

# UPDATES ON SELECTED EU LEGISLATION

Latest changes are highlighted in yellow

## Internal Market Legislation

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<a href="#">Regulation EU) 2019/1020</a> on market surveillance and compliance of products and amending Directive 2004/42/EC and Regulations (EC) No 765/2008 and (EU) No 305/2011	1 <sup>st</sup>	<a href="#">Public consultation</a> 04/02/2026 <a href="#">'Blue Guide on the implementation of the product rules 2022'</a> : 29 June 2022 Implementation: 16 July 2021 EC <a href="#">Guidelines</a> on Article 4 5/03/2021 Publication in OJEU 25/06/2019 Entry into force: 16/07/2019 Council <a href="#">adoption</a> 14/06/2019 EP plenary <a href="#">adoption</a> 17/02/2019 EP & Council <a href="#">agreement</a> 7/02/2019 EP IMCO vote 3/09/2018 EP <a href="#">draft report</a> 19/04/2018 Publication of EC proposal 19/12/2017	

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<p><a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2023/988</a> on general product safety</p>		<p>Publication in OJEU 23/05/2023            Entry into force 12/06/2023            Council <a href="#">adoption</a> 25/04/2023            Plenary <a href="#">vote</a> 30/03/2023            EP IMCO vote 24/01/2023  <a href="#">Provisional deal</a> on GPSR            28/11/2022            Council <a href="#">adoption of mandate</a> for negotiations with the EP            EP Plenary <a href="#">decision</a> to enter into interinstitutional negotiations 6/07/2022            EP IMCO <a href="#">adoption of draft report/vote</a>            16/06/2022            EP IMCO <a href="#">amendments</a> 19/01/2022            EP IMCO <a href="#">draft report</a> 10/12/2021            Publication of EC proposal 30/06/2021</p>	<p>Application: 13 December 2024</p>
<p><a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2023/1230</a> on machinery</p>	<p>-</p>	<p>Publication in OJEU + <a href="#">corrigendum</a>            4/07/2023            Entry into force 19/07/2023            Council adoption 22/05/2023            EP plenary <a href="#">vote</a> 18/04/2023            EP IMCO vote 2/03/2023            COREPER adoption of provisional deal            25/01/2023  <a href="#">Provisional deal</a> 15/12/2022            Council <a href="#">adoption of mandate</a> for negotiations with EP 24/06/2022            EP IMCO <a href="#">report</a> 5/05/2022            EP IMCO <a href="#">compromise amendments</a>            27/04/2022            EP <a href="#">draft compromise amendments</a>            24/02/2022            EP EMPL <a href="#">opinion report</a></p>	<p>Application: 20 January 2027</p>

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		<p>EP IMCO <a href="#">amendments</a>  EP IMCO <a href="#">draft report</a> 20/10/2021  EC <a href="#">consultation</a> on the proposal until 16 August  Publication in OJEU  21/04/2021</p>	
<p><a href="#">Regulation</a> (EU) No 305/2011 laying down harmonised conditions for the marketing of the <b>construction products</b></p>	-	<p>Entry into force 07/01/2025  Publication of <a href="#">Regulation text</a> in OJEU  18/12/2024  Council adoption 05/11/2024  EP plenary <a href="#">vote</a> 10/04/2024  IMCO <a href="#">vote</a> 13/02/2024  <a href="#">Provisional agreement</a> 13/12/2023  EP plenary <a href="#">adoption</a> 11/07/2023  Council '<a href="#">general approach</a>' 30/06/2023  EP IMCO vote on draft report: 23/05/2023  EP ITRE vote on draft opinion: 25/04/2023  EP ENVI vote on draft opinion: 9/02/2023  <a href="#">EP IMCO AMs</a> 20/12/2022  <a href="#">EP ITRE AMs</a> 12/12/2022  <a href="#">EP ENVI AMs</a> 3/11/2022  EP IMCO report 16/11/2022  EP ENVI <a href="#">opinion</a> 29/09/2022  EC <a href="#">feedback</a> period 2/04 to 12/06/2022  EC <a href="#">adoption proposal for a regulation</a></p>	<p>Application: 8 January 2026.</p>

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		<p>EC <a href="#">New proposal CPR</a> – as part of the Circular Economy Package I 30/03/2022            EC impact assessment study October 2021            Ongoing revision of the CPR &amp; <a href="#">CPR technical acquis</a>            Publication of <a href="#">EP INI report</a> 10/03/2021            Results of <a href="#">public consultation</a> on the CPR revision  <a href="#">Public consultation</a> on future options: comments by 31 August  <a href="#">Public consultation</a> on roadmap: comments by 19 August            EC <a href="#">Staff Working Document</a> on CPR review 24/10/2019            Final <a href="#">reports</a> on CPR review  <a href="#">Public consultation</a> on CPR review  <a href="#">Inception impact assessment</a> June 2017            Publication in OJEU 04/04/2011</p>	
<p><a href="#">Directive 2000/14/EC</a> amended by the Directive 2005/88/EC relating to the <b>noise emission in the environment by equipment for use outdoors</b></p>	<p>-</p>	<p><a href="#">Corrigendum</a> correcting editorial mistake on final Delegated Act amending Annex III OND published 08/05/2024</p> <p><a href="#">Final Delegated Act amending Annex III OND</a> published in EUOJ 02/05/2024</p> <p><a href="#">Corrigendum</a> adopted by EC 19/02/2024</p> <p><a href="#">Adopted revised Annex III OND</a> 16/11/2023 (EC has to review it because they found mistakes)</p>	

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		<p><a href="#">Last draft revised Annex III OND</a> published for public consultation 5/05/2023          OND <a href="#">evaluation report</a> and <a href="#">Staff Working Document</a> 16/11/2020  <a href="#">Public consultation</a> OND review  <a href="#">Inception impact assessment 27/11/2017</a>          OND evaluation study May 2017  <a href="#">Final report</a> on the study on noise limits and amended scope          Publication in OJEU 20/04/2009          Entry into force 20/04/2009</p>	
<p><a href="#">Regulation 2016/1628</a> on requirements relating to emission limits and type-approval for internal combustion engines for <b>non-road mobile machinery</b> (revision of the <a href="#">Directive 97/68/EC</a>)</p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p><a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2021/1068</a> amending transitional provisions (NRMM fitted with engines in power range 130-360 kW) in view of COVID-19 crisis 17/07/2020 30/06/2021  <a href="#">Consultation</a> on draft EC delegated act amending Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/654 on acceptance of UNECE Regulations 49,96 approvals as alternative to EU type approvals for NRMM by 8/04/2021  <a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2020/1040</a> amending transitional provisions (NRMM fitted with engines in the power range &lt;56kW and ≥130kW) in view of COVID-19 crisis 17/07/2020          Application: 1 July 2020          Publication in OJEU 16/09/2016          Entry into force 6/10/2016          Publication of <a href="#">Delegated &amp; Implementing Acts</a> in OJEU</p>	

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		13/04/2017	
<p><a href="#">Proposal</a> for a Regulation on the approval and market surveillance of non-road mobile machinery circulating on public roads and amending Regulation (EU) 2019/1020</p>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p>Entry into force 28/01/2025            Publication of <a href="#">Regulation text</a> in OJEU 08/01/2025            EP Plenary approved <a href="#">legislative text</a> 24/04/2024  <a href="#">Text</a> endorsed by Coreper 15/03/2024            Co-legislators reached an agreement in trilogues 21/02/2024            EP Plenary mandate to start trilogues 11/12/2023            IMCO adopted <a href="#">draft report</a> and positively voted on decision to enter trilogues 28/11/2023            Council third compromise text 6/10/2023  <a href="#">IMCO amendments</a> 6/09/2023            Council second compromise text 12/07/2023  <a href="#">IMCO draft report</a> 28/06/2023            Council first compromise text 16/06/2023  <a href="#">Publication</a> in OJEU 30/03/2023</p>	Application: 29 January 2028

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<p>Electromagnetic Compatibility <a href="#">Directive 2014/30/EU</a></p>		<p><a href="#">Final EMCD evaluation study report</a> October 2021  <a href="#">Public consultation</a> EMCD evaluation study by 29/01/2021            Publication in OJEU 29/03/2014            Entry into force 18/04/2014            Implementation 20/04/2016</p>	
<p>Low Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU</p>		<p>EC <a href="#">Staff Working Document</a> on LVD evaluation 14/07/2021  <a href="#">Final report</a> LVD evaluation study 12/12/2019            Publication in OJEU 29/03/2014            Entry into force 18/04/2014            Implementation 20/04/2016</p>	

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<p>Radio Equipment <a href="#">Directive 2014/53/EU</a></p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p>Commission proposal to repeal Delegated Regulation 2022/30 on cybersecurity once the Cyber Resilience Act becomes fully applicable on 11 December 2027.</p> <p><a href="#">Delegated Regulation (EU) 2023/2444</a> on cybersecurity aspects (RED art. 3.3 d,e,f)</p> <p><a href="#">Directive (EU) 2022/2380</a> amending Directive 2014/53/EU on common chargers 7/12/2022</p> <p>Publication of EC Commission <a href="#">Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/30</a> on internet-connected equipment and wearables, in OJEU 12/01/2022</p> <p><a href="#">Draft standardisation request</a> to ETSI related to the Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/30</p> <p><a href="#">Impact assessment</a> report on internet-connected and wearable radio equipment 15/04/2020</p> <p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> on internet-connected devices and wearable equipment ongoing until 15/11/2019</p> <p>EC <a href="#">implementation report</a> on RED 13/11/2018</p> <p>EC RED <a href="#">Guide</a> 5/06/2017</p> <p><a href="#">Guide</a> on LVD/EMCD/RED 26/04/2018 Publication in OJEU 22/05/2014 Entry into force 11/06/2014</p>	<p>Legislative proposal Q1/2026</p> <p>Implementation from 28 April 2026, for the categories or classes of radio equipment referred to in Part I, point 1.13 of Annex Ia</p>
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		<p>Implementation 13/06/2016 Application/placing on the market: 13/06/2017</p>	
<p><a href="#">Regulation</a> (EU) No 1025/2012 on <b>European standardisation</b></p>	-	<p><a href="#">Public Consultation</a> for the revision of the Standardisation Regulation 1025/2012 <a href="#">Call for Evidence</a> for the revision of the Standardisation Regulation 1025/2012 <a href="#">Public consultation</a> on the evaluation of the Standardisation Regulation 1025/2012, open until 25/07/2024 <a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2022/2480</a> amending Regulation (EU) 1025/2012 19/12/2022 Entry into force 8/01/2023 EC <a href="#">published</a> call for applications High-Level Forum EP IMCO vote /adoption of draft report 12/07/2022 EP IMCO consideration of compromise amendments EP IMCO <a href="#">draft report</a> 29/04/2022 EC <a href="#">adoption proposal for Amendment</a> to the Regulation (EU) No 1025/2012 European standardisation 7/04/2022 EU <a href="#">Standardisation Strategy</a> 2/02/2022 EC Standardisation <a href="#">Roadmap</a> open for feedback by 9/08/2021 <a href="#">Joint Initiative on Standardisation</a> 13/06/2016</p>	

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		<p>Publication in OJEU 25/10/2012 Entry into force 01/01/2013</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal 2025/0133</a> (COD) on a directive amending Directives 2000/14/EC, 2011/65/EU, 2013/53/EU, 2014/29/EU, 2014/30/EU, 2014/31/EU, 2014/32/EU, 2014/33/EU, 2014/34/EU, 2014/35/EU, 2014/53/EU, 2014/68/EU and 2014/90/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards digitalisation and common specifications</p> <p><a href="#">Proposal 2025/0134</a> (COD) for a Regulation amending Regulations (EU) No 765/2008, (EU) 2016/424, (EU) 2016/425, (EU) 2016/426, (EU) 2023/1230, (EU) 2023/1542 and (EU) 2024/1781 as regards digitalisation and common specifications <b>(Omnibus IV package)</b></p>	-	<p>Endorsement by EP plenary of the committee decision to start interinstitutional negotiations – 11 March 2026</p> <p>EP IMCO – adoption of the <a href="#">draft report</a> - 17 February 2026</p> <p>21 October 2025, EP IMCO – deadline for amendments</p> <p>Coreper 2 Meeting Preparation of the meeting of the Council (General Affairs) on 21 October 2025 - Progress report</p> <p>Adoption of negotiating mandate by Coreper on 24 September 2025, <a href="#">Adoption</a> of legislative proposal by the Commission on 21 May 2025</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal</a> 2023/0081 on a Regulation establishing a framework of measures for strengthening Europe’s net-zero technology products manufacturing ecosystem <b>(Net Zero Industry Act)</b></p>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p>Publication in the <a href="#">Official Journal</a> on 28 June 2024.</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">adoption</a> of 27 May 2024</p> <p>Parliament's <a href="#">adoption</a> in Plenary on 25 April 2024.</p> <p><a href="#">Adoption</a> of provisional agreement by Committee on Industry, Research and Energy (ITRE) on 22 February 2024</p>	End of legislative process.

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		<p>6 February 2024 <a href="#">provisional agreement from trilogues</a></p> <p>Council <a href="#">General Approach</a> on 7 December 2023</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">position</a> adopted on 21 November 2023</p> <p>Publication of Commission's <a href="#">proposal</a> on 16 March 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> opened until 27 June 2023</p>	
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<p><a href="#">Cyber Resilience Act</a> (CRA)</p>		<p><a href="#">Implementing act to specify the technical description of the important/critical product categories</a> published on 28 November 2025</p> <p>CRA entered into force on 11 December 2024</p> <p>The <a href="#">final act</a> was signed on the 23 October 2024 and published in the EUOJ on 20 November 2024</p> <p>The <b>Council</b> adopted the <a href="#">CRA</a> on 10 October 2024</p> <p>EP plenary vote on CRA <a href="#">text</a> 12/03/2024 (the text needed further technical and linguistic revision)</p> <p>Provisional agreement found by EP and Council 30/11/2023</p> <p>ITRE vote <a href="#">compromise amendments</a> and Council <a href="#">general approach</a> 19/07/2023</p> <p>Swedish Presidency compromise text 20/04/2023</p> <p>Amendments (<a href="#">set 1</a> and <a href="#">set 2</a>) to the ITRE draft report 4/05/2023</p>	<p>Incidents/vulnerability reporting for all products will become applicable in <b>21 months</b> after the entry into force</p> <p>In 36 months after the entry into force, all CRA provisions will become applicable</p>	
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		<p><a href="#">Amendments</a> to the IMCO draft opinion 28/04/2023</p> <p><a href="#">ITRE draft report</a> 31/03/2023 (ITRE appointed as Responsible committee while IMCO and LIBE received exclusive competences)</p> <p>Commission proposal published 15/09/2022</p>		
<p><a href="#">Proposal</a> 2026/0011(COD) for a Cybersecurity Act 2 [Repealing Regulation 2019/881 <a href="#">2017/0225(COD)</a>]</p>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p>Preparatory phase in Parliament</p> <p>Legislative proposal published on 20/01/2026</p>		
<p><a href="#">Proposal</a> for an Artificial Intelligence Liability Directive (AILD)</p>		<p>Official withdrawal of the AI Liability Directive (AILD) proposal appeared on the <a href="#">Official Journal of the EU</a> on 6/10/2025</p> <p>The AILD was included in the withdrawals section in the EC 2025 work programme</p> <p>The College of Commissioners decided to withdraw the AI Liability Directive proposal (AILD).</p>		

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		<p>DG JURI appointed Axel Voss as rapporteur on 18 November 2024</p> <p>Committee referral announced in Parliament on 13 November 2024</p> <p>ITRE, IMCO and LIBE appointed committee for opinion</p> <p>JURI appointed committee responsible</p> <p>Commission proposal published 28/09/2022</p>		
<p><a href="#">Regulation EU 2023/2854</a> on harmonised rules on fair access to and use of data (Data Act)</p>	1st	<p><a href="#">Data Act Model Contractual Terms</a> made available on 19/11/2025</p> <p><a href="#">EC FAQs on Data Act (v.3)</a> published on 12/09/2025</p> <p>Most of the provision of Data Act became applicable on 12/09/2025</p> <p>Data Act <a href="#">FAQ</a> published by the EC: 06/09/2024</p> <p>Entry into force: 12/01/2024</p> <p>Data Act published in <a href="#">EUOJ</a>: 22/12/23</p>	<p>Article 3(1) requirements applicable from 12/09/2026</p> <p>Starting from 12/09/2027, provisions in Chapter IV applicable also to contracts concluded on - or before- 12.09.2025 or due to expire before 11.01.2034</p>	

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		Commission <a href="#">proposal adoption</a> : 14/03/2022	
<b>Proposal for a Chips Act 2</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Commission proposal expected on 27 May 2026</b>  <a href="#">Call for evidence and public consultation</a> on the evaluation of the Chips Act launched on 5 September 2025	
<a href="#">Proposal</a> for a Chips Act	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p>EU Chips Act published on <a href="#">EU Official Journal</a> 18/09/2023</p> <p>European Parliament Chips Act adoption 11/07/2023</p> <p>ITRE vote on the provisional agreement 23/05/2023</p> <p>COREPER <a href="#">approval</a> of the provisional deal 10/05/2023</p> <p><a href="#">Political agreement</a> reached 18/04/2023</p> <p>ITRE published final report 31/01/23 and voted on trilogue mandate immediately – trilogue negotiations started</p> <p>Council reached general approach December 2022</p> <p>JURI <a href="#">draft report</a> 04/10/2022</p> <p>ITRE <a href="#">draft report</a> 21/09/2022</p> <p>INTA <a href="#">draft report</a> 15/09/2022</p>	EU Chips Act entered into force 21/09/2023

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		<p>IMCO <a href="#">draft report</a> 19/07/2022</p> <p>BUDG <a href="#">draft report</a> 24/06/2022</p> <p>ECON <a href="#">draft report</a> 23/06/2022</p> <p>ITRE appointed as Committee Responsible</p> <p>Publication in the OJEU 08/02/2022</p>	
Regulation laying down harmonised rules on Artificial Intelligence + annexes ( <a href="#">AI Act</a> )	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p>Rules on notifying authorities, GPAI obligations, governance, confidentiality and penalties started to apply on 2/08/2025</p> <p>Chapter I (General provisions) and Chapter II (Prohibited AI practices) started to apply on 2/02/2025</p> <p><u>Guidelines on AI System Definition and Guidelines on prohibited AI practices</u> published in February 2025</p> <p>Public consultation on definition of AI systems and prohibited AI practices: November -December 2024</p> <p>Entry into force: 01/08/2024</p> <p>AIA published in the <a href="#">EUOJ</a>: 12/07/2024</p>	<p><b>1 August 2026</b> Countries must set up sandboxes All rules minus Annex I</p> <p><b>1 August 2027</b> Rules for High Risk Annex I</p>

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		<p>Final act was signed on 13 June 2024</p> <p>Council adopted the Act after Parliament's 1st reading on 21 May 2024</p> <p><a href="#">Corrigendum</a> formally adopted by EP Plenary 19/04/2024</p> <p>Corrigendum procedure will be initiated to include further technical and legal changes</p> <p>EP greenlighted <a href="#">AIA provisional text</a> 13/03/2024</p> <p>Provisional political agreement reached by EP and Council 9/12/2023</p> <p>European Parliament <a href="#">adopted</a> AI Act in plenary 14/06/2023</p> <p>IMCO-LIBE approved their <a href="#">compromise text</a> 11/05/2023</p> <p>IMCO-LIBE amendments and compromise amendments published - still awaiting last articles</p> <p>Council reached <a href="#">general approach</a> 6/12/22</p> <p>French Council Presidency compromise texts partly published</p>		
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		<p>EP CULT <a href="#">opinion report</a> 21/02/2022</p> <p>EP ITRE <a href="#">opinion report</a> 03/03/2022</p> <p>EP JURI <a href="#">opinion report</a> 02/03/2022</p> <p>EP ENVI <a href="#">opinion report</a> 10/12/2021</p> <p>Slovenian Council Presidency <a href="#">compromise text</a> 29/11/2021</p> <p>Publication of EC proposal in OJEU 21/04/2021</p>		
<p>Proposal <a href="#">2025/0360 (COD)</a> for a regulation amending Regulations (EU) 2016/679, (EU) 2018/1724, (EU) 2018/1725, (EU) 2023/2854 and Directives 2002/58/EC, (EU) 2022/2555 and (EU) 2022/2557 as regards the simplification of the digital legislative framework, and repealing Regulations (EU) 2018/1807, (EU) 2019/1150, (EU) 2022/868, and Directive (EU) 2019/1024 [<b>Digital Omnibus on data and cybersecurity</b>]</p>	1st	<p><b>European Data Protection Board</b> <b>and the European Data</b> <b>Protection Supervisor</b> <a href="#">joint</a> <a href="#">opinion</a></p> <p>Publication of EC proposal in OJEU on 19/11/2025</p>		
<p>Proposal <a href="#">2025/0359 (COD)</a> for a regulation amending Regulations (EU) 2024/1689 and (EU) 2018/1139 as regards the simplification of the implementation of harmonised rules on artificial intelligence [<b>Digital Omnibus on AI</b>]</p>	1st	<p><b>IMCO –LIBE Committee report</b> <b>tabled for plenary</b> 18/03/2026</p> <p><b>Council</b> <b>final position</b> 13/03/2026</p> <p><b>Committee opinion, JURI</b> 26/02/2026</p> <p><b>Committee opinion, CULT</b> 06/03/2026</p>		

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		<p><u>Specific opinion, TRAN</u> 18/03/2026</p> <p>On 15/01/2026, MEP Michael McNamara (Renew) appointed as lead negotiator in LIBE, and MEP Arba Kokalari (EPP) appointed as lead negotiator in IMCO</p> <p>Publication of EC proposal in OJEU on 19/11/2025</p>		
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## Market Access

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<p><u>Regulation</u> setting up a Union system for supply chain due diligence self-certification of responsible importers of <b>tin, tantalum and tungsten, their ores, and gold originating in conflict- affected and high-risk areas</b></p>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p>EC <u>Delegated Regulation</u> on the methodology and criteria for the assessment and recognition of supply chain due diligence schemes 19/03/2019</p> <p>Entry into force: 9/04/2019</p> <p>Publication in OJEU 17/05/2017</p> <p>Entry into force 8/06/2017</p> <p>Implementation: directly applicable</p>	

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<p><a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2016/2339</a> amending <b>Union Customs Code Regulation</b> (EU) No 952/2013</p>		<p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> on the mid-term evaluation of the Union Customs Code until 19/07/2021</p> <p>Transition period before full implementation: 31/12/2020</p> <p>Publication in OJEU of <a href="#">amending Regulation</a> to prolong the transitional use of means other than the electronic data-processing techniques in UCC 25/04/2019</p> <p>Entry into force of amending Regulation: 15/05/2019</p> <p>Publication in OJEU 23/12/2016</p> <p>Entry into force: 24/12/2016</p>	
<p><a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2021/821</a> setting up a Union regime for the control of <b>exports, transfer, brokering, technical assistance and transit of dual-use items</b> (recast) + annexes</p>		<p>EC <a href="#">Delegated Regulation</a> amending Regulation (EU) 2021/821 20/10/2021</p> <p>Publication in OJEU 11/06/2021</p> <p>Entry into force 9/09/2021</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal</a> for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on establishing a framework of measures for strengthening Union's biotechnology and biomanufacturing sectors particularly in the area of health and amending Regulations (EC) No 178/2002, (EC) No 1394/2007, (EU) No 536/2014, (EU) 2019/6, (EU) 2024/795 and (EU) 2024/1938 (European Biotech Act)</p>			

## Environmental & Climate Legislation

Proposal/Regulation/Directive/Decision	Reading under co-decision	Stage reached	Forecast
<p><a href="#">Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006</a>                      Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (<b>REACH</b>), establishing a European Chemicals Agency</p>	<p>-</p>	<p>Publication of Commission's <a href="#">Communication</a> on the concept of essential use of most harmful chemicals on 22 April 2024.</p> <p>Commission's <a href="#">roadmap</a> on the REACH review in Q1 2022.</p> <p><a href="#">Impact assessment</a> report on transparency measures for nanomaterials: November 2014.</p> <p>Targeted online <a href="#">consultation</a> on the definition of a nanomaterial until 30/06/2021</p> <p>Publication of amendments for <a href="#">REACH annexes</a> on registration of nanoforms in OJEU 4/12/2018</p> <p>EC <a href="#">Roadmap</a> on the possible amendment of REACH Annexes for registration of nanomaterials 01/2016</p>	<p>The adoption of the review of REACH The Regulation proposal is being delayed until 2026 due to a negative vote of the Commission's Regulatory Scrutiny Board.</p>

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<p>Proposal for a simplification of administrative burdens in environmental legislation (<a href="#">Environmental Omnibus</a>)</p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p><a href="#">Commission's stakeholder consultation until 6 May</a></p> <p><a href="#">10 December 2025</a>: Commission's proposal</p>	
<p><a href="#">2023/0454</a> amending Directive 2011/65/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the <b>re-attribution of scientific and technical tasks to the European Chemicals Agency</b></p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p><a href="#">12 December 2025</a>: Publication in OJEU</p> <p><a href="#">20 October 2025</a>: Vote in Parliament Plenary</p> <p>First trilogue on 12 June 2025.</p> <p>Parliament <a href="#">vote in Plenary</a> on 1 April 2025</p> <p>Lead Committee ENVI's <a href="#">adoption</a> of its report on 18 February 2025</p> <p>Publication of Rapporteur's <a href="#">draft report</a> on 23 October 2024.</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">adoption of negotiating mandate</a> on 14 June 2024</p> <p>Appointment of ENVI as the lead EP Committee on 15 March 2024.</p>	<p>End of legislative process</p>

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		<p><a href="#">Consultation</a> from 8 December 2023 to 3 April</p> <p><a href="#">Publication</a> of the proposal by the European Commission on 7 December 2023</p>	
<p>Proposal for a Regulation <a href="#">Proposal for a Regulation</a> amending Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (<b>CLP Regulation</b>)</p>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p><a href="#">Publication in the OJEU</a> on 23 October 2024</p> <p>Environment Council <a href="#">adopted its trilogues position</a> on 14 October 2024.</p> <p>Parliament's <a href="#">adoption in Plenary</a> on 23 April 2024.</p> <p>ENVI's adoption of the provisional agreement on 11 January 2024</p> <p><a href="#">Provisional agreement</a> from trilogue on 5 December 2023</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">position</a> on 4 October 2023</p> <p>Adoption of ENVI's <a href="#">report</a> on 21 September 2023</p>	End of legislative process

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		<p>Publication of <a href="#">proposal</a> by the European Commission on 19 December 2022</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Directive</a> amending Directive <a href="#">2008/98/EC</a> the <b>Waste Framework Directive</b></p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p><a href="#">Publication in OJEU</a> on 10 September.</p> <p>EP <a href="#">Plenary vote</a> on 8 September</p> <p><a href="#">ENVI Adoption of draft recommendation for second reading</a> on 15 July 2025</p> <p><a href="#">Trilogue agreement</a> on 19 February 2025.</p> <p>The <a href="#">first trilogue</a> took place on 22 October.</p> <p>Council <a href="#">General Approach</a> on 17 June 2024</p> <p>Working party on Environment discussing <a href="#">Council compromise</a> on 17 May</p> <p>Adoption of European Parliament's <a href="#">position</a> in Plenary on 13 March 2023</p> <p>Adoption of lead Committee on Environment, Public Health, and Food Safety on 24 October 2023</p>	<p>End of legislative process</p>

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		<p><a href="#">Commission consultation</a> open until 8 September 2023</p> <p>Publication of <a href="#">proposal</a> by the European Commission on 7 July 2023</p> <p>Publication of SCIP dissemination <a href="#">portal</a> on 14/09/2021          SCIP database launched 28/10/2020          EC <a href="#">report</a> on implementation of EU waste policy 24/10/2018</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Directive</a> on the revision of the Industrial Emissions Directive (2010/75/EU)  <b>(Industrial Emissions Directive)</b></p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p>Publication in the <a href="#">Official Journal</a> on 15 July 2024.</p> <p>Ratification by the <a href="#">Council</a> on 12 April 2024</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">adoption</a> in Plenary of the provisional agreement on 12 March</p> <p>ENVI's adoption of provisional agreement on 11 January 2023.</p> <p><a href="#">provisional political agreement</a> from trilogues on 28 November 2023.</p> <p>European Parliament's Plenary <a href="#">position</a> on 11 July 2023</p>	<p>Transposition deadline:          1 July 2026.</p>

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		<p>ENVI's adoption of its <a href="#">report</a> on 19 June 2023</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">General Approach</a> on 16 March 2023</p> <p>Publication of European Commission's <a href="#">Proposal for a Directive</a> on 5 April 2022</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Regulation</a> on <b>fluorinated greenhouse gases</b>, amending Directive (EU) 2019/1937 and repealing Regulation (EU) No 517/2014</p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p>Regulation published in the <a href="#">Official Journal of the EU</a> on 7 February</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">adoption</a> of the Plenary text on 29 January</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">adoption in Plenary</a> on 16 January 2024</p> <p>EP ENVI <a href="#">adoption</a> of provisional agreement on 24 October 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Provisional agreement</a> from trilogues reached on 5 October 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Council General Approach</a> adopted on 5 April 2023</p>	<p>End of legislative process.</p>

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		<p>European Parliament's <a href="#">position</a> on 30 March 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Feedback period</a> opened until 29 June 2022</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a revision</a> of EU legislation on <b>Packaging and Packaging Waste (PPWR)</b></p>		<p>25 February: Publication of <a href="#">Delegated decision on exemptions from the reuse obligations for plastic wrappings and straps</a></p> <p>10 December: Public consultation on <a href="#">draft delegated decision</a> on reuse targets exemptions</p> <p><a href="#">Published</a> in the EU Official Journal on 22 January 2025</p> <p><a href="#">Energy Council</a> adopted the <a href="#">corrigendum text</a> on 16 December 2024.</p> <p>European Parliament's adoption of the corrigendum text on 26 November 2024.</p> <p>April – June 2024: Lawyers and linguists review of the corrigendum procedure.</p>	<p>End of legislative process.</p>

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		<p>European Parliament's <a href="#">adoption</a> in Plenary on 24 April 2024</p> <p>COREPER's <a href="#">endorsement</a> of trilogue agreement on 15 March</p> <p><a href="#">Trilogue agreement</a> reached on 4 March 2024</p> <p>Commission <a href="#">proposal adoption</a> 30/11/2022</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Directive</a> on the Substantiation and communication of explicit environmental claims (<b>Green Claims</b>)</p>		<p>Third trilogue took place on 10 June. Second trilogue took place on 24 April <a href="#">First trilogue</a> took place on 28 January 2025</p> <p>Co-lead EP Committees IMCO and ENVI voted in favour of entering trilogue negotiations on 2 December 2024.</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">General Approach</a> on 17 June 2024.</p>	

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		<p>European Parliament in Plenary <a href="#">adopted position</a> on 12 March 2024.</p> <p>Adoption of ENVI-IMCO <a href="#">report</a> on 14 February 2024</p> <p>Commission <a href="#">public consultation</a> from 23/03/23 - 20/07/2023</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Directive</a> on common rules promoting the repair of goods (<b>Right to Repair</b>)</p>		<p>Publication in the <a href="#">Official Journal</a> on 10 July 2024.</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">adoption</a> on 30 May 2024.</p> <p>Provisional agreement <a href="#">adopted</a> by Parliament on 23 April 2024.</p> <p><a href="#">Provisional agreement from trilogues</a> reached on 1 February 2024</p> <p>Commission <a href="#">publication</a> of Directive proposal on 22 March 2023</p>	<p>Transposition deadline: 31 July 2026</p>
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Regulation</a> concerning <b>batteries and waste batteries</b>, repealing Directive 2006/66/EC and amending Regulation (EU) No 2019/1020</p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p>Public consultation on the draft <a href="#">Implementing Regulation</a> on</p>	<p>End of legislative process.</p>

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		<p>harmonised battery labelling rules until 26 January 2026.</p> <p>Public consultation on the <a href="#">Implementing Act</a> on the format of carbon footprint declaration until 28 May 2024.</p> <p>Publication of the <a href="#">final act</a> in the OJEU in 28 July 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Ratification</a> by the Council on 10 July 2023</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">adoption</a> in Plenary of the provisional agreement on 14 June 2023</p> <p>On 9 December: the EU institutions reached <a href="#">provisional agreement</a> from trilogues on 9 December 2022</p> <p>Council <a href="#">General Approach</a> adopted on 17 March 2022</p> <p>European Parliament adoption of <a href="#">position</a> in Plenary on 10 March 2022</p>	
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		<p>Publication of European Commission's <a href="#">proposal</a> on 10 December 2020</p> <p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> opened until 9 July 202</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Regulation</a> amending Regulation (EU) 2021/1119 establishing the framework for achieving climate neutrality (2040 target)</p>		<p>Publication of <a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2026/667 of the European Parliament and of the Council</a> amending Regulation (EU) 2021/1119 as regards the setting of a Union intermediate climate target for 2040 in the Official Journal of the EU</p> <p><b>11 March 2026</b></p> <p><a href="#">Provisional agreement</a> on the amendment to the European climate law</p> <p>19 December 2025</p> <p>ITRE Committee adoption of draft opinion (postponed)</p> <p>16 October 2025</p> <p>TRAN Committee adoption of opinion (postponed)</p> <p>13 October 2025</p>	

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		<p>ENVI amendments <a href="#">1-171</a>, <a href="#">172-406</a> 9 September 2025</p> <p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> on European Climate Law amendment closed 17 September 2025</p> <p>Legislative proposal COM(2025)0524 published 2 July 2024</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Directive</a> amending Directives 2006/43/EC, 2013/34/EU, (EU) 2022/2464 and (EU) 2024/1760 as regards certain corporate sustainability reporting and due diligence requirement <b>(Omnibus I package)</b></p>		<p><b>EP adoption</b> <b>16 December 2025</b></p> <p>EP Plenary vote (JURI mandate rejected) 13 October 2025</p> <p>JURI Committee approved its <a href="#">position</a> 13 October 2025</p> <p><a href="#">Council's negotiating mandate</a> 23 June 2025</p>	<p><b>Final text to be published in the Official Journal of the EU</b> <b>Q1 2026</b></p>

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		Legislative proposal COM(2025)0081 published 26 February 2025	
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## Energy Legislation

Proposal/Regulation/Directive/Decision	Reading under co-decision	Stage reached	Forecast
<a href="#">Regulation 2022/0095 Ecodesign for Sustainable Products Regulation</a>	-	<p>16 April 2025: adoption of the <a href="#">first ecodesign working plan</a></p> <p><a href="#">First meeting</a> of the Ecodesign Forum on 19-20 February</p> <p><a href="#">JRC final report</a> on product prioritisation published on 22 November 2024.</p> <p>Call for membership of the <a href="#">Ecodesign Forum</a> launched in November 2024</p>	31 December 2025: Delivery of Digital Product Passport standards.

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		<p><a href="#">Frequently Asked Questions</a> document released on 27 September 2024.</p> <p>The Commission <a href="#">adopted</a> the Implementing Decision on its final standardisation mandate for the Digital Product Passport on 31 July 2024.</p> <p>Publication in the <a href="#">Official Journal</a> on 28 June 2024.</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">ratification</a> on 27 May 2024.</p> <p>ESPR revision trilogue agreement <a href="#">adopted</a> by the Parliament in Plenary on 23 April 2024.</p> <p>Ecodesign and Energy Labelling Consultation Forum on <a href="#">Work Plan Execution and the EPSR</a> 24/01/2024</p> <p>Ecodesign for Sustainable Products Regulation (ESPR) revision <a href="#">proposal</a> published 30/03/2022 (adopted 22/06/2022)</p>	
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		<p>First ESPR Work Plan <a href="#">public consultation</a> 31/01/23 – 12/05/23</p> <p>Final Ecodesign Work Plan 2020-2024 <a href="#">published</a> 30 March 2022</p> <p>Ecodesign Working Plan 2020-2024 (<a href="#">final study reports</a>) 11/05/2021</p> <p>Publication in OJEU 31/10/2009 Transposition: 20/11/2010</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal</a> for Directive amending <a href="#">Directive (EU) 2018/2001</a> on the promotion of the <b>use of energy from renewable sources</b> (recast)</p>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p><a href="#">Publication on the OJEU</a> on 31 October 2023</p> <p>Provisional agreement <a href="#">ratified</a> by the Council on 9 October 2023</p> <p>Provisional agreement <a href="#">adopted in Plenary</a> on 12 September 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Provisional agreement</a> from trilogues on 30 March 2023</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">position</a> adopted on 14 September 2022</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">General Approach</a> adopted on 27 June 2022</p>	End of legislative process

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		<p>European Commission's <a href="#">proposal for a Directive</a> on 14 July 2021</p> <p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> closed on 9 February 2021</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal</a> for a Directive amending <a href="#">Directive (EU) 2018/2002</a> amending <a href="#">Directive 2012/27/EU</a> on <b>Energy Efficiency</b></p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p><a href="#">Publication</a> in the OJEU on 20 September 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Ratification</a> by the Council on 25 July 2023</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">adoption</a> of the provisional agreement on 11 July 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Provisional agreement</a> from trilogues on 10 March 2023</p> <p><a href="#">Council General Approach</a> adopted on 27 June 2022</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">Position</a> on 14 September 2022</p> <p>European Commission's publication of <a href="#">proposal</a> on 14 July 2021</p> <p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> closed on 9 February 2021</p>	<p>End of legislative process</p>

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<p>Directive (EU) <a href="#">2018/844</a> amending Directive <a href="#">2010/31/EU</a> on the <b>Energy performance of buildings</b></p>	<p>1<sup>st</sup></p>	<p><a href="#">implementation guidelines</a> published on 30 June.</p> <p>Publication of Commission's <a href="#">guidance</a> on phase out of financial incentives for stand-alone fossil fuel boilers on 17 October 2024.</p> <p><a href="#">Publication in the OJEU</a> on 8 May 2024</p> <p>Council's <a href="#">adoption</a> on 12 April 2024</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">adoption</a> in Plenary of provisional deal on 12 March</p> <p><a href="#">Lead Committee ITRE's vote on the adoption of the provisional agreement</a> on 15 January 2024</p> <p><a href="#">Provisional agreement</a> from trilogues: 7 December 2023</p> <p>European Parliament's <a href="#">position</a> on 15 February 2023</p> <p>Council <a href="#">General Approach</a> on 24 October 2022</p>	<p>The transposition deadline for the Directive is 29 May 2026.</p>
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		<p>European Commission's <a href="#">proposal</a> published on 15 December 2021</p> <p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> opened until 22 June 2021</p>	
<p><a href="#">Proposal for a Regulation</a> amending <a href="#">Directive (EU) 2019/944</a> on common rules for the internal market in <b>electricity</b> and <a href="#">Regulation (EU) 2019/943</a> on the internal market for <b>electricity</b> (recast)</p>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<p>EP ITRE vote 15/01/2024            EP plenary vote 11/03/2024            EP ITRE Committee            Consideration of draft report            23/05/2023            Energy Council            General approach            19/06/2023</p> <p><a href="#">Public consultation</a> until 23/05/2023  <a href="#">Proposal adopted</a> on 16/03/2023</p>	
<p><a href="#">Regulation</a> establishing a framework for ensuring a secure and sustainable supply of critical raw materials and amending Regulations (EU) No 168/2013, (EU) 2018/858, (EU) 2018/1724 and (EU) 2019/1020</p>		<p><b>EESC <a href="#">opinion</a> on Amending Regulation (EU) 2024/1252</b>  <b>18 February 2026</b></p> <p><a href="#">Proposal</a> for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) 2024/1252            3 December 2025</p>	

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		<p><a href="#">Commission Implementing Regulation</a> (EU) 2025/2194 28 October 2025</p> <p><a href="#">Corrigendum</a> to the Regulation published 10 October 2024</p> <p>Final act published in Official Journal 5 May 2024</p> <p>Legislative proposal COM(2023)0160 published 16 March 2023</p>	
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