



EUROPEAN COMMISSION  
ENTERPRISE DIRECTORATE-GENERAL

Industrial affairs III: Consumer goods industries  
**Pharmaceuticals and cosmetics**

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For information

Timetable - 2<sup>nd</sup> reading in the European Parliament

Draft Proposal for a

**EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND COUNCIL REGULATION (EC)**

**on orphan medicinal products**

23 <sup>rd</sup> November 1999	first exchange of views in the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection of the European Parliament
8 <sup>th</sup> December 1999	deadline for submission of amendments
2 <sup>nd</sup> week in January 2000	vote in the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection of the European Parliament
February 2000	vote of the text in the Plenary Assembly of the European Parliament