implementation and enforcement while increasing the environmental benefits. It will enhance legal certainty for all stakeholders and will facilitate implementation by manufacturers by streamlining the mechanism for granting exemptions and enforcement by national authorities through market surveillance and administrative cooperation clauses. It will furthermore provide a more transparent level playing field for manufacturers and simplify procedures through introduction of harmonised compliance checking. Most of these measures will also enhance the internal market effect of the Directive and reduce	

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			administrative costs for administrations and manufacturers.	
25.	Ozone layer: revision of Regulation (EC) No 2037/2000 on substances that deplete the ozone layer	Recast	As the production and consumption of the substances covered have been reduced or phased out, many provisions of the Regulation, after seven years in force, need to be repealed or updated. Other provisions may benefit from simplification such as clarification of definitions and procedures and interaction with other pieces of legislation. This will reduce the cases of ambiguous interpretation and the risk of infringements and consequent administrative burdens. In particular, most of the administrative cost reduction will result from ending exemption provisions on some uses of ozone depleting substances. The beneficiaries will be the Member States and the Commission. Overall, the cost savings from ending the exemptions is expected to exceed any additional cost associated with new control measures to combat illegal trade of ozone depleting substances.	
26.	SEIS: legislative proposal to follow up the Communication on a Shared Environmental Information System (SEIS)	Revision	Following the 2007 Communication the Commission will adopt legislative proposals underpinning the development of SEIS that could address reporting streamlining and/or coherence of approaches to monitoring and information. This initiative aims to improve the availability, quality and comparability of data, avoid redundancies in reporting requirements to Member States and therefore, the administrative burden, remove obstacles related to information accessibility and enhance the coherence of monitoring systems and	X

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			indicators.	
27.	Revision of Regulation (EC) No 638/2004 of the EP and of the Council on Community statistics relating to the trading of goods between Member States	Revision	Simplification of Intrastat with a view to alleviate the statistical reporting of economic operators, in particular SMEs, taking into account the outcome of the ongoing pilot project of administrative costs and a future feasibility study to analyse workability of a collection system limited to one flow.	
28.	Modernisation and recast of the CFP control system under Regulation (EC) No 2847/93	Recast	The main objectives are the review, harmonisation and simplification of existing rules - Regulation (EC) No 2847/93 - in the fisheries control area. The modernisation of the procedures will facilitate a better enforcement by alleviating the burden and constraints for the sector and public administrations and increasing the use of IT tools to reduce reporting obligations (e.g. reducing administrative burdens). It would be also of interest for NGOs which campaign for stringent and effective rules.	

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29.	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down implementing rules for the collection and management of data needed to conduct the CFP	Revision	The proposal is intended to establish implementing rules according to the new framework Council Regulation on data collection, currently under discussion at the Council. The main innovations will include the support for new approaches such as fleet and area based management and the move towards the ecosystem approach as well as the promotion of a more regional approach to data collection. Moreover, new provisions for the access to data are to be included.	X
30.	Revision of the company law, accounting and auditing acquis	Revision	Measures to simplify the company law environment for companies in the context of the "Better Regulation" framework.	
31.	Consolidation of accounting standards and interpretations endorsed for use in the EU	Recast	Commission will prepare a consolidated version of all International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) in force as per 31.12.2007. It willwill enable constituents to refer to only one Regulation as it will contain all endorsed IFRS. In this context any translation errors contained in the current Regulations will be corrected.	
32.	Recasting - Codification Motor insurance Directive	Codification	Codification of the current 6 Directives into one single Motor Insurance Directive in order to have a motor insurance acquis more comprehensible, easier to apply and more effective in achieving its goals.	

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33.	Proposal for a Framework Directive on Consumer Contractual Rights	Revision	The overall aim of the revision of the acquis, is to simplify and improve the coherence of the consumer regulatory framework and thus enhance legal certainty both for consumers and business. The legal instrument will be a combination of codification and repeal of parts of existing directives and enactment of new rules. The revision will be based on a mixed approach consisting of the adoption of a horizontal instrument, underpinned whenever required by vertical revisions of existing directives. This framework instrument would systematise and regulate in a uniform fashion common features of the consumer acquis. The instrument would provide common definitions and regulate the main consumer contractual rights and remedies. It would also regulate consistently the contractual aspects of sales which are currently scattered across several Directives.	
34.	Simplify procedures of listing and publishing information in the veterinary and zootechnical fields	Revision	The general objective is to harmonise and simplify, essentially by means of electronic tools, the current procedures for listing, updating and publishing information in the veterinary and zootechnical fields such as lists of approved animal health establishments and breeding organisations in Member States and Third Countries and lists of certain national reference laboratories. 22 Council acts are concerned.	X
35.	Harmonisation of Maximum Residues Levels (MRL) for pesticides	Revision	The main objective of this proposal will concern the transfer and up-date by comitology of the list of MRLs (Annex II) and temporary MRLs (Annex III) based on European Food Safety Agency (EFSA) assessment and mathematical models/expert calculations. The proposal will be a final step towards harmonisation of divergent national MRLs.	X

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			Completion of the replacement of 4 Directives by one Regulation.	
36.	Review of the provisions related to the total feed ban	Revision	A ban on the feeding of mammalian meat and bone meal (MBM) to cattle, sheep and goats was introduced as of July 1994. This partial ban was extended to a total EU wide suspension on the use of processed animal protein in feed for any animals farmed for the production of food on 1 January 2001 with some exceptions like the use of fish meal for non-ruminants. Any presence of prohibited constituents of animal origin in feed is considered as a breach of the feed ban i.e. the zero-tolerance. Following the adoption of the TSE Road map the Commission issued a Commission staff working paper i.e. Work Programme on TSE [SEC(2006) 1527] on future legislative actions in the field of transmissible spongiform encephalopathy. One of the topics concerns a revision of the feed ban provisions. The starting point when revising the current feed ban provisions should be risk-based but at the same time taking into account the control tools in place to evaluate and ensure the proper implementation of this feed ban.	X

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37.	Revision of food safety in EU Switzerland trade in agricultural products - Decision n° 1/2008 of the Joint Veterinary Committee set up by the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products amending appendix to Annex 11 to the Agreement - Decision to amend Commission Decision 2001/881/EC on import controls to abolish border inspections posts between EC and Switzerland	Revision	The revision of the safety provisions will consist of: - Completion of the equivalence determination between the Swiss legislation related to food safety and veterinary policies including border veterinary controls and import conditions, updating of the content of the Agreement with regard to legislations adopted since the last Agreement modification. - As Switzerland has accepted to apply the EC acquis in relation to animal health, food safety and hygiene controls, a uniform high level of protection will therefore exist in the EC and Switzerland. This permits the abolition of border controls on trade in animals and animal products between the two.	X
38.	Recast of basic safety standards legislation for the protection against the dangers arising from exposure to ionising radiation	Recast	Recast into a single Council Directive of relevant Euratom acts on radiation protection including a substantial revision of the Basic Safety Standards (BSS) directive. The objective is to bring the BSS directive in line with the forthcoming recommendations of the International Commission on Radiological protection (ICRP), when available. At the same time the legislation in the field of radiation protection has to be simplified.	
39.	Legislative proposal revising Council Directive 2006/67/EC with the aim of strengthening the European emergency oil stocks system	Revision	The current system of emergency oil stocks shows limitations and shortcomings on several accounts. The provisions of the existing legislation will be revised in order to create a system for coping with oil supply disruptions. The new proposal will replace existing Directives and contribute to simplification of EU legislation.	

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40.	Recasting of Directive 2002/91/EC of 16 December 2002 on the Energy Performance of Buildings	Recast or Revision	The Energy Performance of Buildings Directive makes certificates for the energy performance of buildings mandatory when buildings are constructed, sold or rented out and requires minimum energy performance requirements for new buildings and existing building which undergo major renovation. Furthermore, the Directive requires regular inspections of boilers and air-conditioning systems in order to guarantee their energy efficient operation. An amended Directive could enlarge the scope to more buildings, strengthen and specify some of these requirements and add, for instance, financing aspects. The changes under consideration aim at overcoming multiple barriers that hinder the utilization of the vast potential for energy demand reductions in the buildings sector. The recasting of the Directive is part of package on the Strategic Energy Review and included in the Energy Efficiency Action Plan. The amendments will cover some articles of the Directive and add new ones. The "simplification" will consist of using the "recasting" technique to facilitate reading and comprehension for the implementing authorities and for the many stakeholders affected.	X
41.	Recast of Council Directive 92/75/EEC of 22 September 1992 on the indication by labelling and standard product information of the consumption of energy and other resources by household appliances	Recast	Amend the existing framework Directive to enlarge its scope (beyond domestic appliances) and update for modern communication tools (e.g. internet) to enhance public/consumer awareness on efficient products. The simplification will be obtained by using the recasting technique for consolidating the original Directive with its amendment in one single document.	

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42.	Proposal to recast the legislation concerning the "first railway package" following the report in 2006 of its implementation, in particular for the requirements concerning the relations between infrastructure managers and railway undertakings	Recast	The first and successive railway packages are legal instruments to achieve the Community's objective to create a European Railway Area through market opening, as well as technical and regulatory market integration. As rail markets transform, an ongoing review of the suitability of the EU legal framework appears appropriate with possible simplification and streamlining. The Commission intends to present a communication accompanied by a proposal for modification/recast of the existing acts, especially Directives 91/440/EEC and 2001/14/EC. The political goal is to enhance the competitiveness of rail transport in Europe and to hence contribute to achieving the objectives of the Lisbon strategy. The recast aims at a simplification of the text of the three Directives of the 1st railway package by merging them into one legal act, a 'railway access code'. By eliminating existing cross-references between the Directives the reading and implementation will be come easier for the implementing authorities and the many stakeholders affected.	
43.	Revision of the Council Directive 94/56/EC establishing the fundamental principles governing the investigation of civil aviation accidents and incidents and of Directive 2003/42/EC on occurrence reporting in civil aviation	Revision or Recast	The older directive needs to be modernised following the establishment of EASA and following the advice of the Group of Experts established by EC Decision 2003/425/EC. In addition the newer directive needs to be built on to create a minimum set of centralised functions, including a database to allow appropriate entities to carry out trend analysis or other studies, and keep track of safety recommendations, while providing information to the general public. Both directives will be replaced by a single piece of legislation. The objective of the simplification is to take advantage of the necessary revision of the Directive 94/56 to adapt it to recent developments by merging it with Directive 2003/42/EC to create a single legislative act as both	

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			directives deal with the use of feedback information to improve accident prevention.	
44.	Modernise the Marine Equipment Directive 96/98/EC	Recast or Revision	The objective is to modernise and reform the existing system established by Council Directive 96/98/EC on marine equipment. Its main objectives are: 1) to produce a consolidated version of the text following the successive amendments of the Directive 2) to improve the functioning of the Directive's system by addressing the existing shortcomings ; 3) to adapt it to the reform of the New Approach. It is intended to abrogate the existing Directive and replace it with an entirely new one, while recourse to recast is not excluded. At present, the Directive needs periodic amendments in order to keep pace with the safety requirements and technical standards produced by the International Maritime Organisation as well as the international and European standardisation bodies. This produces an inevitable mismatch between the European and international regulatory frameworks, sometimes spanning several years, whose correction will greatly facilitate the work of the sectors concerned and thus favour the competitiveness of the European marine equipment industry. Furthermore, the adaptation of the directive to the new regulatory framework for the free movement of goods (revision of the new	

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			approach) is expected to improve the readability of this instrument and reduce the administrative burden on the industry. Timing of adoption is conditional on significant progress being achieved by December 2007 in the legislative process as regards the revision of the New Approach.	
45.	Transport of radioactive material	Recast	The objective is to update and simplify the Community regulatory framework for transporting radioactive material There are currently more than 20 Directives, Regulations and Recommendations governing the transport of radioactive material within the EU. Harmonisation will lead to simplification of rules and procedures.	

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46.	Amendment to Annex IV to Regulation (EC) No 2003/2003 on fertilizers	Revision	It is intended to amend Annex IV of Regulation (EC) No 2003/2003 in order to ensure that CEN Standards can be considered as official methods of analysis to be used as reference for official controls. Their updated version delivered by CEN will no longer be included in the legal act but will exist in the form of separate standards to which the Community law will refer – the detailed description of test methods currently contained in the Annex will be deleted.	
47.	Repeal of 24 Directives on agricultural and forestry tractors	Repeal	The proposal will simplify EC legislation on agricultural and forestry tractors by replacing existing legislation (including the present Framework Directive and the separate Directives) by one main Regulation. It will introduce improved requirements for tractor brakes as well.	

	Title of action	Type of simplification action	Description of scope and objectives	Additional initiatives to COM (2005) 535 and COM(2006) 690
48.	Simplification of Directives concerning medical devices, active implantable medical devices, blood and plasma	Recast	The objective is to simplify and strengthen the rules in order to ensure a high level of health protection while at the same time ensuring a smooth functioning of the internal market.	
49.	Repeal of 14 Directives on two and three wheelers	Repeal	The proposal will simplify EC legislation on 2 and 3-wheel motor vehicles by replacing existing legislation (including the present Framework Directive and the separate Directives) by one main Regulation.. It will introduce a) modern emissions legislation b) ABS and c) Automatic emergency braking for 2 and 3-wheelers.	X
50.	Mutual acceptance of personnel licences and harmonisation of technical requirements in civil aviation	Repeal	Repeal of Council Directive 91/670 on mutual acceptance of personnel licences for the exercise of functions in civil aviation and Council Regulation 3922/91 on the harmonisation of technical requirements and administrative procedures in the field of civil aviation.	

	Title of action	Type of simplification action	Description of scope and objectives	Additional initiatives to COM (2005) 535 and COM(2006) 690
51.	Recast of Regulation (EC) No 3821/85 on recording equipment in road transport	Recast	Enhancing road safety, fair competition and adequate working conditions for professional drivers. More specifically: - improve the capacity of the system to resist to attempts to tamper with or alter the data on driving time and speed. - reduce administrative costs for undertakings which use the tachograph on their fleets and for control officers carrying out checks. The Regulation were amended 11 times and have to be simplified.	
52.	Proposal for a Council Directive amending Directive 77/388/EEC as regards the VAT treatment of public authorities and the exemptions for certain activities in the public interest	Review	The proposal aims at ensuring a more harmonised and neutral VAT system. Harmonisation: due to certain options and vague definitions, the practical application of the provisions related to public authorities varies widely among Member States creating differences in the VAT treatment of public authorities between Member States. Neutrality: distortions of competition between the public and the private sector and several economic inefficiencies as well as tax avoidance schemes are the main disadvantages of the current rules.	

	Title of action	Type of simplification action	Description of scope and objectives	Additional initiatives to COM (2005) 535 and COM(2006) 690
53.	Proposal for a Council Directive replacing Directive 92/12/EEC on the general arrangements for products subject to excise duty and on the holding, movement and monitoring of such products.	Review	The proposal will modernise and simplify the provisions of the Directive, integrate judgements of the ECJ, as well as guidelines of the excise committee and adapt the Directive to support the computerisation of the procedures for the movement of excise products under suspension of excise duty.	
54.	Recast of Council Directive 2003/49/EC on a common system of taxation applicable to interest and royalty payments made between associated companies of different Member States as amended.	Recast	Consolidation of the legal text and adoption of simplified procedures relating to exemption from withholding tax.	

ANNEX 2

Indicative list of planned codification for 2008

	Policy area	Short title	Full title
		Commission Autonomous Act	
1	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1988D0566 (by DG) - décision Commission	Proposal for a COMMISSION DECISION listing the products refe in the second subparagraph of Article 3 (1) of Council Regulatior No 1898/87 (recast version) (1988d0566)
2	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1997R0936 (by DG) - Commission Regulation opening and providing for the administration of tariff quotas	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION opening and provic the administration of tariff quotas for high-quality fresh, chilled ar frozen beef and for frozen buffalo meat (1997R0936)
3	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1992R0094 (by DG) - règlement Commission	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION laying down detaile for implementing the arrangements for imports from third countrie provided for in Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 on organic product agricultural products and indications referring thereto on agricultu products and foodstuffs (recast version) (1992R0094)
4	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R1799 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for citrus fruit	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1799/2001 of 12 September 2001 laying down the marketing standard for citrus fr
5	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1996R2449 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation opening and providing for administration of certain annual tariff quotas for products covered CN codes 0714 10 91, 0714 10 99, 0714 90 11 and 0714 90 19 originating in certain third countries other than Thailand (codified version)
6	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1993R2131 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down the procedur conditions for the sale of cereals held by intervention agencies (c version)
7	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1982R1859 - Regulation Commission - Selection of holdings for determining income	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1859/82 of 12 J 1982 concerning the selection of returning holdings for the purpo determining incomes of agricultural holdings
8	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1990R3444 - Commission Regulation (laying down detailed rules for granting private storage aid	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3444/90 of 27 November 1990 laying down detailed rules for granting private st aid for pigmeat
9	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1989R0120 - Commission Regulation (EEC) laying down common detailed rules for the application of export	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 120/89 of 19 Ja 1989 laying down common detailed rules for the application of ex levies and charges on agricultural products
10	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1985R2220 Commission Regulation (EEC) laying down common detailed rules for the application of the syst	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2220/85 of 22 J 1985 laying down common detailed rules for the application of th system of securities for agricultural products
11	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R0214 - Commission Regulation laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regu	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 214/2001 of 12 Ja 2001 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 1255/1999 as regards intervention on the ma skimmed-milk powder
12	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1992R2342 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation on imports of pure-bred breeding animals of the bovine species from the third countries a granting of export refunds thereon and repealing Regulation (EE 1544/79 (codified version)
13	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1982R1964 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down the condition granting special export refunds on certain cuts of boned meat of animals (codified version)
14	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2002R2377 - Regulation Commission - Administration of Community tariff quotas for malting barley	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2377/2002 of 27 December 2002 opening and providing for the administration of a Community tariff quota for malting barley from third countries and derogating from Council Regulation (EC) No 1766/92
15	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2002R2375 - Regulation Commission - Administration of Community tariff quotas for wheat	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2375/2002 of 27 December 2002 opening and providing for the administration of Community tariff quotas for common wheat of a quality other tha quality from third countries and derogating from Council Regulati (EEC) No 1766/92

16	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1993R2273 - Commission Regulation determining the intervention centres for cereals	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2273/93 of 28 J 1993 determining the intervention centres for cereals
17	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1997R2331 - Regulation Commission - Special conditions for granting export refunds	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2331/97 of 25 November 1997 on special conditions for granting export refunds certain pigmeat products
18	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R1543 Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for lettuces and curled-leave	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1543/2001 of 27 2001 laying down the marketing standard for lettuces and curled and broad-leaved (Batavian) endives
19	Agriculture and Rural Development	codification 2001R0912 Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for beans	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 912/2001 of 10 M 2001 laying down the marketing standard for beans
20	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1999R0730 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for carrots	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 730/1999 of 7 Ap 1999 laying down the marketing standard for carrots
21	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1997R2288 - Commission Regulation laying down marketing standards for garlic	Prôposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2288/97 of 18 November 1997 laying down marketing standards for garlic
22	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1988R1677 - Commission Regulation laying down quality standards for cucumbers	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1677/88 of 15 J 1988 laying down quality standards for cucumbers
23	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1987R1591 - Commission Regulation laying down quality standards for cabbages	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1591/87 of 5 Ju 1987 laying down quality standards for cabbages, Brussels sprou ribbed celery and spinach
24	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1978R3077 -Regulation Com- Equivalence of Community certificates and attestations accompanying imported hops	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3077/78 of 21 December 1978 on the equivalence with Community certificates attestations accompanying hops imported from non-member cou
25	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1978R3076 - Regulation Commission - Importation of hops from non-member countries	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3076/78 of 21 December 1978 on the importation of hops from non-member co
26	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1999R0800 - Regulation Commission - Detailed rules on the system of export refunds	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 800/1999 of 15 A 1999 laying down common detailed rules for the application of th system of export refunds on agricultural products
27	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 2000R2707 (by DG) - Commission Regulation laying down rules for applying Council Regulation (EC) No 12	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION laying down rules f applying Council Regulation (EC) No 1255/1999 as regards Com aid for supplying milk and certain milk products to pupils in educa establishments (2000R2707)
28	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1994R2659 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation on detailed rules for the g of private storage aid for Grana padano, Parmigiano-Reggiano a Provolone cheeses (codified version)
29	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R1788 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down detailed rules implementing the provisions concerning the certificate of inspecti imports from third countries under Article 11 of Council Regulatio (EEC) No 2092/91 on organic production of agricultural products indications referring thereto on agricultural products and foodstuf (codified version)
30	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1968R0821 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Regulation of the Commission on the definition, applicable to the granting of export refunds, of hulled grains and pearled grains of cereals (codified version)
31	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R0245 - Commission Regulation on the common organisation of the markets in flax and hemp grown for fibr	Commission Regulation (EC) No 245/2001 of 5 February 2001 la down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC 1673/2000 on the common organisation of the markets in flax an hemp grown for fibre
32	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2000R2584 - Commission Regulation establishing a system for the communication of information	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2584/2000 of 24 November 2000 establishing a system for the communication of information on certain supplies of beef, veal and pigmeat by road territory of the Russian Federation
33	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2000R1291 Commission Regulation (EC) laying down common detailed rules for the application of the syst	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1291/2000 of 9 Ju 2000 laying down common detailed rules for the application of th system of import and export licences and advance fixing certifica agricultural products

34	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2000R0824 Commission Regulation establishing procedures for the taking-over of cereals	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 824/2000 of 19 A 2000 establishing procedures for the taking-over of cereals by intervention agencies and laying down methods of analysis for determining the quality of cereals
35	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2000R1622 - Commission Regulation laying down certain detailed rules for implementing Regulation 1493/1999	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1622/2000 of 24 2000 laying down certain detailed rules for implementing Regula (EC) No 1493/1999 on the common organisation of the market i and establishing a Community code of oenological practices and processes
36	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1992R3002 (by DG) - Commission Regulation rules for verifying the use and destination of products from interven	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION laying down comm detailed rules for verifying the use and/or destination of products intervention (1992R3002)
37	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1985R2248 (by DG) - Regulation Commission - Administrative assistance for cheeses exported to the USA	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION on detailed rules fo administrative assistance with the exportation of Emmentaler che subject to quota restrictions that qualifies for special treatment o importation into the United States of America (1985R2248)
38	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1977R2237 - Regulation Commission - Form of farm return for agricultural income	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2237/77 of 23 September 1977 amending Regulation No 118/66/EEC on the fo farm return to be used for the purpose of determining incomes o agricultural holdings
39	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1994R1431 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down detailed rule the application in the poultrymeat sector of the import arrangeme provided for in Council Regulation (EC) No 774/94 opening and providing for the administration of certain Community tariff quota poultrymeat and certain other agricultural products (codified vers
40	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1996R1249 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation on rules of application (ce sector import duties) for Council Regulation (EEC) No 1766/92 (version)
41	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1990R1014 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down detailed implementing rules on the definition, description and presentatio spirit drinks (codified version)
42	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1993R0461 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down detailed rule the Community scale for the classification of carcases of ovine a (codified version)
43	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R0883 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down detailed rule implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 1493/1999 as regards with third countries in products in the wine sector (codified versio
44	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1994R1267 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation applying the agreements between the European Union and third countries on the mutual recognition of certain spirit drinks (codified version)
45	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1993R0207 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation defining the content of Ar to Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 on organic production of agricul products and indications referring thereto on agricultural product foodstuffs and laying down detailed rules for implementing the provisions of Article 5 (4) thereto (codified version)
46	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1995R1591 Commission Regulation laying down detailed rules for the application of export refunds	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1591/95 of 30 Ju 1995 laying down detailed rules for the application of export refu glucose and glucose syrup used in certain products processed fr fruit and vegetables
47	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2002R1284 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for hazelnuts in shell	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1284/2002 of 15 2002 laying down the marketing standard for hazelnuts in shell
48	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2002R0843 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for strawberries	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 843/2002 of 21 M 2002 laying down the marketing standard for strawberries and amending Regulation (EEC) No 899/87
49	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R2396 Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard applicable to leeks	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2396/2001 of 7 December 2001 laying down the marketing standard applicable t

50	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R1615 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for melons and amending Regu	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1615/2001 of 7 A 2001 laying down the marketing standard for melons and amend Regulation (EC) No 1093/97
51	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2000R0790 - Regulation Commission - Marketing standards for tomatoes	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 790/2000 of 14 A 2000 laying down the marketing standard for tomatoes
52	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2000R0851 Commission Regulation down the marketing standard for apricots	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 851/2000 of 27 A 2000 laying down the marketing standard for apricots
53	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1997R0831 - Regulation Commission - Marketing standards for avocados	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 831/97 of 7 May laying down marketing standards applicable to avocados
54	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1999R2377 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2377/1999 of 9 November 1999 laying down the marketing standard for asparag
55	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1999R1081 (by DG) - Commission Regulation opening and providing for the administration of tariff quotas for	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATIONopening and providi the administration of tariff quotas for imports of bulls, cows and h other than for slaughter of certain Alpine and mountain breeds, repealing Regulation (EC) No 1012/98 and amending Regulation No 1143/98 (1999R1081)
56	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1997R0996 (by DG) - Commission Regulation on the opening and administration of an import tariff quota for froz	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION on the opening and administration of an import tariff quota for frozen thin skirt of bovi animals falling within CN code 0206 29 91 (1997R0996)
57	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1996R2497 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down procedures f applying in the poultrymeat sector the arrangements provided for Association Agreement and the Interim Agreement between the European Community and the State of Israel (codified version)
58	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1991R1538 règlement Commission	Proposal for 1991R1538 a Commission Regulation introducing d rules for implementing Regulation (EEC) No 1906/90 on certain marketing standards for poultry (codified version)
59	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 2001R1508 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for onions and amending Regul	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1508/2001 of 24 2001 laying down the marketing standard for onions and amendi Regulation (EEC) No 2213/83
60	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1990R2921 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation on aid for the production casein and caseinates from skimmed milk (codified version)
61	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1980R1552 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down detailed rules the provision of administrative assistance in connection with the of certain cheeses eligible for special treatment on import into Au (codified version)
62	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1998R1396 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down procedures f applying in the poultrymeat sector Council Regulation (EC) No 7 on the import into the Community of agricultural products origina Turkey, repealing Regulation (EEC) No 4115/86 and amending Regulation (EC) No 3010/95 (codified version)
63	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1999R2799 - Commission Regulation rules for applying Regulation (EC) No 1255/1999	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2799/1999 of 17 December 1999 laying down detailed rules for applying Regulati No 1255/1999 as regards the grant of aid for skimmed milk and skimmed-milk powder intended for animal feed and the sale of su skimmed-milk powder
64	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1999R2771 (by DG) - Commission Regulation laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Re	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION laying down detaile for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 1255/1999 as r intervention on the market in butter and cream (1999R2771)
65	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1992R3515 - Commission Regulation - storage and movement of products	Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3515/92 of 4 December 1992 down common detailed rules for the application of Council Regul (EEC) No 1055/77 on the bought in by an intervention agency
66	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1990R3447 - Commission Regulation (EEC) on special conditions for the granting of private storage aid	Propoal of a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 3447/90 of 28 November 1990 on special conditions for the granting of private s aid for sheepmeat and goatmeat
67	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1985D0377 Commission Decision establishing a Community typology for agricultural holdings	Proposal of 1985D0377 a Commission Decision of 7 June 1985 establishing a Community typology for agricultural holdings

68	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1999R2789 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for table grapes	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2789/1999 of 22 December 1999 laying down the marketing standard for table gra
69	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1999R2561 - Commission Regulation (laying down the marketing standard	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2561/1999 of 3 December 1999 laying down the marketing standard for peas
70	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1999R1455 - Commission Regulation laying down the marketing standard for sweet peppers	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 1455/1999 of 1 Ju 1999 laying down the marketing standard for sweet peppers
71	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1967R0467 - Regulation Commission - Conversion rates for stages of rice processing	Proposal for a Regulation No 467/67/EEC of the Commission of August 1967 fixing the conversion rates, the processing costs an value of the by-products for the various stages of rice processing
72	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1971R2622 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation on procedures for the importation of rye from Turkey (codified version)
73	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1996R2051 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down certain detail rules for granting of assistance for the export of beef and veal wh may benefit from a special import treatment in Canada and amen Regulation (EC) No 1445/95 (codified version)
74	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1995R1445 (by DG) - Regulation Commission - Rules of application for import and export licences	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION on rules of applicat import and export licences in the beef and veal sector and repea Regulation (1995R1445)
75	Agriculture and Rural Development	Recast 1998R0327 (by DG) - Regulation Commission - Tariff quotas for rice imports	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION opening and provid the administration of certain tariff quotas for imports of rice and b rice (1998R0327)
76	Competition	Codification 1988L0301 - Directive Commission - Competition in the markets in telecommunications terminal equipment	Proposal for a Commission Directive 88/301/EEC of 16 May 198 competition in the markets in telecommunications terminal equip
77	Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities	Codification 1982D0043 - Commission Decision relating to the setting up of an Advisory Committee on Equal Opportuni	Proposal of a Commission Decision of 9 December1981 : 82/43/EEC:relating to the setting up of an Advisory Committee o Opportunities for Women and Men
78	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1987R4154 Commission Regulation laying down the methods of analysis	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 4154/87 of 22 December 1987 laying down the methods of analysis and other technical provisions necessary for the implementation of Regulat (EEC) No 3033/80 laying down the trade arrangements applicab certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural produc
79	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1987R4056 -Commission Regulation laying down the methods of analysis	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EEC) No 4056/87 of 22 December 1987 laying down the methods of analysis and other technical provisions necessary for the implementation of Regulat (EEC) No 3035/80 laying down general rules for granting export refunds on certain agricultural products exported in the form of g not covered by Annex II to the Treaty, and the criteria for fixing th amount of such refunds
80	Statistics	Codification 1998R2700 - Commission Regulation concerning the definitions of characteristics for structural b	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2700/98 of 17 December 1998 concerning the definitions of characteristics for structural business statistics (Text with EEA relevance)
81	Statistics	Codification 1998D0385 - Commission Decision on rules for implementing Council Directive 95/64/EC on statistical return	Proposal of a Commission Decision of 13 May 1998 : 98/385/EC rules for implementing Council Directive 95/64/EC on statistical r in respect of carriage of goods and passengers by sea (notified u document number C(1998) 1275) (Text with EEA relevance)
82	Statistics	Codification 1998R2701 - Commission Regulation concerning the series of data to be produced for structural bu	Proposal of a Commission Regulation (EC) No 2701/98 of 17 December 1998 concerning the series of data to be produced for structural business statistics (Text with EEA relevance)
83	Fisheries and Maritime Affairs	Codification 2001R0080 - Regulation Commission - Detailed rules for applying Regulation 104/2000 – notifications	Proposal for a Commission Regulation (EC) No 80/2001 of 16 Ja 2001 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 104/2000 as regards notifications concerning recognition of producer organisations, the fixing of prices and intervention within the scope of the common organisation of the m in fishery and aquaculture products

84	Fisheries and Maritime Affairs	Codification 2000R1886 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down detailed rules the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 104/2000 as regar extension to non-members of certain rules adopted by producers organisations in the fisheries sector (codified version)
85	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1994L0039 - directive Commission	Proposal for a Commission Directive establishing a list of intende of animal feedingstuffs for particular nutritional purposes (codifie version)
86	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1992D0260 - Decision Commission - Animal health conditions for temporary admission of registered horses	Proposal for a 92/260/EEC: Commission Decision of 10 April 199 animal health conditions and veterinary certification for temporar admission of registered horses
87	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1993D0195 - Decision Commission - Animal health conditions for re-entry of registered horses	Proposal for a 93/195/EEC: Commission Decision of 2 February on animal health conditions and veterinary certification for the re- of registered horses for racing, competition and cultural events a temporary export
88	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1986L0109 - Commission Directive limiting the marketing of seed of certain species of fodder plants	Proposal of a Commission Directive 86/109/EEC of 27 February limiting the marketing of seed of certain species of fodder plants and fibre plants to seed which has been officially certified as 'bas seed' or 'certified seed'
89	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1996D0540 - décision Commission	Proposal for a Commission Decision on animal health requireme and veterinary certification for imports into the Community of ova embryos of the equine species (Text with EEA relevance) (codifi version)
90	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1995L0031 - directive Commission	Proposal for a Commission laying down specific criteria of purity concerning sweeteners for use in foodstuffs (codified version)
91	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 2001D0106 - décision Commission	Proposal for a Commission Decision establishing a model for the units approved by Member States for intra-Community trade in li animals, semen and embryos and the rules applying to the transmission of these lists to the Commission (Text with EEA relevance) (notified under document number C(2001) 143) (codif version)
92	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 2000D0585 - Decision Commission - Public health conditions for wild and farmed game meat	Proposal for a 2000/585/EC: Commission Decision of 7 Septemb 2000 laying down animal and public health conditions and veteri certifications for import of wild and farmed game meat and rabbit from third countries and repealing Commission Decisions 97/217 97/218/EC, 97/219/EC and 97/220/EC (notified under document number C(2000) 2492) (Text with EEA relevance)
93	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1994D0467 - Commission Decision laying down health guarantees for the transport of equidae from one third	Proposal for a COMMISSION DECISION laying down health guarantees for the transport of equidae from one third country to another in accordance with Article 9 (1) (c) of Directive 91/496/E (Text with EEA relevance) (1994D0467)
94	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 2001D0618 - décision Commission	Proposal for a Commission Decision on additional guarantees in Community trade of pigs relating to Aujeszky's disease, criteria t provide information on this disease and repealing Decisions 93/2 and 93/244/EEC (Text with EEA relevance) (notified under docu number C(2001) 2236) (codified version)
95	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1996L0077 - directive Commission	Proposal for a Commission Directive laying down specific purity on food additives other than colours and sweeteners (Text with E relevance), (codified version)
96	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1994L0054 - directive Commission	Proposal for a Commission Directive concerning the compulsory indication on the labelling of certain foodstuffs of particulars othe those provided for in Council Directive 79/112/EEC (codified vers
97	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1997D0010 - Commission Decision amending Council Decision 79/542/EEC and Commission Decisions 92/160/E	Proposal of a Commission Decision of 12 December 1996 : 97/1 amending Council Decision 79/542/EEC and Commission Decisi 92/160/EEC, 92/260/EEC and 93/197/EEC in relation to the temp admission and imports into the Community of registered horses f South Africa (Text with EEA relevance)
98	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1993D0342 - Decision Commission - Criteria for classifying third countries with regard to avian influenza	Proposal for a 93/342/EEC: Commission Decision of 12 May 199 laying down the criteria for classifying third countries with regard avian influenza and Newcastle disease

99	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1993D0197 - Decision Commission - Animal health conditions for imports of equidae for breeding	Proposal for a 93/197/EEC: Commission Decision of 5 February on animal health conditions and veterinary certification for import registered equidae and equidae for breeding and production
100	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1993D0196 - Decision Commission - Animal health conditions for equidae for slaughter	Proposal for a 93/196/EEC: Commission Decision of 5 February on animal health conditions and veterinary certification for import equidae for slaughter
101	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1995L0044 - Directive Commission - conditions for introducing harmful organisms	Proposal for a Commission Directive 95/44/EC of 26 July 1995 establishing the conditions under which certain harmful organism plants, plant products and other objects listed in Annexes I to V t Council Directive 77/93/EEC may be introduced into or moved w the Community or certain protected zones thereof, for trial or scie purposes and for work on varietal selections
102	Taxation and Customs Union	Codification 1993R0752 - règlement Commission	Proposal for a Commission Regulation laying down provisions fo implementation of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3911/92 on the of cultural goods (codified version)
103	Energy Transport	Codification 1995L0012 - Commission Directive Council Directive 92/75/EEC with regard to energy labelling	Proposal of a Commission Directive 95/12/EC of 23 May 1995 implementing Council Directive 92/75/EEC with regard to energy labelling of household washing machines
104	Energy Transport	Codification 1997L0017 - Commission Directive implementing Council Directive 92/75/EEC with regard to energy labelling	Proposal of a Commission Directive 97/17/EC of 16 April 1997 implementing Council Directive 92/75/EEC with regard to energy labelling of household dishwashers (Text with EEA relevance
105	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1995L0045 - directive Commission - colours for use in foodstuffs	Proposal for a COMMISSION DIRECTIVE laying down specific p criteria concerning colours for use in foodstuffs (codified version) (1995L0045)
106	Energy Transport	Codification 1999R0805 - Regulation Commission - Implementation of Regulation 718/1999	Proposal for a COMMISSION REGULATION laying down certain measures for implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 718/199 Community-fleet capacity policy to promote inland waterway tran (1999R0805)
Legislative Proposal / Decision			
107	Economic and Financial Affairs	Codification 1977D0270 - Decision Council - Issue of Euratom loans by the Commission	Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION empowering the Commissio issue Euratom loans for the purpose of contributing to the financi nuclear power stations (1977D0270)
108	Economic and Financial Affairs	Codification 1977D0271 - Decision Council - Implementation of Decision 77/270	Proposal for a 77/271/Euratom: Council Decision of 29 March 19 the implementation of Decision 77/270/Euratom empowering the Commission to issue Euratom loans for the purpose of contributi the financing of nuclear power stations
109	Statistics	Codification 1991D0116 - décision Conseil	Proposal of Council Decision setting up the European Advisory Committee on statistical information in the economic and social s (codified version)
110	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1990D0424 Council Decision of 26 June 1990 on expenditure in the veterinary field	Proposal for a 1990D0424 a Council Decision of 26 June 1990 o expenditure in the veterinary field
Legislative Proposal / Directive			
111	Enterprise and Industry	Recast 1971L0316 (Comito) - directive Conseil	Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE on the approximation of th of the Member States relating to common provisions for both me instruments and methods of metrological control (recast version)(1971L0316)
112	Enterprise and Industry	Recast 1990L0385 (by DG) - Directive Council - Active implantable medical devices	Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE on the approximation of th of the Member States relating to active implantable medical devi (1990L0385)
113	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1993L0034 - Council Directive on statutory markings for two- or three-wheel motor vehicles	Proposal of a Council Directive 93/34/EEC of 14 June 1993 on s markings for two- or three-wheel motor vehicles
114	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1989L0173 - Council Directive relating to certain components and characteristics of wheeled agricultural or	Council Directive 89/173/EEC of 21 December 1988 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to certai components and characteristics of wheeled agricultural or forestr tractors

115	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1980L0181 - Council Directive relating to units of measurement	Proposal for a Council Directive of 20 December 1979 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to units measurement and on the repeal of Directive 71/354/EEC (80/18
116	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1978L0764 - COUNCIL DIRECTIVE relating to the driver's seat on wheeled agricultural	Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE of 25 July 1978 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to the d seat on wheeled agricultural or forestry tractors (78/764/EEC)
117	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1986L0298 - directive Conseil	Proposal for a Council Directive on rear- mounted roll-over prote structures of narrow-track wheeled agricultural and forestry tract (codified version)
118	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1980L0720 - directive Conseil	Proposal for a Council Directive on the approximation of the laws Member States relating to the operating space, access to the dri position and the doors and windows of wheeled agricultural or fo tractors (codified version)
119	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1979L0622 - directive Conseil	Proposal for a Council Directive on the approximation of the laws Member States relating to the roll-over protection structures of w agricultural or forestry tractors (static testing) (codified version)
120	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1976L0763 - Directive Council - Passenger seats for wheeled tractors	Proposal for a Council Directive 76/763/EEC of 27 July 1976 on approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to passe seats for wheeled agricultural or forestry tractors
121	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1987L0402 - directive Conseil	Proposal for a on roll- over protection structures mounted in front driver's seat on narrow-track wheeled agricultural and forestry tra (codified version)
122	Enterprise and Industry	Recast 1972L0245 - Directive Council - Radio interference of vehicles	Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE on the approximation of th of the Member States relating to the suppression of radio interfer produced by spark-ignition engines fitted to motor vehicles (1972
123	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1986L0415 - Directive Council - Installation and location of controls of tractors	Proposal for a Council Directive 86/415/EEC of 24 July 1986 on installation, location, operation and identification of the controls o wheeled agricultural or forestry tractors
124	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1986L0297 - Directive Council - Power take-offs for tractors	Proposal for a Council Directive 86/297/EEC of 26 May 1986 on approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to the p take-offs of wheeled agricultural and forestry tractors and their protection
125	Energy Transport	Codification 1975L0322 - Council Directive relating to the suppression of radio interference	Proposal of a Council Directive 75/322/EEC on the approximatio laws of the Member States relating to the suppression of radio interference produced by spark-ignition engines fitted to wheelec agricultural or forestry tractors
126	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1989L0686 - Directive Council - Personal protective equipment	Proposal of Council Directive 89/686/EEC of 21 December 1989 approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to perso protective equipment
127	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1998L0034 - Directive Council - Provision of information in the field of technical standards	Proposal for a EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND COUNCIL DIRE laying down a procedure for the provision of information in the fie technical standards and regulations (1998L0034)
128	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1993L0092 - directive Conseil	Proposal of Council Directive on the installation of lighting and lig signalling devices on two or three-wheel motor vehicles (codified version)
129	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1987L0404 - Council Directive relating to simple pressure vessels	Proposal of a Council Directive 87/404/EEC of 25 June 1987 on harmonization of the laws of the Member States relating to simpl pressure vessels
130	Environment	Codification 1979L0409 - directive Conseil	Proposal of Council Directive on the conservation of wild birds (c version)
131	Statistics	Codification 1993L0023 - directive Conseil	Proposal of Council Directive on the statistical surveys to be carr on pig production (codified version)
132	Internal Market and Services	Recast 1985L0611 - directive Conseil	Proposal for a Council Directive on the coordination of laws, regu and administrative provisions relating to undertakings for collecti investment in transferable securities (UCITS)(codified version)

133	Internal Market and Services	Codification 1968L0151 - directive Conseil	Proposal for a First Directive of the Council on co-ordination of safeguards which, for the protection of the interests of members others, are required by Member States of companies within the meaning of the second paragraph of Article 58 of the Treaty, with view to making such safeguards equivalent throughout the Comr (codified version)
134	Internal Market and Services	Codification 1978L0855 - Directive Council - Mergers of public limited companies	Proposal of third Council Directive 78/855/EEC of 9 October 197 based on Article 54 (3) (g) of the Treaty concerning mergers of p limited liability companies
135	Internal Market and Services	Codification 1977L0091 - Directive Council - Coordination of safeguards as regards company formation	Proposal of Second Council Directive 77/91/EEC of 13 Decembe on coordination of safeguards which, for the protection of the inte of members and others, are required by Member States of comp within the meaning of the second paragraph of Article 58 of the T in respect of the formation of public limited liability companies an maintenance and alteration of their capital, with a view to making safeguards equivalent
136	Internal Market and Services	Codification 1972L0166 - Directive Council - Insurance against civil liability in respect of use of motor vehicles	Council Directive 72/166/EEC of 24 April 1972 on the approxima the laws of Member States relating to insurance against civil liab respect of the use of motor vehicles, and to the enforcement of tl obligation to insure against such liability
137	Internal Market and Services	Codification 1989L0667 - Directive Council - Single-member private limited liability companies	Proposal of Twelfth Council Company Law Directive 89/667/EEC December 1989 on single-member private limited-liability compa
138	Internal Market and Services	Codification 1991L0250 - Directive Council - legal protection of computer programs	Proposal of council Directive 91/250/EEC of 14 May 1991 on the protection of computer programs
139	Internal Market and Services	Codification 1984L0005 - Directive Council - insurance against civil liability in respect of use of motor vehicles	Proposal of second Council Directive 84/5/EEC of 30 December on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating t insurance against civil liability in respect of the use of motor vehi
140	Health and Consumer Protection	Recast 1988L0344 (Comito) - directive Conseil	Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE on the approximation of th of the Member States on extraction solvents used in the producti foodstuffs and food ingredients (recast version) (1988L0344)
141	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1966L0401 - directive Conseil	Proposal for a 1966L0401 of Council Directive on the marketing fodder plant seed (codified version)
142	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1966L0402 - directive Conseil	Proposal for a 1966L0402 of Council Directive on the marketing cereal seed (codified version)
143	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 2002L0056 - Directive Council - Marketing of seed potatoes	Proposal for a Council Directive 2002/56/EC of 13 June 2002 on marketing of seed potatoes
144	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1992L0033 Council Directive on the marketing of vegetable propagating and planting material, other than	Proposal of a Council Directive 92/33/EEC of 28 April 1992 on th marketing of vegetable propagating and planting material, other t seed OJ L 157, 10.6.1992, p. 1–9 (ES, DA, DE, EL, EN, FR, IT, NL, P
145	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1992L0035 Council Directive laying down control rules and measures to combat African horse sickness	Proposal for a Council Directive 92/35/EEC of 29 April 1992 layir down control rules and measures to combat African horse sickne
146	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1991L0068 - Council Directive on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade	Proposal for a Council Directive 91/68/EEC of 28 January 1991 c animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in ovir caprine animals Council Directive 91/68/EEC of 28 January 1991 on animal healt conditions governing intra-Community trade in ovine and caprine animals
147	Health Consumer Protection	codification 1990L0426 - Council Directive on animal health conditions governing the movement and import from third co	Proposal for a Council Directive 90/426/EEC of 26 June 1990 on health conditions governing the movement and import from third countries of equidae
148	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1992L0119 - Directive Council - Community measures to control swine vesicular disease	Proposal for a Council Directive 92/119/EEC of 17 December 19 introducing general Community measures for the control of certa animal diseases and specific measures relating to swine vesicula disease

149	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1988L0407 - Directive Council - Deep-frozen bovine semen	Proposal for a Council Directive 88/407/EEC of 14 June 1988 lay down the animal health requirements applicable to intra- Commu trade in and imports of deep-frozen semen of domestic animals c bovine species
150	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1989L0662 - Directive Council - Veterinary checks to complete the internal market	Proposal for a Council Directive 89/662/EEC of 11 December 19 concerning veterinary checks in intra-Community trade with a vie the completion of the internal market
151	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1968L0193 Council Directive on the marketing of material for the vegetative propagation of the vine	Proposal of a Council Directive 68/193/EEC of 9 April 1968 on th marketing of material for the vegetative propagation of the vine
152	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1990L0539 - Council Directive on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade	Proposal of a Council Directive 90/539/EEC of 15 October 1990 animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in, and imports from third countries of, poultry and hatching eggs
153	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 2000L0029 - Council Directive on protective measures against the introduction into the Community of organis	Proposal for a Council Directive 2000/29/EC of 8 May 2000 on protective measures against the introduction into the Community organisms harmful to plants or plant products and against their s within the Community
154	Health and Consumer Protection	Codification 1991L0496 - directive du Conseil	Proposal for a Council Directive laying down the principles gover the organization of veterinary checks on animals entering the Community from third countries and amending Directives 89/662 90/425/EEC and 90/675/EEC (codified version)
155	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1997L0007 - Directive EP, Council - Protection of consumers in respect of distance contracts	Proposal for a Directive 97/7/EC of the European Parliament and Council of 20 May 1997 on the protection of consumers in respe distance contracts - Statement by the Council and the Parliamen Article 6 (1) - Statement by the Commission re Article 3 (1), first i
156	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1992L0118 - Council Directive laying down animal health and public health requirements governing trade	Proposal for a Council Directive 92/118/EEC of 17 December 19 laying down animal health and public health requirements govern trade in and imports into the Community of products not subject t said requirements laid down in specific Community rules referred Annex A (I) to Directive 89/662/EEC and, as regards pathogens, Directive 90/425/EEC
157	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1992L0065 - Council Directive laying down animal health requirements governing trade in and imports	Proposal for a Council Directive 92/65/EEC of 13 July 1992 layin animal health requirements governing trade in and imports into th Community of animals, semen, ova and embryos not subject to a health requirements laid down in specific Community rules referr Annex A (I) to Directive 90/425/EEC
158	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 1990L0429 - Council Directive on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in ovine and	Proposal for a Council Directive 91/68/EEC of 28 January 1991 c animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in ovin caprine animals
159	Health Environment	Codification 1989L0556 - Council Directive on animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in and imp	Proposal for a Council Directive 89/556/EEC of 25 September 19 animal health conditions governing intra-Community trade in and importation from third countries of embryos of domestic animals bovine species
160	Taxation and Customs Union	Recast 1992L0012 - Council Directive on the general arrangements for products subject to excise duty	Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE on the general arrangeme products subject to excise duty and on the holding, movement ar monitoring of such products (1992L0012)
161	Taxation and Customs Union	Codification 1983L0181 - directive Conseil	Proposal of Council Directive determining the scope of Article 14 of Directive 77/388/EEC as regards exemption from value added the final importation of certain goods (codified version)
162	Taxation and Customs Union	Codification 1983L0183 - Council Directive - tax exemptions on permanent imports of personal property	Proposal for a Council Directive 83/183/EEC of 28 March 1983 o exemptions applicable to permanent imports from a Member Sta the personal property of individuals
163	Taxation and Customs Union	Codification 1990L0434 - Directive Council - Common system of taxation for company mergers	Proposal for a council Directive 90/434/EEC of 23 July 1990 on t common system of taxation applicable to mergers, divisions, tran of assets and exchanges of shares concerning companies of diff Member States
164	Taxation and Customs Union	Codification 1977L0799 of a Council Directive concerning mutual assistance by the competent authorities of the Member	Proposal for a 1977L0799 Council Directive of 19 December 197 concerning mutual assistance by the competent authorities of the Member States in the field of direct taxation

165	Taxation and Customs Union	Codification 1990L0435 - Directive Council - Common system of taxation of parent companies and subsidiaries	Proposal for a Council Directive 90/435/EEC of 23 July 1990 on common system of taxation applicable in the case of parent com and subsidiaries of different Member States
166	Energy Transport	Codification 1996L0053 - Directive Council - Maximum authorised dimensions and weights of vehicles	Proposal for a Council Directive 96/53/EC of 25 July 1996 laying for certain road vehicles circulating within the Community the ma authorized dimensions in national and international traffic and the maximum authorized weights in international traffic
167	Energy Transport	Codification 1991L0440 - Directive Council - Development of the Community's railways	Proposal for a Council Directive 91/440/EEC of 29 July 1991 on development of the Community's railways
168	Energy Transport	Codification 1994L0057 - Directive Council - Common rules and standards for ship inspection	Proposal for a Council Directive 94/57/EC of 22 November 1994 common rules and standards for ship inspection and survey organizations and for the relevant activities of maritime administr
169	Energy Transport	Recast 1995L0018 (by DG) - licensing of railway undertakings	Proposal for a EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND COUNCIL DIRE on the licensing of railway undertakings (Text with EEA relevanc (recast version) (1995L0018)
170	Energy and Transport	Codification 1976L0135 - directive Conseil	Proposal of Council Directive on reciprocal recognition of navigal licences for inland waterway vessels (codified version)
171	Energy Transport	Codification 1995L0050 of Council Directive on uniform procedures for checks on the transport of dangerous goods by roa	Proposal of 1995L0050 a Council Directive of 6 October 1995 on uniform procedures for checks on the transport of dangerous goo road
172	Energy Transport	Recast 1996L0098 - Directive Council - Marine equipment	Proposal for a Council Directive 96/98/EC of 20 December 1996 marine equipment
		Legislative Proposal / Regulation	
173	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1975R2783 - Regulation Council - Common system of trade for ovalbumin and lactalbumin	Proposal for a Regulation (EEC) No 2783/75 of the Council of 29 October 1975 on the common system of trade for ovalbumin and lactalbumin
174	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1965R0079 - Council Regulation - setting up a network for the collection of accountancy data on the incomes	Proposal for a Regulation No 79/65/EEC of the Council setting u network for the collection of accountancy data on the incomes ar business operation of agricultural holdings in the European Econ Community
175	Agriculture and Rural Development	Codification 1994R1868 - Council Regulation establishing a quota system in relation to the production of potato s	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 1868/94 of 27 July 199 establishing a quota system in relation to the production of potato starch
176	Competition	Codification 1987R3976 - Regulation Council - Application of Article 85 (3) to the air transport sector	Proposal for a Council Regulation (EEC) No 3976/87 of 14 Dece 1987 on the application of Article 85 (3) of the Treaty to certain categories of agreements and concerted practices in the air trans sector
177	Economic and Financial Affairs	Codification 1997R1103 - Council Regulation on certain provisions relating to the introduction of the euro	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 1103/97 of 17 June 19 certain provisions relating to the introduction of the euro
178	Economic and Financial Affairs	Codification 1998R0975 - Council Regulation on denominations and technical specifications of euro coins intended for	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 975/98 of 3 May 1998 denominations and technical specifications of euro coins intende circulation
178	Economic and Financial Affairs	Codification 1994R2728 - Regulation Council - Guarantee fund for external actions	Proposal for a Council Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 2728/94 of October 1994 establishing a Guarantee Fund for external actions
180	Economic and Financial Affairs	Codification 1998R0974 - Council Regulation on the introduction of the euro	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 974/98 of 3 May 1998 introduction of the euro
181	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1993R3448 - Council Regulationl aying down the trade arrangements applicable to certain goods	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 3448/93 of 6 Decembe laying down the trade arrangements applicable to certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products
182	Enterprise and Industry	Codification 1992R1768 - règlement Conseil	Proposal of Council Regulation concerning the creation of a supplementary protection certificate for medicinal products (codif version)
183	Environment	Codification 1997R0338 - Council Regulation on the protection of species of wild fauna and flora by regulating	Proposal for a Council Regulation (EC) No 338/97 of 9 Decembe on the protection of species of wild fauna and flora by regulating therein
184	Statistics	Recast 1990R0837 (by DG) - Council Regulation- statistical information on cereals production	Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION concerning statistical information to be supplied by the Member States on cereals proc (1990R0837)

185	Statistics	Recast 1993R0959 (by DG) - Council Regulation concerning statistical information to be supplied	Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION concerning statistical information to be supplied by Member States on crop products o than cereals (1993R0959)
186	Statistics	Codification 1996R2223 - Council Regulation on the European system of national and regional accounts	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 2223/96 of 25 June 19 the European system of national and regional accounts in the Community
187	Statistics	Codification 1998R1172 - Council Regulation on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 of 25 May 19 statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road
188	Statistics	Codification 1993R3605 - Council Regulation on the application of the Protocol on the excessive deficit	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 3605/93 of 22 Novem 1993 on the application of the Protocol on the excessive deficit procedure annexed to the Treaty establishing the European Com
189	Statistics	Recast 1979R0357 (by DG) - Council Regulation - statistical surveys of areas under vines	Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION on statistical surveys of under vines (1979R0357)
190	Statistics	Codification 1990R3037 - règlement Conseil	Council Regulation on the statistical classification of economic a in the European Community (codified version)
191	Statistics	Codification 2002R2150 - Regulation EP and Council - Waste statistics	Proposal for a Regulation (EC) No 2150/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2002 on waste st (Text with EEA relevance)
192	Statistics	Recast 1995R1172 (by DG) - Council Regulation on the statistics relating to the trading of goods by the Community an	Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION on the statistics relating trading of goods by the Community and its Member States with n member countries (1995R1172)
193	Freedom, Security and Justice	Codification 1995R1683 - Council Regulation (laying down a uniform format for visas	Propoasal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 1683/95 of 29 May 1 laying down a uniform format for visas
194	Freedom, Security and Justice	Codification 2001R0539 - Council Regulation listing the third countries whose nationals must be in possession o	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 539/2001 of 15 March listing the third countries whose nationals must be in possession visas when crossing the external borders and those whose natio are exempt from that requirement
195	External Relations	Codification 2000R2007 - règlement Conseil	Proposal for a 2000R2007 for a Regulation of the Council introdu exceptional trade measures for countries and territories participa or linked to the European Union's Stabilisation and Association process, amending Regulation (EC) No 2820/98, and repealing Regulations (EC) No 1763/1999 and (EC) No 6/2000 (codified ve
196	Health Consumer Protection	Codification 2001R0999 - Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down rules for the prevention	Proposal for a Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 May 2001 laying down rules prevention, control and eradication of certain transmissible spong encephalopathies
197	Trade	Codification 1996R0384 - Council Regulation on protection against dumped imports from countries not members of	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 384/96 of 22 Decembe on protection against dumped imports from countries not membe the European Community
198	Trade	Codification 1994R0519 - Council Regulation on common rules for imports from certain third countries	Proposal of a Council Regulation (EC) No 519/94 of 7 March 199 common rules for imports from certain third countries and repeal Regulations (EEC)
199	Trade	Codification 1994R3285 - règlement Conseil	Proposal for a Regulation of the Council on the common rules fo imports and repealing Regulation (EC) No 518/94 (codified versi
200	Trade	Codification 1969R2603 - règlement Conseil	Proposal of Regulation of the Council establishing common rules exports (codified version)
201	Energy Transport	Recast 1985R3821 - Regulation Council - Recording equipment in road transport	Proposal for a Council Regulation (EEC) No 3821/85 of 20 Dece 1985 on recording equipment in road transport
202	Energy Transport	Codification 1991R3922 - Regulation Council - Harmonisation of technical requirements in civil aviation	Proposal for a Council Regulation (EEC) No 3922/91 of 16 Dece 1991 on the harmonization of technical requirements and admini procedures in the field of civil aviation
203	Transport	Codification 1992R0684 - règlement Conseil	Proposal for a Council Regulation on common rules for the intern carriage of passengers by coach and bus (codified version)
204	Energy Transport	Codification 1995R2236 - règlement Conseil	Proposal of Council Regulation laying down general rules for the granting of Community financial aid in the field of trans-European networks (codified version)

205	Energy Transport	Codification 1969R1192 - Regulation Council - Normalisation of the accounts of railway undertakings	Proposal for a Regulation (EEC) No 1192/69 of the Council of 26 1969 on common rules for the normalisation of the accounts of ra undertakings

ANNEX 3
Simplification proposals pending before the legislature – state of play (as of 30 January 2008)[15]

Regulatory area	Legal act(s)	Commission
1. Free movement of workers	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the **procedure for implementing Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems**	31 January 2006 COM(2006)16 2006/0006/COD
2. Waste	Revision of the **waste Directives**[16] (replaces and repeals Directives 75/439/EEC, 75/442/EEC and 91/689/EEC)	21 December 2005 COM(2005) 667 2005/0281/COD
3. Business statistics	Streamlining of the **structural business statistics** (Council Regulation (EC / Euratom) N°58/97)	20 February 2006 COM(2006) 66 2006/0020/COD
4. Customs Union	Modernisation of the **Community Customs Code**	30 November 2005 COM(2005)608 2005/0246/COD
5. Rail safety – competence of Railway Agency	Proposal for a Directive amending Directive 2004/49/EC on **safety on the Community's railways** Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the **interoperability of the Community rail system**	13 December 2006 COM(2006)782-783-784-785 2006/0272-0273-274/COD

[15] 5 simplification proposals from the 2007 programme will be added to this list in early 2008 after adoption by the Commission:
1. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the placing on the market and use of feed
2. Revision of Council Directive 89/106/EEC of 21 December 1988 on the approximation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to construction products
3. Proposal for a Council regulation recasting Council Regulation (EC) No 850/98 of 30 March 1998 for the conservation of fishery resources through technical measures for the protection of juveniles of marine organisms
4. Recast of Council Directive 85/611/EEC of 20 December 1985 on the coordination of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS)
5. Codification of Council Directive 96/96/EC of 20 December 1996 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to roadworthiness tests for motor vehicles and their trailers.

[16] Action corresponding to the merge of two initiatives of the simplification rolling programme.

Regulatory area	Legal act(s)	Commission
	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 881/2004 establishing **a European Railway Agency**	SEC(2006)1640-2
6. Transport of dangerous goods	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the **inland transport of dangerous goods**[2]	22 December 2006 COM(2006)852 2006/0278/COD SEC(2006)1725-6
7. Maritime Transport	Recast of the regime on **port State control** (Council Directive 95/21/EC)	23 November 2005 COM(2005) 588 2005/0238/COD
8. Maritime Transport	Recast of the regime for **ship inspections and survey organisations** (Directive 94/57/EC)	23 November 2005 COM(2005) 587 2005/0237/COD
9. Air Transport	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on **common rules for the operation of air transport services** in the Community (recast)	18/07/2006 COM(2006)396 2006/0130/COD
10. Plant Protection products	Proposal for a Regulation on the placing of **plant protection products** on the market	COM(2006)388 12 July 2006 2006/0136/COD
11. Foodstuffs	Recast, modernisation and simplification Legislative package for four regulations on "**food improvement agents**"[16]	
	Proposal for a regulation on **food additives**	28 July 2006 COM(2006) 428 2006/145/COD
	Proposal for a Regulation on **food enzymes**	28 July 2006 COM(2006)425 2006/0144 (COD)
	Proposal for a Regulation establishing a common authorisation procedure for **food additives, food enzymes and food flavourings**	28 July 2006 COM(2006)423 2006/0143 (COD)

Regulatory area	Legal act(s)	Commission
	Proposal for a Regulation on **flavourings and certain food ingredients with flavourings properties** for use in and on food	28 July 2006 COM(2006) 427 2006/0147 (COD)
12. Taxation	Council Directive 69/335/EEC of 17 July 1969 concerning indirect **taxes on the raising of capital** **Ecofin Council reached an agreement in December 2007. Formal adoption is foreseen in February 2008.**	COM(2006)760 4 December 2006 2006/0253/CNS
13. Trade of dual use items	Proposal for a Council Regulation setting up a Community regime for the **control of exports of dual-use** items and technology	COM(2006)829 18 December 2006 2006/0266/ACC SEC(2006)1696
14. Social affairs Health and safety	Proposal of Council Directive concerning the minimum safety and health requirements for the use of **work equipment** by workers at work (second individual Directive within the meaning of Article 16 (1) of Directive 89/391/EEC) (codified version)	COM(2006)652 3 November 2006 2006/0214/COD
15. Employment Social affairs	Proposal of Council Directive on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to the protection of employees in the event of the **insolvency of their employer** (codified version)	COM(2006)657 6 November 2006 2006/0220/COD
16. Social affairs Health and safety	Proposal of Council Directive on the protection of workers from the risks related to **exposure to asbestos** at work (second individual Directive within the meaning of Article 8 of Directive 80/1107/EEC) (codified version)	COM(2006)664 10 November 2006 2006/0222/COD
17. Trade mark	Proposal for a Council Regulation on the **Community trade mark** (Codified version)	COM(2006)830 16 December 2006 2006/0267/CNS
18. Fruit plants propagating material	Recasting of Council Directive 92/34/EEC **on the Marketing of fruit plants propagating material**	COM(2007)31 29 January 2007
19. Euratom Supply Agency	Proposal for a Council Decision establishing **Statutes for the Euratom Supply Agency**	COM(2007)119- COM(2007)108 16 March 2007 2007/0043/CNS,

Regulatory area	Legal act(s)	Commission
		2007/0042/CNS
20. Residue limits of veterinary medicinal products.	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down Community procedures for the establishment of **residue limits of pharmacologically active substances in foodstuffs of animal origin,** and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 2377/90	COM(2007)194 17 April 2007 2007/0064 (COD) SEC(2007)484- SEC(2007)485)
21. Admission to the occupation of transport operators	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing common rules concerning the conditions to be complied with to pursue the **occupation of road transport operator**	COM(2007)263 23 May 2007 20070097(COD) SEC(2007)635-636
22. Access to road transport market	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules for the **international carriage of passengers by coach and bus** (recast)	COM(2007)264 23 May 2007 20070098(COD) SEC(2007)635-636
	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on **access to the market in the carriage of goods by road** within the Community to or from the territory of a Member State or passing across the territory of one or more Member States	COM(2007)265 23 May 2007 20070099(COD) SEC(2007)635-636
23. Radiation protection	Codification of Regulation 1990R0737 on the conditions governing **imports of agricultural products** originating in third countries **following the accident at Chernobyl** nuclear power-station	COM (2007) 291 2006/SJ+/107 2007/0101ACC
24. Radiation protection	Codification of Regulation (Euratom) 1987R3954 laying down maximum permitted levels of **radioactive contamination of foodstuffs** and of feeding stuffs **following a nuclear accident**	COM(2007)302 2006/SJ+/106 2007/0103CNS
25. Consumer Protection acquis	Review of the **Timeshare** Directive (94/47/EC)	COM(2007)303 7 June 2007 2007/0113COD
26. Authorisations for fishing activities	Proposal for a Council regulation concerning **authorisations for fishing activities** of **Community fishing vessels** outside Community waters and the access of third country vessels to	COM(2007)330 18 June 2007

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	Community waters	2007/0114/CNS
27. Common organisation of the market in wine	Proposal for a Council Regulation on the **common organisation of the market in wine** and amending certain Regulations	COM(2007)372 04 July 2007 2007/0138/CNS Political Agreement reached
28. Coordination of social security systems	Proposal for a Council Regulation extending the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 and Regulation (EC) No […] to nationals of third countries who are not already covered by these provisions solely on the ground of their nationality	COM (2007) 439 23 July 2007 2007/0152/CNS
29. Coordination of social security systems	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending the annexes to Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the **coordination of social security systems**	COM (2007) 376 03 July 2007 2007/0129/COD
30. Financial services – Insurance	Recast of the directives on the conduct of insurance and reinsurance business and the solvency of (re)insurance companies	COM(2007)361 10 July 2007 2007/0143/COD
31. Public pan-European cellular digital land-based mobile communications	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Council Directive 87/372/EEC on the frequency bands to be reserved for the coordinated introduction of public pan-European cellular digital land-based mobile communications in the Community (**GSM Directive**)	COM (2007) 367 25 July 2007 2007/0126/COD
32. Veterinary medical devices	Repeal of the Directive on **electro-medical equipments used in veterinary medicine**	COM(2007)465 7 August 2007 2007/0168/COD
33. Free movement of workers	Repeal of Council Decision 85/368/EEC on the **comparability of vocational training qualifications** between Member States.	COM(2007)680 6 November 2007 2007/0243/COD
34. Maritime Transport	Codification of Directive 2001/25 on the **minimum level of training for seafarers**.	COM (2007)610 29 October 2007 2007/0219/COD
35. Information society	Revision of the regulatory framework for **electronic communications and services**	COM(2007)697-9

Regulatory area	Legal act(s)	Commission
		13 November 2007 2007/0247-9/COD
36. Air Transport	Revision of the regulatory framework for **computerised reservation systems**	COM(2007)709 15 November 2007 2007/0243/COD
37. Modernisation of VAT rules relating to financial services including insurance	Proposal for a Council Regulation laying down implementing measures for Directive 2006/112/EC on the **common system of value added tax**, as regards the treatment of insurance and financial services	COM(2007)746 28 November 2007
38. Single CMO Regulation	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 establishing a common organisation of agricultural markets and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products ("Single CMO Regulation")	COM(2007)854 20 December 2007
39. Emissions from heavy duty vehicles (Euro VI)	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on type-approval of motor vehicles and engines with respect to emissions from heavy duty vehicles (Euro VI) and on access to vehicle repair and maintenance information	COM(2007) 851 21 December 2007 2007/0295/COD
40. IPPC	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on industrial emissions (integrated pollution prevention and control)	COM(2007) 843 COM(2007)844 21 December 2007 2007/0286/COD
41. Foodstuffs	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on **novel foods** and amending Regulation (EC) No XXX/XXXX establishing a common authorisation procedure for food additives, food enzymes and food flavourings	COM (2007)872 2008/002/COD 14 January 2008
42. Foodstuffs	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the provision of food information to consumers	COM(2008)40 *30 January 2008*
43. Toys	Revision of Council Directive 88/378/EEC of 3 May 1988 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States concerning the safety of toys	COM(2008)9 25 January 2008
44. Cosmetics	Revision of Council Directive 76/768/EEC of 27 July 1976 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to cosmetic products	*COM (2008) xxx* *31 January 2008*

ANNEX 4

Commission autonomous acts & other initiatives adopted since 2005

Regulatory area	Legal act(s)	Official Journal
1. Public procurement	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1564/2005 establishing standard forms for the publication of notices in the framework of **public procurement procedures** pursuant to Directives 2004/17/EC and 2004/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council Commission Directive 2005/51/EC of 7 September 2005 amending Annex XX to Directive 2004/17/EC and Annex VIII to Directive 2004/18/EC of the European Parliament and the Council on public procurement	O.J. L257 of 01.10.2005, p1 O.J. L257 of 01.10.2005, p127
2. Pharmaceutical products	Commission Regulation (EC) No 2049/2005 of 15 December 2005 laying down, pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council, rules regarding the **payment of fees** to, and the receipt of administrative assistance from, the **European Medicines Agency** by micro, small and medium-sized enterprises	O.J. L329 of 16.12.2005, p4
3. Quality policy	Commission Regulation (EC) No 217/2006 of 8 February 2006 laying down rules for the application of Council Directives 66/401/EEC, 66/402/EEC, 2002/54/EC, 2002/55/EC and 2002/57/EC as regards the authorisation of Member States to permit temporarily the **marketing of seed** not satisfying the requirements in respect of the minimum germination	O.J. L38 of 09.02.2006, p17
4. Trade in agricultural products	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1301/2006 of 31 August 2006 laying down common rules for the administration of **import tariff quotas for agricultural products** managed by a system of import licences	O.J. L238 of 01.09.2006, p13
5. Customs and trade	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1549/2006 of 17 October 2006 amending Annex I to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 on the **tariff and statistical nomenclature** and on the Common Customs Tariff	O.J. L301 of 31.10.2006, p1

6. Trade in agricultural products	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1635/2006 of 6 November 2006 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EEC) No 737/90 on the conditions governing **imports of agricultural products** originating in third countries following the accident at the Chernobyl nuclear power-station	O.J. L306 of 07.11.2006, p3
7. State aid	Commission Communication on Community guidelines for state aid in the agriculture and forestry sector 2007-2013	O.J. C319 of 27.12.2006, p1
8. Common organisation of agricultural markets	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1913/2006 of 20 December 2006 laying down detailed rules for the application of the **agrimonetary system** for the euro in agriculture and amending certain regulations	O.J. L365 of 21.12.2006, p52
9. Agriculture – Direct Payments	Commission Regulation (EC) No 2002/2006 of 21 December 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 795/2004 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of the **single payment scheme** provided for in Council Regulation (EC) No 1782/2003 establishing common rules for direct support schemes under the common agricultural policy and establishing certain support schemes for farmers	O.J. L379 of 28.12.2006, p47
10. Agriculture – Direct Payments	Commission Regulation (EC) No 2025/2006 of 22 December 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 796/2004 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of **cross-compliance, modulation and the integrated administration and control system** provided for in Council Regulation (EC) No 1782/2003 establishing common rules for direct support schemes under the common agricultural policy and establishing certain support schemes for farmers	O.J. L384 of 29.12.2006, p81
11. Agriculture – Direct Payments	Commission Regulation (EC) No 270/2007 of 13 March 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 1973/2004 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 1782/2003 as regards the **support schemes** provided for in Titles IV and IVa of that Regulation and the use of land set aside for the production of raw materials	O.J. L75 of 15.03.2007, p8
12. Common fisheries policy	Commission Regulation (EC) No 498/2007 of 26 March 2007 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 1198/2006 on the **European Fisheries Fund**	O.J. L120 of 10.05.2007

13. Agricultural products	Commission Regulation (EC) No 557/2007 of 23 May 2007 laying down detailed rules for implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 1028/2006 on **marketing standards for eggs**	O.J. L132 of 24.05.2007, p5
14. Trans-European transport and energy networks	Commission Decision 2007/394/EC of 7 June 2007 amending Council Directive 90/377/EEC with regard to the methodology to be applied for the collection of **gas and electricity prices** charged to industrial end-users	O.J. L148 of 09.06.2007, p11
15. Agricultural products	Commission Regulation (EC) No 939/2007 of 7 August 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 917/2004 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 797/2004 on measures improving general conditions for the production and **marketing of apiculture products**	O.J. L207 of 08.08.2007, p3
16. Trade in agricultural products	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1001/2007 of 29 August 2007 amending Regulations (EC) No 800/1999 and (EC) No 2090/2002 as regards controls in the framework of **export refunds on agricultural products**	O.J. L226 of 30.08.2007, p9
17. Common organisation of agricultural markets	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1388/2007 of 27 November 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 382/2005 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 1786/2003 on the common organisation of the market in **dried fodder**	O.J. L310 of 28.11.2007, p3
18. Trade in agricultural products	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1423/2007 of 4 December 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 1291/2000 laying down common detailed rules for the application of the system of **import and export licences** and advance fixing certificates for agricultural products	O.J. L317 of 05.12.2007, p36
19. Trade in agricultural products	Commission Regulation (EC) No 1454/2007 of 10 December 2007 laying down common rules for establishing a tender procedure for fixing **export refunds** for certain agricultural products	O.J. L325 of 11.12.2007, p69
20. State aid	Notice from the Commission on the **execution of recovery decisions**: "*Towards an effective implementation of Commission decisions ordering Member States to recover unlawful and incompatible State aid*"	C(2007)5116 (not yet published in the O.J.)

21. Public procurement	Commission Regulation (EC) No …./2007 modifying Regulation (EC) No 2195/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 November 2002 on the **Common Procurement Vocabulary** (CPV) and Directive 2004/17/EC and 2004/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on procedures for the award of public contracts	C(2007))5677 (not yet published in the O.J.)
22. State aid	Commission Regulation (EC) No …. /2007 of …. 2007 amending Regulation (EC) No 794/2004 implementing Council Regulation (EC) No 659/1999 laying down detailed rules for the application of **Article 93 (now Article 88) of the EC Treaty**	C(2007) xxxx (not yet published in the O.J.)
23. Rules of origin	Commission Regulation (EC) No .../2007 of 2007 amending Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 laying down provisions for the implementation of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 establishing the Community Customs Code.	C(2007) xxxx (not yet published in the O.J.)
24. Leased lines	Commission Decision of […] amending Commission Decision 2003/548/EC as regards the deletion of specific types of leased line from the Minimum Set of Leased Lines	C(2007) xxxx (not yet published in the O.J.)

Other initiatives contributing to the simplification:

- Report from the Commission Evaluation report on the Settlement Finality Directive 98/26/EC [COM(2005)657 - O.J. C122 of 23.05.2006, p17]
- Report from the Commission to the Council on the application of the system of cross-compliance (under Article 8 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1782/2003 establishing common rules for direct support schemes under the common agricultural policy and establishing certain support schemes for farmers) [COM(2007)147 – O.J. C 181 of 03.08.2007, p17]
- Commission Regulation (EC) No 1566/2007 of 21 December 2007 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 1966/2006 on electronic recording and reporting of fishing activities and on means of remote sensing (not part of the simplification rolling programme).
- Commission Recommendation of 17 December 2007 on relevant product and service markets within the electronic communications sector susceptible to ex ante regulation in accordance with Directive 2002/21/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on a common regulatory framework for electronic communications networks and services

ANNEX 5

Simplification proposals adopted by the legislature since 2005

Regulatory area	Legal act(s)	Official Journal
1. Common organisation of agricultural markets	Council Regulation (EC) No 318/2006 of 20 February 2006 on the common organisation of the **markets in the sugar sector** Council Regulation (EC) No 319/2006 of 20 February 2006 amending Regulation (EC) No 1782/2003 establishing common rules for **direct support schemes under the common agricultural policy** and establishing certain support schemes for farmers Council Regulation (EC) No 320/2006 of 20 February 2006 establishing a **temporary scheme for the restructuring of the sugar industry** in the Community and amending Regulation (EC) No 1290/2005 on the financing of the common agricultural policy	O.J. L 58 of 28.02.2006, p.1-42
2. Quality policy	Council Regulation (EC) No 509/2006 of 20 March 2006 on **agricultural products and foodstuffs as traditional specialities guaranteed**	O.J. L 93 of 31.03.2006, p1
3. Quality policy	Council Regulation (EC) No 510/2006 of 20 March 2006 on the **protection of geographical indications and designations of origin for agricultural products and foodstuffs**	O.J. L 93 of 31.03.2006, p12
4. Agricultural product	Council Regulation (EC) No 1028/2006 of 19 June 2006 on **marketing standards for eggs**	O.J. L 186 of 07.07.2006, p1
5. Quality policy	Council Regulation (EC) No 1991/2006 of 21 December 2006 amending Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91 on **organic production** of agricultural products and indications referring thereto on agricultural products and foodstuffs Council Regulation (EC) No 834/2007 of 28 June 2007 on **organic production and labelling** of organic products and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 2092/91	O.J. L27 of 02.02.2007,p11 O.J L189 of 20.07.2007, p1

6. Public procurement	Directive 2007/24/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 May 2007 repealing Council Directive 71/304/EEC concerning the abolition of restrictions on freedom to provide services in respect of **public works contracts** and on the award of public works contracts to contractors acting through agencies or branches	O.J. L154 of 14.06.2007, p22
7. Trans-European transport and energy networks	Regulation (EC) No 680/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2007 laying down general rules for the granting of Community financial aid in the field of the **trans-European transport and energy networks**	O.J. L162 of 22.06.2007, p1
8. Forestry products	Decision No 714/2007/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2007 repealing Council Directive 68/89/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States concerning the classification of **wood in the rough**	OJ L 163 of 23.06.2007, p16
9. Health and safety at work	Directive 2007/30/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2007 amending Council Directive 89/391/EEC, its individual Directives and Council Directives 83/477/EEC, 91/383/EEC, 92/29/EEC and 94/33/EC with a view to simplifying and rationalising the reports on practical implementation	O.J. L165 of 27.06.2007, p21
10. Agricultural product	Council Regulation (EC) No 1182/2007 of 26 September 2007 laying down specific rules as regards the **fruit and vegetable** sector, amending Directives 2001/112/EC and 2001/113/EC and Regulations (EEC) No 827/68, (EC) No 2200/96, (EC) No 2201/96, (EC) No 2826/2000, (EC) No 1782/2003 and (EC) No 318/2006 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 2202/96	O.J. L273 of 17.10.2007, p.1
11. Common organisation of agricultural markets	Council Regulation (EC) No 1234/2007 of 22 October 2007 establishing a **common organisation of agricultural markets** and on specific provisions for certain agricultural products (Single CMO Regulation)	O.J. L299 of 16.11.2007, p.1
12. Services in the Internal market	Directive 2007/64/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 November 2007 on **payment services** in the internal market amending Directives 97/7/EC, 2002/65/EC, 2005/60/EC and 2006/48/EC and repealing Directive 97/5/EC	O.J.L319 of 05.12.2007, p.1
13. Common organisation of agricultural markets	Council Regulation (EC) No 2012/2006 of 19 December 2006 amending and correcting Regulation (EC) No 1782/2003 establishing common rules for **direct support schemes** under the common agricultural policy and establishing certain support schemes for farmers and amending Regulation (EC) No 1698/2005 on support for rural development by the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD)	O.J. L 384 of 29.12.2006, p8

14. Public procurement	Directive 2007/66/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2007 amending Council Directives 89/665/EEC and 92/13/EEC with regard to improving the effectiveness of review procedures concerning the **award of public contracts**	O.J. L335 of 20.12.2007
15. Energy-efficiency labelling programme for office equipment	Regulation (EC) 2007/../EC of ..on a Community energy-efficiency labelling programme for office equipment (Recast)	(not yet published in the O.J.) COM (2006) 576 2006/0187/COD
16. Information and promotion for agricultural products	Council Regulation (EC) No 3/2008 of 17 December 2007 on information provision and promotion measures for agricultural products on the internal market and in third countries	O.J. L003 of 05.01.2008, p1

INITIATIVES ADOPTED BY THE LEGISLATURE CONTRIBUTING TO THE SIMPLIFICATION BUT NOT PART OF THE ROLLING PROGRAMME

Regulatory area	Legal act(s)	Official Journal
Electronic recording and reporting of fishing activities	Council Regulation (EC) No 1966/2006 of 21 December 2006 on electronic recording and reporting of fishing activities and on means of remote sensing	
Export of agricultural products	Council Regulation (EC) No 14/2008 of 17 December 2007 amending Regulation (EEC) No 386/90 on the monitoring carried out at the time of export of agricultural products receiving refunds or other amounts.	O.J. L 8 of 11.01.2008, p1
eCustoms	Decision 2008/…/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on a paperless environment for customs and trade *This Decision is one part of the simplification initiative named "Modernisation of the Community Customs Code". The review of the Community customs legislation is foreseen for adoption in 2008 and is still pending before the legislature. See Annex 3.*	(Not yet published in the O.J.)