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Provisions relating to the committees assisting the Commission (unanimity) *

European Parliament legislative resolution on the proposal for a Council regulation adapting the provisions relating to committees which assist the Commission in the exercise of its implementing powers laid down in Council instruments adopted in accordance with the consultation procedure (unanimity) (COM(2001) 789 — C5-0092/2002 — 2001/0316(CNS))

(Consultation procedure)

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the Commission proposal to the Council (COM(2001) 789) ⁽¹⁾,
 - having regard to Articles 93, 94, 157, 269, 279 and 308 of the EC Treaty, pursuant to which it was consulted by the Council (C5-0092/2002),
 - having regard to Rule 67 of its Rules of Procedure,
 - having regard to the report of the Committee on Constitutional Affairs and the opinions of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and the Committee on Legal Affairs and the Internal Market (A5-0032/2003),
1. Approves the Commission proposal;
 2. Calls on the Council to notify Parliament should it intend to depart from the text approved by Parliament;
 3. Asks to be consulted again should the Council intend to make substantial changes to the Commission proposal;
 4. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council and Commission.

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 75 E, 26.3.2002, p. 448.

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Pre-accession measures for agriculture and rural development *

European Parliament legislative resolution on the proposal for a Council regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1268/1999 on Community support for pre-accession measures for agriculture and rural development in the applicant countries of Central and Eastern Europe in the pre-accession period (COM(2002) 519 — C5-0497/2002 — 2002/0227(CNS))

(Consultation procedure)

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The European Parliament,

- having regard to the Commission proposal to the Council (COM(2002) 519) ⁽¹⁾,
 - having regard to Article 181a of the EC Treaty, in accordance with which the Council consulted Parliament (C5-0497/2002),
 - having regard to Rule 67 of its Rules of Procedure,
 - having regard to the report of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development (A5-0028/2003),
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 if it intends to depart from the text approved by Parliament;
 4. Calls on the Council to consult Parliament again if it intends to amend the Commission proposal substantially;
 5. Instructs its President to forward its position to the Council and Commission.

TEXT PROPOSED BY THE COMMISSION

AMENDMENTS BY PARLIAMENT

Amendment 1

RECITAL 2

No special provision is included in the Regulation for actions to help restore rural areas following exceptional **natural** disasters,

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Amendment 2

ARTICLE 1, NEW PARAGRAPH AFTER INTRODUCTION

Article 2, indents 7a, 7b and 7c (new) (Regulation (EC) No 1268/1999)

In Article 2, the following new indents are inserted after the seventh indent:

- ***special measures when exceptional disasters, particularly natural disasters, are determined to have occurred;***
- ***local partnerships between the public, private or voluntary sector, whose aim it is to facilitate the implementation of one or more of the measures within this Article;***
- ***capacity development among the actors in the local authorities or non-governmental organisations who are committed to the furtherance of other measures within this Article;***

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 331 E, 31.12.2002, p.195.

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TEXT PROPOSED BY THE COMMISSION

AMENDMENTS BY PARLIAMENT

Amendment 3

ARTICLE 1

Article 8, paragraph 1, point (a) (Regulation (EC) No 1268/1999)

(a) for relevant projects under any measure where the Commission determines that exceptional natural disasters have occurred the Community contribution may amount to up to 85 % of the total eligible public expenditure;

(a) for relevant projects under any measure where the Commission determines that exceptional **disasters, mainly** natural disasters, have occurred the Community contribution may amount to up to 85 % of the total eligible public expenditure;

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Opening to the public of the EEC and Euratom historical archives *

European Parliament legislative resolution on the proposal for a Council regulation on amending Regulation (EEC, Euratom) No 354/83 concerning the opening to the public of the historical archives of the European Economy Community and the European Atomic Energy Community (COM(2002) 462 — C5-0417/2002 — 2002/0203(CNS))

(Consultation procedure)

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the Commission proposal to the Council (COM(2002) 462) ⁽¹⁾,
 - having regard to Article 308 of the EC Treaty, pursuant to which the Council consulted Parliament (C5-0417/2002),
 - having regard to Rule 67 of its Rules of Procedure,
 - having regard to the report of the Committee on Citizens' Freedoms and Rights, Justice and Home Affairs and the opinion of the Committee on Constitutional Affairs (A5-0035/2003),
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;

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 331 E, 31.12.2002, p. 169.