Order of the Court (Third Chamber) of 30 March 2006 — *EFfCI* v *Parliament and Council*

(Case C-113/05 P)

Appeal — Directive 2003/15/EC — Action for annulment — Cosmetic products — Protection of public health — Experiments on animals — Prohibition of substances which are carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic for reproduction — Appeal in part clearly inadmissible and in part clearly unfounded

1. *Procedure — Obligation on the Court of First Instance to initiate the oral procedure before giving a ruling on a plea of inadmissibility — None (Rules of Procedure of the Court of First Instance, Art. 114(4)) (see para. 26)*

2. *Appeals — Grounds — Ground having no connection to the pleas raised before the Court of First Instance — Inadmissible (Rules of Procedure of the Court, Art. 42(2)) (see para. 36)*

3. *Actions for annulment — Natural or legal persons — Measures of direct and individual concern to them (Art. 230, fourth para., EC; European Parliament and Council Directive 2003/15) (see paras 37, 56)*

Re:

Appeal against the order of the Court of First Instance (Third Chamber) of 10 December 2004 in Case T-196/03 *EFfCI* v *European Parliament and Council* — Admissibility of an action for partial annulment of Article 1 of Directive 2003/15/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 February 2003 amending

Council Directive 76/768/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to cosmetic products (OJ 2003 L 66, p. 26) — Person directly and individually concerned within the meaning of the fourth paragraph of Article 230 EC

Operative part:

The Court:

1. Dismisses the appeal;

2. Orders the European Federation for Cosmetic Ingredients to pay the costs.