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Som det fremgår af Kommissionens meddelelse af 16. marts 2005 ”Bedre regulering til gavn for vækst og beskæftigelse i Den Europæiske Union”¹ har Kommissionen besluttet at styrke sin indsats for ved hjælp af en bedre EU-lovgivning at fremme målsætningerne med hensyn til partnerskab for vækst og beskæftigelse.

Hvis man vil fremme den europæiske konkurrenceevne, skal EU-lovgivningen være af højeste kvalitet, og for at nå dette mål skal den eksisterende lovgivning om nødvendigt forenkles og opdateres, hvilket vil blive gjort gennem en række allerede fastlagte foranstaltninger, herunder iværksættelsen af en ny fase af forenklingsprogrammet i oktober 2005.

Kommissionen har ligeledes besluttet, at den bedre regulering skal være en integrerende del ved udformningen af alle sine politikker, og at den i sine nye lovforslag skal forsøge at fremme bedre regulering og således bidrage til konkurrenceevnen. Dette føres bl.a. ud i praksis ved at kræve, at der - som meddelt i Kommissionens lovgivnings- og arbejdsprogram for 2005, for hvilket der for nylig blev vedtaget omfattende og detaljerede retningslinjer² - for alle nye lovgivningsforslag udarbejdes en konsekvensanalyse.

Hvad angår forslag, som Kommissionen allerede har fremlagt, og for hvilke lovgivningsprocessen endnu ikke er afsluttet, fremgår det af meddelelsen fra marts, at Kommissionen har til hensigt at foretage en screening af de forslag, som er under behandling i Rådet/Parlamentet, med hensyn til deres overordnede relevans, indvirkning på konkurrenceevnen og andre konsekvenser. I denne meddelelse beskrives således målsætningerne, proceduren og resultaterne af denne screening, som er den første af slagsen.

1. Målsætninger med screeningen af verserende lovforslag

Screeningen skal give Kommissionen mulighed for at sikre, at alle verserende lovforslag er i fuldstændig overensstemmelse med Kommissionens politiske prioriteringer, og kontrollere, hvorvidt det som følge af ændrede forhold er nødvendigt at tage det oprindelige forslag op til revision.

I de tilfælde, hvor en revision af et lovforslag synes nødvendig, gav screeningen ligeledes mulighed for at finde frem til passende foranstaltninger, herunder ændring, erstatning eller tilbagetrækning af verserende forslag samt forbedring af deres konsekvensanalyse.

Mere specifikt gik screeningen ud på at undersøge de verserende forslag ud fra tre kriterier:

Først blev de verserende forslag undersøgt med hensyn til deres overensstemmelse med EU's Lissabon-målsætninger, særlig ønsket om at fremme konkurrenceevnen. De kriterier, der lå til grund for evalueringen af forslag i denne henseende, er de kriterier, der er specificeret i

¹ KOM(2005) 97.

² SEK(2005) 791.

“konkurrenceevne-testen”, der er del af de for nylig reviderede retningslinjer for konsekvensanalyse³.

For det andet blev de verserende forslag evalueret med hensyn til, om der var sket væsentlige fremskridt i lovgivningsprocessen over en bestemt periode. Når dette ikke var tilfældet, blev årsagerne til den langsomme lovgivningsproces og mulighederne for at fremskynde processen ligeledes undersøgt.

For det tredje blev de verserende forslag evalueret med henblik på at fastslå, hvorvidt de opfylder kravene til bedre regulering, især med hensyn til passende konsekvensanalyse. Dette kriterium vedrører især de forslag, der blev fremlagt, inden det blev et formelt krav at udarbejde konsekvensanalyser.

2. Screeningsprocessen

Da screeningen startede i april 2005, var der i alt 489⁴ verserende lovforslag. Screeningen som defineret i meddelelsen fra marts omfattede udtrykkeligt kun verserende forslag fra før den 1. januar 2004. Det drejede sig således om 183 forslag.

Disse forslag blev underkastet en grundig evaluering, der gjorde det muligt at identificere omkring 100 forslag, som udgør egentlige nye lovgivningsinitiativer, og som blev yderligere evalueret for at finde eventuelle negative konsekvenser for konkurrenceevnen eller mere generelle økonomiske konsekvenser. De øvrige lovforslag vurderes at have en begrænset eller slet ingen indvirkning på konkurrenceevnen. Det drejer sig hovedsagelig om forslag, der er fremlagt som følge af EU's internationale forpligtelser, eller som er tilpasninger af den gældende EU-lovgivning til den videnskabelige og tekniske udvikling. Nogle af disse forslag bidrager ligeledes til en “bedre regulering”, eftersom de kodificerer eller forenkler den eksisterende EU-lovgivning.

3. Resultater af screeningsprocessen

Kommissionen agter på grundlag af en detaljeret analyse af alle verserende forslag at foretage følgende to typer foranstaltninger:

(1) Nogle forslag skal trækkes tilbage: Kommissionen agter at trække i alt 68 forslag tilbage. Disse forslag anses for ikke at være i overensstemmelse med Lissabon-målsætningerne eller principperne om bedre regulering, de anses for ikke at skride hurtig nok frem i lovgivningsprocessen, eller de anses ikke længere for relevante⁵ (hvis f.eks. målsætningerne allerede er eller vil blive opnået ad andre veje). Visse af disse forslag vil eventuelt blive taget op til fornyet overvejelse i lyset af en yderligere analyse. I visse tilfælde agter Kommissionen at overveje behovet for indgreb i lyset af resultaterne af en omfattende konsekvensanalyse.

³ Jf. fodnote 2.

⁴ Kommissionen behandler således hvert år omkring 200/250 forslag, der fremlægges som følge af EU's internationale forpligtelser, behovet for at opdatere den gældende EU-lovgivning og/eller for at opfylde forpligtelser over for EU-lovgiver.

⁵ Kommissionen har løbende trukket forslag tilbage, hvilket har reduceret mængden af verserende forslag. 34 forslag blev trukket tilbage i 1997, 58 i 1999, 108 i 2001 og 102 i 2004.

(2) Andre forslag skal forblive i lovgivningsprocessen, men ledsaget af en økonomisk analyse, der skal forelægges lovgiver⁶. Det drejer sig om 5 forslag, som Kommissionen fortsat mener er vigtige, men hvor det vil fremme lovgivers beslutningstagen, hvis der foreligger en yderligere konsekvensanalyse.

Man vil således som følge af Kommissionens screening gribe ind over for i alt 73 verserende forslag. Det drejer sig om forslag, der ikke på tilstrækkelig vis opfylder kravene med hensyn til konkurrenceevne, forslag, for hvilke lovgiver har behov for en yderligere økonomisk analyse, og forslag, for hvilke lovgivningsprocessen går for langsomt, eller som ikke længere er relevante.

De forslag, der trækkes tilbage, repræsenterer 31 %⁷ af alle verserende forslag fra før den 1. januar 2004. Alle de forslag, der er genstand for indgreb, herunder forslag, for hvilke der skal udarbejdes en yderligere økonomisk analyse, repræsenterer 33 %⁸ af disse verserende forslag.

Der blev ved screeningen desuden identificeret mindst to forslag, der ikke falder ind under ovennævnte kategorier. For det første, hvad angår forslaget til Europa-Parlamentets og Rådets direktiv om minimumsforskrifter for sikkerhed og sundhed i forbindelse med arbejdstagernes eksponering for risici på grund af fysiske agenser (optisk stråling), 1992/0449/COD, har Kommissionen på grundlag af screeningen konkluderet, at aspekterne vedrørende arbejdstageres eksponering for naturlig optisk stråling skal fjernes, således som Europa-Parlamentet har foreslået.

For det andet, hvad angår forslaget om vikaransatte (2002/0072/COD), forbeholder Kommissionen sig ret til at tage sit forslag op til fornyet overvejelse i lyset af de kommende drøftelser vedrørende andre forslag.

Bilaget til denne meddelelse indeholder en sammenfatning af situationen og yderligere detaljer vedrørende de berørte forslag.

Konklusion

Denne screening af verserende forslag er den første omfattende screening, som Kommissionen har foretaget. Dette viser, at Kommissionen fuldt ud støtter op omkring partnerskabet for vækst og beskæftigelse, og at den agter at sikre, at principperne om bedre regulering gennemføres i praksis.

Det er hensigten, at de foranstaltninger, der træffes på grundlag af screeningen, dvs. de planlagte indgreb over for verserende forslag som beskrevet i bilaget, skal have en positiv indvirkning på opfyldelsen af Lissabon-målsætningerne i form af fremme af konkurrenceevnen, udvikling af bedre lovgivningsrammer og tilbagetrækning af forslag, der ikke forventes at kunne blive vedtaget, eller som ikke længere er relevante.

En række verserende forslag vil i visse tilfælde blive trukket tilbage inden for rammerne af en overordnet revision af Kommissionens politikker eller med henblik på at revidere disse

⁶ Fluorholdige gasser, overførsel af affald, undertegnelse af konvention om mobiludstyr til luftfartøjer, moms for rejsebureauer og administrativt samarbejde vedrørende moms.

⁷ Ud af 68 forslag, der trækkes tilbage, blev 12 vedtaget af Kommissionen i 2004.

⁸ Se fodnote 7.

forslag i lyset af nye elementer i Kommissionens politikker og en omfattende konsekvensanalyse.

I overensstemmelse med rammeaftalen om forbindelserne mellem Europa-Parlamentet og Kommissionen (punkt 32) giver Kommissionen hermed Europa-Parlamentet og Rådet forhåndsmeddelelse, inden forslagene trækkes tilbage.

ANNEX

1- Proposals to be withdrawn

Agriculture

- COM(88) 431/2: Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE establishing the terms and conditions of officially supported export credits for agricultural products
- 1994/0254/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) on the crediting of securities, deposits and guarantees furnished under the common agricultural policy and subsequently forfeited, and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 352/78
- 2000/0152/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION amending Regulation (EC) No 1251/1999 establishing a support system for producers of certain arable crops, in order to include rice
- COM(2003) 89: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION authorising the offer and delivery for direct human consumption of certain wines imported from Australia which may have undergone oenological practices not provided for in Regulation (EC) No 1493/1999

Competition

- 1997/0137/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) amending Regulation (EEC) No. 3975/87 laying down the procedure for the application of the rules on competition to undertakings in the air transport sector
- 1997/0138/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) on the application of Article 85(3) of the Treaty to certain categories of agreement and concerted practices in the air transport sector between the Community and third countries

Development

- COM(1999) 273: Proposal for a DECISION OF THE COUNCIL AND OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MEMBER STATES MEETING WITHIN THE COUNCIL authorising the Commission to open negotiations with the ACP States with a view to amending the third ACP-EEC Convention, signed at Lomé on 8 December 1984, the fourth ACP-EEC Convention, signed at Lomé on 15 December 1989, and the fourth ACP-EC Convention as revised by the Mauritius Agreement of 4 November 1995

Economic and Financial Affairs

- SEC(2004) 485/2: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on making public the recommendation with a view to giving early warning to Italy in order to prevent the occurrence of an excessive deficit

Enlargement

- 1996/0153/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION concerning the conclusion of an Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters in the area of certification of industrial products under the framework of the Europe Agreement between the European

Community and its member states of the one part, and the Republic of Poland of the other part

- COM(1999) 675: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Hungary, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of provisions for the co-ordination of social security schemes
- COM(1999) 676: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Poland, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of provisions for the co-ordination of social security schemes
- COM(1999) 678: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Estonia, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of provisions for the co-ordination of social security schemes
- COM(1999) 679: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Czech Republic, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of provisions for the co-ordination of social security schemes
- COM(1999) 680: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Latvia, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of provisions for the co-ordination of social security schemes
- COM(1999) 681 : Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Lithuania, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of provisions for the co-ordination of social security schemes
- COM(1999) 682: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Slovenia, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of provisions for the co-ordination of social security schemes
- COM(1999) 684: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Slovak Republic, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of provisions for the co-ordination of social security schemes

- 2002/0213/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL AND COMMISSION DECISION .../.../EC, ECSC on the conclusion of an additional Protocol to the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Czech Republic, of the other part, with regard to an extension of the period foreseen in the provisions of Article 8(4) of Protocol 2 of the Europe Agreement with the Czech Republic
- 2002/0027/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community within the Association Committee established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Slovak Republic, of the other part, with regard to the adoption of a Regional aid map on the basis of which public aid granted by the Slovak Republic will be assessed
- 2002/0145/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION relating to the conclusion of an Additional Protocol adjusting the trade aspects of the Europe Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Poland, of the other part, to take account of the outcome of the negotiations between the parties on new mutual agricultural concessions

Enterprise and Industry

- 1991/0386/COD: Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the statute for a European association
- 1991/0390/COD : Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the statute for a European mutual society
- 1991/0387/COD: Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council supplementing the Statute for a European association with regard to the involvement of employees
- 1991/0391/COD: Proposal for a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council supplementing the Statute for a European mutual society with regard to the involvement of employees
- SEC(90) 431: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) amending Regulation (EEC) No 428/89 concerning the export of certain dangerous chemicals
- 2000/0235/COD: Proposal for a EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND COUNCIL DIRECTIVE amending Directive 80/232/EEC as regards the range of nominal weights for coffee extracts and chicory extracts
- 2003/0289/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community in the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Hungary, of the other part, concerning the improvement of the trade arrangements for processed agricultural products provided for in Protocol 3 of the Europe Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Hungary
- 2004/0005/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community in the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Slovak Republic,

of the other part, concerning the improvement of the trade arrangements for processed agricultural products provided for in Protocol 3 of the Europe Agreement between the European Community and the Slovak Republic

- 2004/0006/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community in the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Slovenia, of the other part, concerning the improvement of the trade arrangements for processed agricultural products provided for in Protocol 3 of the Europe Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Slovenia
- 2004/0015/ACC : Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community in the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Latvia, of the other part, concerning the improvement of the trade arrangements for processed agricultural products provided for in Protocol 2 of the Europe Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Latvia
- 2004/0021/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community in the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Estonia, of the other part, concerning the improvement of the trade arrangements for processed agricultural products provided for in Protocol 2 of the Europe Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Estonia
- 2004/0019/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community in the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Lithuania, of the other part, concerning the improvement of the trade arrangements for processed agricultural products provided for in Protocol 2 of the Europe Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Lithuania
- 2004/0034/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community in the Association Council established by the Agreement between the European Economic Community and Malta concerning the improvements of the trade arrangements for processed agricultural products
- COM(2004) 1: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the Community in the Association Council established by the Europe Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Czech Republic, of the other part, concerning the improvement of the trade arrangements for processed agricultural products provided for in Protocol 3 of the Europe Agreement between the European Community and the Czech Republic

Environment

- 2001/0188/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION relating to the conclusion, on behalf of the Community, of the Protocol on Water and Health to the 1992 Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes

- COM(2003) 263: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the signature, on behalf of the European Community of the Protocol on civil liability and compensation for damage caused by the transboundary effects of industrial accidents transboundary watercourses

Fisheries and Maritime Affairs

- 2001/0096/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION amending Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 establishing a control system applicable to the common fisheries policy
- 2001/0299/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION establishing measures for the recovery of cod and hake stocks
- 2002/0275/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION for the conservation of fishery resources through technical measures for the protection of juveniles of marine organisms
- COM(2004) 783: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION amending Regulation (EC) No 2287/2003 as concerns fishing opportunities for Norway lobster in the North Sea
- COM(2004) 797: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION amending Regulation (EC) No 2287/2003 as concerns fishing opportunities for herring in the Baltic Sea

Internal Market and Services

- 2001/0227/COD: Proposal for a European Parliament and Council Regulation on sales promotion in the internal market
- 1997/0356/COD: Proposal for a European Parliament and Council Directive approximating the legal arrangements for the protection of inventions by utility model

Justice, Freedom and Security

- 2001/0155/CNS: Proposal for a Council Directive relating to the conditions in which third-country nationals shall have the freedom to travel in the territory of the Member States for periods not exceeding 6 months
- 2003/0311/COD: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION on the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (recast)

External Relations

- 2000/0027/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION to refer the dispute regarding the procedure of state registration (renewal of registration) of medicinal products and related fees in Ukraine and to determine the position to be adopted by the Community in the Co-operation Council to settle the dispute
- 2000/0166/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION to supply the Cooperation Council with all relevant information required for a thorough examination of the situation in respect of the import ban imposed by the Russian Federation on fresh eggs for human consumption originating in the European Community
- 2000/0196/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION to supply the Cooperation Council with all relevant information required for a thorough examination of the situation in respect

of the failure by the Russian Federation to fulfil its obligations under the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement in regard to trade in alcoholic beverages

- 2000/0247/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION on countermeasures in response to the failure of the Russian Federation to fulfil its obligations under the Partnership and Cooperation Agreement in regard to trade in alcoholic beverages
- 2002/0139/COD: Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL concerning Community cooperation with Asian and Latin American countries and amending Council Regulation (EC) No 2258/96
- 2003/0160/AVC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the signing of an agreement on the participation of the Czech Republic, the Republic of Estonia, the Republic of Cyprus, the Republic of Latvia, the Republic of Lithuania, the Republic of Hungary, the Republic of Malta, the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Slovenia and the Slovak Republic in the European Economic Area and four related agreements
- COM(2003) 255/2: Amended proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION approving the conclusion by the Commission, on behalf of the European Atomic Energy Community, of an Agreement on a Multilateral Nuclear Environmental Programme in the Russian Federation and of its Protocol on Claims, Legal Proceedings and Indemnification

Research

- COM(2003) 149: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION amending the Council Decision of 16 December 1980 setting up the consultative committee for the fusion programme

Health and Consumer Protection

- 1997/0027/COD: Proposal for a European Parliament and Council 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
- 2000/0180/COD: Proposal for a EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND COUNCIL REGULATION laying down detailed rules for the organisation of official controls on products of animal origin intended for human consumption

Codification

- 2003/0288/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION laying down general rules for the application of measures to improve the production and marketing of honey (consolidated version)

Taxation and Customs Union

- 2001/0266/CNS: Proposal for Council Directive amending Directive 92/81/EEC with regard to the possibility of applying a reduced rate of excise duty on certain mineral oils containing biofuels and on biofuels
- 2002/0191/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE amending Directive 92/81/EEC and Directive 92/82/EEC to introduce special tax arrangements for diesel fuel used for commercial purposes and to align the excise duties on petrol and diesel fuel

- 1998/0210/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) on verification measures, measures relating to the refund system and administrative co-operation measures necessary for the application of Directive 98/xxx/EC
- 1998/0209/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL DIRECTIVE amending Directive 77/388/EEC as regards the rules governing the right to deduct value added tax

Trade

- 2004/0101/ACC: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the application of certain guidelines in the field of officially supported export credits
- COM(2004) 697: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION amending Council Decision 2001/855/EC of 15 November 2001 authorising the automatic renewal or continuation in force of provisions governing matters covered by the common commercial policy contained in the friendship, trade and navigation treaties and trade agreements concluded by Member States and third countries

Energy and Transport

- 1997/0212/COD: Proposal for a Council Directive on safety requirements and attestation of professional competence for cabin crews in Civil Aviation
- 1998/0096/COD: Proposal for a Council Directive on a transparent system of harmonised rules for driving restrictions on heavy goods vehicles involved in international transport on designated roads (“weekend bans”)
- 1996/0301/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the conclusion of the Agreement establishing conditions for the carriage of goods and passengers by inland waterway between the European Community on the one hand, and the Czech Republic, the Republic of Poland and the Slovak Republic on the other
- 1998/0349/COD: Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 3922/91 of 16 December 1991 on the harmonisation of technical rules and administrative procedures in the field of civil aviation
- 2001/0225/CNS: Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION to conclude for the European Community (EC) the “International Joint Convention on the Safety of Spent Fuel Management and the Safety of Radioactive Waste Management”

2- Proposals to be withdrawn and EU action to be reconsidered in the light of further analysis of the impacts

Justice, Freedom and Security

- 2001/0154/CNS: Proposal for a Council Directive on the conditions of entry and residence of third-country nationals for the purpose of paid employment and self-employed economic activities

3- Proposals to be maintained - economic analysis to be presented for the consideration of the legislative authority

Environment

- 2003/0189/COD: Proposal for a European Parliament and Council Regulation on certain fluorinated greenhouse gases
- 2003/0139/COD: Proposal for a European Parliament and Council Regulation on shipments of waste

Justice, Freedom and Security

- 2002/0312/ACC: Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing by the EC of the Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment and its Protocol on matters specific to aircraft equipment; adopted jointly in Cape Town on 16/11/2001

Taxation and Customs Union

- 2002/0041/CNS: Proposal for a Council Directive modifying directive 77/388/CEE on travel agents: special VAT scheme
- 2003/0057/COD: Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EEC) No 218/92 on administrative co-operation in the field of indirect taxation (VAT) as regards additional measures regarding supplies of travel services