



the department for Enterprise

The single market

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PROGRESS ON THE COMMISSION'S 1985 WHITE PAPER

The following tables list progress made in implementing the Commission's 1985 White Paper "Completing the Internal Market". The original White Paper listed some 300 proposals aimed at removing barriers to trade in goods, services, capital and people by 31 December 1992. The broad objectives of the White Paper, though not every measure in it, were endorsed by Heads of Government at the Milan European Council (June 1985).

The Commission's target figure has since been reduced by 279 by the elimination of a few proposals no longer required, the grouping together of others, partially offset by the addition of a small number of new proposals.

- PART A lists measures adopted by the Council of Ministers up to 30 June 1989
- PART B lists proposals currently under discussion in Brussels with a Government contact point identified in each case
- PART C lists measures still to be presented by the Commission to the Council.

Summaries of each of these individual measures, more detail of the stage they have reached (and where appropriate how they have been implemented in this country) are given on DTI's Spearhead database. Spearhead also gives details of other measures which although not included in the Commission's White Paper programme, are nevertheless relevant to business in the context of the single market. Spearhead can also be used to access the full texts of the relevant legislation.

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SINGLE MARKET CHECKLIST

PROPOSALS		Adopted	Partially adopted	Common Positions Agreed	Other proposals in Council	Proposals still to be presented to Council
<u>Part I : The removal of physical barriers</u>						
I	Control of Goods					
I.1	Various controls	4	1	-	2	2
I.2	Veterinary and phytosanitary controls	31	2	-	17	28
II	Control of Individuals	3	-	-	4	1
<u>Part II : The removal of technical barriers</u>						
I	Free movement of goods					
I-1	New approach to technical harmonisation and standards policy	5	-	2	4	1
I-2	Sectoral proposals	52	2	1	7	3
II	Public procurement	2	-	1	2	1
III	Free movement for labour and the professions	7	-	-	2	5
IV	Common market for services					
IV-1	Financial services	10	-	3	9	-
IV-2	Transport	4	1	-	4	3
IV-3	New technologies and services	2	-	1	1	1
V	Capital movements	3	-	-	-	-
VI	Creation of suitable conditions for industrial co-operation	3	-	1	16	1
Part 3	The removal of fiscal barriers VAT/Excise Duties	4	-	-	17	4
TOTAL		279	130	6	85	50

COMPLETION OF THE SINGLE MARKETPART A INITIATIVES AND PROPOSALS ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL UP TO 30 JUNE 1989

SUBJECT	ADOPTION DATE
1 <u>PART ONE: THE REMOVAL OF PHYSICAL BARRIERS</u>	
1 <u>CONTROL OF GOODS</u>	
1 <u>Various controls</u>	
1 Duty free admission of fuel contained in the fuel tanks of commercial motor vehicles: lorries and coaches	PARTIALLY ADOPTED (coaches) 8/7/85 Dir. 85/347 OJ L 183 of 16/7/85
2 Single Administrative document (SAD) - third country aspects	ADOPTED 8/7/85 Reg. 1990/85 & 1901/85 OJ L 179 of 11/7/85
3 Simplification of Community transit procedure: amendment to Reg 222/77	ADOPTED 11/6/87 Reg. 1674/87 OJ L 157 of 17/6/87
4 Abolition of customs presentation charges	ADOPTED 9/6/86 Reg. 1797/86 OJ L 157 of 12/6/86
5 Elimination of customs formalities in the framework of the TIR Convention and the Introduction of common border posts - "banalisation"	ADOPTED 1/12/86 (TIR aspect) Reg. 3690/86 OJ L 341 of 4/12/86 21/12/88 (banalisation aspect) Reg. 4283/88 OJ L 382 of 31/12/88
2 <u>Veterinary and phytosanitary controls</u>	
6 Production and trade in milk	ADOPTED 5/8/85 Dir. 85/397 OJ L 226 of 24/8/85

7	Live animals of the bovine species: amended eradication directives to provide for final eradication of brucellosis, tuberculosis and leukosis in all Member States including Spain and Portugal	ADOPTED 22/12/86 Dec. 87/58 OJs L 24 & L 32 of 27/1 & 3/2/87 respectively
8	Live animals of the porcine species: eradication of African swine fever in Portugal	ADOPTED 16/12/86 Dec. 86/649 OJ L 382 of 31/12/86
9	Live animals of the porcine species: eradication of African swine fever in Spain	ADOPTED 16/12/86 Dec. 86/650 OJ L 382 of 31/12/86
10	Eradication of classical swine fever in the Community as a whole and swine fever	ADOPTED 7/4/87 Decs 87/230 & 87/231 OJ L 99 of 11/4/87 A further 4 decisions: Dirs 87/486, 487 & 489, Dec.87/488 taken on 22/9/87 OJ L 280 of 3/10/87
11	Hormone growth promoters	ADOPTED 16/7/85 Dir. 85/358 OJ L 191 of 23/7/85 and 7/3/88 Dir. 88/146 OJ L 70 of 16/3/88
12	Microbiological controls (meats, poultry, red meat)	ADOPTED 12/6/85 Dir. 85/323 & 85/324 OJ L 168 of 28/6/85
13	Medical examination of Personnel	ADOPTED 12 & 20 June 1985 Dir. 85/325, 85/326 & 85/327, OJ L 168 of 28/6/85
14	Minced meat and similar products imported from 3rd countries	ADOPTED 14/12/88 Dir. 88/657 OJ L 382 of 31/12/88

15	Antibiotic residues	ADOPTED 16.9.86 Dir. 86/469 OJ L 275 of 26/9/86
16	Control of residues	ADOPTED 16.9.86 Dir. 86/469 OJ L 275 of 26/9/86
17	Semen of animals: bovine species (porcine species aspect yet to be adopted)	PARTIALLY ADOPTED 14/6/88 Dir. 88/407 OJ L 194 of 22/7/88
18	Swine fever	ADOPTED 12/6/85 Dirs. 85/320, 85/321 & 85/322 OJ L 168 of 28/6/85
19	Control of foot and mouth disease	ADOPTED 18/11/85 Dir. 85/511 OJ L 315 of 26/11/85
20	Zoo technical standards applicable to breeding animals of the porcine species	ADOPTED 19/12/88 Dir. 88/661 OJ L 382 of 31/12/88
21	Modification of Directive 77/99/EEC on meat products	ADOPTED 14/12/88 Dir. 88/658 OJ L 382 of 31/12/88
22	Amendment to Directive 77/93 (plant health)	ADOPTED 19/12/85 Dir. 85/574 OJ L 372 of 31/12/85 and 14/11/88 (wood and wood products) Dir. 88/572 OJ L 313 of 19/11/88
23	Maximum levels for pesticide residues in cereals and on foodstuffs of animal origin	ADOPTED 24/7/86 Drs. 86/362 & 86/363 OJ L 221 of 7/8/86

24	Amendment of Directive 79/117/EEC on the prohibition of certain plant protection products (ethylene oxide)	ADOPTED 21/7/86 Dir. 86/355 OJ L 212 of 2/8/86
25	Proposal for Directive on the fixing of guidelines for the evaluation of additives used in animal foodstuffs	ADOPTED 16/2/87 Dir. 87/153 OJ L 64 of 7/3/87
26	Modification of Directive 72/461 on health problems affecting Intra-Community trade in fresh meat and Directive 72/462 on health and veterinary inspection problems upon importation of bovine animals and swine and fresh meat from third countries	ADOPTED 30/12/86 Dir. 87/64 OJ L 34 of 5/2/87
27	Acceptance for breeding purposes of purebred breeding animals of the bovine species	ADOPTED 18/6/87 Dir. 87/328 OJ L 167 of 26/6/87
28	Amendment to Directive 80/215 on animal health problems affecting Intra-Community trade in meat products	ADOPTED 22/9/87 Dir. 87/491 OJ L 279 of 2/10/87
29	Amendment to Directive 74/63 on undesirable substances and products in animal nutrition (maximum pesticide residues in animal feedingstuffs)	ADOPTED 19/10/87 Dir. 87/519 OJ L 304 of 27/10/87
30	Improvement of Community systems of certification of seeds	ADOPTED 13/6/88 Dir. 88/380 OJ L 187 of 16/7/88
31	Amendment to Directive 64/433 on health problems affecting intra-Community trade in fresh meat	ADOPTED 3/5/88 Dir. 88/288 OJ L 124 of 18/5/88
32	Amendment to Directive 72/462/EEC on health and veterinary inspection problems upon importation of bovine animals and swine and fresh meat from third countries	ADOPTED 3/5/88 Dir. 88/289 OJ L 124 and L 189 of 18/5/88 and 20/7/88 respectively

33	Harmful organisms in seeds and seed potatoes	ADOPTED 30/5/89 Dir. 89/366 OT L 159 of 10/6/89
34	Pleuro-pneumonia in Portugal - financial scheme for eradication	ADOPTED 20/2/89 Dec. 89/145 OJ L53 of 25/2/89
35	Imports of meat products from third countries (animal and public health)	ADOPTED 21/3/89 Dir. 89/227 OJ L93 of 6/4/89
36	Pedigree animals: sheep and goats	ADOPTED 30/5/89 Dir. 89/361 OJ L153 of 6/6/89
37	Harmonised health conditions for the production and trade in food products, of animal origin not covered by existing legislation: eggs	ADOPTED 19/6/89 No reference number yet assigned
38	Amendment to Directive 77/93 on protective measures concerning entry into Member States of organisms harmful to plants or plant products	PARTIALLY ADOPTED No reference number yet assigned
II	<u>CONTROL OF INDIVIDUALS</u>	
39	Sixth Directive relative to exemptions in international travel: increase to 350 ECUs	ADOPTED 8/7/85 Dir. 85/348 OL L 183 of 11/7/85
40	Tax reliefs to be allowed on the importation of goods in small consignments a non-commercial character within the Community: up to 100 ECU	ADOPTED 8/7/85 Dir. 85/349 OJ L 183 of 16/7/85
41	Small consignments: exemption from value added tax on the final importation of certain goods (amendment to Directive 83/181 determining the scope of Article 14(1)(d) of Directive 77/388)	ADOPTED 13/6/88 Dir. 88/331 OJ L 151 of 17/6/88

PART II: THE REMOVAL OF TECHNICAL BARRIERS1 FREE MOVEMENT OF GOODS1 New approach in Technical harmonization and standards policy

42 Extension of information procedures
on standards and technical rules
(amendment to Directive 83/189)

ADOPTED 22/3/88
Dir. 88/182
OJ L 81 of 26/3/88

43 Simple Pressure Vessels

ADOPTED 25/6/87
Dir. 87/404
OJ L 220 8/8/87

44 Safety of toys

ADOPTED 3/5/88
Dir. 88/378
OJ L 187 and L281 of 16/7/88
and 14/10/88 respectively

45 Electromagnetic compatibility

ADOPTED 3/5/89
Dir. 89/336
OJ L139 of 23/5/89

46 Machine safety

ADOPTED 14/6/89
Dir. 89/392
OJ L183 of 29/6/89

Construction products - see item 83

2 Sectoral proposals concerning approximation of laws2.1 Motor Vehicles

47 Gaseous emissions, passenger cars

ADOPTED 3/12/87
Dir. 88/76
OJ L 36 of 9/2/88

48 Gaseous emissions, commercial vehicles

ADOPTED 3/12/87
Dir. 88/77
OJ L 36 of 9/2/88

49	Type approval of motor vehicles and their trailers, Directive 70/156	ADOPTED 25/6/87 Dir. 87/358 OJ L 192 of 11/7/87 and Dir 87/403 OJ L 220 of 8/8/87
50	Diesel particulates - passenger cars	ADOPTED 16/6/88 Dir. 88/436 OJ L 214 and L 303 of 6/8/88 and 8/11/88 respectively
51	Directive modifying Dir 78/1015 concerning motorcycle replacement exhaust systems	ADOPTED 13/3/89 Dir. 89/235 OJ L 98 of 11/4/89
52	Lateral protection of motor vehicles	ADOPTED 13/4/89 Dir. 89/297 OJ L 124 of 5/5/89
53	Modification of Directive 70/220: revision of limit values for gaseous emissions of cars (vehicles below 1400 cc)	ADOPTED 9/6/89 No reference number yet assigned
2.2	<u>Tractors and agricultural machines</u>	
54	Rollover protection structures (incorporating two pillars and mounted in front of the driver's seat on narrow-track wheeled agricultural and forestry tractors)	ADOPTED 25/6/87 Dir. 87/402 OJ L 220 of 8/8/87
55	Implementation of Directive 74/150 (weight and dimensions, drive-shaft, engine stopping device, windscreen wipers, footrest) [tractors]	ADOPTED 21/12/88 Dir. 89/173 OL L67 of 10/3/89
56	Modification of tractors framework Directive 74/150	ADOPTED 3/5/88 Dir. 88/297 OJ L 126 of 20/5/88
2.3	<u>Food Law</u>	
57	General Directive on quick frozen foods	ADOPTED 21/12/88 Dir. 89/108 OJ L 40 of 11/2/89

58	Flavourings	ADOPTED 22/6/88 Dir. 88/388 OJ L 184 of 15/7/88
59	Extraction solvents	ADOPTED 13/6/88 Dir. 88/344 OJ L 157 of 24/6/88
60	General Directive on sampling and methods of analysis	ADOPTED 20/12/85 Dir. 85/591 OJ L 372 of 31/12/85
61	Preservatives (modification)	PARTIALLY ADOPTED 20/12/85 Dir. 85/585 OJ L 372 of 31/12/85
62	Emulsifiers (modification)	ADOPTED 24/3/86 Dir. 86/102 OJ L 88 of 3/4/86
63	Food additives	ADOPTED 21/12/88 Dir. 89/107 OJ L 40 of 11/2/89
64	Materials and articles in contact with food	ADOPTED 21/12/88 Dir. 89/109 OJ L 40 of 11/2/89
65	Jams	ADOPTED 18/11/88 Dir. 88/593 OJ L 318 of 25/11/88
66	Coffee extracts chicory extracts (modification)	ADOPTED 19/12/85 Dir. 85/573 OJ L 372 of 31/12/85
67	Obligation to indicate ingredients and alcoholic strength	PARTIALLY ADOPTED 26/5/86 Dir. 86/197 OJ L 144 of 29/5/86
68	Simulants (plastic materials in contact with foodstuffs)	ADOPTED 19/12/85 Dir. 85/572 OJ L 372 of 31/12/85