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TEXT PROPOSED BY THE COMMISSION AMENDMENTS BY PARLIAMENT

## Amendment 7 RECITAL 2b (new)

(2b) In accordance with Article 14 of Regulation (EC) No 1260/1999, each plan, Community support framework, operational programme, or single programming document covers a period of seven years, the programming period having begun on 1 January 2000. In the interests of consistency and in order to avoid discrimination between the beneficiaries of any given programme, the derogations provided for under this Regulation should apply, on an exceptional basis, to the whole of the current programming period.

### Amendment 6

### ARTICLE -1

Article 7, paragraph 3, point (b), subparagraph 1a (new) (Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999)

#### Article -1

In Article 7(3) (b) of Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999, the following subparagraph is added:

such transfers are not allowed to third countries which are not Contracting or Cooperating Parties to relevant regional fisheries organisations or which have been identified by such organisations as fishing in a manner which diminishes the effectiveness of international conservation measures.

# Amendment 5 ARTICLE 1 Annex IV, table 3, row 3, group 2 (Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999)

	Group 2
Outermost regions	A ≤ 35 % B ≥ 5 % C ≥ 60 %

	Group 2
Outermost regions	A ≤ <b>50%</b> B ≥ <b>10%</b> C ≥ <b>40%</b>

## Amendment 8 ARTICLE 2, PARAGRAPH 1

This Regulation shall enter into force on the **third** day **following** its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

It shall apply from 1 January 2000.

European Parliament legislative resolution on the proposal for a Council regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999 laying down the detailed rules and arrangements regarding Community structural assistance in the fisheries sector (COM(2000) 774 - C5-0751/2000 - 2000/0310(CNS))

(Consultation procedure)

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the Commission proposal to the Council (COM(2000) 774) (1),
- having been consulted by the Council pursuant to Article 37 of the EC Treaty (C5-0751/2000),

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ C 96 E, 27.3.2001, p. 277.

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- having regard to Rule 67 of its Rules of Procedure,
- having regard to the opinion of the Committee on Legal Affairs and the Internal Market concerning the proposed legal basis,
- having regard to the report of the Committee on Fisheries and the opinion of the Committee on Regional Policy, Transport and Tourism (A5-0189/2001),
- 1. Approves the Commission proposal as amended;
- 2. Calls on the Commission to alter its proposal accordingly, pursuant to Article 250(2) of the EC Treaty;
- 3. Calls on the Council to notify Parliament should the Council intend to depart from the text approved by Parliament;
- 4. Calls for the conciliation procedure to be initiated should the Council intend to depart from the text approved by Parliament;
- 5. Asks to be consulted again should the Council intend to amend the Commission proposal substantially;
- 6. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council and Commission.

### 13. Structural assistance in the fisheries sector (derogations) \*

A5-0190/2001

Proposal for a Council regulation derogating from certain provisions of Council Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999 laying down the detailed rules and arrangements regarding Community structural assistance in the fisheries sector (COM(2001) 62 - C5-0077/2001 - 2001/0035(CNS))

The proposal was amended as follows:

TEXT PROPOSED BY THE COMMISSION (1) AMENDMENTS BY PARLIAMENT

## Amendment 1 Article 1

Notwithstanding Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999, the Community fleets dependent on the Fisheries Agreement with Morocco covered by the conversion plans approved by Commission Decisions Nos C(2000)3059 and C(2000)3060 of 30 October 2000 may continue to receive compensation as referred to in Article 16(1)(b) of the above Regulation until **30 June 2001**.

The financial contribution from the FIFG to the compensation referred to in the previous paragraph between 1 January 2000 and **30 June 2001** shall not be taken into consideration when determining compliance with the thresholds referred to in the first subparagraph of Article 16(3) of Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999.

Notwithstanding Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999, the Community fleets dependent on the Fisheries Agreement with Morocco covered by the conversion plans approved by Commission Decisions Nos C(2000)3059 and C(2000)3060 of 30 October 2000 may continue to receive compensation as referred to in Article 16(1)(b) of the above Regulation until **31 December 2001**.

The financial contribution from the FIFG to the compensation referred to in the previous paragraph between 1 January 2000 and **31 December 2001** shall not be taken into consideration when determining compliance with the thresholds referred to in the first subparagraph of Article 16(3) of Regulation (EC) No 2792/1999.