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COM(2008) 194		17.4.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Directives 68/151/EEC and 89/666/EEC as regards publication and translation obligations of certain types of companies
COM(2008) 195		17.4.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Directives 78/660/EEC and 83/349/EEC as regards certain disclosure requirements for medium-sized companies and obligation to draw up consolidated accounts
COM(2008) 223		29.4.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 1150/2000 implementing Decision 2000/597/EC, Euratom on the system of the Communities' own resources
COM(2008) 228		29.4.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision establishing a separate liability of Montenegro and reducing proportionately the liability of Serbia with regard to the long-term loans granted by the Community to the State Union of Serbia and Montenegro (formerly the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia) pursuant to Council Decisions 2001/549/EC and 2002/882/EC
COM(2008) 229		30.4.2008	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents
COM(2008) 242		13.5.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement in the form of an Exchange of Letters concerning the provisional application of the Protocol setting out the fishing opportunities and financial contribution provided for in the Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Community and the Islamic Republic of Mauritania for the period 1 August 2008 to 31 July 2012
COM(2008) 335	1	5.6.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of a Memorandum of Cooperation between the International Civil Aviation Organization and the European Community regarding security audits / inspections and related matters

Document	Part	Date	Title
COM(2008) 335	2	5.6.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of a Memorandum of Cooperation between the International Civil Aviation Organization and the European Community regarding security audits / inspections and related matters

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Document	Part	Date	Title
COM(2008) 119R		21.4.2008	Amended Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the taking-up and pursuit of the business of insurance and reinsurance (SOLVENCY II)
COM(2008) 163		1.4.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's common position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on ambient air quality and cleaner air for Europe
COM(2008) 175		21.4.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position adopted by the Council in view of adoption of the Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules for the operation of air transport services in the Community
COM(2008) 193		8.4.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a directive on the inland transport of dangerous goods
COM(2008) 206		11.6.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position adopted by the Council with a view to the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the fundamental principles governing the investigation of accidents in the maritime transport sector and amending Directives 1999/35/EC and 2002/59/EC
COM(2008) 208		11.6.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position adopted by the Council with a view to the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on port State control
COM(2008) 221		22.4.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2003/87/EC so as to include aviation activities in the scheme for greenhouse gas emission allowance trading within the Community
COM(2008) 310		11.6.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position adopted by the Council with a view to the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2002/59/EC establishing a Community vessel traffic monitoring and information system
COM(2008) 370		11.6.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules and standards for ship inspection and survey organisations and for the relevant activities of maritime administrations and a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules and standards for ship inspection and survey organisations

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COM(2008) 375		13.6.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation concerning the liability of carriers of passengers by sea and inland waterway in the event of accidents
COM(2008) 452		8.7.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's Common Position regarding the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the banning of exports and the safe storage of metallic mercury
COM(2008) 455		8.7.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a directive of the European Parliament and the Council on airport charges
COM(2008) 457		22.7.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for Community action to achieve a sustainable use of pesticides
COM(2008) 487		17.7.2008	Commission Opinion pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, concerning the 2nd Reading of the European Parliament with a view to the adoption of a Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on environmental quality standards in the field of water policy and amending Directives 82/176/EEC, 83/513/EEC, 84/156/EEC, 84/491/EEC, 86/280/EEC and 2000/60/EC
COM(2008) 508		11.8.2008	Amended proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion by the European Community of the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment and its Protocol on matters specific to aircraft equipment, adopted jointly in Cape Town on 16 November 2001
COM(2008) 518		14.8.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Directive 80/181/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to units of measurement

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COM(2008) 424		3.7.2008	Proposal for a Council Recommendation on mobility of young volunteers across Europe
COM(2008) 450R		23.7.2008	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a facility for rapid response to soaring food prices in developing countries
COM(2008) 467		25.7.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation on the Community legal framework for a European Research Infrastructure (ERI)
COM(2008) 469		23.7.2008	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning trade in seal products
COM(2008) 488		29.7.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation on the common system of trade for ovalbumin and lactalbumin (Codified version)
COM(2008) 506	1	5.8.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing of the Agreement on certain aspects of air services between the European Community and the United Mexican States
COM(2008) 506	2	5.8.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement on certain aspects of air services between the European Community and the United Mexican States
COM(2008) 507	2	4.8.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on a negotiation mandate authorising the Commission to negotiate an agreement between the European Atomic Energy Community (Euratom) and the Department of Energy of the United States of America (USDOE) in the field of nuclear security research and development
COM(2008) 509	1	7.8.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing on behalf of the Community of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation amending with the provisional application the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products
COM(2008) 509	2	7.8.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation amending the Agreement between the European Community and the Swiss Confederation on trade in agricultural products
COM(2008) 516		8.8.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 423/2007 concerning restrictive measures against Iran
COM(2008) 517		14.8.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation maintaining the anti-dumping duties on imports of polyester staple fibres originating in Belarus, the People's Republic of China, Saudi Arabia and Korea following a partial interim review pursuant to Article 11(3) of Council Regulation (EC) No 384/96

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COM(2008) 430		29.10.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation implementing Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the use of antimicrobial substances to remove surface contamination from poultry carcases
COM(2008) 543		5.11.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of animals used for scientific purposes
COM(2008) 678		30.10.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision authorising the placing on the market of products containing or produced from genetically modified oilseed rape T45 (ACS-BNØØ8-2) resulting from the commercialisation of this oilseed rape in third countries until 2005 pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council
COM(2008) 690		17.11.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on certain components and characteristics of wheeled agricultural or forestry tractors
COM(2008) 697		20.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Directive laying down control rules and measures to combat African horse sickness
COM(2008) 704		12.11.2008	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on Credit Rating Agencies
COM(2008) 715		21.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Directive on animal health conditions governing the movement and importation from third countries of equidae
COM(2008) 726R		12.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Recommendation on a European action in the field of rare diseases
COM(2008) 727		13.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Directive amending Directive 2003/48/EC on taxation of savings income in the form of interest payments
COM(2008) 728		12.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the Conclusion of an Agreement aimed at renewing the Agreement on cooperation in science and technology between the European Community and the Government of the Russian Federation
COM(2008) 749		17.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the conclusion of the additional protocol to the Agreement on Trade, Development and Cooperation between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of South Africa, of the other part, to take account of the accession of the Republic of Bulgaria and Romania to the European Union
COM(2008) 753		17.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision Authorising the Czech Republic and the Federal Republic of Germany to apply measures derogating from Article 5 of Council Directive 2006/112/EC on the common system of value added tax
COM(2008) 754		18.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the placing on the market, in accordance with Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council, of a carnation (Dianthus caryophyllus L., line 123.8.12) genetically modified for flower colour

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COM(2008) 757		17.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Council Regulation (EC) No193/2007, imposing a definitive countervailing duty on imports of certain polyethylene terephthalate, originating in India and amending Council Regulation (EC) No192/2007 imposing a definitive anti dumping duty on imports of certain polyethylene terephthalate, originating in, inter alia, India
COM(2008) 759		18.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of certain welded tubes and pipes of iron or non-alloy steel - originating in Belarus, the People's Republic of China and Russia following a proceeding pursuant to Article 5 of Regulation (EC) No 384/96, - originating in Thailand following an expiry review pursuant to Article 11(2) of the same Regulation, - originating in the Ukraine following an expiry review pursuant to Article 11(2) and interim review pursuant to Article 11(3) of the same Regulation, - and terminating the proceedings in respect of imports of the same product originating in Bosnia and Herzegovina and in Turkey
COM(2008) 762		19.11.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Directive 87/372/EEC on the frequency bands to be reserved for the coordinated introduction of public pan-European cellular digital land-based mobile communications in the Community
COM(2008) 775		13.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Directive imposing an obligation on Member States to maintain minimum stocks of crude oil and/or petroleum products
COM(2008) 779		13.11.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on labelling of tyres with respect to fuel efficiency and other essential parameters
COM(2008) 783		21.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on establishing the European Community position within the Ministerial Council of the Energy Community (Tirana, 11 December 2008)
COM(2008) 784		24.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation fixing for the 2009 fishing year the guide prices and Community producer prices for certain fishery products pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 104/2000
COM(2008) 786R		14.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Communities
COM(2008) 787		21.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation adjusting, from 1 July 2008, the rate of contribution to the pension scheme of officials and other servants of the European Communities
COM(2008) 788		21.11.2008	Proposal for a Council (EC, EURATOM) Regulation adjusting with effect from 1 July 2008 the remuneration and pensions of officials and other servants of the European Communities and the correction coefficients applied thereto
COM(2008) 792		25.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 74/2004 of 13 January 2004 imposing a definitive countervailing duty on imports of cotton-type bedlinen originating in India
COM(2008) 793		25.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1628/2004 imposing a definitive countervailing duty on imports of certain graphite electrode systems originating in India and Regulation (EC) No 1629/2004 imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of certain graphite electrode systems originating in India



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COM(2008) 796		27.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation laying down the trade arrangements applicable to certain goods resulting from the processing of agricultural products
COM(2008) 797		26.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 2505/96 opening and providing for the administration of autonomous Community tariff quotas for certain agricultural and industrial products
COM(2008) 801		3.12.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Council Directives 71/317/EEC, 71/347/EEC, 71/349/EEC, 74/148/EEC, 75/33/EEC, 76/765/EEC, 76/766/EEC, and 86/217/EEC regarding metrology
COM(2008) 805		1.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Directive amending Directive 2006/112/EC on the common system of value added tax as regards tax evasion linked to import and other cross-border transactions
COM(2008) 806		28.11.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1579/2007 fixing the fishing opportunities and the conditions relating thereto for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks applicable in the Black Sea for 2008
COM(2008) 808		3.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1255/96 temporarily suspending the autonomous common customs tariff duties on certain industrial, agricultural and fishery products
COM(2008) 812		4.12.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on Stage II petrol vapour recovery during refuelling of passenger cars at service stations
COM(2008) 813		26.11.2008	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 1081/2006 on the European Social Fund to extend the types of costs eligible for a contribution from the ESF
COM(2008) 814		3.12.2008	Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the participation by the Community in a European metrology research and development programme undertaken by several Member States
COM(2008) 816		4.12.2008	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the rights of passengers when travelling by sea and inland waterway and amending Regulation (EC) No 2006/2004 on cooperation between national authorities responsible for the enforcement of consumer protection laws
COM(2008) 818		8.12.2008	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on standards of quality and safety of human organs intended for transplantation
COM(2008) 822		3.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation (EC) No/ imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty and collecting definitively the provisional duty imposed on imports of certain prepared or preserved citrus fruits (namely mandarins, etc.) originating in the People's Republic of China
COM(2008) 833		2.12.2008	Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Mobilisation of the Flexibility Instrument
COM(2008) 837		15.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Recommendation on patient safety, including the prevention and control of healthcare associated infections

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COM(2008) 839	1	10.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing, on behalf of the European Community, of the Cooperation Agreement between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Principality of Liechtenstein, of the other part, to combat fraud and any other illegal activity to the detriment of their financial interests
COM(2008) 839	2	10.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Community, of the Cooperation Agreement between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the Principality of Liechtenstein, of the other part, to combat fraud and any other illegal activity to the detriment of their financial interests
COM(2008) 841		11.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1859/2005 imposing certain restrictive measures in respect of Uzbe-kistan
COM(2008) 842		11.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation (EC) No/ setting up a Community system of reliefs from customs duty
COM(2008) 847		10.12.2008	Proposal for a Regulation (EC) No/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 1692/2006 establishing the second 'Marco Polo' programme for the granting of Community financial assistance to improve the environmental performance of the freight transport system ('Marco Polo II') (Text with EEA relevance)
COM(2008) 851		11.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 367/2006 imposing a definitive countervailing duty on imports of polyethylene terephthalate (PET) film originating in India and amending Regulation (EC) No 1292/2007 imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of polyethylene terephthalate (PET) film originating in India
COM(2008) 852		11.12.2008	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning a European rail network for competitive freight
COM(2008) 854		16.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1334/2000 setting up a Community regime for the control of exports of dual-use items and technology
COM(2008) 858		16.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of the Interim Partnership Agreement between the European Community, of the one part, and the Pacific States, of the other part
COM(2008) 861		16.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision concluding the interim agreement establishing a framework for an Economic Partnership Agreement between Eastern and Southern Africa States on the one part and the European Community and its Member States on the other part
COM(2008) 863		16.12.2008	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of the interim agreement establishing a framework for an Economic Partnership Agreement between Eastern and Southern Africa States on the one part and the European Community and its Member States on the other part

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COM(2008) 548		18.9.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's Common Position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2003/87/EC so as to include aviation activities in the scheme for greenhouse gas emission allowance trading within the Community
COM(2008) 559		1.10.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251 (2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's common position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste
COM(2008) 568		18.9.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a proposed Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2003/88/EC concerning certain aspects of the organisation of working time
COM(2008) 569		18.9.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a European Parliament and Council Directive on temporary agency work - Political agreement on a common position (QMV)
COM(2008) 578		22.9.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of plant protection products on the market
COM(2008) 605		16.10.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251 (2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's common position regarding the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a common authorisation procedure for food additives, food enzymes and food flavourings
COM(2008) 606		16.10.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251 (2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's common position regarding the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on flavourings and certain food ingredients with flavouring properties for use in and on foods and amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 1576/89, Council Regulation (EEC) No 1601/91, Regulation (EC) No 2232/96 and Directive 2000/13/EC
COM(2008) 607		16.10.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251 (2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's Common Position regarding the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on food enzymes and amending Council Directive 83/417/EEC, Council Regulation (EC) No 1493/1999, Directive 2000/13/EC, Council Directive 2001/112/EC and Regulation (EC) No 258/97

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COM(2008) 608		16.10.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251 (2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's Common Position regarding the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on food additives
COM(2008) 647		14.10.2008	Amended proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the procedure for implementing Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems
COM(2008) 648		14.10.2008	Amended proposals for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems, and determining the content of Annex XI and a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending the annexes to Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems
COM(2008) 649		8.10.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on Community statistics on public health and health and safety at work
COM(2008) 673		12.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and the Council on common rules for access to the international road haulage market (recast)
COM(2008) 681		30.10.2008	Commission Opinion pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty on the European Parliament's amendment to the Council Common Position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2004/49/ EC on safety on the Community's railways
COM(2008) 687		30.10.2008	Commission Opinion pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty on the European Parliament's amendment to the Council's Common Position regarding the Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 881/2004 establishing a European railway agency
COM(2008) 707		19.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second paragraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and the Council establishing the European Training Foundation (recast)
COM(2008) 723		6.11.2008	Amended proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2002/22/EC on universal service and users' rights relating to electronic communications networks, Directive 2002/58/EC concerning the processing of personal data and the protection of privacy in the electronic communications sectors and Regulation (EC) No 2006/2004 on consumer protection cooperation
COM(2008) 785		19.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Directive 80/181/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to units of measurement



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COM(2008) 826		26.11.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251 (2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's common position regarding the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules and standards for ship inspection and survey organizations
COM(2008) 827		26.11.2008	Commission Opinion pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's Common Position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the fundamental principles governing the investigation of accidents in the maritime transport sector
COM(2008) 828		26.11.2008	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251 (2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's Common Position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules and standards for ship inspection and survey organizations and for the relevant activities of maritime administrations
COM(2008) 829		26.11.2008	Commission Opinion pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council Common Position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2002/59/EC establishing a Community vessel traffic monitoring and information system
COM(2008) 830		26.11.2008	Commission Opinion pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council Common Position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on port State control (recast)
COM(2008) 831		26.11.2008	Commission Opinion pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council Common Position regarding the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the liability of carriers of passengers by sea and inland waterways in the event of accidents
COM(2008) 846		9.12.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Directive on the civil liability and financial guarantees of shipowners
COM(2008) 848		9.12.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position adopted by the Council with a view to the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on compliance with flag State obligations
COM(2008) 889		19.12.2008	Amended Proposal for a Council Regulation (EC) No/ of [] introducing exceptional trade measures for countries and territories participating in or linked to the European Union's Stabilisation and Association process (codified version)
COM(2008) 896		7.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the procedure for implementing Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems

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COM(2008) 897		7.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 on the coordination of social security systems, and determining the contents of its annexes
COM(2008) 899		9.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning statistics on plant protection products
COM(2008) 904		12.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council withdrawing Regulation (EC) No 1228/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council on conditions for access to the network for cross-border exchanges in electricity
COM(2008) 906		12.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning common rules for the internal market in electricity and repealing Directive 2003/54/EC
COM(2008) 907		12.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Directive 2003/55/EC concerning common rules for the internal market in natural gas
COM(2008) 908		12.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing an Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators
COM(2008) 911		12.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council withdrawing Regulation (EC) No 1775/2005 on conditions for access to the natural gas transmission networks
COM(2008) 912		8.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down Community procedures for the establishment of residue limits of pharmacologically active substances in foodstuffs of animal origin, and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 2377/90
COM(2008) 913		12.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and the Council on common rules for access to the market for coach and bus services (recast)



Document	Part	Date	Title
COM(2008) 914		12.1.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251 (2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and the Council establishing common rules concerning the conditions to be complied with to pursue the occupation of road transport operator

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Document	Part	Date	Title
COM(2008) 720		5.11.2008	Amended proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the European Electronic Communications Market Authority
COM(2008) 724		6.11.2008	Amended proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directives 2002/21/EC on a common regulatory framework for electronic communications networks and services, 2002/19/EC on access to, and interconnection of, electronic communications networks and services, and 2002/20/EC on the authorisation of electronic communications networks and services

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Document	Part	Date	Title
COM(2009) 3		15.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 on the tariff and statistical nomenclature and on the Common Customs Tariff
COM(2009) 4	2	8.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision providing EU medium-term financial assistance for Latvia
COM(2009) 12		21.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the provisional prohibition of the use and sale in Hungary of genetically modified maize (Zea mays L. line MON810) expressing the Bt cry1Ab gene, pursuant to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council
COM(2009) 14		23.1.2009	Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a Community programme to support specific activities in the field of financial services, financial reporting and auditing
COM(2009) 18		27.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing and conclusion of the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Community and the Arab Republic of Egypt concerning reciprocal liberalisation measures on agricultural, processed agricultural products and fish and fishery products and the replacement of Protocols 1 and 2 and of the Annex to Protocol 1 and the Annex to Protocol 2 and modifications to the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Arab Republic of Egypt, of the other part
COM(2009) 19		26.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the position of the Community within the EU-Tunisia Association Council in order to amend Decision No 1/99 of the EU-Tunisia Association Council on the implementation of the provisions on processed agricultural products laid down in Article 10 of the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Tunisia, of the other part
COM(2009) 23		23.1.2009	Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council on the mobilisation of the EU Solidarity Fund
COM(2009) 24		21.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1210/2003 concerning certain specific restrictions on economic and financial relations with Iraq
COM(2009) 27		28.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision establishing the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Community with regard to proposals for amending Annexes A, B and C of the Stockholm Convention at the fourth meeting of the Conference of Parties on 4 – 8 May 2009
COM(2009) 28		2.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Directive concerning mutual assistance for the recovery of claims relating to taxes, duties and other measures
COM(2009) 29		2.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Directive on administrative cooperation in the field of taxation
COM(2009) 31		30.1.2009	Proposal for a Regulation//EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on textile names and related labelling of textile products

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COM(2009) 37		2.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 637/2008 as regards the national restructuring programmes for the cotton sector
COM(2009) 38	1	28.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 1698/ 2005 on support for rural development by the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD)
COM(2009) 38	2	28.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision amending Decision 2006/493/EC laying down the amount of Community support for rural development for the period from 1 January 2007 to 31 December 2013, its annual breakdown and the minimum amount to be concentrated in regions eligible under the Convergence Objective
COM(2009) 41		30.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision extending the period of application of the measures in Decision 2002/148/EC concluding consultations with Zimbabwe under Article 96 of the ACP-EC Partnership Agreement

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Document	Part	Date	Title
COM(2009) 11		21.1.2009	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on reporting formalities for ships arriving in and/or departing from ports of the Member States of the Community and repealing Directive 2002/6/EC
COM(2009) 21		28.1.2009	Proposal for a Council Directive amending Directive 2006/112/EC on the common system of value added tax as regards the rules on invoicing
COM(2009) 35		28.1.2009	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a programme to aid economic recovery by granting Community financial assistance to projects in the field of energy
COM(2009) 45		10.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision correcting Directive 2008/73/EC simplifying procedures of listing and publishing information in the veterinary and zootechnical fields and amending Directives 64/432/EEC, 77/504/EEC, 88/407/EEC, 88/661/EEC, 89/361/EEC, 89/556/EEC, 90/426/EEC, 90/427/EEC, 90/428/EEC, 90/429/EEC, 90/539/EEC, 91/68/EEC, 91/496/EEC, 92/35/EEC, 92/65/EEC, 92/66/EEC, 92/119/EEC, 94/28/EC, 2000/75/EC, Decision 2000/258/EC and Directives 2001/89/EC, 2002/60/EC and 2005/94/EC
COM(2009) 46		10.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision establishing the position to be adopted on behalf of the Community within the Food Aid Committee as regards the extension of the Food Aid Convention, 1999
COM(2009) 48	1	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of the Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Mauritius on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 48	2	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Mauritius on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 49	1	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of the Agreement between the European Community and Antigua and Barbuda on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 49	2	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and Antigua and Barbuda on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 50	1	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of the Agreement between the European Community and Barbados on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 50	2	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and Barbados on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 51		10.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the provisional prohibition of the use and sale in Austria of genetically modified maize (Zea mays L. line T25) pursuant to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council
COM(2009) 52	1	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of the Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Seychelles on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 52	2	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Seychelles on the short-stay visa waiver

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COM(2009) 53	1	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of the Agreement between the European Community and the Federation of Saint Kitts and Nevis on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 53	2	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Federation of Saint Kitts and Nevis on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 54		12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation terminating the partial interim review of the anti-dumping measures applicable to hand pallet trucks and their essential parts originating in the People's Republic of China
COM(2009) 55	1	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature and provisional application of the Agreement between the European Community and the Commonwealth of The Bahamas on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 55	2	12.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and the Commonwealth of The Bahamas on the short-stay visa waiver
COM(2009) 56		10.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the provisional prohibition of the use and sale in Austria of genetically modified maize (Zea mays L. line MON810) pursuant to Directive 2001/18/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council
COM(2009) 60		13.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1425/2006 imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of certain plastic sacks and bags originating in the People's Republic of China or Thailand, and terminating the proceeding on imports of certain plastic sacks and bags originating in Malaysia
COM(2009) 61		17.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community Position concerning the Rules of Procedure of the Joint Cariforum-EC Council, the Trade and Development Committee and the Special Committees provided for by the Economic Partnership Agreement between the Cariforum States, of the one part, and the European Community and its Member States, of the other part
COM(2009) 62	1	17.2.2009	Proposal for a Decision of the Council and the representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the European Union, meeting within the Council on the signature and provisional application of the Air Transport Agreement between the European Community and its Member States, on the one hand, and Canada, on the other hand
COM(2009) 62	2	17.2.2009	Proposal for a Decision of the Council and the representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the European Union, meeting within the Council on the conclusion of the Air Transport Agreement between the European Community and its Member States, on the one hand, and Canada, on the other hand
COM(2009) 65	1	18.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signature of the Agreement on certain aspects of air services between the European Community and the Republic of Korea
COM(2009) 65	2	18.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement on certain aspects of air services between the European Community and the Republic of Korea
COM(2009) 66		18.2.2009	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a European Asylum Support Office
COM(2009) 67		18.2.2009	Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Decision No 573/2007/EC establishing the European Refugee Fund for the period 2008 to 2013 by removing funding for certain Community actions and altering the limit for funding such actions



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COM(2009) 72		19.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be adopted by the European Community within the ACP-EC Council of Ministers regarding a decision to revise Annex II to the Cotonou ACP-EC Partnership Agreement
COM(2009) 81		23.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion by the European Community of the Protocol on the law applicable to maintenance obligations
COM(2009) 83		26.2.2009	Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Directive 78/660/EEC on the annual accounts of certain types of companies as regards micro-entities
COM(2009) 88		27.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision repealing Directive 83/515/EEC and 11 obsolete Decisions in the field of the common fisheries policy
COM(2009) 89		27.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation repealing 14 obsolete Regulations in the field of the common fisheries policy
COM(2009) 90		27.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation amending the Convention Implementing the Schengen Agreement as regards long-stay visa and alerts in the Schengen Information System
COM(2009) 91		27.2.2009	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending the Convention Implementing the Schengen Agreement and Regulation (EC) No 562/2006 as regards movement of persons with a long-stay visa
COM(2009) 92		24.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the conclusion of consultations with the Islamic Republic of Mauritania under Article 96 of the revised Cotonou Agreement
COM(2009) 93		26.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation concerning a multi-annual recovery plan for bluefin tuna in the eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean
COM(2009) 94		2.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing by the European Community of the Protocol to the Convention on International Interests in mobile equipment on matters specific to railway rolling stock, adopted in Luxembourg on 23 February 2007
COM(2009) 95		27.2.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing and conclusion of the Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Community and the State of Israel concerning reciprocal liberalisation measures on agricultural, processed agricultural products and fish and fishery products and the replacement of Protocols 1 and 2 and of the Annex to Protocol 1 and the Annex to Protocol 2 and modifications to the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the State of Israel, of the other part
COM(2009) 97		3.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community Position concerning the participation in the Cariforum-EC Consultative Committee provided for by the Economic Partnership Agreement between the Cariforum States, of the one part, and the European Community and its Member States, of the other part and on the selection of the representatives of organisations located in the EC Party
COM(2009) 100		4.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision amending Decision 2006/326/EC to provide for a procedure for the implementation of Article 5(2) of the Agreement between the European Community and the Kingdom of Denmark on the service of judicial and extrajudicial documents in civil or commercial matters
COM(2009) 101		4.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision amending Decision 2006/325/EC to provide for a procedure for the implementation of Article 5(2) of the Agreement between the European Community and the Kingdom of Denmark on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgments in civil and commercial matters

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COM(2009) 102		4.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Regulation on the establishment of an evaluation mechanism to verify the application of the Schengen acquis
COM(2009) 105		4.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision on the establishment of an evaluation mechanism to monitor the application of the Schengen acquis
COM(2009) 106	1	6.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the signing of the Agreement between the European Community and Pakistan on readmission
COM(2009) 106	2	6.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the conclusion of the Agreement between the European Community and Pakistan on readmission
COM(2009) 107		5.3.2009	Proposal for a Council Decision for the establishment of the Community position in the General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean (GFCM)

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COM(2009) 57		4.2.2009	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's common position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directive 2003/88/EC concerning certain aspects of the organisation of working time
COM(2009) 63		16.2.2009	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's Common Position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for Community action to achieve a sustainable use of pesticides
COM(2009) 71		18.2.2009	Amended proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to asbestos at work
COM(2009) 75		17.2.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning statistics relating to external trade with non-member countries and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 1172/95
COM(2009) 78		17.2.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the common positions of the Council on the adoption of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directives 2002/21/EC on a common regulatory framework for electronic communications networks and services, 2002/19/EC on access to, and interconnection of, electronic communications networks and associated facilities, and 2002/20/EC on the authorisation of electronic communications networks and services; a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Directives 2002/22/EC on universal service and users' rights relating to electronic communications networks and services and 2002/58/EC concerning the processing of personal data and the protection of privacy in the electronic communications sector, and Regulation (EC) No 2006/2004 on cooperation between national authorities responsible for the enforcement of consumer protection laws; and a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Group of European Regulators in Telecoms
COM(2009) 86		18.2.2009	Opinion of the Commission pursuant to Article 251(2), third subparagraph, point (c) of the EC Treaty, on the European Parliament's amendments to the Council's Common Position regarding the proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on airport charges
COM(2009) 109		6.3.2009	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament pursuant to the second subparagraph of Article 251(2) of the EC Treaty concerning the Common Position of the Council on the adoption of the proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending the common consular instructions on visas for diplomatic and consular posts in relation to the introduction of biometrics, including provisions on the organisation of the reception and processing of visa applications

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(Notices)

NOTICES FROM EUROPEAN UNION INSTITUTIONS, BODIES, OFFICES AND AGENCIES

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Euro exchange rates (1) 24 March 2010

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1 euro =

	Currency	Exchange rate		Currency	Exchange rate
USD	US dollar	1,3338	AUD	Australian dollar	1,4655
JPY	Japanese yen	122,62	CAD	Canadian dollar	1,3651
DKK	Danish krone	7,4404	HKD	Hong Kong dollar	10,3524
GBP	Pound sterling	0,89460	NZD	New Zealand dollar	1,9030
SEK	Swedish krona	9,6922	SGD	Singapore dollar	1,8739
CHF	Swiss franc	1,4282	KRW	South Korean won	1 517,92
ISK	Iceland króna		ZAR	South African rand	9,8469
NOK	Norwegian krone	8,0280	CNY	Chinese yuan renminbi	9,1054
BGN	Bulgarian lev	1,9558	HRK	Croatian kuna	7,2625
CZK	Czech koruna	25,378	IDR	Indonesian rupiah	12 180,34
EEK	Estonian kroon	15,6466	MYR	Malaysian ringgit	4,4249
HUF	Hungarian forint	264,03	PHP	Philippine peso	60,746
LTL	Lithuanian litas	3,4528	RUB	Russian rouble	39,6200
LVL	Latvian lats	0,7079	THB	Thai baht	43,168
PLN	Polish zloty	3,8886	BRL	Brazilian real	2,3884
RON	Romanian leu	4,0685	MXN	Mexican peso	16,7078
TRY	Turkish lira	2,0611	INR	Indian rupee	60,6100

⁽¹⁾ Source: reference exchange rate published by the ECB.

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- OJ C 194 of 31.7.2008

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COM(2008) 62R		14.2.2008	Interim report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on progress in Romania under the cooperation and verification mechanism
COM(2008) 63R		14.2.2008	Interim report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on progress in Bulgaria under the cooperation and verification mechanism

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COM(2008) 164		3.4.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Parliament and the Council on the implementation of the European Neighbourhood Policy in 2007
COM(2008) 207		22.4.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions on the protection of consumers, in particular minors, in respect of the use of video games
COM(2008) 227		30.4.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions on the application of Regulation (EEC) No 95/93 on common rules for the allocation of slots at Community airports, as amended
COM(2008) 391		19.6.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament on the report on the first year of implementation of the Black Sea synergy
COM(2008) 397		16.7.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions on the sustainable consumption and production and sustainable industrial policy action plan
COM(2008) 465		16.7.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council and the European Economic and Social Committee on an industrial property rights strategy for Europe
COM(2008) 466		16.7.2008	Green Paper on copyright in the knowledge economy
COM(2008) 480		18.7.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Council, the European Parliament, the European Economic and Social Committee, the Committee of the Regions and the European Central Bank on the seventh report on the practical preparations for the future enlargement of the euro area
COM(2008) 494		23.7.2008	Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on progress in Romania under the cooperation and verification mechanism
COM(2008) 495		23.7.2008	Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on progress in Bulgaria under the cooperation and verification mechanism
COM(2008) 496		23.7.2008	Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on the management of EU funds in Bulgaria
COM(2008) 499		30.7.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and Council on the Annual Report to the discharge authority on internal audits carried out in 2007
COM(2008) 500		1.8.2008	Communication from the Commission on the summary of the progress report to the Council on the implementation of Council Recommendation 2005/835/EC of 14 November 2005 on priority actions to increase cooperation in the field of archives in Europe presented by the European Archives Group
COM(2008) 501		1.8.2008	Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on the second report on the results of the pilot studies referred to in Article 4(3) and Article 5(1) of Regulation (EC) No 2150/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2002 on waste statistics

Document	Part	Date	Title
COM(2008) 502		1.8.2008	Report from the Commission to the Council on the second monitoring and evaluation report on the operation Council Common Position 2005/69/JHA
COM(2008) 503		13.8.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Council, the European Parliament, the Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions on the final evaluation report on the Community framework strategy and Community action programme relating to the Community strategy on gender equality (2001-2006)
COM(2008) 507	1	4.8.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Council on a negotiation mandate authorising the Commission to negotiate an agreement between the European Atomic Energy Community (Euratom) and the Department of Energy of the United States of America (USDOE) in the field of nuclear security research and development
COM(2008) 510		7.8.2008	Communication from the Commission on the scope of the liability of air carriers and airports in the event of destroyed, damaged or lost mobility equipment of passengers with reduced mobility when travelling by air
COM(2008) 511		12.8.2008	Report from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament on the first monitoring report on steel restructuring in Bulgaria and Romania
COM(2008) 515		13.8.2008	Communication from the Commission on the progress report as at 31 March 2008 on the modernisation of the accounting system of the European Commission

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COM(2008) 621		7.10.2008	2008 Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on implementation of the Code of Practice
COM(2008) 641		15.10.2008	Green Paper on agricultural product quality: product standards, farming requirements and quality schemes
COM(2008) 674		5.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament — Enlargement Strategy and Main Challenges 2008-2009
COM(2008) 679		11.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions on Rare Diseases: Europe's challenges
COM(2008) 680		30.10.2008	Report from the Commission to the Council on the Council Resolution of 23 November 2007 on Modernising Universities for Europe's competitiveness in a global knowledge economy
COM(2008) 692		12.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament — The Commission's ex-Economat off budget bank accounts
COM(2008) 693		31.10.2008	Preliminary Draft amending Budget No 10 to the General Budget 2008 — Statement of Expenditure by Section — Section III — Commission
COM(2008) 699		4.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council — The raw materials initiative — meeting our critical needs for growth and jobs in Europe
COM(2008) 706		29.10.2008	Communication from the Commission from financial crisis to recovery: A European framework for action
COM(2008) 712		5.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions — Commission Legislative and Work Programme 2009 — Acting now for a better Europe
COM(2008) 714		10.11.2008	Report from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament on the development of the VISA information system (VIS) in 2007 (submitted in response to the obligation under Article 6 of the Council Decision No 2004/512/EC of 8 June 2004)
COM(2008) 718		14.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on the proposal for a Council Regulation establishing a Community control system for ensuring compliance with the rules of the Common Fisheries Policy
COM(2008) 719		11.11.2008	Report from the Commission to the Council and the European Parliament — Sixth report under Article 12 of Regulation (EEC, Euratom) No 1553/89 on VAT collection and control procedures
COM(2008) 722		12.11.2008	Report from the Commission — European Union Solidarity Fund — Annual Report 2007
COM(2008) 740		5.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Council — Review of EU-Russia relations

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COM(2008) 741		13.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council — The European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control activities on Communicable diseases: the positive outcomes since the Centre's establishment and the planned activities and resource needs
COM(2008) 748		12.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, the Council, the European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions — Global Monitoring for Environment and Security (GMES): we care for a safer planet
COM(2008) 750		14.11.2008	Communication from the Commission to the Council and to the European Parliament — The Air Traffic Management Master Plan (the ATM Master Plan)
COM(2008) 752		14.11.2008	Report from the Commission — Annual Report on the Cohesion Fund (2007)
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EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Publication of an application pursuant to Article 6(2) of Council Regulation (EC) No 510/2006 on the protection of geographical indications and designations of origin for agricultural products and foodstuffs

(2010/C 76/17)

This publication confers the right to object to the application pursuant to Article 7 of Council Regulation (EC) No 510/2006 (1). Statements of objection must reach the Commission within six months from the date of this publication.

SINGLE DOCUMENT

'JAMBON DE L'ARDÈCHE' EC No: FR-PGI-0005-0595-10.04.2007

PGI (X) PDO ()

1. Name:

'Jambon de l'Ardèche'

2. Member State or third country:

France

- 3. Description of the agricultural product or foodstuff:
- 3.1. Type of product:

Class 1.2. Meat products (cooked, salted, smoked, etc.)

3.2. Description of product to which the name in (1) applies:

General description:

Jambon de l'Ardèche is a dry-cured product. It is a noble product which comes from the hind leg of a pig, weighing a minimum of 8,5 kg when fresh, and is prepared and spiral-sliced before being rubbed by hand with salt mixed with saltpetre, pepper and spices, rested and then matured and ripened for at least seven months.

Jambon de l'Ardèche is round at the base and extends progressively to the foot which is disjointed beforehand (detached at the joint). The aitchbone is cut straight, parallel to the axis of the ham, at a distance of 2 cm from the head of the femur, which has been freed. The inner face of the ham is uncovered down to the bottom.

Curing and ripening:

Jambon de l'Ardèche is cured in several stages. The ham is coated during ripening. This involves coating the uncovered, lean face with a mixture of lard (the coating), spices and chestnut flour from the Ardèche.

The age of jambon de l'Ardèche is counted from the first day of salting when it comes out of the drying room. It is aged for a minimum of seven, nine or 12 months. The minimum dry weight of the ham, on the bone, is 6 kg.

The older the ham, the more developed its organoleptic qualities and in particular its flavour. Also, with time, water loss increases and the meat becomes firmer. In order to optimise the balance between flavour and texture, the minimum dry weight in relation to age must be determined.

Age of the dry-cured ham Weight of the dry-cured ham

7 months \geq 6 kg 9 months \geq 6,7 kg 12 months \geq 7,3 kg

The length of the ripening phase is indicated for the consumer on the label of jambon de l'Ardèche.

Smoking; an optional stage:

The dry-cured ham can also be lightly smoked once it is ready. This optional process is carried out dry in a smoke generator with chestnut wood only. This emphasises the traditional appearance of the ham.

In this case the label contains the information 'dry-smoked with chestnut wood'.

Organoleptic properties:

Jambon de l'Ardèche is characterised by a supple and pleasant texture, which is slightly firmer on the surface.

Slicing it reveals dark red, bordeaux-coloured lean meat, which can be lightly marbled and can be covered with a layer of white fat. The thickness of this fat layer (1 to 2 cm) can vary depending on the size of the ham.

Jambon de l'Ardèche is characterised by a strong, lightly salted and spiced, meaty flavour. Its flavour and odour assert themselves over a long ripening period. They combine a light scent of chestnuts spread right to the heart of the ham with the coating process. They exhibit the richness of the typical aromas of dry-cured mountain ham.

Physico-chemical characteristics:

The physico-chemical characteristics of the product once it is ready to be marketed must respect the legal values.

Also, the $a_{\rm w}$ of the dry product must not exceed 0,91.

Presentation of the product:

After ripening, jambon de l'Ardèche can be presented:

Whole, on the bone: without the foot, which was disjointed when the ham was fresh.

Whole off the bone: Slit, boned, then sewn up and pressed into a mould (ham moulding process).

The product can be marketed in different forms:

- whole ham, on the bone, bare or packaged in a cotton cloth (muslin),
- whole ham, boned, moulded, vacuum packed,

- ½ or ¼ ham, boned, vacuum packed,
- whole ham, boned, rindless, trimmed, moulded and vacuum-packed,
- ½ or ¼ ham, boned, rindless, trimmed, moulded and vacuum-packed,
- slices of ham on a vacuum packed tray or packaged appropriately in a controlled atmosphere.

However it is presented, jambon de l'Ardèche exhibits the same distinctive signs and has been selected in the same way.

3.3. Raw materials:

The raw material comes from domestic pigs, both standard-weight and heavy-weight, according to the following conditions:

Only hams that are fresh and originate from the EU (animals born, raised and slaughtered in the European Union) are authorised for 'jambon de l'Ardèche'.

The meat must respect the minimum criteria below:

- for standard-weight pigs:
 - hot carcass weight at slaughter is between 72 and 89 kg
 - the minimum age for slaughter is 172 days
 - the muscle ratio is between 53 % and 63 %
- for heavy-weight pigs:
 - hot carcass weight is greater than or equal to 90 kg
 - the average age for slaughter is 182 days
 - the muscle ratio is between 53 % and 63 %

All pigs (standard-weight pigs and heavy-weight pigs) must also meet certain requirements:

- genetics:
 - the pigs are the descendants of pigs from pig selection bodies or certified artificial insemination centres.
 - In other cases, the ratio of standard-weight pigs that are sensitive to halothane is < 3 % and the animals are unharmed by the RN- allele (no occurrences).

The ham used cannot have a fresh weight of less that 8,5 kg after carving and spiral slicing.

Hams that look flawed (abscess, soft and oily fat, exudative meat, exogenous substances, fractures, etc.) are filtered out. Furthermore, the fat must be white. The hams must not show depilation flaws, ripped or burnt rinds, blood spots or any type of bruising, fractures or abscesses. These flaws in appearance must be limited to 5 % of hams showing one or more flaws.

- 3.4. Feed (for products of animal origin only):
 - All pigs (standard-weight pigs and heavy-weight pigs) must also meet certain feed conditions:
 - a minimum of 60 % of the pigs' feed consists of cereals and cereal-based products,
 - it is forbidden to use artificial additives containing growth factor during the animal's entire life.
- 3.5. Specific steps in production that must take place in the identified geographical area:

The production steps from salting to ripening the ham (salting, brushing, washing, resting or maturing, drying, ripening), and smoking after production if relevant, must be carried out in the geographical area of the PGI as they are steps that determine the specificity of the product.

3.6. Specific rules concerning slicing, grating, packaging, etc.:

Not applicable

- 3.7. Specific rules concerning labelling:
 - Name under which product is sold: Jambon de l'Ardèche
 - Length of the ripening period (seven, nine or 12 months)
 - Where relevant 'smoked with chestnut wood'
 - PGI logo
 - With the wording 'Protected Geographical Indication'

4. Concise definition of the geographical area:

The geographical area is located in south-east France in the Rhône-Alpes region.

It is limited to the 212 municipalities in the Ardèche department that are situated in a mountain area defined by Law 8530 of 9 January 1985, updated by the bylaw of 28 May 1997.

Its eastern border is formed by the eastern side of the Massif Central and it stretches to the west over the Viverais mountains, Boutières and Montagne Ardèchoise with the Coiron massif (excluding its southern face) at the centre, and more to the south the Tarnargue massif, and the Vivarais Cévénol ledge right to the far south: Accons, Aizac, Ajoux, Albon, Alboussière, Alissas, Annonay, Antraigues sur Volane, Arcens, Arlebosc, Asperjoc, Astet, Aubignais, Barnas, Béage, Beaumont, Beauvene, Berzeme, Boffres, Borée, Borne, Bosas, Boucieu le roi, Boulieu les Annonay, Burzet, Cellier du luc, Chalencon, Chambon, Champis, Chaneac, Chassiers, Chateauneuf de Vernoux, Chazeaux, Le Cheylard, Chirols, Colombier le Jeune, Colombier le Vieux, Coucouron, Coux, Le Crestet, Creysseilles, Cros de Georand, Darbres, Desaignes, Devesset, Dompnac, Dornas, Dunières sur Eyrieux, Empurany, Fabras, Faugeres, Flaviac, Freyssenet, Genestelle, Gilhac et Bauzac, Gilhoc sur Ormèze, Gluiras, Gourdot, Gravières, Intres, Issamoulenc, Issanlas, Issarlès, Jaujac, Jaunac, Joannas, Juvinas, Labastide de Juvinas, Labatie d'Andaure, Laboule, Lac d'Issarlès, Lachamp Raphaël, La Chapelle Graillouse, La chapelle sous chanéac, Lafarre, Lalevade d'Ardèche, Lalouvesc, Lamastre, Lanarce, Laval d'Aurelle, Laveyrune, Lavillatte, Laviolle, Lentilleres, Lesperon, Loubaresse, Lyas, Malarce sur la Thines, Malbosc, Marcols les eaux, Mariac, Mars, Mayres, Mazais l'abbaye, Meyrac, Mezilhac, Mirabelle, Monestier, Montpezat sous bauzon, Montselgues, Nonières, Nozières, Ollières sur Eyrieux, Pailharès, Payzac, Pereyres, Plagnac, Planzolles, Plats, Pont de la beaume, Pourcheres, Prades, Pranles, Preaux, Privas, Prunet, Ribes, Rochepaule, Rocher, Rochessauve, Rochette, Rocles, Roiffieux, Roux, Sablières, Sagnes et Coudoulet, Saint Agrève, Saint Alban d'Ay, Saint Alban en Montagne, Saint Andéol de Fourchades, Saint Andéol de Vals, Saint André en Vivarais, Saint André Lachamp, Saint Apollinaire de Rias, Saint Barthélémy le Meil, Saint Barthélémy le Pin, Saint Barthélémy le Plain, Saint Basile, Saint Bauzile, Saint Christol, Saint Cierge la Serre, Saint Cierge sous le Cheylard, Saint Cirgues de Prades, Saint Cirgues en Montagne, Saint Clément, Saint Etienne de Boulogne, Saint Etienne de Lugdarès, Saint Etienne de Serre, Sainte Eulalie,

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5. Link with the geographical area:

5.1. Specificity of the geographical area:

The geographical area consists of mountains and highland areas with uneven terrain that are often windswept.

Its eastern border is formed by the eastern side of the Massif Central and it stretches to the west over the Viverais mountains, Boutières and Montagne Ardèchoise with the Coiron massif (excluding its southern face) at the centre, and more to the south the Tarnargue massif, and the Vivarais Cévénol ledge arriving in the far south of Vans and Malbosc.

The altitude varies from an average of 500 metres to 1 700 metres. This area is wooded to the north and the centre with fir trees and chestnut trees. To the south the vegetation tends to consist more of bushes and shrubs. The climate is continental to semi-continental: cold and dry at altitude with harsh winters and short, sunny summers.

To respect the length of the ripening process with suitable air and temperature conditions, ham production used to be located in mountain areas where these conditions were all present for most of the year.

Ripening in mountain areas has continued and remains a strong characteristic of ham production today, as have using chestnut flour from the Ardèche during the coating process and if the ham is to be smoked, using only chestnut wood that is very present locally since the Ardèche is the largest producer of chestnuts in France (50 % of national production).

Today, the geographical area is still characterised by a strong presence of small and medium-sized curing enterprises that have often been in business for more than one hundred years and have passed on their history and savoir faire over the centuries and generations in an areas where the geographical and climatic conditions were favourable for them.

5.2. Specificity of the product:

The specificity of jambon de l'Ardèche is based on both the long reputation of this product and of salt meats from the Ardèche in general, and the specific savoir faire that guarantees the best expression of the aroma and taste specificities of the product.

The reputation of jambon de l'Ardèche:

Jambons de l'Ardèche have built their reputation up over the centuries. From as far back as the 16th century there are references to traditional pig killing rituals, real festive traditions that made it possible to live through the winter from the carcasses, all of which can be used down to the smallest detail. At that time, black pudding, bacon, chitterlings and sausages were prepared according to regional traditions in countries abundant in chestnuts, bacon joints and hams were hung near chestnuts when they were dried in smoke to whiten them. Farms were transformed into real larders. In his books about travel in Haut Vivarais, Mazon marvelled at the 'ceilings decorated with bacon, hock, trotters and strings of sausages'.

This legacy lives on and each generation has been able to make its contribution and to pass on its demands and savoir faire.

So it is at the heart of this land and these mountains rich in history, tradition and savoir faire that the jambon de l'Ardèche's reputation was built and relayed to his native Vivarais by Olivier de Serres, father of French agriculture from the 16th century, who explained in his books how to produce ham, by Charles Forot, the famous poet from the Ardèche, and by Curnonsky, who christened the Ardèche 'a gourmet's paradise' and a small village in the Ardèche 'the Mecca of cold meat'.

From the XX century with the development of food tourism, jambon de l'Ardèche has been recognised as a traditional local product belonging to French culinary heritage. It is famous in France, Europe and beyond.

The savoir faire used in its preparation:

In the Ardèche there has been a real pig culture anchored in tradition since the 16th century. The recipe corresponds to the old savoir faire and allows the jambon de l'Ardèche to reach its full physiological maturity and the best expression of its taste by the end of the ripening phase.

This recipe requires the meticulous selection of raw materials, salting by hand with salt, coating with local chestnut flour and ripening for at least seven months depending on the weight of the ham.

The only cut of meat used for jambon de l'Ardèche is the fresh hind leg of a pig. The quality of the fresh meat, in particular the quality of the lean meat and of the fat, is guaranteed by sorting the hams meticulously and also by the criteria relating to the raw material (traditional cereal-based feed, genetic criteria, slaughter age and weight of the carcass, ratio of lean meat). Once it has been selected, the ham is salted by rubbing it by hand with salt, mixed with saltpetre, pepper and spices. The only additive allowed is saltpetre. The ham then goes through a compulsory maturation phase before going into the drying room.

During the ripening phase, the ham is coated with a mixture of lard, spices and chestnut flour from the Ardèche. The weight of the dry-cured ham on the bone is related to its age, which can be either seven, nine or 12 months, when it comes out of the ripening phase.

The ham can also be smoked but this is optional. It is done in a smoking room with chestnut wood used in a smoke generator. It is forbidden to use smoke aroma.

Specific quality: visual, aromatic and taste characteristics.

Jambon de l'Ardèche is the product of carefully selected raw materials and a traditional and specific recipe, which give it its special characteristics.

Jambon de l'Ardèche is characterised by a supple and pleasant texture, which is slightly firmer on the surface, even though it is softened by the effect of the coating.

Slicing it reveals bordeaux-coloured lean meat, which can be lightly marbled and have a layer of white fat. The thickness of this fat layer (1 to 2 cm) can vary depending on the size of the ham. Its odour shows the richness of aroma that is typical of dry-cured mountain ham after lengthy ripening.

The coating adds a light chestnut scent spread to the heart of the ham to a pronounced meaty taste, lightly salted and spiced with hints of hazelnut.

Smoking with chestnut wood, when it is done, emphasizes the traditional appearance of the ham.

5.3. Causal link between the geographical area and the quality or characteristics of the product (for PDO) or a specific quality, the reputation or other characteristic of the product (for PGI):

The Ardèche has been famous for centuries for its various cured pork products, in particular for its hams, which are dry-cured hams. The mountain areas in the Ardèche bring together all the natural conditions (temperature, hygrometry, wind) that are favourable for the production of cured meat and ripening in a natural environment.

This traditional production has made it possible to use savoir faire to produce dry-cured hams. Today there is a strong influence in the choice and the quality of the meat used and in the traditional production methods that shows this savoir faire specific to the region: salting by rubbing by hand with salt and coating by hand with chestnut flour from the Ardèche. Jambon de l'Ardèche requires a particularly long drying time and has always been heavily linked to its environment. Ripening in mountain areas has continued and remains a strong characteristic of the production of jambon de l'Ardèche.

Traditionally those who dry-cured meat used chestnut wood, which was readily available in mountain areas. Chestnut trees have always covered vast tracts of mountain areas in the Ardèche and are a tree crop, the Ardèche being the largest producer of chestnuts in France, with more than 50 % of the national harvest. Naturally, chestnut flour is then used by meat curers as a main ingredient in the coating for the lean parts of the ham.

To emphasize the traditional appearance of the ham, only chestnut wood can be used to dry-smoke the ham.

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