

Thursday 14 June 2001

**European Parliament legislative resolution on the proposal and on the amended proposal for a Council regulation introducing specific measures for certain agricultural products for the Azores and Madeira (COM(2000) 791 – COM(2001) 156 – C5-0745/2000 – 2000/0314(CNS))**

(Consultation procedure)

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the Commission proposal and amended proposal to the Council (COM(2000) 791<sup>(1)</sup>), and (COM(2001) 156)
  - having been consulted by the Council pursuant to Articles 36, 37, and 299(2) of the EC Treaty (C5-0745/2000),
  - having regard to Rule 67 of its Rules of Procedure,
  - having regard to the report of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development and the opinion of the Committee on Regional Policy, Transport and Tourism (A5-0197/2001),
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 it intend to depart from the text approved by Parliament;
  4. Asks to be consulted again if the Council intends to amend the Commission proposal substantially;
  5. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council and Commission.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ C 96 E, 27.3.2001, p. 301.

3.

**Proposal for a Council regulation introducing specific measures for certain agricultural products for the Canary Islands (COM(2000) 791 – C5-0746/2000 – 2000/0316(CNS))**

The proposal was amended as follows:

TEXT PROPOSED  
BY THE COMMISSION<sup>(1)</sup>

AMENDMENTS  
BY PARLIAMENT

Amendment 111

*Recital 1a (new)*

**(1a) Article 299(2) of the Treaty states that the Council, acting by a qualified majority on a proposal from the Commission and after consulting the European Parliament, shall adopt specific measures aimed, in particular, at laying down the conditions of application of the Treaty to the outermost regions of the European Union, in the context of, inter alia, access to the Structural Funds.**

<sup>(1)</sup> 1 OJ C 96 E, 27.3.2001, p. 316.