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*(Preparatory Acts)*

## COMMISSION

**Amendment to the proposal for a Council Directive amending for the tenth time Directive 76/769/EEC on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations**

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*(Submitted by the Commission pursuant to Article 149 (3) of the EEC Treaty on 16 November 1990)*

*(90/C 304/13)*

In the light of the opinion delivered at first reading under the cooperation procedure by the European Parliament on the proposal for a Council Directive amending for the tenth time Directive 76/769/EEC <sup>(1)</sup>, submitted by the Commission to the Council on 27 November 1989, the Commission has decided to amend the abovementioned proposal as follows:

1. Article 2 shall be amended as follows:

'Owing to the development of knowledge and techniques in respect of substitutes for cadmium, the Council shall reassess the situation within three years of the date of implementation of this Directive in the Member States.'

2. Annex, point 1.2, shall be amended as follows:

'Shall also be covered by this provision from three years after the entry into force of this Directive'.

3. Annex, point 2.1, shall be amended as follows:

'This provision shall enter into force one year after the implementation of this Directive.'

4. Annex, point 3.2, shall be amended as follows:

'Shall also be covered by this provision from two years after the entry into force of this Directive products or components of products where they are used in.'

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No C 8, 13. 1. 1990, p. 8.