

Council Directive 95/18/EC of 19 June 1995 on
the licensing of railway undertakings (repealed)

SECTION V

Final provisions

Article 15

1 The procedures for the granting of licences shall be made public by the Member State concerned, which shall inform the Commission thereof.

2 The licensing authority shall take a decision on an application as soon as possible, but not more than three months after all relevant information, notably the particulars referred to in the Annex, has been submitted, taking into account all the available information. The decision shall be communicated to the applicant railway undertaking. A refusal shall state the grounds therefore.

3 Member States shall take the measures necessary to ensure that the licensing authority's decisions are subject to judicial review.

Article 16

1 The Commission shall, two years after the application of this Directive, submit to the Council a report on such application accompanied, if necessary, by proposals concerning continued Community action, with particular regard to the possibility of enlarging the scope of the Directive.

2 Member States shall adopt the laws, regulations and administrative provisions necessary to comply with this Directive within two years of the date of its entry into force. They shall forthwith inform the Commission thereof.

3 When Member States adopt those provisions, they shall contain a reference to this Directive or be accompanied by such reference at the time of their official publication. The methods of making such a reference shall be laid down by the Member States.

Article 17

This Directive shall enter into force on the date of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

Article 18

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.