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AMENDMENTS

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Quality of water intended for human consumption (recast)

Proposal for a directive
(COM(2017)0753 – C8-0019/2018 – 2017/0332(COD))

Amendment 570

Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive Article 14 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available online to all persons supplied, ***in accordance with Annex IV.***

Amendment

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available online to all persons supplied, ***while respecting the principle of data protection.***

Or. en

Justification

The requirements of Article 14 are too far-reaching. Information to households should focus on the quality of drinking water. Parts that do not concern drinking water quality should not be included. It should not be mandatory to put the information online.

Amendment 571

Jadwiga Wiśniewska, Bolesław G. Piecha

Proposal for a directive Article 14 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall ensure that ***adequate and*** up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available ***online*** to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Amendment

1. Member States shall ensure that up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Or. en

Justification

The word "adequate" is imprecise and should not be used in the legal acts. The way the information is provided should be left to the decision and technical capabilities available to the Member State.

Amendment 572

Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Soraya Post, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Miriam Dalli, Nikos Androulakis, Tiemo Wölken, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate **and** up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available **online** to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Amendment

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate, up-to-date **and accessible** information on water intended for human consumption is available to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Or. en

Amendment 573

Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available **online** to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Amendment

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available to all persons supplied, **also online**, in accordance with Annex IV.

Or. en

Amendment 574

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is

Amendment

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is

available *online* to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

available to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Or. en

Amendment 575
Jytte Guteland

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available online to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Amendment

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available online, *or in equally user-friendly ways*, to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Or. en

Amendment 576
Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available online to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Amendment

1. Member States shall ensure that adequate and up-to-date information on water intended for human consumption is available online, *as well as in other forms*, to all persons supplied, in accordance with Annex IV.

Or. it

Justification

Information should be made available both online and in traditional forms, especially since some people may not know how, or might be unable, to use new technologies.

Amendment 577

Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1a. The Commission shall provide without delay to the public the precise methodology, defining among others units, formats and modalities to present, to be applied in the information on water intended for human consumption as specified in this directive.

Or. en

Amendment 578

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied ***receive regularly and at least once a year, and*** in the most appropriate form ***(for instance on their invoice or by smart applications) without having to request it, the following information:***

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied ***have access to the following information*** in the most appropriate form, ***as determined by national competent authorities:***

Or. en

Amendment 579

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds, Pavel Telička

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied receive regularly and at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form ***(for instance on their invoice or by smart applications)*** without having to request it, the following information:

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied receive regularly and at least once a year, and in the most appropriate ***and easily accessible*** form without having to request it, the following information:

Or. en

Justification

In some Member States, tenants do not receive an invoice from the water supplier directly but from their landlord. Further, not everyone uses devices that are suitable for smart applications. Therefore, it shall be the Member States responsibility to determine the most appropriate and accessible form of supplying this information.

Amendment 580

Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied receive regularly and at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form ***(for instance on their invoice or by smart applications)*** without having to request it, the following information:

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied receive regularly and at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form without having to request it, the following information ***as defined and determined by the competent authority:***

Or. en

Justification

It is important to spell out that the information beyond water quality to be given to consumers has to refer to the Member States specificities, definitions and determinations

Amendment 581

Merja Kyllönen

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Member States shall ensure that all **persons** supplied receive regularly and at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form (for instance on their invoice or by smart applications) without having to request it, the following information:

Amendment

Member States shall ensure that all **customers, such as individual households, housing corporations and property owners** supplied receive regularly and at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form (for instance on their invoice or by smart applications) without having to request it, the following information:

Or. en

Amendment 582

Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied receive regularly and at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form (for instance on their invoice or by smart applications) without having to request it, **the following** information:

Amendment

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied receive regularly and at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form (for instance on their invoice or by smart applications) without having to request it information **on**:

Or. en

Justification

The requirements in the proposed Art. 14 and Annex IV on information to the public go beyond the scope and objectives of this Directive. All requirements should focus on water quality and the protection of human health as determined by Article 1. Other aspects such as cost structure, investment decisions and leakage rates should not be included but left to the Member States following the subsidiarity principle (cf. Art. 5 TFEU). Therefore such requirements should be removed.

Amendment 583

Tiemo Wölken

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied receive ***regularly and*** at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form (for instance on their invoice or by smart applications) without having to request it, the following information:

Member States shall ensure that all persons supplied receive at least once a year, and in the most appropriate form (for instance on their invoice or by smart applications) without having to request it, the following information:

Or. en

Amendment 584 **Tiemo Wölken**

Proposal for a directive **Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, presenting at least costs related to the following elements:

deleted

(i) measures taken by water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5);

(ii) treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;

(iii) waste water collection and treatment;

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13, in case such measures have been taken by water suppliers;

Or. en

Amendment 585 **Annie Schreijer-Pierik**

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) *information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, presenting at least costs related to the following elements:* **deleted**

(i) measures taken by water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5);

(ii) treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;

(iii) waste water collection and treatment;

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13, in case such measures have been taken by water suppliers;

Or. en

Amendment 586

Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) *information **on the cost structure** of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, **presenting at least costs related to the following elements:***

(a) *information of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs:*

Or. en

Justification

The scope of this proposal is too far beyond the original scope of the Drinking Water Directive. Furthermore it should be noted that the factors influencing the cost of water supply are extremely diverse and it is hardly possible to compare it throughout Europe.

Amendment 587

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Anneli Jäätteenmäki, Nils Torvalds

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, **presenting at least costs related to the following elements:**

Amendment

(a) information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including **the distribution of** fixed and variable costs;

Or. en

Amendment 588

Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) information on the **cost** structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable **costs**, **presenting at least costs related to** the following elements:

Amendment

(a) information on the structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including **the** fixed and variable **parts of it and** the following elements.

Or. en

Justification

When referring to the costs of the tariff, the wording used is not suitable. In general, the costs of water services are charged to users in the tariff, but some costs are collected through taxes. It is requested and recommended reviewing carefully the wording, since it is not the same to talk about costs, price (price of the tariff reflected in the invoice) and tariffs (which are set through local policy).

Amendment 589

Jan Huitema

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, ***presenting at least costs related to the following elements:***

(a) information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs;

Or. en

Amendment 590

Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) information on the cost structure ***of the tariff charged*** per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, presenting at least costs related to the following elements:

(a) information on the cost structure per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, presenting at least costs related to the following elements:

Or. en

Amendment 591

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs,

(a) ***where costs are recovered through a tariff system,*** information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human

presenting at least costs related to the following elements:

consumption, including fixed and variable costs, presenting at least costs related to the following elements:

Or. en

Amendment 592

Françoise Grossetête, Angélique Delahaye

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) information on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, presenting at least costs related to the following elements:

(a) information on the ***management mode and the*** cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic metre of water intended for human consumption, including fixed and variable costs, presenting at least costs related to the following elements:

Or. fr

Amendment 593

Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) ***measures taken by water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5);***

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 594

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Pavel Telička

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) measures taken by water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5); **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 595

Jan Huitema

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) measures taken by water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5); **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 596

Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) measures taken by water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5); **deleted**

Or. en

Justification

The scope of this proposal is too far beyond the original scope of the Drinking Water Directive. Furthermore it should be noted that the factors influencing the cost of water supply are extremely diverse and it is hardly possible to compare it throughout Europe.

Amendment 597

Karl-Heinz Florenz, Birgit Collin-Langen, Annie Schreijer-Pierik, Renate Sommer, Peter Liese

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) *measures taken by water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5);* **deleted**

Or. de

Amendment 598

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) *measures taken by water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5);* (i) *measures taken by **Member States** and water suppliers for the purposes of the hazard assessment pursuant to Article 8(5);*

Or. en

Amendment 599

Françoise Grossetête, Angélique Delahaye

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) *treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;* **deleted**

Or. fr

Amendment 600

Birgit Collin-Langen, Renate Sommer, Sabine Verheyen, Albert Deß

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) *treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;* deleted

Or. de

Amendment 601

Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) *treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;* deleted

Or. en

Justification

It seems somewhat surprising to request information about sanitation costs in this directive. When the water supply and sanitation services are provided by the same operator, the water bill includes the costs of both services. But it would be complicated to include the sanitation costs in the water supply bill if these services are provided by different operators

Amendment 602

Jan Huitema

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) *treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;* deleted

Amendment 603
Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) *treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;* *deleted*

Or. en

Justification

The scope of this proposal is too far beyond the original scope of the Drinking Water Directive. Furthermore it should be noted that the factors influencing the cost of water supply are extremely diverse and it is hardly possible to compare it throughout Europe.

Amendment 604
Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Pavel Telička

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) *treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 605
Benedek Jávor, Margrete Auken, Christel Schaldemose

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) *treatment and distribution of water* (ii) *extraction, production, treatment*

intended for human consumption;

and distribution of water intended for human consumption, ***including water leakages and energy use***;

Or. en

Justification

The information on the cost structure should also include information on the costs related to extraction and production, as well as on water leakages and energy use.

Amendment 606

Sylvie Goddyn, Joëlle Mélin, Jean-François Jalkh

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point ii a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ii) specific information on treated and untreated micropollutants, with reference to the list in Article 11 (5);

Or. fr

Amendment 607

Françoise Grossetête, Angélique Delahaye

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) waste water collection and treatment;

deleted

Or. fr

Amendment 608

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) waste water collection and treatment; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 609

Jan Huitema

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) waste water collection and treatment; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 610

Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) waste water collection and treatment; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 611

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Pavel Telička

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) waste water collection and treatment; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 612
Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) waste water collection and treatment; *deleted*

Or. en

Justification

The scope of this proposal is too far beyond the original scope of the Drinking Water Directive. Furthermore it should be noted that the factors influencing the cost of water supply are extremely diverse and it is hardly possible to compare it throughout Europe.

Amendment 613
Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) waste water collection and treatment; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 614
Birgit Collin-Langen, Renate Sommer, Sabine Verheyen, Albert Deß

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iii

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iii) waste water collection and treatment; **deleted**

Or. de

Amendment 615

Françoise Grossetête, Angélique Delahaye

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13, in case such measures have been taken by water suppliers; **deleted**

Or. fr

Amendment 616

Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13, in case such measures have been taken by water suppliers; **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 617

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Pavel Telička

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13, in case such measures have been taken by water suppliers; **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 618
Jan Huitema

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13, in case such measures have been taken by water suppliers; **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 619
Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13, in case such measures have been taken by water suppliers; **deleted**

Or. en

Justification

The scope of this proposal is too far beyond the original scope of the Drinking Water Directive. Furthermore it should be noted that the factors influencing the cost of water supply are extremely diverse and it is hardly possible to compare it throughout Europe.

Amendment 620
Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13, *in case such measures have been taken by water suppliers;*

(iv) measures taken pursuant to Article 13;

Or. en

Amendment 621

Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Giorgos Grammatikakis, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Nikos Androulakis, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv a) the overall performance of the water system in terms of leakage rates expressed in terms of m³ of water produced/km of pipe per day;

Or. en

Amendment 622

Benedek Jávor

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv a) measures taken to ensure the long-term availability of water and the maintenance of water infrastructures;

Or. en

Justification

Water suppliers should also provide their customers with information on the long-term availability of water and the maintenance of water infrastructures.

Amendment 623

Jørn Dohrmann

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv a) energy consumption per cubic metre of delivered water, from raw water extraction to tap delivery;

Or. en

Justification

Subparagraph 2 (a) should carry all parameters on the cost structure of the tariff charged per cubic meter listed in subparagraph (7)(d) of Annex IV. The energy consumption per delivered cubic metre is the only parameter from the Annex that is not listed here. Specifying the scope of the information requirement to the energy consumption per delivered cubic metre from raw water extraction to tap delivery, i.e. across the whole water supply chain, would enhance transparency. This important information shall be made available to all persons supplied at least once a year without having to request it.

Amendment 624

José Inácio Faria

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv a) energy consumption per cubic metre of delivered water, from raw water extraction to tap delivery;

Or. en

Amendment 625

Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Giorgos Grammatikakis, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Nikos Androulakis, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a – point iv b (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(iv b) where applicable, information relating to the annual turnover and shareholder dividends of the company;

Or. en

Amendment 626

José Inácio Faria

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a a) the overall performance of the water system, from raw water extraction to tap delivery, in terms of efficiency, including leakage rates expressed in percentage of water delivered and energy consumption per cubic meter of delivered water;

Or. en

Amendment 627

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a a) Where costs are not recovered through a tariff system, information related to the elements referred to in point

(a) shall be available to all persons in a format determined by national competent authorities.

Or. en

Amendment 628

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Anneli Jäätteenmäki

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a a) treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;

Or. en

Amendment 629

Jan Huitema

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a a) treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;

Or. en

Amendment 630

Birgit Collin-Langen, Renate Sommer, Sabine Verheyen, Albert Deß

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a a) information on water quality;

Amendment 631
Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a a) treatment and distribution of water intended for human consumption;

Or. en

Amendment 632
Tiemo Wölken

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b) the price of water intended for human consumption supplied per litre and cubic metre; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 633
Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b) the price of water intended for human consumption supplied per litre and cubic metre; *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 634

Françoise Grossetête, Angélique Delahaye

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) the price of water intended for human consumption supplied per litre and cubic metre;

Amendment

(b) the price of ***the supply of*** water intended for human consumption supplied per litre and cubic metre, ***and the price invoiced per litre of water;***

Or. fr

Amendment 635

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) the price of water intended for human consumption supplied per litre and cubic metre;

Amendment

(b) ***Where costs are recovered through a tariff system,*** the price of water intended for human consumption supplied per litre and cubic metre;

Or. en

Amendment 636

Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) the price of water intended for human consumption supplied per litre and cubic metre;

Amendment

(b) the price ***of the supply*** of water intended for human consumption supplied per litre and cubic metre;

Amendment 637
Jørn Dohrmann

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b a) the overall performance of the water system, from raw water extraction to tap delivery, in terms of efficiency, including leakage rates expressed in percentage of water delivered and energy consumption per cubic meter of delivered water;

Or. en

Justification

To increase awareness on household level about the energy performance and leakage reduction of the water supplier, it would be effective to provide an user-friendly overview to all persons supplied. Specifying the scope of the information requirement from raw water extraction to tap delivery, i.e. across the whole water supply chain, would enhance transparency. This information shall be made available to all persons supplied at least once a year and without having to request it.

Amendment 638
Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b a) where costs are not recovered through a tariff system, the total annual costs borne by the water system to ensure compliance with this Directive, accompanied by contextual information on how water is supplied to the area;

Or. en

Amendment 639
Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(c) *the volume consumed by the household, at least per year or per billing period, together with yearly trends of consumption;* **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 640
Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(c) *the volume consumed by the household, at least per year or per billing period, together with yearly trends of consumption;* **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 641
Christofer Fjellner

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(c) the volume consumed by the household, at least per year or per billing period, together with yearly trends of consumption;

(c) the volume consumed by the household, at least per year or per billing period, together with yearly trends of consumption ***if such measurement is cost efficient, technically feasible and***

proportional to the potential water savings.

Or. en

Justification

The original suggestion demands that there a water meter is installed in each apartment. This causes increased costs for municipal housing companies and its tenants.

Amendment 642

Jytte Guteland

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) the volume consumed by the household, at least per year or per billing period, together with yearly trends of consumption;

Amendment

(c) the volume consumed by the household, at least per year or per billing period, together with yearly trends of consumption, *if technically feasible, cost efficient and proportionate to potential water savings;*

Or. en

Amendment 643

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Pavel Telička

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) the volume consumed by the household, at least per year or per billing period, together with yearly trends of consumption;

Amendment

(c) the volume consumed by the household, at least per year or per billing period, together with yearly trends of consumption, *only if this data is available to the water supplier;*

Or. en

Justification

In some Member States, water supplier bill the owner of a rented flat who will then charge the tenants for their water consumption. In this case, data on the household consumption is not available to the water supplier.

Amendment 644
Christofer Fjellner

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household in the same category; **deleted**

Or. en

Justification

As a consequence of changing Article 14 - paragraph 2 - subparagraph 1 - point c this needed to be deleted.

Amendment 645
Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household in the same category; **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 646
Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) *comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household in the same category;* **deleted**

Or. en

Amendment 647

Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption *for a household* in the *same category*;

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption *of households categories* in the *Member State while respecting the principle of data protection*;

Or. en

Amendment 648

Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household *in the same category*;

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household;

Or. en

Amendment 649

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Pavel Telička

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household in the same category;

Amendment

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household in the same category, ***only if this data is available to the water supplier;***

Or. en

Justification

In some Member States, water supplier bill the owner of a rented flat who will then charge the tenants for their water consumption. In this case, data on the household consumption is not available to the water supplier.

Amendment 650

Jytte Guteland

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household in the same category;

Amendment

(d) comparisons of the yearly water consumption of the household with an average consumption for a household in the same category, ***when applicable in accordance with point (c);***

Or. en

Amendment 651

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d a (new)

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Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d a) measures taken to ensure water efficiency and to ensure the long-term availability of water resources;

Or. en

Amendment 652
Jan Huitema

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) a link to the website containing the information set out in Annex IV. deleted

Or. en

Justification

Beyond the scope and the objective of this Directive.

Amendment 653
Tiemo Wölken

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) a link to the website containing the information set out in Annex IV. deleted

Or. en

Amendment 654
Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) *a link to the website containing the information set out in Annex IV.* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 655

Ulrike Müller, Fredrick Federley, Frédérique Ries, Pavel Telička

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point e

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e) a link to the website containing the information set out in Annex IV.

(e) a link to the website containing the information *on water quality* set out in Annex IV.

Or. en

Amendment 656

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(e a) measures taken to guarantee the long-term maintenance of water infrastructures and to ensure long-term availability of water in the context of climate change;

Or. en

Amendment 657

Eleonora Evi, Piernicola Pedicini, Dario Tamburrano

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(ea) any initiatives seeking to eliminate waste and loss.

Or. it

Justification

Users should also be informed about any initiatives to eliminate instances of waste and loss.

Amendment 658

Annie Schreijer-Pierik

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The Commission may adopt implementing acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided under the first subparagraph. Those implementing acts shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2).

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 659

Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The Commission may adopt implementing acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided under the first subparagraph. Those implementing acts shall be adopted

deleted

in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2).

Or. en

Amendment 660
Jørn Dohrmann

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission *may* adopt implementing acts specifying the *format of*, and modalities to present, the information to be provided under the first subparagraph. Those implementing acts shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2).

Amendment

The Commission *will* adopt implementing acts *within 18 months* specifying the *calculation methods*, and modalities to present, the information to be provided under the first subparagraph. Those implementing acts shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2). *Member States may use such information to adopt National plans to improve the situation on aspects they deem appropriate.*

Or. en

Justification

The absence of common metrics does not allow a common understanding, nor does it allow proper research and communication, for a healthy societal debate. The goal is not a grand European platform to rapport in – it is imperative that it is a regional matter to be implemented in member states.

Conversely, Members States retain freedom of use of such information to adopt national targets on matters they deem appropriate.

Amendment 661
Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The Commission may adopt **implementing** acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided under the first subparagraph. Those **implementing** acts shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2).

The Commission may adopt **delegated** acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided under the first subparagraph. Those **delegated** acts shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 19.

Or. en

Justification

In consistency with the instrument proposed for the revision of the Annexes as in Article 18, we should have delegated acts and update and review the data collection from Member States.

Amendment 662

Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Nikos Androulakis, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission may adopt implementing acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided under the first subparagraph. Those implementing acts shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2).

Amendment

Member states shall set out a clear division of responsibilities in regards to this task between the water suppliers, stakeholders and competent local bodies. The Commission may adopt implementing acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided under the first subparagraph. Those implementing acts shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2).

Or. en

Amendment 663

José Inácio Faria

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3a. Each Member States shall set up a scheme for rating the energy performance and leakage rate of water suppliers. In accordance with NEW point the scheme shall define

(a) a methodology to assess the energy performance, including the energy efficiency of the system, and the water leakage of the water supplier ;and

(b) a grading scheme.

Or. en

Amendment 664

Jørn Dohrmann

Proposal for a directive

Article 14 – paragraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3a. Each Member States shall set up a scheme for rating the energy performance and leakage rate of water suppliers. In accordance with NEW point the scheme shall define a) a methodology to assess the energy performance, including the energy efficiency of the system, and the water leakage of the water supplier; and a grading scheme.

Or. en

Justification

The introduction of a labelling scheme on the energy performance of water suppliers would accelerate investments and facilitate the market up-take of new business models such as energy performance contracting (energy service companies (ESCOs)/ third party financing).

It would raise awareness for the public and local authorities. It may also serve regulators for establishing incentives. For example, a labelling scheme with a colour scheme could be introduced which indicates whether the system is energy efficient.

Amendment 665
Jørn Dohrmann

Proposal for a directive
Article 14 – paragraph 3 – point 1 (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(1) The European Commission shall, by 31 December 2025, adopt a delegated act in accordance with Article 19, supplementing this Directive by establishing a common European Union scheme for rating the energy performance and leakage rate of water suppliers. In accordance with NEW point the scheme shall define a) a methodology to assess the energy performance, including the energy efficiency of the system, and the water leakage of the water supplier; and b) a grading scheme.

Or. en

Justification

The introduction of a labelling scheme on the energy performance of water suppliers would accelerate investments and facilitate the market up-take of new business models such as energy performance contracting (energy service companies (ESCOs)/ third party financing).

It would raise awareness for the public and local authorities. It may also serve regulators for establishing incentives. For example, a labelling scheme with a colour scheme could be introduced which indicates whether the system is energy efficient.

Amendment 666

Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Giorgos Grammatikakis, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Nikos Androulakis, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive
Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(a) set up by ... [6 years after the end-

(a) set up by ... [6 years after the end-

date for transposition of this Directive], and update every 6 years thereafter, a data set containing information on the measures taken under Article 13, and on the share of their population that **has** access to water intended for human consumption;

date for transposition of this Directive], and update every 6 years thereafter, a data set containing information on the measures taken under Article 13, and on the share of their population that **does not have** access to water intended for human consumption **and the reasons for this lack of access (due to, for example, obstacles of geography, financial affordability or lack of infrastructure)**;

Or. en

Amendment 667
Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive
Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point b – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b) set up by ... [3 years after the end-date for transposition of this Directive], and update every 3 years thereafter, a data set containing the **hazard and domestic** distribution risk **assessments** performed in accordance with Articles 8 and 10, respectively, including the following elements:

(b) set up by ... [3 years after the end-date for transposition of this Directive], and update every 3 years thereafter, a data set containing the **risk assessment of bodies of water used for abstraction of water intended for human consumption and internal** distribution risk **assessment** performed in accordance with Articles 8 and 10, respectively, including the following elements:

Or. en

Amendment 668
Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive
Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point b – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b) set up by ... [3 years after the end-date for transposition of this Directive],

(b) set up by ... [6 years after the end-date for transposition of this Directive],

and update every **3** years thereafter, a data set containing the hazard and domestic distribution risk assessments performed in accordance with Articles 8 and 10, respectively, including the following elements:

and update every **6** years thereafter, a data set containing the hazard and domestic distribution risk assessments performed in accordance with Articles 8 and 10, respectively, including the following elements:

Or. en

Justification

To be coherent with Article 8 and 10 the time for transposition and interval for reviews should be changed to 6 years.

Amendment 669

Jadwiga Wiśniewska, Bolesław G. Piecha

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point b – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) *the abstraction points identified under Article 8(1)(a);* deleted

Or. en

Justification

It is proposed to remove the requirement to inform about water abstraction points, for reasons of safety of water intakes used for water abstraction for collective supply purposes.

Amendment 670

Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point b – point i

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(i) *the abstraction points identified under Article 8(1)(a);* deleted

Or. en

Amendment 671
Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive
Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) set up, and update annually thereafter, a data set containing information on drinking water incidents that have caused potential ***danger*** to human health, regardless of whether any failure to meet the parametric values occurred, that lasted for more than 10 consecutive days and that affected at least 1 000 people, including the causes of those incidents and remedial actions taken in accordance with Article 12.

Amendment

(d) set up, and update annually thereafter, a data set containing information on drinking water incidents that have caused potential ***risk*** to human health, regardless of whether any failure to meet the parametric values occurred, that lasted for more than 10 consecutive days and that affected at least 1 000 people, including the causes of those incidents and remedial actions taken in accordance with Article 12.

Or. en

Amendment 672
Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Nikos Androulakis, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive
Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(da) pursuant to the measures set out in Article 4(3), set up, and update annually thereafter, a data set containing information on the energy performance and leakage rates in the drinking water sector.

Or. en

Amendment 673
Christel Schaldemose

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d a) Set up and update annually thereafter, a data set containing all relevant information on the efficiency of the drinking water sector including water leakage rates and energy use per cubic meter.

Or. en

Justification

More information is crucial to effectively address issues of water leakage, shrinking drinking water reserves, the inefficiency of water usage etc. Furthermore, more information would provide the public with much needed transparency.

Amendment 674

Jørn Dohrmann

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d a) e) set up, and update annually thereafter, a data set containing information on the energy performance of the drinking water sector and the leakage rates

Or. en

Justification

This Article partly replaces former Article 13 of Directive 98/83/EC. Provisions are proposed to simplify reporting compared to former provisions and replaced by a new system, which does not involve actual reporting. This new system shall pay due attention to collect data on the energy performance of the drinking water sector and the leakage rates. This will allow easy benchmarking and provide relevant indicators for a general underinvestment in maintenance and renewal of the drinking water infrastructure, as explained in the Commission's impact assessment.

Amendment 675
José Inácio Faria

Proposal for a directive
Article 15 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1 – point d a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d a) set up, and update annually thereafter, a data set containing information on the energy performance of the drinking water sector and the leakage rates

Or. en

Amendment 676
Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive
Article 15 – paragraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3a. In order to support the Member States in implementing this Article, the Commission shall establish, in cooperation with the Member States, a Union Water Poverty Observatory, with the aim of promoting the development of common indicators to assess physical and economic access to water, of providing a user-friendly and open-access resource that will promote public engagement on the issue of water poverty, of disseminating information and good practice to ensure access to water for all, of facilitating knowledge sharing among stakeholders, as well as of supporting informed decision making at local, national and Union level.

Or. en

Justification

the Observatory should not interfere with the assessment of the implementation by Member States, but it should only provide for a non-binding exchange of information

Amendment 677

Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

*The Commission may adopt **implementing** acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 3, including detailed requirements regarding the indicators, the Union-wide overview maps and the Member State overview reports referred to in paragraph 3.* *deleted*

Or. en

Amendment 678

Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Nikos Androulakis, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The Commission may adopt **implementing** acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 3, including detailed requirements regarding the indicators, the Union-wide overview maps and the Member State overview reports referred to in paragraph 3.

The Commission may adopt **delegated** acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 3, including detailed requirements regarding the indicators, the Union-wide overview maps and the Member State overview reports referred to in paragraph 3.

Or. en

Amendment 679

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission may adopt **implementing** acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 3, including detailed requirements regarding the indicators, the Union-wide overview maps and the Member State overview reports referred to in paragraph 3.

Amendment

The Commission may adopt **delegated** acts specifying the format of, and modalities to present, the information to be provided in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 3, including detailed requirements regarding the indicators, the Union-wide overview maps and the Member State overview reports referred to in paragraph 3.

Or. en

Amendment 680

Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The implementing acts referred to in the first subparagraph shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2).

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Justification

The empowerment of the Commission to adopt implementing acts in this context is too broad.

Amendment 681

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 15 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

The ***implementing*** acts referred to in the first subparagraph shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 20(2).

The ***delegated*** acts referred to in the first subparagraph shall be adopted in accordance with the examination procedure referred to in Article 19.

Or. en

Amendment 682

Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive

Article 16

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Article 16

deleted

Access to justice

1. Member States shall ensure that, natural or legal persons or their associations, organisations or groups, in accordance with national legislation or practice, have access to a review procedure before a court of law or another independent and impartial body established by law to challenge the substantive or procedural legality of decisions, actions or omissions related to the implementation of Articles 4, 5, 12, 13, and 14, when one of the following conditions is fulfilled:

- (a) they have a sufficient interest;***
- (b) they maintain the impairment of a right, where the administrative procedural law of the relevant Member State requires this as a precondition.***

2. Member States shall determine at what stage decisions, acts or omissions may be challenged.

3.

What constitutes a sufficient interest and

impairment of a right shall be determined by Member States, consistently with the objective of giving the public concerned wide access to justice.

To that end, the interest of any non-governmental organisation promoting environmental protection and meeting the requirements under national law shall be deemed sufficient for the purposes of paragraph 1(a).

Such organisations shall also be deemed to have rights capable of being impaired for the purposes of paragraph 1(b).

4. Paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 shall not exclude the possibility of a preliminary review procedure before an administrative authority and shall not affect the requirement of exhaustion of administrative review procedures prior to recourse to judicial review procedures, where such a requirement exists under national law.

5. Any such review procedure referred to in paragraph 1 and 4 shall be fair, equitable, timely and not prohibitively expensive.

6. Member States shall ensure that information is made available to the public on access to administrative and judicial review procedures.

Or. en

Justification

An EU legal extension of judicial access over the environmental area covered by the Aarhus Convention is excessive.

Amendment 683
José Inácio Faria

Proposal for a directive
Article 17 – paragraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1. The Commission shall, by [**12** years after the end-date for transposition of this Directive], carry out an evaluation of this Directive. The evaluation shall be based, inter alia, on the following elements:

1. The Commission shall, by [**5** years after the end-date for transposition of this Directive], carry out an evaluation of this Directive. The evaluation shall be based, inter alia, on the following elements:

Or. en

Amendment 684

Jørn Dohrmann

Proposal for a directive

Article 17 – paragraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

1. The Commission shall, by [**12** years after the end-date for transposition of this Directive], carry out an evaluation of this Directive. The evaluation shall be based, inter alia, on the following elements:

1. The Commission shall, by [**5** years after the end-date for transposition of this Directive], carry out an evaluation of this Directive. The evaluation shall be based, inter alia, on the following elements:

Or. en

Justification

The proposed 12 years is a too long timeframe. To ensure proper implementation of the different monitoring systems and new provisions concerning information to be provided to the public, the amended Directive should be subject to an evaluation in at least five years after transposition.

Amendment 685

Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Nikos Androulakis, Tiemo Wölken, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive

Article 17 – paragraph 2 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(b) provisions related to access to water

(b) provisions related to access to water set out in Article 13 **and the share of the**

set out in Article 13;

population without access to water;

Or. en

Amendment 686

José Inácio Faria

Proposal for a directive

Article 17 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) provisions concerning the information to be provided to the public under Article 14 and Annex IV.

Amendment

(c) provisions concerning the information to be provided to the public under Article 14 and Annex IV *including a user friendly overview at EU level of the information listed in point 7 of Annex IV.*

Or. en

Amendment 687

Jørn Dohrmann

Proposal for a directive

Article 17 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) provisions concerning the information to be provided to the public under Article 14 and Annex IV.

Amendment

(c) provisions concerning the information to be provided to the public under Article 14 and Annex IV *including a user friendly overview at EU level of the information listed in point 7 of Annex IV.*

Or. en

Justification

To increase awareness on the energy performance and leakage in the water sector, it would be effective to provide user-friendly overview to all persons supplied of how the water suppliers perform with regards to water leakage and energy consumption (as required in new Annex IV). This will allow easy benchmarking and provide relevant indicators for a general underinvestment in maintenance and renewal of the drinking water infrastructure, as explained in the Commission's impact assessment.

Amendment 688

Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Nikos Androulakis, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová

Proposal for a directive

Article 17 – paragraph 2 – point c a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(c a) provisions related to the overall performance of water systems, including leakage rates, as set under Article 4(3), specifying the methodology used by Member States to define their leakage rate reduction targets, as well as the efforts made to comply with these targets;

Or. en

Amendment 689

Karl-Heinz Florenz, Birgit Collin-Langen, Annie Schreijer-Pierik, Renate Sommer, Peter Liese

Proposal for a directive

Article 17 – paragraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2a. The Commission shall, no later than [five years after the final deadline for transposition of this Directive] — and afterwards where appropriate — submit a report to the European Parliament and to the Council on the potential threat to sources of drinking water from microplastics, medicines and, if necessary, other newly occurring pollutants and on the appropriate associated potential health risks. The Commission shall be empowered to adopt, if necessary, delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 establishing maximum levels for microplastics, medicinal products and other newly occurring pollutants in

drinking water.

Or. de

Justification

It is important to monitor newly occurring substances in drinking water and to be able to introduce parameter values where a health risk is identified. An EU-wide standard approach to setting or deriving maximum levels is necessary to ensure the same level of protection throughout the EU.

Amendment 690

Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Article 18 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall, on the basis of Member States' hazard and domestic distribution risk assessments contained in the data sets set up pursuant to Article 15, review Annex II *and* assess *whether there is a need to adapt it or to introduce new monitoring specifications for the purposes of those risk assessments.*

Amendment

At least every 5 years, the Commission shall, on the basis of Member States' hazard and domestic distribution risk assessments contained in the data sets set up pursuant to Article 15, review Annex II. *On the basis of a review of Annex I and II the Commission, where appropriate shall assess a need for legislative proposals for amendments in accordance with the Treaty.*

Or. en

Amendment 691

Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive

Article 18 – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

The Commission shall, on the basis of Member States' *hazard and domestic* distribution risk assessments contained in the data sets set up pursuant to Article 15, review Annex II and assess whether there

Amendment

The Commission shall, on the basis of Member States' *risk assessment of bodies of water used for abstraction of water intended for human consumption and internal* distribution risk assessments

is a need to adapt it or to introduce new monitoring specifications for the purposes of those risk assessments.

contained in the data sets set up pursuant to Article 15, review Annex II and assess whether there is a need to adapt it or to introduce new monitoring specifications for the purposes of those risk assessments.

Or. en

Amendment 692
Karin Kadenbach

Proposal for a directive
Article 18 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 amending Annexes I to IV where necessary, to adapt them to scientific and technical progress or to specify monitoring requirements for the purposes of the hazard and domestic distribution risk assessments pursuant to Article 8(1)(d) and Article 10(1)(b).

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Or. de

Justification

Delegation to the Commission through delegated acts goes too far. In delegated acts, the co-determination and control rights of the European Parliament and the Council are too restricted and not very transparent and should therefore be rejected.

Amendment 693
Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive
Article 18 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 amending Annexes I to IV

2. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 amending *part D of Annex II*

where necessary, to adapt them to scientific and technical progress or to specify monitoring requirements *for the purposes of the hazard and domestic distribution risk assessments pursuant to Article 8(1)(d) and Article 10(1)(b).*

and Annex III where necessary, to adapt them to scientific and technical progress, *including as regards contaminants of emerging concern (CECs)*, or to specify monitoring requirements.
The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 supplementing Annex I Part B on the endocrine disruptive substances (Bisphenol A, B-estradiol and nonylphenol) with the sampling frequencies obligation for those substances, no later than one year after the entry into force of the Directive. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 adding substances to the part X (indicative parameters) of Annex I where necessary, to adapt them to scientific and technical progress, including the contaminants of emerging concern (CECs).

Or. en

Justification

It is without a doubt that the EDCs should be monitored in a regular basis in order to ensure the safety of the water. Nevertheless, the controls are expensive and unless there are exceptional situations the sampling does not have to take place every day, according the structure of the Annex I. The EC taking into consideration the hazard from those substances to the population and the cost of the sampling should come up with the ideal frequency to apply on regular situations, so as to avoid any risk for the population and excessive cost for the users.

Amendment 694
Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive
Article 18 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 amending *Annexes I to IV*

Amendment

2. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 amending *Annex III* where

where necessary, to adapt *them* to scientific and technical progress *or to specify monitoring requirements for the purposes of the hazard and domestic distribution risk assessments pursuant to Article 8(1)(d) and Article 10(1)(b).*

necessary, to adapt *it* to scientific and technical progress.

Or. en

Justification

The empowerment of the Commission to adopt delegated acts should be limited to Annex III only.

Amendment 695 **Soledad Cabezón Ruiz**

Proposal for a directive **Article 18 – paragraph 2**

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 amending Annexes I to IV where necessary, to adapt them to scientific and technical progress or to specify monitoring requirements for the purposes of the *hazard and domestic* distribution risk *assessments* pursuant to Article 8(1)(d) and Article 10(1)(b).

Amendment

2. The Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts in accordance with Article 19 amending Annexes I to IV where necessary, to adapt them to scientific and technical progress or to specify monitoring requirements for the purposes of the *risk assessment of bodies of water used for abstraction of water intended for human consumption and internal* distribution risk *assessment* pursuant to Article 8(1)(d) and Article 10(1)(b).

Or. en

Amendment 696 **Rory Palmer, Biljana Borzan, Nessa Childers, Carlos Zorrinho, Nicola Caputo, Paul Brannen, Seb Dance, Tiemo Wölken, Theresa Griffin, Monika Beňová**

Proposal for a directive **Article 18 – paragraph 2 a (new)**

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

2a. Five years after the (entry into force of this Directive) the Commission shall review whether the provision in Article 10a have led to a sufficient level of harmonisation of hygienic requirements on materials and products in contact with drinking water and, if necessary, take further appropriate measures.

Or. en

Amendment 697

Lukas Mandl

Proposal for a directive

Article 19

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Article 19

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Exercise of the delegation

- 1. The power to adopt delegated acts is conferred on the Commission subject to the conditions laid down in this Article.*
- 2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 18(2) shall be conferred on the Commission for an indeterminate period of time from [date of entry into force of this Directive].*
- 3. The delegation of power referred to in Article 18(2) may be revoked at any time by the European Parliament or by the Council. A decision to revoke shall put an end to the delegation of the power specified in that decision. It shall take effect the day following the publication of the decision in the Official Journal of the European Union or at a later date specified therein. It shall not affect the validity of any delegated acts already in force.*
- 4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State in*

accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement on Better Law-Making of 13 April 2016.

5. As soon as it adopts a delegated act, the Commission shall notify it simultaneously to the European Parliament and to the Council.

6. A delegated act adopted pursuant to Article 18(2) shall enter into force only if no objection has been expressed either by the European Parliament or by the Council within a period of two months of notification of that act to the European Parliament and the Council or if, before the expiry of that period, the European Parliament and the Council have both informed the Commission that they will not object. That period shall be extended by two months at the initiative of the European Parliament or of the Council.

Or. en

Justification

The empowerment of the Commission to adopt delegated acts is too broad. The revision of the annexes should take place in expert committees as it allows better consideration of the specificities of the Member States.

Amendment 698
Soledad Cabezón Ruiz

Proposal for a directive
Article 19 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in **Article 18(2)** shall be conferred on the Commission for **an indeterminate** period of **time** from [date of entry into force of this Directive].

Amendment

2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in **Articles 10a (2), and 18(2)** shall be conferred on the Commission for a period of **5 years** from [date of entry into force of this Directive]. **The Commission shall draw up a report in respect of the delegation of power no later than nine months before the end of the five-year**

period. The delegation of power shall be extended for periods of an identical duration, unless the European Parliament or the Council opposes such extension no later than three months before the end of each period.

Or. en

Amendment 699

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 19 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in **Article 18(2)** shall be conferred on the Commission for ***an indeterminate*** period of ***time*** from [date of entry into force of this Directive].

Amendment

2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in **Articles 14(2), 15(4) and 18(2)** shall be conferred on the Commission for ***renewable*** period of ***five years*** from [date of entry into force of this Directive].

Or. en

Justification

The Commission should be empowered to adopt delegated acts for a limited period of time up to five years, and it could be renewable.

Amendment 700

Lynn Boylan, Estefanía Torres Martínez

Proposal for a directive

Article 20

Text proposed by the Commission

Article 20

Committee procedure

1. The Commission shall be assisted by a committee. That committee shall be a committee within the meaning of

Amendment

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Regulation (EU) No 182/2011.

2. Where reference is made to this paragraph, Article 5 of Regulation (EU) No 182/2011 shall apply.

Or. en

Justification

In consistency with the previous proposals by which the Commission shall be empowered to adopt delegated act, the reference as in Article 20 to refer to Regulation 182/2011 is no longer needed.

Amendment 701

Jadwiga Wiśniewska, Bolesław G. Piecha

Proposal for a directive

Article 22 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Article 22 a

Transitional period

1. Member States shall take the measures necessary to ensure monitoring parameters set in Annex I, part B: Chlorate, Chlorite, Haloacetic Acids, Microcystin-LR, PFAS, PFAS-total, Uranium, by [3 years after end-date for transposition].

2. Member States shall take the measures necessary to ensure that water intended for human consumption complies with the parametric values set in Annex I, part B, for the following parameters: Chlorate, Chlorite, Haloacetic Acids, Microcystin-LR, PFAS, PFAS-total, Uranium, by [6 years after end-date for transposition].

3. During this transitional period, water suppliers shall not be obliged to carry out a supply risk assessment for the parameters listed in the first paragraph.

Or. en

Justification

Due to the lack of methods of analysis for testing new parameters and the lack of equipment, a transitional period should be provided for their inclusion in monitoring. In addition, a transition period should be provided to ensure that the requirements for new parameters are met.

Amendment 702
Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive
Article 22 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Article 22 a

Transitional period

1. Member States shall take the measures necessary to ensure monitoring parameters and that water intended for human consumption complies with the parametric values set in Annex I, part B: Chlorate, Chlorite, Haloacetic Acids, Microcystin-LR, PFAS, PFAS-total, Uranium, by [3 years after end-date for transposition].

2. During this transitional period, water suppliers shall not be obliged to carry out a supply risk assessment for the parameters listed in the first paragraph.

Or. en

Justification

Due to the lack of methods of analysis for testing new parameters and the lack of equipment, a transitional period should be provided for their inclusion in monitoring and to ensure that the requirements for new parameters are met.

Amendment 703
Andrzej Grzyb

Proposal for a directive

Article 23 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. Derogations granted by Member States in accordance with Article 9 of Directive 98/83/EC that are still applicable by [end-date for transposition of this Directive] shall remain applicable until the end of their duration. They may **not** be renewed **further**.

Amendment

2. Derogations granted by Member States in accordance with Article 9 of Directive 98/83/EC that are still applicable by [end-date for transposition of this Directive] shall remain applicable until the end of their duration. They may be renewed **in accordance with article 12a**.

Or. en

Amendment 704

Jadwiga Wiśniewska, Bolesław G. Piecha

Proposal for a directive

Article 23 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. Derogations granted by Member States in accordance with Article 9 of Directive 98/83/EC that are still applicable by [end-date for transposition of this Directive] shall remain applicable until the end of their duration. **They may not be renewed further**.

Amendment

2. Derogations granted by Member States in accordance with Article 9 of Directive 98/83/EC that are still applicable by [end-date for transposition of this Directive] shall remain applicable until the end of their duration.

Or. en