



European Economic and Social Committee

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Products originating
in certain ACP States
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OPINION

of the

European Economic and Social Committee

on the

Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council applying the arrangements for products originating in certain states which are part of the African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) Group of States provided for in agreements establishing, or leading to the establishment of, Economic Partnership Agreements (recast)

COM(2015) 282 final – 2015/0128 (COD)

On 24 June 2015, the European Parliament decided to consult the European Economic and Social Committee, under Article 304 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, on the

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Since the Committee unreservedly endorses the proposal and feels that it requires no comment on its part, it decided, at its 511th plenary session of 6, 7 and 8 October 2015 (meeting of 8 October), with 70 votes in favour and 6 abstentions, to issue an opinion endorsing the proposed text.

Brussels, 8 October 2015.

The President
of the
European Economic and Social Committee

Georges Dassis
