

Question for written answer E-001952/2015
to the Commission
Rule 130
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Subject: Recreational fishing in the common fisheries policy

In the most recent review of the regulation corresponding to the common fisheries policy, there was no mention of recreational and sport fishing. In view of the significant impact these activities may have on the marine environment, I would like to ask:

Does the Commission not think that recreational fishing should be covered in the next Green Paper on the common fisheries policy?

Is it looking into that possibility?

What reconciliation measures is the Commission considering that would include recreational fishing in the shared management plans?