

**Case C-209/94 Buralux SA, Satrod SA and Ourry SA v Council of the European Union**  
**[1996] ECR I-00615**

**Facts:** The applicants carried out the collection, shipment, and dumping of household waste originating in Germany and exported to France. A Council regulation on the transfer of waste legalised a French prohibition on the importation of household waste for dumping purposes, damaging the applicants' interests.

**Held:** The purpose of the regulation was to establish a general framework for restrictions on transfer of waste. The fact that the applicants were the only operators transporting waste from Germany to France was not sufficient to differentiate them from any other operator.