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'BUILDING NEW BIOMASS SUPPLY CHAINS FOR THE BIO-BASED ECONOMY' RELEVANT LEGISLATION/COMMUNICATIONS 13 MAY 2015



Relevant legislation and communications

Regulation (EU) No 1305/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 on support for rural development by the European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD) and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 1698/2005

- Art 5(5)(c): facilitating the supply and use of renewable sources of energy, of by-products, wastes and residues and of other non-food raw material, for the purposes of the bioeconomy.
- Art 35.2: (a) pilot projects; (b) the development of new products, practices, processes and technologies in the agriculture, food and forestry sectors; (h) horizontal and vertical co-operation among supply chain actors in the sustainable provision of biomass for use in food and energy production and industrial processes.
- Art 14 Knowledge transfer
- Art 17 Investments in physical assets
- Art 27 Setting -up of producer groups and organisations

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Regulation (EU) No 1301/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 December 2013 on the European Regional Development Fund and on specific provisions concerning the Investment for growth and jobs goal and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1080/2006.

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Directive 2009/28/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 April 2009 on the promotion of the use of energy from renewable sources. <u>See here</u>

Communication from the Commission "Innovating for Sustainable Growth: A Bioeconomy for Europe" (COM(2012) 60 final). See here

Communication from the Commission "Towards a circular economy: A zero waste programme for Europe" (COM(2014) 206 final). **See here**

Communication from the Commission "For a European Industrial Renaissance" (COM(2014) 14 final). Click here

Commission Staff Working Document on the state of play on the sustainability of solid and gaseous biomass used for electricity, heating and cooling in the EU (SWD(2014)259 final). Click here

Communication from the Commission "A new EU Forest Strategy" COM(2013)659. <u>Click here</u>

