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INTRODUCTION: Objective and scope of the study

The original version of this study (1) was undertaken in July 1986 on the one hand to comply with a request of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and on the other hand to develop a methodology for the monitoring of the action taken by the Commission and the Council on Parliament's opinions and resolutions. The request of the committee and the general interest of the subject determined the choice of the internal market as the subject of this follow-up study.

This first updated version of the study pursues the monitoring of the action taken by the Commission and the Council from August 1986 till 1 May 1987, mainly on the basis of the Second Progress Report of the Commission on the implementation of the White Paper on completing the internal market (2).

Part I of this study monitors the progress made to the end of April 1987, both with reference to the White Paper's 1985-1986 programme and the "Rolling programme" of the 1987 presidencies. The annex to this chapter shows the 1985/1986 backlogs as at 30 April 1987 which have to be eliminated by the Commission, the Parliament and the Council.

The second part of the study contains an analysis of the action taken by the Commission and the Council following the the opinions delivered by the Parliament on legislative proposals concerning the internal market. These case studies cover the opinions adopted from July 1984 till April 1987 inclusive.

PART ONE: THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COMMISSION'S WHITE PAPER 1985-1986 PROGRAMME ON COMPLETING THE INTERNAL MARKET

1. The Commission's first progress report

1. The first progress report by the Commission following Parliament's request was published on 26 May 1986 (3).

According to this report the Council had adopted 27 White Paper proposals since June 1985 which fell considerably short of the 61 proposals the Commission hoped would have been adopted in 1985. The biggest delays had occurred in the agricultural sector where the attention of Ministers has tended to be focussed on other matters.

2. The Commission too had fallen behind schedule. According to the White Paper's programme, half of the 300 proposals should have been before the Council by the end of 1985. In fact, only 132 had reached the Council, including those that were already on its table when the White Paper was published.

(1) Published in September 1986, No. 9 of the 'Economic Series' of Research and Documentation Papers.

(2) COM(87) 203 Final, 11 May 1987

(3) COM(86) 300 final. "First report from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament on the implementation of the Commission's White Paper on completing the internal market."

2. Developments since the first progress report: The Single Act

3. Since May 1986 when the Commission published its first progress report there have been a number of developments which have had an impact on subsequent progress in implementing the White Paper programme.

By January 1986 the agreement of the Inter-Governmental Conference held in Luxembourg in December 1985 had been finalised in the form of the Single European Act, signed by all Member States. However, the delay in the ratification of the Act by Ireland has had serious consequences.

In fact the Single Act forms an explicit and solid basis for the internal market programme, by extending qualified majority voting to some two-thirds of the proposals set out in the White Paper programme and by enabling Parliament through the 'cooperation procedure' to play a much larger and more active part in the decision-making process on internal market proposals.

Moreover the Council, on the eve of the entry into force of the Single Act, has still not translated into law the express request of the Inter-Governmental Conference that on internal market issue matters priority should be given to the Advisory Committee procedure. As a result important Commission proposals - notably those implementing the new approach to food law have been held up in the Council because of the Committee procedure issue.

3. The Commission's second progress report (4); backlogs of the Institutions

4. This report, published at the beginning of May 1987, sums up the performance of the three institutions principally involved in the implementation of the White Paper programme as follows:

A. Commission

The Commission has now tabled some 170 out of the 300 proposals set out in the White Paper time table for the period 1985-1992. 158 of these 170 proposals fall under the 1985-1986 part of the programme, which lists some 200 proposals. The Commission's original target was to have submitted some 200 proposals by now (May 1987). In fact its total backlog is 34 proposals.

In addition, the Commission has tabled 20 proposals linked to the objective of completing the internal market which were not included in the White Paper when it was published (5).

Since the publication of the White Paper, a number of the proposals originally envisaged have been either withdrawn, as further examination has shown them to be unnecessary, or in some cases a group of proposals have been amalgamated into a single proposal.

Nearly half of the backlog relates to the agricultural sector, in particular to the abolition of veterinary and phytosanitary controls.

(4) COM(87)203 final: Second Progress Report on the implementation of the White Paper on completing the internal market.

(5) See Annex III.

B. Council

The Council of Ministers has to date adopted 58 of the White Paper proposals submitted by the Commission, of which 55 fall under the 1985-1986 part of the programme. This leaves 112 proposals outstanding, of which 58 were scheduled for adoption in 1986 under the White Paper timetable.

Although there has been an improvement in some areas, the overall progress is described by the Commission as unsatisfactory. The Commission also notes that the rate of progress varies with the configuration of the Council. The 'Internal Market' Council achieved much better results in the latter half of 1986, but the Council meetings on agriculture and economic/financial affairs had much more limited success. Only eight Directives were adopted in the farm and agri-foodstuffs sector and only two - of very limited scope - in the fiscal sector.

C. Parliament

The Commission's report lists 40 proposals as still being before Parliament. If one analyses these cases it appears that (6):

- 1 concerns an Opinion already delivered by the EP (cf. the Rogalla Report on behalf of the Economic Affairs Committee on the introduction of common border posts, adopted in plenary on 11.5.1987) (Annex II, No. 7)
- 11 concern new proposals, i.e. drawn up in the context of the completion of the internal market, but not included in the White Paper (Annex III)
- 14 concern reports which are to be or have been adopted in Committee during April, May or June 1987, (Annex II, proposals nos. 64A, 65B, 65C, 72, 86, 87, 101, 110, 121A, 141, 162, 163, 172, 191) (7)
- 7 concern proposals only submitted by the Commission in 1987.
- 2 concern cases in which Parliament has already given its Opinion on the original proposal, but not on the proposal as modified and recently re-introduced (cf. Annex II No. 156, Klinkenborg Report, adopted on 10.9.1985 and No. 157, Hoffmann Report, adopted on 15.12.1983)

If one defines the Parliament's backlog with reference to the White Paper's 1985-1986 programme, and thus excludes the new proposals and the proposals submitted in 1987, as well as the proposals on which Committee Reports will be adopted soon, and a fortiori the proposals on which the EP has already given its Opinion, only 5 proposals submitted by the Commission in 1986 remain,

(6) The numbers refer to those in Annex II (Synopsis of the White Paper programme 1985-1986).

(7) The Committees concerned are (i) Economic (4 proposals), (ii) Legal (4 proposals), and (iii) Environment (6 proposals).

- No. 50 (COM(86)765) on price transparency in the prices of medicines and social security refunds (Annex II, No. 94)
- No. 55 (COM(86)756, on construction products,
- No. 66 (COM(86)679, on the modification of Directives on public works (No. 121B)
- No. 80 (COM(86)764, on the annual accounts of insurance undertakings No. 149)
- No. 81 (COM(86)768 on the winding up of insurance undertakings (No. 148)

On all these five proposals Parliament was only consulted by the Council in January 1987 and they are pursuing their normal course through the Committees and the House.

5. Parliament's backlog is therefore minimal in comparison with that of the Commission and particularly of the Council.

4. Comparative analysis of the backlogs of the institutions in the implementation of the Commission's White Paper 1985-1986 programme

6. The annexed synopsis (Annex II) contains a detailed recapitulation as at 30 April 1987 of the backlogs per proposal and per institution concerned in the implementation of the White Paper 1985-1986 programme.

7. This 1985-1986 programme lists existing proposals to be adopted by the Council within this period and new proposals to be presented in 1985 and 1986. It is to be noted that of the total of 300 proposals mentioned in the White Paper 211 proposals were due to be submitted in the period 1985-1986. Consequently the synopsis only deals with these 211 proposals, the remaining 88 White Paper proposals being scheduled for 1987-1992.

8. The classification of the subjects is the same as in the White Paper. As regards the Council the backlogs are shown both with reference to the White Paper timetable and to the Rolling Programme drawn up by the 1987 Presidencies and the Commission.

It goes without saying that it is too early to give an overall estimation of the backlog with reference to 1987.

PART TWO: ACTION TAKEN ON PARLIAMENT'S OPINIONS AND CASE STUDIES THEREON

A. The Commission's positions

9. In order to comply with the request by the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs, Annex I summarises the Commission's positions on Parliament's opinions and amendments concerning White Paper proposals (July 1984 - April 1987). The summaries are grouped according to committee responsible and have been taken from the monthly reports drawn up by the Directorate for Action taken. This survey lists all the opinions which called on the Commission to adopt amendments. The total of 30 opinions of this kind delivered since July 1984 covers 41 White Paper proposals. The reference number of each proposal is that used in the Synopsis of the White Paper 1985-1986 programme (Annex II).

B. Acceptance by the Commission of Parliament's amendments

10. An analysis of the Commission's position on the 41 proposals listed in Annex I shows that it accepted Parliament's amendments:

- a) entirely: in 5 cases (Annex I nos. 1, 9, 25, 26 - except one minor amendment - and 36)
- b) partially: in 26 cases (Annex I nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 29, 30, 34, 35, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41)
- c) it could not accept Parliament's amendments in 7 cases (Annex I nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 28)
- d) Parliament did not call for amendments in 3 cases (Annex I nos. 31, 32 and 33).

C. Acceptance by the Council of Parliament's amendments

11. Of the 41 proposals listed in Annex I, the Council to date has adopted roughly one third of the proposals.

Analysis of the eleven cases in which Parliament adopted amendments to the Commission's proposals

1. Annex I, No. 1 (White Paper proposal No. 198) Van Rooy report, adopted on 13 December 1984

Directive 85/362/EEC 17th Directive on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to turnover taxes - Exemption from VAT on the temporary importation of goods other than means of transport.

The Council accepted one of the two amendments proposed by Parliament to article 6 of the Directive. The other amendment concerned an article in the Commission's proposal which has not been incorporated in the Directive as adopted by the Council.

2. Annex I, No. 10 (White Paper proposal No. 134) Turner report, adopted on 16 January 1986

Directive 86/457/EEC on specific training in general medical practice postponed the obligation for general medical practitioners to hold a diploma attesting specific training in general medical practice till 1 January 1997, whereas the Commission had proposed 1 January 1993. As from 1995 a minimum of six months' training in an approved general medical practice will be required. On this point the Council followed the Commission and not the EP, which had proposed a minimum of one year.

3. Annex I, No. 19 (White Paper proposal No. 160)

Anastassopoulos Report, adopted on 11 September 1986.

- a) Regulation No. 4058/86 of 22 December 1986 concerning coordinated action to safeguard free access to cargoes in ocean trades (OJ L 378, 31.12.1986, p. 21)

The Council accepted the first part of Parliament's amendment to Article 1 of the Regulation (concerning the principle of free access and the area of application of the Regulation), and part of the amendment to Article 3 of the Regulation (thereby extending the conditions under which the Member State may request coordinated action).

b) Regulation No. 4055/86 of 22 December 1986 applying the principle of freedom to provide services to maritime transport between Member States and third countries (OJ L 378, 31.12.1986, p. 1)

The Council accepted the new recital after the tenth recital concerning the application of the principle of freedom to provide services to maritime transport. It did not accept the amendment to Article 5 of the Commission's proposal (Article 7 of the Regulation) concerning the obligation to consult the Parliament.

c) Regulation No. 4056/86 of 22 December 1986 laying down detailed rules for the application of Articles 85 and 86 of the Treaty to maritime transport (OJ L 378, 31.12.1986, p. 4).

The Council accepted the reference to Article 84(2) of the EEC Treaty as a legal basis, as well as the addition to Article 4. It did not accept the obligation to consult the Parliament in the context of Articles 7 and 8 of the Commission's proposal.

d) Regulation No. 4057/86 of 22 December 1986 on unfair pricing practices in maritime transport (OJ L 378, 31.12.1986, p. 14)

The Council partially accepted the amendment concerning the definition of Community shipowners (Article 3(e) of the Regulation). It did not accept the other amendments.

4. Annex I, No. 21 (White Paper proposal No. 128) McMillan-Scott report, adopted on 15 November 1985

Council Decision adopting the programme of cooperation between universities and enterprises regarding training in the field of technology (COMETT)

The Council accepted the amendment which called for an annual report by the Commission to the European Parliament regarding the implementation of the COMETT programme, as well as one of the other two amendments which the Commission had accepted. However, this amendment is purely linguistic in character.

5. Annex I, No. 24 (White Paper proposal No. 96) Schmid report, adopted on 15 March 1985

Directive relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (Second PCB/PCT Directive) (8).

An immediate ban on the use of PCB's and PCT's as primary materials and intermediate products for processing into other products not prohibited by the Directive, for which the Parliament had pressed, was not accepted by the Council.

(8) PCB = Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) and terphenyls (PCTs).

Moreover the Directive as adopted by the Council leaves even more freedom to the Member States as to the assessment of the dangers of these materials and products than the Commission's proposal.

In comparison with the Commission's proposal Parliament scored a success as far as the date of compliance with the Directive is concerned (Commission's proposal: 31 December 1989, Parliament's amendment: 31 December 1985, Council's text: 30 June 1986.)

6. Annex I No. 28 (White Paper proposal No. 115) Tongue Report, adopted on 16 January 1986

Council recommendation of 22 December 1986 on fire safety in hotels (OJ L 384, 31.12.1986, p. 60)

The Council did not comply with Parliament's request for a legislative act in the form of a Regulation, but adopted a (non binding) recommendation on fire safety, as well as a recommendation on standardised information in existing hotels.

7. Annex I, No. 29 (White Paper proposal No. 14) Collins report, adopted on 11 October 1985

Directive prohibiting the use in livestock farming of certain substances having a hormonal action

In this case Parliament scored a real success, since the Council adopted the amendment to authorise the administering to farm animals of Oestradiol 17 B, Testosterone and Progesterone only for therapeutic purposes, whereas the Commission had proposed to authorize the use for fattening purposes.

However, the Council did not accept the amendments which would give responsibilities to the EP, which in the Directive as adopted by the Council are attributed to the Standing Veterinary Committee.

8/9) Annex I, Nos. 30 and 34 (White Paper proposal Nos. 89 and 93) Parodi Report, adopted on 16 January 1986

I) Council Directive of 22 December 1986 on the approximation of high technology medicinal products, particularly those derived from biotechnology (OJ L 15, 17.1.1987, p. 38)

The Council accepted Parliament's amendment to the preamble, in which the priority of the public health aspect is stated. The other amendments were not accepted.

Parliament did not adopt amendments to the proposal for Directives II, III and IV.

V) Council Directive of 22 December 1986 amending Directive 65/65/EEC on the approximation of provisions laid down by law, regulation or administrative action relating to proprietary medicinal products (OJ L 15, 17.1.1987, p. 38).

Like the Commission, the Council did not accept the amendment which provided for the imposition of a licence fee.

10. Annex I, No. 35 (White Paper proposal No. 24) Braun-Moser report, adopted on 21 February 1986

Directive 86/94/EEC amending for the second time - Directive 73/404/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to detergents

The Council did not go as far as the European Parliament regarding the ultimate date for exemptions in its amendment to article 1, paragraph 1, but further than the Commission had proposed. As far as the amendment to the second paragraph of this article was concerned the Council went even further than Parliament by permitting exemptions only until 31 December 1989, whereas Parliament had called for 31 December 1990 as the ultimate date.

11) Annex I No. 36 (White Paper proposal No. 21) Collins Report, adopted on 18 April 1986

Council Directive of 16 September 1986 concerning the examination of animals and fresh meat for the presence of residues (OJ L 275, 26.9.1986, p. 36).

The Council did not follow any of the amendments adopted by the Parliament, in spite of the fact that the Commission had considered them to be acceptable.

CONCLUSION

The main conclusions to be drawn from this follow-up study are:

1. The European Parliament has played a stimulating role in the decision making process leading to the presentation of the White Paper programme and now has a more important role to play after the entry into force of the Single Act.
2. As far as its advisory function in the legislative process is concerned the EP has delivered its opinions on the Commission's White Paper proposals within a very reasonable time.
3. On approximately 3/4 of the opinions in which Parliament called on the Commission to adopt amendments to its proposals the executive has entirely or partially complied with Parliament's wishes. This represents an increased proportion in comparison with the period till July 1986.
4. It is difficult to judge the degree of acceptance by the Council of Parliament's amendments, as the Council to date has adopted only 11 of the 38 proposals to which Parliament has proposed amendments. It is clear, however, that although the Council accepted considerably fewer of Parliament's amendments than did the Commission, in some cases Parliament scored a real success regarding major amendments (especially in the case of the Collins report on the prohibition of certain substances with a hormonal action).

It is hoped that the check-list contained in Annex I, especially when regularly updated, will facilitate the monitoring of progress towards the achievement of the internal market. It is intended to update this list at least once a year, on the basis of the Commission's annual progress reports on the implementation of the White Paper, especially in order to monitor progress achieved after the entry into force of the Single Act. The next edition of this study will also include an evaluation of progress with reference to the 1987-1992 part of the White Paper programme.

Summary of the Commission's positions on Parliament's opinions concerning
White Paper proposals and calling on the Commission to adopt amendments
(July 1984-April 1987)

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- 3) no. 205 (Besse/14.1.1986) (A2-179/85)
- 4/5) nos. 189 and 204 (Oppenheim/9.10.1987) (A2-90/86)
- 6/7) nos. 199 and 200 (Wedekind/6.4.1987) (A2-249/86)

B. Legal Affairs Committee

- 8) no. 57 (Rogalla/18.4.1985) (A2-18/85)
- 9) no. 136 (Fontaine/14.11.1985) (A2-139/85)
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- 13) no. 151 (De Gucht/10.4.1987) (A2-223/86)

C. Committee on Transport

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- 17) no. 158 (van der Waal/12.9.1986) (A2-75/86)
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- 19) no. 160 (Anastassopoulos/11.9.1986) (A2-95/86)

D. Committee on Social Affairs and Employment

- 20) no. 122 (Marinero/9.5.1985) (A2-4/85)

E. Committee on Youth, Culture, Education, Information and Sport

- 21) no. 128 (McMillan Scott/15.11.1985) (A2-141/85)
- 22) no. 127 (Fontaine/13.11.1986) (A2-109/86)

(1) In order to facilitate the identification of the opinions the front page of this Annex gives the corresponding numbers in the Synopsis of the White Paper 1985-1986 programme (Annex II), as well as the name of the rapporteur, the date of adoption of Parliament's opinion and the working document number. The opinions are grouped per committee responsible, in chronological order of adoption.

F. Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection

- 23) no. 76 (Squarcialupi/14.12.1985) (2-1134/84)
- 24) no. 96 (Schmid/7.5.1985) (2-1777/84)
- 25/26) nos. 88 and 119 (Nordmann/19.4.1985) (A2-6/85)
- 27) no. 73 (Schleicher/14.6.1985) (A2-53/85)
- 28) no. 115 (Tongue/16.1.1986) (A2-156/85)
- 29) no. 14 (Collins/11.10.1985) (A2-100/85)
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- 36) no. 21 (Collins/18.4.1986) (A2-5/86)
- 37) no. 79 (Van der Lek/16.4.1986) (A2-16/86)
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A. COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AND MONETARY AFFAIRS

1. nr. 198

Economic/van Rooy 2-1136/84 13.12.84 CC 14.9.84 (Arts. 99 and 100 of EEC Treaty) (2-589/84 - COM(84) 412 fin.)

Seventeenth directive on the harmonization of the laws of the Member States relating to turnover taxes - exemption from value added tax on the temporary importation of goods other than means of transport

The EP endorsed the objective of the proposal - simplification of the movement of goods and services within the Community - since this would help to consolidate the common market. It pointed out, however, that this proposal was only a small step in that direction and that, once the proposal for a fourteenth directive had been adopted, the seventeenth VAT directive would be very restricted in scope. Parliament also took the view that to debar legal persons with a 'fixed establishment' in a particular Member State from benefiting from the proposed arrangements for temporary importation into that state was an unnecessary restriction on the scope of the directive.

(PV 13.12.84, pp. 67 (directive) and 70 (resolution))

The Commission (Tugendhat) stated that it could accept Parliament's amendments.

(CRE p. 284)

2. nr. 197

- Economic /Rogalla (A2-182/85) 14.1.86 (PV p. II/16)
(2-452/84 - COM(84) 318 final)

Sixteenth directive on the harmonization of the Laws of the Member States relating to turnover taxes - common system of value added tax: common scheme for certain goods on which value added tax has been finally paid and which are imported by a final consumer in one Member State from another Member State

The Commission (Lord Cockfield) stated that it could accept the exemption from VAT of means of transport such as cars that were more than five years old, whereas the EP wished to amend this age limit to four years. For other goods, the Commission could accept an age limit of at least one year, while the EP was seeking to reduce this to six months.
(CRE pp. 76-77 and 103-104)

3. nr. 205

- Economic/Besse (A2-179/85) 14.1.86 (PV p. II/25)
(C2-29/85 - CCM(85) 150 final and COM(85) 151 final)
 - I. Directive laying down certain rules on indirect taxes which affect the consumption of alcoholic drinks
 - II. Directive concerning the harmonization of excise duties on fortified wine and similar products

On proposal I, the Commission (Lord Cockfield) was against amendments 1 and 2, which sought to make the application of a single excise duty to still wine compulsory in all Member States, since this would duplicate one of the provisions of the proposal for a common excise duty on wine which the Commission had submitted to the Council in 1972, but on which the Council had not yet taken a decision. The Commission was also opposed to amendments 11 and 33, which sought to extend the Court ruling in Case 170/78 on the taxation of wine to that of beer.
(CRE pp. 84-85)

4,5) nrs. 189 & 204

Economic/Oppenheim (A 2-90/86) 9.10.1986 (M. page II/38)
(C 2-137/86 - COM(86) 606 final)
A standstill on VAT and excise duties

The Commission (Ripa di Meana) announced that it could accept Amendment No. 1 to Article 1(2) of its proposal. This means that Member States may choose either two or three rates of VAT.

Unlike Parliament the Commission thought that the concept of a standard rate should be maintained. Parliament, however, decided, by adopting Amendment No. 3, to drop the reference to this concept. (VR. pages 223-225)

6,7) nrs. 199 & 200

- Economic/Wedekind (A 2-249/86) 6.4.1987 (M p. II/19) (2-1352/84 - COM(84) 649 final; 2-1351/84 - COM(84) 648 final)
 - I. An Eighteenth Directive on the harmonization of the laws of the Member States relating to turnover taxes - abolition of certain derogations provided for in Article 28(3) of Directive 77/388/EEC - common system of value added tax
 - II. A Nineteenth Directive on the harmonization of the laws of the Member States relating to turnover taxes, amending Directive 77/388/EEC - common system of value added tax

Of the 17 amendments tabled by the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs, the Commission (Lord Cockfield) said that it was able to accept nine without reservation. Concerning the four amendments relating to the taxation of gold transactions and the exemption of services supplied by artists, a compromise was reached by the Commission and the committee, namely maintenance of the status quo pending further proposals from the Commission. In view of this compromise, the Commission accepted Amendments Nos. 3 and 15 deleting the provisions on value added tax on gold transactions and exemptions for services provided by artists.

The Commission was unable to accept Amendment No. 5 (exemptions for amateur sporting events, since in practice it would be difficult to distinguish between professional and amateur sports), Amendment No. 14 (concerning the definition of a 'fixed establishment', since the definition proposed by Parliament would, in the Commission's opinion, be too inflexible) and Amendment No. 17 (which sought to exempt the supply of daily and weekly newspapers from VAT).
(VR p.22/23)

B. LEGAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

8) nr. 57

Legal/Rogalla A2-18/85 18.4.1985 CC 6.2.1985 Art. 100 of EEC Treaty
(2-1652/85 - COM(84) 749 final)

Directive on the easing of controls and formalities applicable to nationals of the Member States when crossing intra-Community borders

The EP approved the Commission's proposal with some amendments. Parliament regarded the proposal for a directive as the first stage in the total abolition of controls and hoped that, immediately following the adoption of the proposal for a directive, the Council would advise the Member States to refrain from producing or continuing systematic checks on nationals of third countries at the Community's internal frontiers. The EP also wanted the Commission to report to it annually on the application of the directive and to be supported by a supervisory body which would help the Commission to monitor the directive's enforcement.

(PV 18.4.1985, p. II/18 (directive) and II/25 (resolution))

The Commission (Lord Cockfield) was prepared to accept most of Parliament's amendments but considered that two-yearly reports would be adequate and regarded the establishment of a consultative body as unnecessary.

(CRE pp. 254-256)

9) nr. 136

- Legal Affairs/Fontaine (A2-139/85), 14 November 1985 (M p. II/15)
(C2-71/85 - COM(85) 355 final)
Directive on a general system for the recognition of higher education diplomas

The Commission (Ripa di Meana) stated that it could accept the amendments tabled by the Committee on Legal Affairs and Citizens' Rights, which were all adopted and that it would submit an amended proposal. The Commission agreed with Parliament that early adoption of the directive was desirable. In its White Paper on the completion of the internal market the beginning of 1987 was given as the target date.

(VR p. 135)

10) nr. 134

- Legal/Turner (A2-150/85) 16.1.86 (PV p. II/31)
(2-1376/84 - COM(84) 654 final)
Directive on specific training in general medical practice

The Commission (Lord Cockfield) could accept amendment 1 to its proposal, defining more specifically the conditions of the additional training, but felt that amendment 2 was too restrictive. According to the Commission, amendment 3 (on checks on qualifications) was not really necessary, as Member States would always be entitled to ask for confirmation of the authenticity of diplomas or other evidence of qualifications.

(CRE pp. 194-195)

11) nr. 139

- Legal/Price (A 2-217/86) 19.2.1987 (PV p. II/3) (COM(84) 730 final - 2-1743/84)

Directive on the freedom of establishment and the free supply of services in the field of mortgage credit

The Commission (Lord Cockfield) stated that it could accept 24 of the 28 amendments tabled by the Legal Affairs Committee to its proposal¹.

The Commission was not prepared to accept the following amendments:

- No. 15 (to insert a new subparagraph (d) in Article 9(2)).

The Commission felt that this amendment was inconsistent with the general thrust of its proposal, which was based essentially on home country control.

- No. 21 (relating to Article 10(1) of the proposal).

The Commission expressed a preference for quarterly reports by credit institutions providing services in another Member State. (The EP had proposed six-monthly reports).

- No. 22 (relating to Article 10(2) of the proposal).

The Commission was opposed to the deletion of the reference to the general good in that this would result in failure to provide consumer protection.

- No. 27 (to insert a new paragraph 1(a) in Article 11).

The Commission felt that granting the host Member State the right to limit the import of mortgage credit to 25% of the volume of transactions of domestic credit institutions for a maximum period of seven years was in conflict with the general provisions of the Treaty.

(CRE pp. 16-17)

12) nr. 141

- Legal/Vayssade (A2-239/86) 13.3.1987 (PV page II/25) (C2-176/86 - COM(85) 788 final)

Directive on the coordination of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to the reorganization and the winding-up of credit institutions

The Commission (Christophersen) said it could accept 15 of the 20 amendments adopted to its proposal. It could not however accept amendments nos. 23 (insertion of a new recital after the 17th recital), 9 (to Article 5), 10 (new Article 6a), 11 (to Article 7(1) first part) and 27 (to Article 7(1) second part).

CRE pp. 235/236)

13) nr. 151

- Legal/De Gucht (A 2-223/86) 10.4.1987 (M p. II/2) (C 2-51/86 - COM(86) 315 final)

Proposal for a Council directive amending Directive 85/611/EEC on the coordination of laws, regulations and administrative provisions relating to undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS) as far as concerns the investment policy of certain UCITS

Pursuant to Rule 36(2), the vote on the motion for a resolution was postponed until 13 March 1987 after the Commission had announced that it was unable to accept Amendment No. 2 to its proposal tabled by the Committee on Legal Affairs.

(VR of 12 - 13 March 1987, p. 221 - 222 and 246)

C. COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT

14,15,16) nrs. 154,155 & 156

Transport/Klinkenborg A2-86/85 10.9.85 CC 9.4.84 (Art. 84(2) of EEC Treaty) (COM(84) 72 final - 1-164/84)

Memorandum No. 2 from the Commission on civil aviation and in particular the proposals from the Commission for

- a decision on bilateral agreements, arrangements and memoranda of understanding between Member States relating to air transport
- a regulation on the application of Article 85(3) of the Treaty to certain categories of agreements and concerted practices in the air transport sector

The EP welcomed the second Memorandum from the Commission, but believed that it did not pay due attention to harmonizing the basic conditions for competition. Parliament also called on the Commission to prepare Community measures in the following areas, amongst others: mutual recognition of qualifications in air transport; elimination of distortions of competition in user charges for airports and air traffic control; approximation of taxation on airlines in the various Member States

The Commission (Clinton Davis) was unable to accept the amendments to its proposal; however, it could accept the above calls made in Parliament's resolution.

(CRE pp. 73-76)

17) nr. 158

- Transport/Van der Waal (A 2-75/86) 12 September 1986 (M p. II/7)
(C 2-144/85 - COM(85) 610 final)

Regulation laying down the conditions under which non-resident carriers may transport goods or passengers by inland waterway within a Member State
The Commission (Clinton Davis) was unable to accept the six amendments by the Committee on Transport to its proposal since they added nothing new and some were even irrelevant. The Commission would carefully consider the social implications of the regulation.

(VR p. 241)

18) nr. 159

- Transport/Braun-Moser (A 2-72/86) 12 September 1986 (M p. II/16)
C 2-145/85 - COM(85) 611 final)

Proposal for a regulation laying down the conditions under which non-resident carriers may operate national road haulage services within a Member State

The Commission (Clinton Davis) could not accept Parliament's amendments to its proposal. Amendment No. 1 (new recital 2a) and Amendment No. 4 (Article 1 (1b) new) were unacceptable because measures to ensure the freedom to provide services were made dependent on the acceptance of measures to eliminate distortions of competition. Although both were important and the Commission wished to register real progress in both areas, it rejected an explicit link between the two.

While the other amendments contained good ideas, Mr Clinton Davis considered them to be out of place in this particular proposal.

(VR p. 241/242)

19) nr. 160

- * Transport/Anastassopoulos (A 2-95/86) 11 September 1986 (M p. II/88)
(C 2-10/85 - COM(85) 90 final)

Memorandum No. 3 from the Commission of the European Communities to the Council on 'progress towards a common transport policy - maritime transport' and proposals to the Council for:

1. a Regulation concerning co-ordinated action to safeguard free access to cargoes in ocean trades;
2. a Regulation applying the principle of freedom to provide services to sea transport;
3. a Decision amending Decision 77/587/EEC of 13 September 1977 setting up a consultation procedure on relations between Member States and third countries in shipping matters and on action relating to such matters in international organizations;
4. a Directive concerning a common interpretation of the concept of 'national shipping line';
5. amendments to the proposal for a Regulation laying down detailed rules for the application of Articles 85 and 86 of the Treaty to maritime transport;
6. a Regulation on unfair pricing practices in maritime transport.

The Commission (Clinton Davis) announced that it could endorse some of Parliament's amendments¹. These concerned a package of measures designed to protect Community fleets against increasingly restrictive and unfair practices inside and outside the Community. Therefore emphasis should be given to freedom to provide services.

The Commission shared Parliament's concern that the terms of employment and safety conditions failed to meet the standards set by international conventions. In addition Mr Clinton Davis responded favourably to Parliament's request to investigate the implications for the employment of non-Community nationals on Community vessels.

If the existing memorandum of understanding on controls to prevent the use of substandard vessels was not seen to be working satisfactorily the Commission would again take up its proposal for a Council directive.

The Commission intended to do everything possible, together with other international organizations, to combat maritime fraud.

(VR pp. 225-229)

20) nr. 122

Social/Marinaro A2-4/85 7 and 9.5.1985 Art. 100 of EEC Treaty (C2-6/85 - COM(85) 48 final + Rule 47 (2-1077/84, 2-655/84, 2-1363/84, 2-1495/84, 2-1559/84, 2-5161/84 and 2-1715/84) and petition No 159/84)

Communication on guidelines for a Community policy on migration and draft Council resolution

Referring to its resolution of 18 November 1983¹ on the problems of migrant workers, the EP endorsed the approach and measures proposed by the Commission for tackling the migration problem. Parliament called for more effective action against the resurgence of racism and xenophobia and for the granting of political and civil rights, particularly the right to vote and stand for election at local level, to migrant workers from the EEC Member States. Non-Community migrants should be given the opportunity to take part in local and regional political life, as is already permitted in some Member States (Denmark and the Netherlands for example).

Parliament also urged stricter controls to ensure that the member States did not adopt immigration policy provisions that conflict with the principles of the Treaty of Rome; it also called for checks to see that all Member States apply in full the Community directive on the teaching of the language and culture of the country of origin and extension of that right to the children of migrant workers from third countries.

Parliament urged in general that rights enjoyed by migrants from EEC Member States should be gradually extended to non-Community immigrants.
(PV 7.5.1985, p. II/1 (draft Council resolution) and 9.5.1985, p. II/13 (EP resolution))

During the debate on this report on 16 April 1985 the Commission (Sutherland) spoke in favour of a realistic approach and laid considerable emphasis on effective consultation and information procedures. The Commission recognized the danger of increasing racism and xenophobia and in its communication was trying to take positive steps to deal with it.
(CRE 16.4.1985, pp. 105-106)

¹ OJ No. C 342 of 19.12.1983, p. 139.

E. COMMITTEE ON YOUTH, CULTURE, EDUCATION, INFORMATION AND SPORT

21) nr. 128

- Youth/Macmillan-Scott (A2-141/85), 15 November 1985 (M p. II/27)
(C2-81/85 - COM(85) 431 final)
Decision adopting an action programme of the Community in education
and training for technology - COMETT (1986-1991)

The Commission (Christophersen) stated that it could accept amend-
ments Nos. 3 (on the submission of an annual report to Parliament),
51 and 55. It could not accept the remaining amendments to its
proposal. The Commission agreed with Parliament that the action
programme ought to be adopted by the Council before the end of this
year.
(VR p. 293-294)

22) nr. 127

Youth, Culture/Fontaine (A 2-109/86) 13.11.1986 (M. page II/31)
(C 2-12/86 - COM(86) 52 final)
Decision adopting an action programme for the promotion of youth
exchanges in the Community - YES for Europe - 1987-1989

The Commission (Cheysson) stated its willingness to accept Amendment No. 4
to its proposal and lower the minimum age for participation in the
exchange programme from 16 to 15 and raise the maximum age from 25 to 26.

However, the Commission did not consider it advisable to raise the estimate
for 1987-1989 from 30 to 50 million (as proposed in Amendment No. 7),
nor did it see the need for Amendment No. 9.

Amendments No. 2 (eighth recital), 3 (eleventh recital), 5 (Article 3(c)),
6 (Article 3, new subparagraph (c)a), 8 (new Article 4a), 10 (Article 7)
and 12 (Annex, Point 2.A.) were accepted by the Commission.
(VR, pages 191-193)

23) nr. 76

Environment/Squarcialupi 2-1134/84 14.12.84 CC 22.11.83
(Art. 100 of EEC Treaty) (1-1111/83 - COM(83) 626 fin.)

Directive on the approximation of the laws of the Member States on extraction solvents used in the production of foodstuffs and food ingredients

The EP welcomed the proposal for a directive, which regulated extraction solvents at Community level, but believed that the many exemptions it contained would make effective checks difficult. Parliament hoped that the Commission would, as soon as possible, submit proposals on purity criteria for solvents which were important with regard to health and possible reactions with foodstuffs and the environment. The EP specified that the directive should not apply to food additives, and also sought to amend the procedure for adopting technical changes, wishing such matters to be referred to Parliament instead of to a regulatory committee (in this case the Standing Committee for Foodstuffs).

(PV 14.12.84, pp. 57 (directive) and 64 (resolution))

The Commission (Contogeorgis) stated that it was unable to comply with this last request, since to do so would result in a loss of flexibility. It did not consider it appropriate to exclude additives from the scope of the directive, and felt it superfluous to require the particulars to appear in the language of the country in which the product was marketed. The other amendments tabled by the Committee on the Environment could be accepted. (CRE p. 336)

24) nr. 96

Environment/Schmid 2-1777/84 7.5.1985 Art. 100 and 235 of EEC Treaty (2-803/84 - COM(84) 513 final)

A directive relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (Second PCB/PCT Directive)

The Commission's proposal for a directive had been approved as amended by the EP on 15 March 1985. The Commission (Clinton Davis) had then said that it could not accept amendments Nos 1, 5, 6, 9, 10 and 11 to its proposal, whereupon the vote on the motion for a resolution was postponed pursuant to Rule 36 (2) of the Rules of Procedure.

In these amendments the EP called for an immediate ban on the use of PCBs and PCTs as primary materials and intermediate products for processing into other products not prohibited by the Directive,

and restriction on Member States' discretionary powers to carry out a number of the Directive's provisions. (See CRE 14.3.1985, pp. 246-248 and PV 15.3.1985, p. II/23 (directive))

In the resolution adopted on 7 May 1985 the EP maintained its amendments and stated that disposal capacity for PCB and PCT in the Community was inadequate: consequently it called for changes to Directive No. 76/403/EEC. (PV 7.5.1985, p. II/2)

25,26) nrs. 88 and 119

Environment/Nordmann A2-6/85 19.4.1985 CC 23.1.1984 and 13.2.1984 Art. 100 and 235 of EEC Treaty (1-1331/83 - COM(83) 754 final and 1-1452/83 - COM(84) 23 final)

I. Directive on consumer protection in respect of the indication of prices for non-food products

II. Directive amending Directive 79/581/EEC on consumer protection in the indication of the prices of foodstuffs

The EP welcomed the fact that the Commission had extended the principle of displaying selling prices and unit prices to non-food products. However, Parliament wanted an exemption for multiple tax of products which are themselves exempted, while taking the view that the automatic exemption of small retail businesses from the indication of unit prices would jeopardize the effectiveness of the directives.

(PV 19.4.1985, p. II/ 6 and 8 (directives) and II/11 (resolution))

The Commission accepted the amendments adopted by the EP with the exception of the amendment extending the exemption to multi-packs of units which were themselves exempted.

(CRE pp. 280-281)

27) nr. 73

Environment/Schleicher A2-53/85 14.6.85 CC 15.10.84 (Art. 235 of EEC Treaty) (2-777/84 - COM(84) 489 final)

Directive on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to quick-frozen foodstuffs for human consumption

The EP welcomed the Commission's proposal, but regretted that it did not include a standard sampling procedure and method of analysis and wished to see stricter provisions regarding the implementation of controls. (PV 14.6.85, pp. II/35 (directive) and II/41 (resolution))

The Commission (Cheysson) stated that it could accept amendments 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 10 and 11, but not Nos. 5, 12, 13 and 14. (CRE pp. 306/307)

28) nr. 115

Environment/Tongue (A2-156/85) 16.1.86 (PV p. II/44) (1-1360/83 - COM(83) 752 final)
Recommendation on fire safety in existing hotels

Although Parliament had pressed for this subject to be dealt with by means of a regulation, the Commission (Lord Cockfield) stated that in the short term only a recommendation could be attained. Nevertheless, the Commission would be submitting a draft directive in 1987 that would deal with safety in all public buildings, including hotels. (CRE pp. 202-203)

29) nr. 14

Environment/Collins A 2-100/85 11.10.85 (PV p. II/16) (1 - 359/84 - COM(84) 295 final)

Directive amending Directive 81/602/EEC concerning the prohibition of certain substances having a hormonal action and of any substances having a thyrostatic action.

The Commission (Cheysson) stated that it could accept amendments 1, 3, 5, 7 to 12 and 14, all tabled by the Committee on the Environment. It could not accept amendments 4 and 16, which would mean Parliament acquiring responsibilities which normally belonged to a management committee.

The Commission reserved judgment on the EP's view that oestradiol 17 B, testosterone and progesterone should be used only for therapeutic purposes. This finding conflicted with the opinions of the scientific committees that the Commission had consulted, according to which the use of these hormones had no harmful effects on the consumer's health. The Commission would, however, be considering this matter again shortly.

(CRE of 10.10.85, pp. 272-273)

30, 31, 32, 33 and 34) nrs. 89, 90, 91, 92 and 93

- Environment/Parodi (A2-153/85) 16.1.86 (PV p. II/36) (2-802/84 - COM(84) 437 final)

- I. Directive on the approximation of national measures relating to the placing on the market of high technology medicinal products, particularly those derived from biotechnology
- II. Directive amending Directive 75/318/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to analytical, pharmacotoxicological and clinical standards and protocols in respect of the testing of proprietary medicinal products
- III. Directive amending Directive 81/852/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to analytical, pharmacotoxicological and clinical standards and protocols in respect of the testing of veterinary medicinal products
- IV. Recommendation concerning tests relating to the placing on the market of proprietary medicinal products
- V. Directive amending Directive 65/65/EEC on the approximation of provisions laid down by law, regulation or administrative action relating to proprietary medicinal products

On proposal I, the Commission (Lord Cockfield) was against the deletion of a reference to the need for a favourable regulatory environment for the manufacture of high-technology medicinal products (amendment 5).

On proposal V, the Commission could not accept amendment 16, which provided for the imposition of a licence fee, since it could lead to Member States imposing widely differing levels of licence fees which could distort the market.

(CRE pp. 199-201)

35) nr. 100

- Economic/Braun-Moser (A2-135/85) 21.2.86 (PV p. II/41) (C2-50/85 - COM(85) 217 final)

Directive amending Directive 73/404/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to detergents

The Commission (Clinton Davis) counselled against the amendment limiting the exemption for dish-washing products to one further year only, since such a deadline would not allow sufficient time for existing stocks to be disposed of without causing problems, and would confer a de facto monopoly on one particular company.
(CRE p. 323)

36) nr. 21

Environment/Collins (A 2-5/86) 18.4.1986 (PV p. II/58) (C 2-38/85 - COM(85) 192 final)

Directive concerning the examination of animals and freshmeat for the presence of residues

The Commission (Varfis) accepted Amendments Nos. 1 to 4 to the proposal, all of them tabled by the Environment Committee.
(CRE p. 275)

37) nr. 79

*Environment/Van der Lek (A 2-16/86) 16.4.1986 (PV p. II/7; 2-1530/84 - COM(84) 703 final)

Directive on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to infant formulae and follow-up milks

The Commission (Lord Cockfield) announced on 11 March 1986 that it was happy to accept the following amendments to its proposal, all of them tabled by the Environment Committee: Nos. 2, 4, 8, 10, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33.

It could not accept Amendments Nos. 1, 5, 6, 14 and the first part of No. 27, at least in their present wording, which sought to replace the term 'infant formula' by the term 'breast-milk substitute'. The Commission's proposed definition was tighter and more precise, and provided more protection than the WHO code's use of the term 'breast-milk substitute', said Lord Cockfield.

On Amendment No. 3, the Commission felt that its own text offered wider scope for the adoption of specific rules. The date specified in the amendment (1 July 1987) was unacceptable.

Amendment No. 7, seeking to define follow-up milks as products intended particularly for infants over six months old, did not, said the Commission, accord with the scientific opinion it had obtained, which was that follow-up milks were suitable for use by infants over the age of four months.

The Commission thought Amendment No. 9 would weaken the directive. The storage requirements covered by Amendment No. 19 were for the most part already mandatory under Directive 79/112/EEC on the labelling and presentation of foodstuffs, which also applied to this directive.

The Commission was also opposed to Amendments Nos. 22 and 28. It was willing to accept No. 31, on donations to institutions, although the guidelines to which the amendment referred had not yet been agreed by the WHO.

Finally, the Commission was prepared to modify its proposal in line with Amendment No. 32. A complete ban on advertising, however, was not possible for legal reasons.
(CRE of 11 March 1986, pp. 44 - 47)

When the Commission proposal was put to the vote the rapporteur announced that since the debate in March, a number of aspects had been clarified and the Commission now concurred with Parliament's wishes to a considerable extent, if not on every point.
(CRE of 16 April 1986, p. 161)

38, 39) nrs. 70 & 67

- Environment/Schleicher (A2-235/86) 10.3.1987 (PV page II/40) (C2-24/86 - COM(86) 89 final; C2-23/86 - COM(86) 87 final)
 - I. Directive amending Directive 79/112/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to the labelling, presentation and advertising of foodstuffs for sale to the ultimate consumer
 - II. Directive on the approximation of the laws of the Member States concerning food additives authorized for use in foodstuffs intended for human consumption

Proposal for a directive I: The Commission (Lord Cockfield) said it could not accept most of the amendments, because they did not relate to the Commission's present proposal but were intended to bring about modifications in the existing directive. (The amendments in question were nos. 2 to 10, 11 - second indent, 14, 16 and 17).

The Commission could agree to amendments no. 11 - first indent (to Article 1(14)) and 13 (to Article 1(16)). It could also accept in principle amendments no. 1 (to the seventh recital) and 12 (to Article 1 (paragraph 14)).

In amendment No. 1 Parliament came out in favour of a general ban on the marketing of treated foodstuffs or foodstuffs containing an ingredient that has previously been treated.

Proposal for a directive II: As regards the principal amendments the Commission rejected no. 19 (to Article 1(2)) because the amendments considered nutrients such as vitamins and proteins as additives. The Commission also thought amendment no. 20 was technically inappropriate because it set out to include within the scope of the directive processing aids, plant protection products and flavouring. The Commission did think however that specifically prepared Community rules on these categories would be desirable.

The Commission did not rule out the concept of one implementing directive, but thought it should be introduced step by step. If Parliament were able to agree to this approach, the Commission would also be able to accept amendments nos. 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 - first part, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32 and 33.

The Commission could accept Parliament's extension of the list of categories in Annex I. It could not accept the proposed changes to Annex II (amendment no. 35).
(CRE pp. 18-19)

- Environment/Jepsen (A2-240/85) 10.3.1987 (PV page II/21) (C2-25/86 - COM(86) 90 final; C2-26/86 - COM(86) 91 final)

I. Directive on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to materials and articles intended to come into contact with foodstuffs

II. Directive on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to foodstuffs intended for particular nutritional uses

Proposal for a directive I: The Commission (Lord Cockfield) said it could only accept amendment no. 12 to the annex of the proposal. The amendments on the concept of high standards of protection were unnecessary, because the Commission already followed that principle. The Commission also thought it inappropriate to include in the directive undertakings to inform Parliament about specific draft directives.

Proposal for a directive II: The Commission agreed to the deletion of a reference to Article 100 of the EEC Treaty, which according to Parliament would be superseded after the Single Act came into force.

The Commission could in principle accept amendments to Article 2(1), Article 4(2)(h) and the insertion of a new article after Article 8, subject to redrafting.

The Commission again rejected amendments which made provision for the information and consultation of the European Parliament.
(CRE pp. 17-18)

S Y M P O S I S

of White paper (1) 1985-1986 programme of Commission proposals for completing
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	WHITE PAPER SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. SINCE PUBL. PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXISTING PROPOSALS SINCE JUNE 1985	WITHDRAWN WHITE PAPER (2)	IV COMM. PROB. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	V DATE FOR SITUATION DATE ECON.	VI DATE PARL. OPINION DATE APPROV. BY COM. MITTEE	VII DATE BEFORE PARL. DATE ADOPTION BY COM. (5)	VIII DATE OF ADOPTION (U)	IX ADOPTED (2)	X LISTED IN ROL- LING PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	XI COUNCIL BACKLOG	
PART ONE: THE REMOVAL OF PHYSICAL BARRIERS											
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A. Various controls											
1. Simplification of Community transit procedure: discontinuance of notification of transit advice note and guarantee COM(79) 456				27.09.79 Econ.	15.02.80 von Weizsäcker (C)		1986 (U)		+	+	
2. Duty free admission of fuel contained in the fuel tanks of commercial motor vehicles: Lorrys & coaches COM(84) 171, updated by COM(85) 382 (Lorrys)				30.03.84 Transp.	21.05.84 van der Wiele (A)		1987 (U)	Partially adopted (coaches) 8/7/85/Dir 85/347/EEC	+	+	
3. Road transport: Abolition of control of quotas at border crossings COM(85) 436				19.09.85 Econ.	13.12.85 Patterson (B)		1986		+		
4. Transport of travellers: Abolition of border controls related to transport authorisations											
5. Accession of Spain and Portugal: technical adaptation											
6. Single Administrative Document (SAD) follow up COM(82) 401				27.07.87 Econ.	13.01.87 von Weizsäcker (C)		1985	Regul. 85/1900 & 85/1901/ {EEC + Dec. Int. Markt. Council of 24.7.1986		Entry into force: 1.1.1988	

(1) Period 85-86 lists existing proposals to be adopted by the Council within this period and new proposals to be presented in 1985 and 1986.
(2) Source: Second progress report from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament on the implementation of the Commission's White Paper (COM(87) 203 final - 11.5.1987), which lists proposals submitted up to 30 April 1987.

(3) Asterisk indicates delay vis à vis White Paper timetable.
(4) A = unqualified approval; B = qualified approval, without formally calling for amendments; C = calling on the Commission to adopt amendments to its proposal; D = rejection of Commission's proposal.

(5) Voting procedures under the terms of the Single Act are indicated in the Council column thus: U = Unanimity; QM = Qualified Majority; SM = Simple Majority.
(6) This "Rolling-Programme" (drawn up by the 1987 Presidencies and the Commission) covers the subjects which are "judged capable of being discussed in 1987 with a view to their agreement in Council". + = included in the Programme on the basis that the necessary proposals will be submitted by the Commission early in 1987.

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7. Introduction of common border posts "banalisation" COM(86) 524	1986	+ (1986)		Econ. Rogalla (C)	11.05.87		1987 (QM)	Partially adopted 1.12.1986 (TIR as- pect) Reg. 3960/ 86	+		+
8. Abolition of customs presentation charges COM(85) 356	1985	+		Econ. Rule 99 (A)	13.12.85		1986	9.6.1986 Reg. 1797/ 86			Entry into force: 1.1.1988 derogations for Spain and Portugal
8. Veterinary and Phyllosanitary Controls											
9. Live animals of the bovine species: amended eradication directive to provide for final eradication of tuberculosis, brucellosis and leu- kosis in all Member States inclu- ding Portugal and Spain	1985		+				1986	22.12.1986 Dec. 87/58	+		
10. Live animals of the porcine spe- cies: modify, intensify and prolong Directives on eradication of classi- cal swine fever in the Community as a whole and of African swine fever in Sardinia, Spain and Portugal	1986	+ (1986) COM(86) 555					1987 (QM)	Partially adopted 16.12.1986 Dec. 86/ 649 (Por- tugal) Dec. 86/ 650 (Spain)	+		+
11. Creation of a special veterinary fund to finance the above mentioned eradication programmes and provide financial assistance in relation to control and eradication of other diseases which may arise	1986			* (1987)			1988				+
12. production and trade in milk COM(71) 64 + COM(71) 1012 + COM(72) 884	1971 *						1985	Dir. 85/ 397/EEC			Implementation date: 1.1.1989
13. production and trade in medicated feeding stuffs COM(81) 795	1981 *			01-02-82 Envir.	14.04.83 Squarcia- Iupi (C)		1985 (QM)			+	

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	WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE, PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXIS- TING PROPO- SALS IN JUNE 1985	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. BACKLOG/ PROP. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE CON- SULTATION C. TEE RESP.	DATE ADoption PARL. OPINION - RAPPOR- - CATEG. OPIN.(4)	STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by com- mittee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADoption BY COIN- CIL (5)	ADOPTED (2)	LISTED IN ROL- LING PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG
14. hormone growth promoters COM(84) 295	1984 *			11.07.84 Envir.	11.10.85 Collins (C)		1985	10.7.85 & 21.12.1985 Dir. 85/ 358 & 85/ 1649/EEC			
15. microbiological controls (meats poultry, red meat) COM(81) 500 + COM(84) 439	1981 *			25.09.84 Envir.	18.01.85 Weber (A)		1985	12.6.1985 Dir. 85/ 232 & 85/324			
16. boar meat COM(83) 655	1983 *						1985			+	
17. medical examination of personnel COM(84) 337	1984 *			11.07.84 Envir.	18.01.85 Weber (A)		1985	Dir. 85/325, 326 + 327 EEC		+	
18. personnel responsible for inspec- tion COM(81) 504	1981 *			7.10.81 Envir.	16.09.82 Kroumel- Vlasm (C)		1985			+	
19. minced meat and similar COM(78) 418	1978 *						1985				
20. antibiotic residues COM(81) 501	1981 *			EP not con- sulted			1985	16.9.1986 Dir. 86/ 469			
21. control of residues COM(85) 192	1985 *			30.05.85 Envir.	18.04.86 Collins (C)		1985	16.9.1986 Dir. 86/ 469			
22. pedigree of bovine animals COM(79) 649	1979 *						1986			+	
23. pedigree of porcine animals COM(79) 785, modified by COM(86) 659	1979 *	+	1986				1987			+	
24. imports of meat products from third countries (animal and public health) COM(84) 530, COM(86) 658	1984 *	+	1986	24.10.85 Envir.	14.06.85 Lentz-Cor- nette (B)		1987				+
25. swine fever COM(84) 900	1984 *						1985	Dir. 85/ 321 + 322/ EEC			
26. control of foot and mouth disease COM(82) + COM(83) 584	1982/1983 *			EP not con- sulted			1985	Dir. 85/ 511/EEC			
27. Aujeszky disease and swine vesicular disease COM(82) 529	1982 *			28.09.82 Agric.	17.12.82 Tolman (C)		1985			+	

COMMENTS

Implementation date:
1.1.1987 for Dir.
85/358;
1.1.1988 for . . .
85/649

Implementation dates:
obligation to conform
to terms of directive
contains period not
yet fixed

Implementation dates:
1.4.1986, 31.12.1987
and 31.12.1988

Implementation dates:
see n° 20

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	WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE, PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXIS- TING PROPO- SALS IN JUNE 1985	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. BACKLOG/ PROB. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE COM- SULTATION - C-TEE RESP.	DATE ADOPTION PARL. OPINION - RAPPOR- TEUR - CATEG. OPIN.(4) mittee)	STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by com- mittee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COUN- CIL (5)	ADOPTED (2)	LISTED IN ROL- LING PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG
28. semen of animals COM(83) 512 modified by COM(86) 657	1983 *	+ 1986			10.10.83 Environ.	18.11.83 Rule 99 (A)		1987 (QM)		+	+
29. Modification of Directive 72/461/EEC on health problems af- fecting intra-Community trade in fresh meat and Directive 72/462 on on health and veterinary inspec- tion problems upon importation of bovine animals and swine and fresh meat from 3rd countries	1984 *				12.10.84 Agric.	14.12.84 Tolman (A)		1985	30.12.1986 Dir. 87/64	+	
30. modification of Directive 77/99/EEC on meat products COM(85) 678	1985	*			9.01.86 Environ.	23.6.86 Lentz-Cor- nette (B)		1986 (QM)		+	+
31. first revision of the safeguard clause concerning the veterinary sector: the exporting Member State takes the appropriate measures subject to Community decision	1986			* (1987)				1988		+	+
32. formulation of directives concer- ning animal health problems rela- ting to trade in: . live poultry, poultry meat and hatching eggs . dogs and cats	1986			* (1987)				1988			+
33. live animals of the bovine and porcine species: amend Directive 64/432 to provide for inspection and certification in herd of ori- gin and, when necessary, reinspec- tion at place of destination	1986			* (1987)				1988			+
34. products of animals of the bovine and porcine species and poultry; amend Directives 72/461/EEC, 80/215/EEC and 71/118/EEC to pro- vide for inspection and certifica- tion at the place of production and reinspection, in the case of suspicion of fraud at the place of destination	1986			* (1987)				1988			+
35. reinforcement of Community checks of application by on-the-spot Com- mission inspectors; budget propo- sal	1986			* (1987)				1988			

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	WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXIS- TING PROPO- SALS IN HIRE 1985	SUBMITTED SCIENCE PAPER WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBLI- CATION (7)	COMH. BACKLOG/ PROG. DATE OF COMH. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE CON- SULTATION C-FEE RESP.	DATE ADOPTION PARL. OPINION - RAPPOR- TEUR - CATEG. OPIN.(4)	STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by com- mittee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COMH- CIL (5)	ADOPTED (2)	LISTED IN ROL- LING PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG	
36. reinforcement of arbitration of disputes	1986			* (1987)				1988				
37. application of a Community veterinary action programme to control irregularities and fraud in the movement of animals and animal products	1986			* (1987)				1988				
38. modification of the rules of frontier controls relating to welfare of animals in international transport in order to realise the free circulation	1986			* (1988)					1989			
39. Proposal to amend Directive 77/93 (plant health) COM(84) 288	1984				20.06.84 Agric.	11.10.84 Rule 99 (A)		1985 (QM)	Partially adopted 28.7.1985 Dir. 85/ 173/EEC		+ Implementation date: 1-3.1985 and 1-5	
40. Definition of role of Community plant health inspectorate (amending Directive 77/83)	1985			* (1987)				1988				
41. Amendments to Art. 15 of Directive 77/93 (improvements to the operation of safeguard provisions)	1985			* (1987)				1988				
42. Further alignment of additional plant health standards set up by Member States in respect of third country products (amending Directive 77/93)	1985			+ (1987)				1986	29.10.1986 Dir. 86/ 1547		Directive to apply until 31.12.1989	
43. Budget proposal enabling establishment of Community plant health inspectorate	1986			* (1987)				1988 (Budget)				
44. Proposal for a Directive concerning the fixing of guidelines for the evaluation of additives used in animal foodstuffs	1986			* COM(86) 456				1987	16.2.1987 Dir. 87/ 153	+	Implementation date: 31.12.1987	
45. Proposal for pesticide residues in foodstuffs of animal origin COM(80) 14	1980 *				14.02.80 Envir.	16.01.81 Combe (C)		1985	24.7.1985 Dir. 86/ 362 & 86/363		Implementation date: 30.6.1988	
46. Proposal for fixing maximum levels for pesticide residues in feeding-stuffs COM(77) 377	1977 *							1986 (QM)			+ Implementation date: 30.6.1988	

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	I WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE, PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXIS- TING PROPO- SALS IN JUNE 1985	II SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	III WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	IV COMM. PROB. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (1)	V DATE CON- SULTATION C.I.FE RESP.	VI DATE ADoption PARL. OPINION - RAPPOR- TEUR - CATEG. OPIN.(4)	VII STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by com- mittee)	VIII EXPECTED DATE OF ADoption BY COIM- CIL (5)	IX ADoption (7)	X LISTED IN ROL- LING PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	XI COUNCIL BACKLOG	COMMENTS						
47. Proposal for the modification of directive 76/895/EEC (maximum levels for pesticide residue in fruit and vegetable)	1986			* (1987)				1988										
48. Proposal to amend the annex of directive 76/895/EEC concerning residues of pesticides in and on fruit and vegetables (ethoxyquin and diphenylamine) COM(82) 883	1983 *				EP not con- sulted			1985 (QM)	+		+							
49. Proposal to amend directive 79/117 on the prohibition of certain plant protection products (ethylene oxide) COM(82) 712	1982 *				EP not con- sulted			1985	21.7.1986 Dir. 86/ 355								Implementation date: 1.7.1987	
50. Proposal for the placing of plant protection products on the market COM(76) 427	1976 *					14.01.77		1986 (U)			+							
51. Proposal for the improvement of Community systems of certification of seeds COM(85) 282	1985	+			28.01.86 Agric.	21.02.86 Rule 99 (A)		1986 (U)			+							
52. Proposal for a system of certification of reproductive materials in fruit plants	1986			* (1988)				1989										
53. Proposal for 4 years research programme into effective methods of controlling certain harmful organisms	1986			* (1987)				1988										
<u>II. CONTROL OF INDIVIDUALS</u>																		
54. Sixth Directive relative to exemptions in international travel: increase to 350 Ecu COM(83) 117	1983 *				21.04.83 Econ.	14.12.83 Delorozoy (C)		1985	8.7.1985 Dir. 85/ 348/EEC								Entry into force: 1.10.1985; certain derogations for Den- mark, Greece and Ireland	
55. Seventh Directive relating to exemptions in international travel: tax-free sales COM(83) 166	1983 *				25.04.83 Econ.	14.12.83 Delorozoy (C)		1986									+	(p.m.)
56. Tax reliefs to be allowed on the importation of goods in small consignments of a non-commercial character COM(86) 383, updated by COM(87) 21	1983 *	+			23.12.83 Econ.	10.04.84 Rogalla (C)		1985	Partially adopted 8.7.1985 Dir. 85/ 349/EEC								+	Entry into force: 1.10.1985

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	WHITE PAPER PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXISTING PROPOSALS IN 1985	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. PROR. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE COM- SULTATION C. IEC RESP.	DATE ADOPTION PARL. - RAPPOR- TEUR - CATEG. OPIN.(4)	STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by com- mittee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COUN- CIL (5)	ADOPTED (?)	LISTED IN ROL- LING PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG
57. Directive on the easing of con- trols at intra-Community Borders COM(84) 749 + COM(85) 224	1985 *				legal	18.04.85 Regalia (C)		1985 (U)		+	+
58. Directive on the approximation of arms legislation	1985			* (1987)				1988			
59. Directive concerning abolition of police controls when leaving one Member State to enter another (in- termediary stage)	1986							1988			
PART TWO: THE REMOVAL OF TECHNICAL BARRIERS											
I. FREE MOVEMENT OF GOODS											
A. New approach in technical har- monisation and standards policy											
60. Proposal for the extension of in- formation procedures on standards and technical rules (amendment of directive 83/189/EEC) COM(87) 52	1986	+						1987 (QM)		+	+
61. Standardisation in the advanced manufacturing equipment sector	1986							No formal decision Council needed			
62. Certification: index of bodies	1986							No formal decision Council needed			
63. Recognition of tests and certifi- cates	1986							In prin- cipal no formal decision Council needed		+	
64. Construction sector: - specific index of bodies - Eurocodes: adoption of EC1, EC2, EC3 and EC4 - Recognition of tests and deci- sions	1986							No formal decision Council Needed			
64. A. Simple pressure vessels COM(86) 112	1986	+			24.01.86 Econ.	Visser		1987 (QM)			+

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B. Sectoral proposals concerning ap- proximation of laws											
1. Motor vehicles											
65. A gaseous emissions passenger cars COM(85) 238	1985	+			EP not con- sulted			1985 (QM)			+
B gaseous emissions commercial vehicles COM(86) 261	1985	+			7.7.1986 Envir.	Vittinghof 5.1987	+	1987 (QM)		+	+
C diesel particulates passenger cars COM(86) 273	1985	*			7.7.1986 Envir.	Vittinghof 5.1987	+	1987 (QM)		+	+
D speed limit:	1985			+				1986			
E revision of framework Directive 70/156/EEC COM(87) 26	1986	+					+	1988 (QM)			+
F revision of breaking Directive 71/320	1986	+						No deci- sion nee- ded	Adopted by Commission Dir. 85/ 647/EEC		Member States were required to bring in- to force the provi- sions necessary to comply with the Di- rective before 1.10.1986
2. Tractors and Agricultural machines											
66. Implementation Directive 74/150/EEC (weight and dimensions, drive-shaft, engine stopping device, windscreen wipers foot rest)	1986	+						1987 (QM)			+
3. Food law											
67. General Directive on food additives (in part modification of existing directives)	1985	+			30.4.1986 Envirm.	10.3.1987 Schleicher (C)		1986 (QM)		+	+

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	WHITE PAPER TIME TABLE (1) + EXISTING PROPOSALS SALD IN JUNE 1987	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. BACKLOG/ PROPR. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE COM- MUNICATED RESP.	DATE ADOPTION OPINION - RAPPORT- TEUP - CATEG. OPIN. (4) mittee	DATE ADOPTION PARL. (Prob. date of adoption by com- mittee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COUN- CIL (5)	ADOPTED (2)	LISTED IN PRO- GRAMME 1987 (5)	COUNCIL BACKLOG
68. General Directive on materials and articles in contact with food (amendment) COM(85) 90	1985	*			30.4.86 Envir.	10.3.87 Jepsen (C)	1986 (QH)			+	+
69. General Directive on food for particular nutritional uses (amendment) COM(86) 91	1986	*			30.4.86 Envir.	10.3.87 Jepsen (C)	1986 (QH)			+	+
70. General Directive on food labelling (amendment) COM(86) 89	1985	*			30.4.86 Envir.	10.3.87 Schleicher (C)	1986 (QH)			+	+
71. General Directive on food inspection COM(86) 747	1986	*			16.01.87 Envir.	Jackson 6.1987	1987 (QH)				+
72. General Directive sampling and methods of analysis COM(84) 39	1984 *	(1986)			20.06.84 Envir.	18.01.85 Weber (A)	1985	20.12.1985	Dir. 85/ 591/EEC	+	
73. General Directive on quick frozen food COM(84) 489	1984 *				15.10.84 Envir.	14.06.85 Schleicher (C)	1985 (QH)			+	
74. Management of existing vertical Directives (procedure)	1985						1986				
75. Flavourings COM(80) 286 + COM(82) 166	1980 *				12.06.80 Envir.	19.02.82 Ghergo (C)	1985 (QH)			+	+
76. Extraction solvents COM(83) 626 + COM(85) 79	1983 *				20.06.84 Envir.	14.12.84 Squarcia- Lupi (C)	1986 (QH)			+	+
77. Preservatives (modification) COM(81) 712	1981 *				15.12.81 Envir.	23.04.82	1985 (QH)	Partially adopted 20.12.1985	Dir. 85/ 574/EEC	+	Member States were to take necessary meas- ures to conform to Directive by 31.12.1986
78. Emulsifiers (modification) COM(84) 4	1984 *				20.06.84 Envir.	18.01.85 Rule 99 (A)	1985	24.3.1985	Dir. 86/ 102/EEC		
79. Infant formulae and follow-up milk (dietetic foods) COM(84) 703	1984 *				25.11.85 Envir.	16.04.84 Van der Lek (C)	1986 (QH)			+	+
80. Cocoa and chocolate consolidation COM(83) 787	1984 *		withdrawn		20.06.84 Envir.	App. Rule 35(2) Nordmann	1986				
81. Coffee extracts chicory extracts (modification) COM(84) 138	1984 *				20.06.84 Envir.	18.01.85 Weber (A)	1985	19.12.1985	Dir. 85/ 573/EEC		

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82. Obligation to indicate ingredients and alcoholic strength COM(82) 626	1982 *			29.10.82 Envir.	16.03.84 Provan (C)	1985 (QM)	Partially adopted 26.5.1986 Dir. 86/ 197	+			+
83. Claims in the labelling of food-stuffs COM(81) 159	1981 *		withdrawn	7.05.81 Envir.	11.03.83 Schleicher	1985					
84. Stimulants (plastic materials in contact with foodstuffs) COM(84) 152	1984 *			20.06.84 Envir.	14.06.85 Squarcia- Lupi (P)	1985	19.12.1985 Dir. 85/ 572/EEC				
85. Modified starches COM(84) 726	1984 *			Envir.	Appl. Rule 36(2) 18.04.86 S. Martin	1986 (QM)		+			+
86. Fruit Juices etc. (modification) COM(86) 638	1985	+	+	20.1.85 Envir.	Banotti 5.87	1987 (QM)		+			+
87. Jams etc. (modification) COM(86) 613	1985	+	+	28.1.87 Envir.	Banotti 5.87	1986 (QM)		+			+
88. Proposal for a Directive amending Directive 79/581/EEC on consumer protection in the indication of the prices of foodstuffs a COM(84) 23 + COM(87) 160	1984 *	+		20.06.84 Envir.	19.04.85 Nordmann (C)	1985 (QM)		+			+
4. Pharmaceuticals and high-technology medicines											
89. Proposals for Directive concerning the placing on the market of high-technology medicinal products incl. those derived from biotechnology COM(84) 437	1984 *			18.10.84 Envir.	16.01.86 Parodi (C)	1986	22.12.1986 Dir. 87/22				Member States to take necessary measures to conform to directive by 1.7.1987
90. Proposal amending Directive 75/318/EEC concerning the testing of medical specialities	1984 *			18.10.84 Envir.	16.01.86 Parodi (C)	1986	22.12.1986 Dir. 87/19				Member States to take necessary measures to conform to directive by 1.7.1987
91. Proposal amending Directive 81/852/EEC concerning veterinary medicinal products	1984 *			18.10.84 Envir.	16.01.86 Parodi (C)	1986	22.12.1986 Dir. 87/20				Member States to take necessary measures to conform to directive by 1.7.1987

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92. Proposal for a Council Recommendation concerning tests relating to the placing on the market of medicinal specialities	1984 *			18.10.84 Envir.	16.01.86 Parodi (C)			1986	9.3.1987			Not yet published in O.J. No implementation period retained since this recommendation Member States to take necessary measures to conform to Directive by 1.7.1987
93. Proposal for a Council Directive amending Directive 65/65/EEC concerning medical specialities	1984 *			18.10.84 Envir.	16.01.86 Parodi (C)			1986	22.12.1986			
94. Price transparency in prices of medicines and social security refunds COM(86) 765	1986	+ (1986)		19.01.87				1988 (QM)				
95. Membership of the European Pharmacopoeia SEC (86) 2010	1986	+ (1986)		Decision "su) gene- sis" EP does not need to be consulted				1987				
5. Chemical products												
96. Council Directive relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of PCBs (polychlorinated biphenyls) COM(84) 513	1984 *			18.10.84 Envir.	15.03.85 Schmid (C)			1985	1.10.1985 Dir. 85/ 467/EEC			Member States were due to take the necessary steps to conform to the Directive by 30.6.1986
97. Council Directive relating to "Restrictions on the marketing and use of asbestos" COM(79) 419 + COM(83) 556	1979 * 1983 *			21.03.80 Envir.	23.04.82 Schleicher (C)			1985	Partially adopted 20.12.1985 Dir. 85/ 610/EEC			
98. Commission Directive adapting the Directive 67/548/EEC "Dangerous substances"	1985							No deci- sion nee- ded 86/431	24.6.1986 Com. Dir. 86/431			
99. Commission Directive relating to "Ammonium nitrate"	1985							No deci- sion nee- ded 87/94	8.12.1986 Com. Dir. 87/94			
100. Non-ionic detergents (modification of the existing directive) COM(85) 217	1985	+ (1985)		18.06.85 fcon.	21.02.86 Braun- Mosar (C)			1986	Dir. 86/ 94/EEC			
101. Classification, packaging and labelling of dangerous preparations COM(85) 364 fin.	1985	+ (1985)		19.09.85 Envir.	Sherlock	24/26.6. 1987		1987 (QM)				

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102. Membership of the European Agree- ment on detergents COM(85) 63	1985	+		EP not con- sulted				1986	Decision adopted on 12.12. 1985				This decision merely enables the Commis- sion to commence ne- gotiations for the membership of the agreement; implemen- tation provisions not applicable
103. Liquid fertilizers COM(86) 704	1986	+						1988 (QM)			+		
6. <u>Construction and construction products</u>													
104. Directive on safety of buildings (resistance to earthquakes, other accidental damage, prevention of progressive collapse)	1985		+					1986					
105. Directive on reliability (fitness for purpose) and durability of buildings (responsibility of de- signers, builders)	1985		+					1986					
106. Directive on test methods for re- sistance to fire and resistance to fire of building materials and components	1986							1986					
107. Directive to prohibit the intro- duction of new or modified build- ing regulations at local govern- ment levels for a period of 5 years	1985		+					1986					
108. Revolving cranes	1978 *							1986					
7. <u>Other items</u>													
109. Household appliances: airborne noise COM(81) 811	1981 *			4.02.82 [envir. Vlam (C)	16.09.83 Krouvel- Vlam (C)			1985	1.12.1986 (Dir. 86/ 594)				
110. Safety of toys New proposal: COM(86) 541 Fin. (includes chemical properties and electrical toys)	1983 *	+		21.11.86 [con.	Oppenheim 75/27.5 1987			1985 (QM)		+			

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	WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE, PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXISTING PROPOSALS IN LINE 1985	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBLICATION WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBLICATION WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. PROPOSAL DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE CONSULTATION C. FEE RESP. 1980 * Econ.	DATE ADOPTION PARL. OPINION - RAPPORT TEUR - CATEG. OPIN.(4) 16.10.81 (C)	STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by com- mittee) 1986	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COUNCIL (5)	ADOPTED (7) 26.6.1986 Dir. 86/ 717	LISTED IN ROLING PROGRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG
111. Measuring instruments and methods of metrological control: electronic devices (amending 71/316/EEC) - tyre pressure gauge	1978 * COM(78) 266 1980 *		withdrawn		29.01.81 Econ.			1986			
112. Chemical properties of toys (A proposal to be entitled "chemical properties of items in proximity to children" is expected to be made by the Commission in 1986 which would make this particular proposal unnecessary) P.M. (see 110)	1980 *		withdrawn		29.01.81 Econ.	16.10.81 (C)		1986			
113. Proposal for a Council directive on electrical toys P.M. (see 110)	1986							1987			
114. Hydraulic diggers (noise) COM(81) 541	1981 *					19.02.87		1986	22.12.1986 Dir. 86/ 662		
115. Protection of hotels against fire (proposal for a recommendation) COM(83) 751	1984 *				20.06.84 Environ.	9.09.85 Tongue (C)		1986	Recommendation 86/666		
116. Metrology certification	1986							1988			
117. Individual protective devices equipment: - helmets for motorcycle drivers (result of notification on the basis of 189/83 directive)	1986							1987		*	
118. Proposal for a revision of Chapter 6 of the Euratom Treaty concerning nuclear materials COM(84) 606	1984 *				21.05.85 Energy	Ippolito		1987			
119. Proposal for a Directive on consumer protection in respect of the indication of prices for non-food products COM(83) 754	1983 *				20.06.84 Environ.	19.04.85 Mordmann (r)		1985 (II)		*	*
120. General Council Directives on cosmetics (amendment) COM(87) 74	1986							1988 (OM)			*

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	WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE (1) * EXISTING PROPOSALS IN JUNE 1985	WHITENED PAPER SINCE PUBLICATION OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBLICATION OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE OF SUBMISSION RESP.	DATE OF ADOPTION PARL. OPINION - RAPPORT- TEUR - CATEG. OPIN.(4)	- STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by com- mittee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COUN- CIL (5)	ADOPTED (2)	LISTED IN ROL- LING PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL RACKLOG
II. PUBLIC PROCUREMENT											
121. Improvement of Directives on public procurement A. COM(86) 297 (public supplies) B. COM(86) 679 (public works)	1985	* (1986)			7-7-86 Econ.	Reimer COM(86) 297	25/27.5- 1987	1987 (QM)	Modification of Directive 77/62/EEC Agreed on by Indus- trial Council on 22.12.1986	+	(A) + (B) +
III. FREE MOVEMENT FOR LABOUR AND THE PROFESSIONS											
122. Proposal allowing the elimination of remaining obstacles related to the movement and residence of migrant Community workers COM(85) 48 final	1985				19-03-85 Social	9-05-85 Marinara (C)	+	1987		+	+
123. Proposal concerning the harmonization of income taxation provisions with respect to freedom of movement for workers within the Community COM(79) 237 final	1979 *				18-01-80 Social	14-05-82 Dehler (C)		1985 (U)			+
124. Proposal concerning the comparability of vocational training-qualifications COM(83) 482 + COM(84) 406	1983/1984 *				3-10-83 Social	17-02-84 Prog (C)		1985	Dec. 85/ 368/EEC		Member States to submit to the Commission 2 years after adoption of the decision, a report on its implementation in individual Member States
125. Proposals for promoting student mobility and cooperation between further education establishments in different Member States COM(85) 756	1985	+			7-02-86 Youth	16-05-86 Coimbra Martins (B)		1986		+	+
126. Proposal for the development of cooperation programmes between Member States for apprentices undergoing vocational training	1986							1987			
127. Proposal for the development of youth exchanges in the Community including young people in vocational training and voluntary work abroad COM(86) 52	1985	+			25-03-86 Youth	13-11-86 Fontaine (C)		1986		+	+

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	WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE, PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXISTING PROPOSALS SALS IN 1985	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. [ACKLOG/ PROB. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE COM- MUNICATED - C. JEF RESP.	DATE ADOP- TION - RAP- PORT- TEUR - CATEG. OPIN. (4)	- STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by com- mittee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOP- TION BY COUN- CIL (5)	ADOP- TED (2)	LISTED IN PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG	
128. Proposals for cooperation between higher education and industry for advanced training relating to new technologies (COMETT) COM(85) 431	1985	+						1986	24.07.1986 Dec. 86/ 365			
129. Proposal for a Directive concerning transitional measures for access to activities in the technical field and for their exercise COM(69) 934	1969 *							1985 (OM)			+	
130. Proposal for a Directive concerning the coordination of provisions in respect of training of engineers COM(69) 934	1969 *							1985 (U)		+	+	
131. Proposal for a Directive on the coordination relating to commercial agents COM(76) 670+ COM(78) 773	1976/1978 *				12.09.78			1985	18.12.1986 Dir. 86/ 653			
132. Proposal for a Directive concerning the coordination of provisions in respect of certain activities in the field of pharmacy COM(81) 4	1981 *				19.02.81 Legal	16.09.83 Malanare (C)		1985	Dir. 85/ 432 + 433/ EEC Dec. 85/ 434/EEC			
133. Amended proposal for a Directive concerning the mutual recognition of diplomas in pharmacy COM(84) 15	1984 *							1985	Dir. 85/ 433/EEC			
134. Proposal for a Council Directive on specific training in general medical practice COM(84) 654 + COM(86) 217	1984 *				9.01.85 Legal	16.01.86 Turner (C)		1986	Adopted on 24.07.1986 by qual. majority Dir. 86/ 457			Member States should require the diplomas referred to in the Directive by 1.1.1995 at the latest
135. Right of Establishment: Proposal for a Directive setting up a general system of mutual recognition of higher education diplomas COM(85) 355 + COM (86) 257	1985	+				14.11.85 Fontaine (C)		1987 (OM)		+	+	
136. Right of residence for nationals of Member States not yet or no longer employed COM(79) 215 + COM(85) 292	1979 *				21.09.79 Legal	17.04.80 Gonella (C)		1985 (II)		+	+	

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IV. COMMON MARKET FOR SERVICES													
A. FINANCIAL SERVICES													
1. Banks													
137. Proposal for a Directive on the accounts of banks COM(81) 84 + COM(84) 124	1984 *			31.03.81 Legal	6.07.83 Vayssade (C)			1987	8.12.1986 Dir. 86/ 635				Implementation requi- red by 31.12.1990
138. Proposal for a Directive on the accounts of foreign branches of banks COM(86) 396	1985	* (1986)		25.09.86 Legal	Vayssade	+ 5.1987		1987 (OM)		+	+		
139. Proposal for a Directive on the freedom of establishment and the freedom to supply services in the field of mortgage credit COM(84) 730	1985 *			18.02.85 Legal	Price			1988 (OM)		+	+		
140. Proposal for a Directive on recr- ganisation and winding up of cre- dit institutions COM(85) 788	1985	+		29.01.86 Legal	13.07.87 Vayssade (C)	+ 6.1987		1987 (OM)		+	+		
141. Proposed Recommendation on the harmonization of the concept of own funds COM(86) 167	1985	+		06.10.86 Legal	Vayssade			1986 (OM)		+	+		
142. Proposed Recommendation on the establishment of a guarantee sys- tem of deposit within the Communi- ty	1986							1987	22.12.1986 Com. Rec. 87/63				Implementation requi- rements do not apply since this is a Re- commendation
143. Proposed Recommendation on the control of large exposures by cre- dit institutions	1986							No Coun- cil dec. indec.	22.12.1986 Com. Rec. 87/62				Implementation requi- rements do not apply since this is a Re- commendation
2. Insurance													
144. Proposal for a Directive to faci- litate freedom to provide services in insurance other than life insu- rance	1978 *				17.01.78			1986 (OM)		+	+		
145. Proposal for a Directive on coordi- nation of laws relating to legal expenses insurance COM(79) 396 + COM(82) 43	1979 *			3.08.79 Legal	17.09.81 de Gucht (C)			1987 (OM)		+	+		

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	WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXT. TING PROPO- SALS IN JUNE 1985	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. BACKLOG/ PROG. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (7) (3)	DATE CON- SULTATION - C. FEE RESP.	DATE PARL. OPINION - RAPPORT- TEHR - CAJIG. OPIN.(4)	STILL BEFORE PARL. date adoption by com- mittee	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COUN- CIL (5)	ADOPTED (2)	LISTED IN ROL- LING PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG	
146. Proposal for a Directive concern- ing credit insurance COM(79) 450 + COM(82) 255	1979 *			26.09.79 Legal	17.10.80 Fischbach (C)		1988 (OM)					
147. Proposal for a Directive on insu- rance contracts COM(79) 355 modified COM(80) 854	1979 *			20.07.79 Legal	19.09.80 Turner (C)		1988 (OM)				+	
148. Proposal for a Directive concern- ing the winding-up of insurance companies COM(86) 568	1986	+		29.01.87			1989 (OM)					
149. Proposal for a Directive on the accounts of insurance undertakings COM(86) 764	1986	+		26.01.87			1989 (OM)				+	
150. Proposal for a 3rd Directive con- cerning motor liability insurance	1986						1989					
3. <u>Transactions in securities</u>												
151. Proposal for a Directive for the coordination of laws, regulations, and administrative provisions re- garding collective investment un- dertakings for transferable secu- rities COM(76) 152 + COM(77) 227	1976 *	CF. COM(86) 315		Legal	8.02.79 + 10.04.87 De Gucht (C) (on modifi- cation of Dir. 85/611		1985 (OM)	20.12.1985 Dir. 85/ 611/FEC				
152. Proposal for a Directive concern- ing information to be published when major holdings in the capital of a listed company are acquired or disposed of COM(85) 791 COM(87) 129	1985	+		22.01.86 Legal	9.4.1987 Prout (C)		1988 (OM)				+	
153. Proposal for a Directive coordina- ting the requirements for the dra- wing up, scrutiny and distribution of the prospectus to be published when securities are offered for subscription or sale to the public COM(80) 893 modified COM(82) 441	1981 *			9.02.81 Legal	23.04.82 Balziel (C)		1988 (OM)				+	
B. <u>TRANSPORT</u>												
154. Air transport: fares COM(81) 396 + COM(84) 72	1981 *			20.06.84 Transp.	10.09.85 Klinken- borg (C)		1985 (*) (OM)				+	(*) Subject to Art. 75 (3)

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	WHITE PAPER TIME TABLE, SINCE PUBLICATION PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXISTING PROPOSALS IN JUNE 1985	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBLICATION WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBLICATION WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. PROB. DATE OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE CONSULTATION C. TEE RESP.	DATE ADOPTION PARL. OPTION RAPPORTEUR CATEG. OPIN.(4)	STILL BEFORE PARL. (Prob. date adoption by committee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COUNCIL (5)	ADOPTED (2)	LISTED IN ROLING PROGRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG	
155. Air transport: bilateral agreements, arrangements and memoranda of understanding between Member States COM(84) 72, amended by COM(86) 677	1984 *	+ (1986)			20.06.84 Transp.	10.09.85 Klinkenberg (C)		1986 (*) (OH)		+		(*) Subject to Art. 75 (3)
156. Air transport: application of Article 85 EEC COM(84) 72, COM(86) 328	1984 *				20.06.84 Transp.	10.09.85 Klinkenberg (C)		1987 (*) (OH)		+		(*) Subject to Art. 75 (3)
157. Community quota for the carriage of goods by roads between Member States: final stage COM(83) 340 COM(86) 595 + COM(87) 118	1983 *	+ (1986/1987)			1.07.83 Transp.	15.12.83 K.H. Hoffmann (C)		1986/1988 (OH) (*)		+		(*) Subject to Art. 75 (3)
158. Access to the inland waterway freight market COM(87) 722 + COM(85) 610	1987 *	+ (1985)			19.12.85 Transp.	12.09.87 Van der Naal (C)		1989 (*) (OH)		+		(*) Subject to Art. 75 (3)
159. Non-resident carriers: national transport services COM(82) 816 + COM(85) 611	1982 *	+ (1985)			19.12.85 Transp.	12.09.86 Braun-Moser (C)		1988 (*) (OH)		+		(*) Subject to Art. 75 (3)
160. Maritime transport: 1 freedom to provide services in the sea transport sector COM(85) 90 (a) between Member States and between Member States and third countries (b) within Member States	1985				15.04.85 Transp.	11.09.86 Anastassiopoulos (C)		1986 (OH)	Partially adopted 22.12.1986		+	Entry into force: Regulations: 4055 - 1.1.1987
2 application of Arts 85 & 86 of Rome Treaty to maritime transport												4056 - 1.7.1987
3 unfair pricing practices												4057 - 1.7.1987
4 coordinated action to safeguard free access to cargoes in oceanic trades												4058 - 1.7.1987
161. Liberalisation of coach services COM(87) 131	1985	+ (1987)						1987 (OH)		+		

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C. NEW TECHNOLOGIES AND SERVICES												
162. Proposal for a Directive in order to coordinate certain aspects of the national laws regulating advertising on radio and television COM(86) 146	1985	* (1986)			05.06.86 Legal	Barzanti	26/27.5.1987	1987 (OM)		+	+	
163. Proposal for a Directive in order to coordinate certain aspects of the national laws regulating copy-rights in simultaneous cable transmission of programmes COM(86) 146	1985	* (1986)			05.06.86 Legal	Barzanti	26/27.5.1987	1987 (OM)		+	+	
164. Proposals concerning the gradual opening up of the market in information services	1986			* (1987)				1988				
165. Proposal concerning the definition of common technical features of the machines used to produce the new payment cards	1986							1987				
166. Proposals encouraging the conclusion of agreements between banks, traders, producers and consumers on the compatibility of system networks, linkage user rules and/or rates of commission	1986							1987				
V. CAPITAL MOVEMENTS												
167. Liberalisation of units in collective investment undertakings for transferable securities COM(78) 63 + COM(79) 328	1979 *							1985	20.12.1985			
168. Proposal for a Directive concerning the liberalisation of transactions concerning mortgages	1986			* (1987)				1988				
169. Proposals for the liberalisation of operations such as the issue, placing and acquisition of securities representing risk capital, transactions in securities issues by Community institutions and long-term commercial credit	1986	* COM(86) 326						1987	17.11.1986			

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<u>VI. CREATION OF SUITABLE CONDITIONS FOR INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION</u>													
<u>A. COMPANY LAW</u>													
170. Proposals for a Regulation for an European Economic Interest Grouping COM(73) 2046 + COM(78) 139	1973/1978 *					11.05.82 Feurtsen (C)		1985	25.7.1985 Reg. R5/ 2137				Member States to take necessary measures to conform to regulation by 1.7.1989
171. Proposals for a Fifth Company Law Directive (structure of public limited companies) COM(72) 887 + COM(83) 185	1973/1983 *				8.11.72 Legal			1988 (OM)			+		
172. Proposal for a Tenth Directive concerning cross-border mergers COM(84) 727	1985 *				31.01.85 Legal	Fontaine	5.1987 +	1987 (OM)			+		
173. Proposal for an Eleventh Company Law Directive to dispense branches of companies from publishing separate accounts COM(87) 397	1986	(1986)			12.08.86 Legal	Vetter	5.1987 +	1988 (OM)			+		
<u>B. INTELLECTUAL AND INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY</u>													
174. Amended proposal for a Regulation on Community trade marks COM(80) 635 + COM(84) 470	1980/1984 *				5-12.80 Legal	Turner (C)		1987 (U)			+		
175. Amended proposal for a First Directive to approximate the laws of the Member States relating to trade marks COM(80) 635 + COM(85) 793	1980/1985 *	(1985)			5-12-80 Legal	Turner (C)		1987 (OM)			+		
176. Proposal for a Regulation on the rules needed for implementing the Community trade mark regulation COM(85) 844	1985							1987 (OM)			+		
177. Proposal on the site of the Community trade mark office and its working language	1986							1987			+		
178. Proposal for a Regulation on the rules of procedure for the Boards of Appeal of the Community trade marks COM(86) 742	1986	(1986)						1988 (OM)			+		

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179. Proposal for a Regulation on the fees to be paid to the Community Trade Mark Office COM(86) 731	+							1987 (0M)			+
180. Proposal for a Directive on legal protection of microcircuits COM(85) 775		+		23.01.86 Legal	12.09.86 Turner (C)		1987	18.12.1986 Dir. 87/54			
181. Amended Convention on the Community Patent	Signature by Member States in 1986						Entry in- to force in 1987				
182. Creation of a Community Patent's Appeal Court (COPAC)	Signature by Member States in 1986						Entry in- to force in 1987				
C. TAXATION											
183. Arbitration procedure concerning the elimination of double taxation COM(76) 611	1976 *				14.06.77		1985 (II)				+
184. Common system of taxation applicable to parent companies and their subsidiaries COM(69) 6	1969 *						1985 (II)				+
185. Common system of taxation of mergers, divisions and contribution of assets COM(69) 5	1969 *						1985 (II)				+
186. Harmonization of taxes on transactions in securities COM(76) 124	1976 *				5.10.76		1988 (II)				+
VII. APPLICATION OF COMMUNITY LAW											
A. TRANSPARENCY											
187. Communication of the Commission in relation to Article 30 of the Treaty on price fixing and on sickness insurance concerning pharmaceuticals	1985						No deci- sion nee- ded	1986 C. 86/1723 OJ C 310 of 4.12.86			

COMMENTS

Member States partici-
pated to enforce direc-
tive by 7.II.1987 at
the latest

Implementation requi-
rements do not apply
since this is a Com-
munication

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	1985	(1) * EXIS- TING PROPO- SALS IN JUNE 1985	(2)	OF COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	RESP.	- RAPPORT- FEUR CATEG. OPIN. (4)	(Prob. date adoption by com- mittee)	(5)		1987 (6)					
B. COMPETITION POLICY AND STATE AIDS															
188. Inventory of State aids and report setting out the implications of future state aids policy	1985							No deci- sion nee- ded							
PART THREE: REMOVAL OF FTSCM BARRIERS															
I. V.A.T.															
189. Proposal for a Council Decision providing for a standstill ensu- ring: - no proliferation of VAT rates in Member States - no widening of the gap between VAT rates in each Member State COM(85) 806, modified by COM(87) 17 (SEC 204)	1985 *	+			5.12.85 Econ.	09.10.86 Oppenheim (C)		1986 (H)		+	+				
190. 14th V.A.T. Directive concerning deferred payment on importation COM(82) 402	1982 *				27.07.82 Econ.	13.01.83 Rogalla (B)		1985 (H)		+	+				
191. Proposal on special schemes for small business (includes flat rate farmers proposal, now no longer necessary) COM(86) 644	1985	+			24.10.86 Econ.	Friedrich	25/27.5 1987	1987 (H)			+				
192. Proposal on passenger transport	1986			*				1988			+				
193. Proposal on special schemes for small business	1985			+				1986		+	+				
194. 7th V.A.T. Directive works of art, collectors items, antiques and used goods COM(77) 235 + COM(79) 249	1978 *					12.03.79		1986 (H)		+	+				
195. 12th V.A.T. Directive concerning expenditure on which tax is not deductible COM(82) 870 + COM(84) 84	1983 *				14.02.83 Econ.	17.11.83 Reumer (C)		1986 (H)		+	+				
196. 13th V.A.T. Directive concerning tax refunds to persons not esta- blished in the Community COM(82) 443 + COM(83) 413	1982 *				9.08.82 Econ.	18.05.83 Rogalla (C)		1986	17.11.1986 Dir. 86/ 560					Entry into force 1.1.1988	

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	WHITE PAPER TIME-TABLE, PERIOD 85-86 (1) * EXIS- TING PROPO- SALS IN JUNE 1985	SUBMITTED SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	WITHDRAWN SINCE PUBL. WHITE PAPER (2)	COMM. PROPOSAL (2) (3)	DATE CON- SULTATION - C. TEE RESP.	DATE ADOPTION PARL. - RAPPORT- TEUR - CATEG. OPIN.(4)	RECORD PUBL. (Pub. date adoption by com- mittee)	EXPECTED DATE OF ADOPTION BY COUN- CIL (5)	ADOPTED (2)	LISTED IN JOU- RNAL PRO- GRAMME 1987 (6)	COUNCIL BACKLOG
197. 16th V.A.T. Directive concerning imports by final consumers of goods which have already borne tax in another Member State COM(84) 318 + COM(86) 163	1984 *				9.08.84 Econ.	14.01.86 Rogalla (C)	1986 (U)			+	+
198. 17th V.A.T. Directive concerning the temporary importation of goods other than means of transport COM(84) 412 + COM(85) 58	1984 *				14.09.84 Econ.	13.12.84 Van Rooy (C)	1985	16-07-1985	Dir. 85/ 362/EEC		Entry into force: 1.1.1986 Derogations for Ger- many and Greece: car- ryover of application of certain articles
199. 18th V.A.T. Directive concerning the abolition of certain derogations (Article 28(3) of Directive 77/388/CEE COM(84) 649	1984 *				20.12.84 Econ.	06.04.87 Wedekind (C)	1986 (U)			+	+
200. 19th V.A.T. Directive: miscel- laneous supplementary and amending provisions of Directive 77/388/EEC COM(84) 648	1984 *				20.12.84 Econ.	06.04.87 Wedekind (C)	1986 (U)			+	+
201. Directive on the stores of ships, aircraft and international trains COM(79) 794	1980 *				4.02.80 Econ.	23.05.80 Nyborg	1986 (U)			+	+
202. Proposal concerning the rate structure (number of rates)	1986			*			1989			+	+
203. Proposal fixing the common rate(s) and corresponding standstill ar- rangement	1986			*			1989			+	+
II. EXCISE DUTIES											
204. Proposal for a Council Decision providing for a standstill ensu- ring no introduction of new excise duties which give rise to border formalities COM(85) 606, modified by COM(87) 17 (SEC 189)	1985	+			5.12.85 Econ.	09.10.86 Oppenheim (C)	1986 (U)			+	+

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205. Proposals concerning harmonization of the structure of excise duties on alcoholic drinks COM(72) 225 final	1972 *							1985 (U)		+	+
COM(82) 153 final	1982 *				22.04.82 Econ.	11.03.83 Hopper (B)		1985 (U)		+	+
COM(85) 150 final	1985 *				7.05.85 Econ.	14.01.86 Besse (C)		1985 (U)		+	+
COM(85) 151 final	1985 *				7.05.85 Econ.	14.01.86 Besse (C)		1985 (U)		+	+
206. Proposal for an excise duty on wine COM(72) 225	1972 *							1986 (U)		+	+
207. Proposal concerning the introduction of a third stage concerning the harmonization of the structure of cigarette duty COM(80) 69	1980 *				14.07.80 Econ.	14.12.82 Beumer (Commission's proposal rejected)		1986 (U)		+	+
208. Proposal concerning the harmonization of the structure of excises on mineral oils COM(73) 1234	1973 *							1986 (U)		+	+
209. Proposal concerning the harmonization of the structures of excise duties on other manufacture tobacco	1986							1988		+	+
210. Proposal concerning the final stage of the harmonization of the structure of cigarette duty	1986							1988		+	+

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211. Proposals on common rate bands for all harmonized excise duties and corresponding standstill arrange- ment	1985			* (1987)				1988		*	*
TOTALS:	99	62 (7)	4	29			24 (8)		58 (9)	137 (10)	112 (11)

COMMENTS

(7) In addition the Commission has submitted 13 new proposals in the context of the completion of the internal market, which were not included in the original White Paper time table.
(8) On 1 May 1987 Parliament's backlog vis à vis the White Paper 1985-1986 programme amounted to 24 proposals. However, in 14 of these cases the reports by the committees concerned were adopted in April 1987, or are to be adopted during May or June 1987. In 4 cases the backlog concerns proposals only submitted by the Commission in 1987. In 5 cases the proposals were submitted in 1986, but Parliament was consulted by the Council in January 1987.
(9) In addition 8 proposals have been partially adopted. On 6 proposals no formal decision is needed.
(10) The Rolling Programme 1987 covers the subjects which are judged capable of being discussed in 1987 with a view to their agreement in Council.
(11) Of the 112 outstanding proposals 58 were scheduled for adoption in 1986 under the White Paper time table.

A.

Proposals submitted to Council in the context of the completion of the internal market, but not included in the White Paper annex.

Subject	Date of Commission's proposal	Projected date of adoption by Council
1. Amendment to Directive 72/462 on health and veterinary inspection problems upon importation of bovine animals and swine and fresh meat from third countries COM(86) 532	1986	1987 (QM)
2. Modification of Directive 83/183 on tax exemptions applicable to permanent imports from a Member State of the personal property of individuals (removals) COM(86) 584 fin/2	1986	1987 (U)
3. Proposal for a Directive amending for the first time Dir. 83/182 on temporary importation of certain means of transport (motor vehicles) COM(87) 14	1987	1987 (U)
4. Modification of framework Directive 74/150 COM(86) 777	1986	1987 (QM)
5. Rollover protection structures (incorporating two pillars and mounted in front of the driver's seat) on narrow-track wheeled agricultural or forestry tractors COM(84) 400; COM(86) 776	1984 1986	1987 (QM)
6. Definition of spirituous beverages and aromatised wines COM(82) 328; COM(86) 129	1982 1986	1986 (QM)
7. Tower cranes: permissible sound levels COM(86) 491	1986	1987 (QM)
8. Proposal for directive on the approximation of Member State laws on products which are misleadingly defined and which could therefore undermine the safety of consumers COM(86) 499	1986	1987

QM = Qualified Majority

U = Unanimity

Subject	Date of Commission's proposal	Projected date of adoption by Council
9. Good laboratory practices - non-chemical tests COM(86) 698	1986	1987 (QM)
10. Proposal modifying Directive 84/538 on lawn mower noise COM(86) 682; COM(87) 133	1986 1987	1987 (QM)
11. Proposal for recommendation and directive on pan European radiomobiles COM(87) 35	1987	1987 (QM)
12. Proposal for Council directive amending Dir. 78/660/EEC on annual accounts and Dir. 83/349/EEC on consolidated accounts as regards the scope of those directives (4th and 7th Co.Law directives) COM(86) 238	1986	1987 (QM)
13. Harmonization of Member States Laws relating to tax arrangements for carryover of losses of undertakings COM(84) 404 and COM(85) 319	1984	1988

B.

Commission proposals still to be presented to Council before 31 December 1992, but not included in the White Paper timetable

Subject	Expected date of Commission proposal	Expected date of Council adoption
1. Foot and mouth disease: Community laboratory and Community institute	1987	1988
2. Transport of milk in tankers	1987	1988
3. Directive on organic production of foodstuffs and marketing of organically produced foodstuffs	1987	1988
4. Gas appliances	1988	1990
5. Amendment of Directive 77/537 concerning roll-over protection structures (dynamic test)	1987	1988
6. Amendment of Directive 77/537 concerning the emission of pollutants from diesel engines	1987	1988
7. Common rate bands for all harmonised excise duties on mineral oils	1989	1990