# COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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# Proposal for a

# COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

amending for the second time Regulation (EEC) N°4194/88 fixing, for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks, the total allowable catches for 1989 and certain conditions under which they may be fished

(presented by the Commission)

#### EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This proposal for a Council Regulation to modify Council Regulation (EEC)  $N^4194/88$  of 21 December 1988 (1) has the following objectives:

- To extend the zone to which seasonal limitation on fishing for herring off the south-west coast of Ireland applies, as advised by the Advisory Committee on Fishery Management (ACFM) of the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (ICES), in order to give extra protection to the spawning concentration of herring in this area.
- 2. To increase the total allowable catch (TAC) for the stock of cod in ICES zones VIIb, c, d, e, f, g, h, j, k, VIII, IX and X and COPACE 34.1.1. (EC zone).

This revision of the TAC takes into account the latest advice given by the Scientific and Technical Committee for Fisheries (STCF).

<sup>(1)</sup> O.J. N° L 369, 31.12.88, p. 3

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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) N°170/83 of 25 January 1983 establishing a Community system for the conservation and management of fishery resources (1), as amended by the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal, and in particular Article 11 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas under the terms of Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) N° 170/83 it is incumbent upon the Council to establish the total allowable catches (TACs) by stock or group of stocks, the share available for the Community and the specific conditions under which these catches must be taken; whereas the share available to the Community is allocated among the Member States, under Article 4 of that Regulation;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) N° 4194/88 (2), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) N° 295/89 (3), fixes, for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks, the TACs for 1989 and certain conditions under which they may be fished;

Whereas, taking account of the latest scientific advice, it is necessary to extend the zone to which the seasonal limitations on fishing for herring in the Celtic Sea apply;

Whereas, taking account of the latest scientific advice, the TAC of cod in ICES divisions VIIb, c, d, e, f, g, h, j, k, VIII, IX and X and CECAF division 34.1.1. (EC zone) may be increased,

#### HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ N° L 24, 27.1.1983, p. 1.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ N° L 369, 31.12.1988, p. 1.

<sup>(3)</sup> OJ N° L 33, 4.2.1989, p. 38.

# Article 1

Article 6(7) of Regulation (EEC) N° 4194/88 is hereby replaced by the following:

- "7. Fishing for herring shall be prohibited from 1 to 16 November 1989 within the area bounded by the following coordinates:
- the south coast of Ireland at longitude 52°00'N;
- latitude 52°00'N, longitude 07°30'W;
- latitude 51°15'N, longitude 07°30'W;
- latitude 51°15'N, longitude 09°00'W,
- the south coast of Ireland at longitude 09°00'W."

# Article 2

The Annex to this Regulation shall replace the corresponding items of the Annex to Regulation (EEC) N° 4194/88.

# Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 1989.

For the Council

The President

# ANEXO / BILAG / ANHANG / MAPAPTHMA / ANNEX / ANNEXE / ALLEGATO / BIJLAGE / ANEXO

Especie / Art / Art / Eiδoς / Species / Espèce / Specie / Soort / Espécie	Zona / Område / Bereich / Ζώνη / Zone / Zone / Zona / Sector / Zona	TAC	Estado miembro / Medlemsstat / Mitgliedstaat / Κράτος μέλος / Member State / État membre / Stato membro / Lid-Staat / Estado-membro	Cuota / Kvote / Quote Ποσόστωση / Quota Quota / Contingente Quota / Quota
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
lacalao / Torsk / Kabeljau / άδος / Cod / Cabillaud / ferluzzo bianco / Kabeljauw / lacalhau  Gadus morhua)	VII b, c, d, e, f, g, h, j, k, VIII, IX, X; COPACE 34.1.1. (')	24 600	België/Belgique Danmark Deutschland Ελλάδα España France Ireland Italia Luxembourg Nederland Portugal United Kingdom  CEE/EØF/EWG/EOK/EEC/EEG	1 100 18 800 2 510 150 2 040 24 600

# BUSINESS AND EMPLOYMENT IMPACT STATEMENT

This proposal, if adopted, will have a positive impact on small and medium-sized enterprises because it will ensure the full utilization of certain fish resources in Community waters.

# Commission of the European Communities

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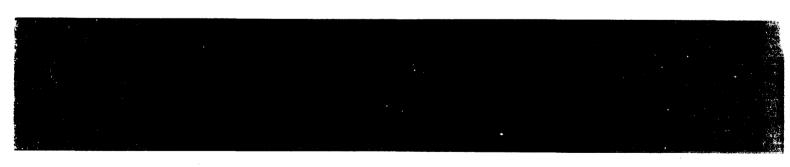
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