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Top News on 10 October 2011

COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES

Monday 10 October: 15.00 -18.30

Tuesday 11 October: 09.00 – 12.30 and 15.00 -18.30

Brussels (room JAN - 6 Q 2):

Highlights:

- ▶ Vote on INI-report "Combating illegal fishing at the global level Role of the EU"
- ► Consideration of draft report on the extension of the FPA with Morocco
- ► Exchanges of views on the report on the bluefin tuna recovery plan and on the opinion to the INI-report on "A resource-efficient Europe"
- Hearing on "Small-scale and coastal fisheries in the context of the CFP reform"
- Presentation of a study on "Perspectives for the new European Fisheries Fund"

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Next Delegation Visits:

1-5 Nov. 2011: Seychelles

17-19 Nov. 2011: ICCAT (Istanbul/TR)

Next Public Hearing:

23 November 2011: "CFP reform: Management of the fisheries resources and the fishing fleet"

More Info

- @ EP Fisheries Committee link
- @ DG MARE (European Commission) link
- @ Polish Presidency of the Council_link
- @ FAO Fishery and Aquaculture link
- @ ICES International Council for the Exploration of the Sea <u>link</u>







Reports	Rapporteur	Type of procedure	PECH Committee vote	Plenary session vote
Combating illegal fishing at the global level – the role of the EU 2010/2210(INI)	Lövin	INI	11/10/2011	NOV I
Fish stock conservation: multi-annual recovery plan for bluefin tuna in the Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean (amend. Regulation (EC) No 43/2009) 2011/0144(COD)	Romeva	COD	19/11/2011	JAN
EC/Morocco Fisheries Partnership Agreement: fishing opportunities and financial compensation from 28 February 2011 to 27 February 2012. Protocol 2011/0139(NLE)	Haglund	NLE	22/11/2011	DEC II
Fisheries restrictions and jurisdictional waters in the Mediterranean and Black Sea - ways for conflict resolution 2011/2086(INI)	Salavrakos	INI	TBC	TBC
EU/Chile Agreement: conservation of swordfish stocks in the South-Eastern Pacific Ocean 2010/0084(NLE-AP)	Gallagher	NLE/APP	30/11/2010	TBC
Access by Venezuelan fishing vessels to the exclusive economic zone off the coast of French Guyana. Unilateral declaration 2010/0392(NLE) (EP disagrees with proposed legal basis)	Rivellini	NLE	19/12/2011	FEB 2012
EC/Micronesia Fisheries Partnership Agreement: fishing opportunities and financial contribution 2010/0290(NLE/APP)	Fraga	NLE/APP	TBC	TBC



Ongoing Dossiers



Reports	Rapporteur	Type of procedure	PECH Committee vote	Plenary session vote
Proposal for a regulation on the Common Fisheries Policy 2011/0195(COD)	Rodust	COD	TBC	TBC
Proposal for a regulation on the common organisation of the markets in fishery and aquaculture products 2011/0194(COD)		COD	30/05/2010	JULY 2012
Proposal for a regulation establishing a multiannual plan for the Baltic salmon stock and the fisheries exploiting that stock 2011/0206(COD)	TBC	COD	TBC	TBC
Proposal for a regulation amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1967/2006 concerning management measures for the sustainable exploitation of fishery resources in the Mediterranean Sea 2011/0218(COD)	Rosbach	COD	TBC	TBC
Proposal for a regulation amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1198/2006 on the European Fisheries Fund, as regards certain provisions relating to financial management for certain Members States experiencing or threatened with serious difficulties with respect to their financial stability 2011/0212(COD)	Ferreira	COD	24/01/2012	FEB 2012



Ongoing Dossiers



Reports	Rapporteur	Type of procedure	PECH Committee vote	Plenary session vote
External dimension of the Common Fisheries Policy PECH/7/07309 COM(2011)0424	Lövin	INI	TBC	TBC
Reform of the Common Fisheries Policy PECH/7/07310 COM(2011)0417	Salavrakos	INI	TBC	TBC
Common fisheries policy: conservation and sustainable exploitation PECH/7/07315 COM(2011)0418	Haglund	INI	TBC	TBC
"The small scale and artisanal fisheries and the CFP reform " PECH/7/07311	Ferreira	INI	TBC	TBC





Ongoing Dossiers

Opinions	Draftsperson	Type of procedure	PECH Committee vote	Lead Committee vote
EU/Morocco Agreement: reciprocal liberalisation measures on agricultural products, processed agricultural products, fish and fishery products 2010/0248/NLE	Romeva i Rueda	NLE-APP	19/09/2011	20/12/2011 (INTA)
Resource-efficient Europe 2011/2068(INI)	Trautman	INI	19/12/2011	FEB 2012 (ENVI)

*Note on procedures:

COD: Codecision; **CNS**: Consultation; **INI**: Own-Initiative; **NLE**: Non-legislative (incl. consent to international agreements); **DEC**: Discharge





From the Policy Department 'B': <u>Studies and Briefing Notes</u>

STUDIES REQUESTED:

- Current and future importance of China in fisheries
- > Application of the system of derogation to rules of origin for fisheries products from PNG and Fiji
- Evaluation of the Commission impact assessment of 2007 supporting its proposal to grant a derogation to rules of origin on processed tuna in favour of Papua New Guinea and Fiji

WORKSHOPS REQUESTED:

"Eco-system flips" - How fishing can provoke sudden ecosystem changes

BRIEFING PAPERS REQUESTED

- Fisheries in the Mediterranean and the Black Sea Region (GFCM activities...)
- > Update of the Commission study on the impact of cormorants on EU fisheries and aquaculture
- Fuel subsidies in the EU

INTERNAL NOTES REQUESTED:

- > Fisheries fleets in the EU
- Fisheries in the Seychelles

Latest STUDIES AND NOTES PUBLISHED:

- Special characteristics of small-scale fisheries in Europe
- Perspectives for the new European Fisheries Fund
- > The North Sea Brown Shrimp Fisheries
- Industrial Fishery in the Baltic Sea
- Fisheries in Portugal/Azores, Poland, Bulgaria/Black Sea region (for deleg. 2011)
- Interaction of seals and fish stocks (4 short studies)
- Natura 2000 and the Common Fisheries Policy
- Real-Time Closures
- Mitigation of incidental catches of cetaceans in EU waters
- Tools for fishing fleet management
- Jurisdictional waters in the Mediterranean and the Black Sea
- Evaluation of the Impact of «A strategy for the Sustainable Development of EU Aquaculture»
- Regulatory and Legal Constraints for European Aquaculture/EU Aquaculture Competitiveness
- Fisheries Management and Recovery Plans since 2002
- The Impact of WTO and other Trade Negotiations on Fisheries
- Fisheries in the Basque Country / Fisheries in Sicily / Fisheries in Sweden (for deleg. 2010)
- Fishing Fleet management systems in Third Countries
- Long-term impact of different fishing methods on the ecosystem in the Kattegat and Öresund

You can access the studies and other documents via this <u>link</u>





EP/Press service <u>Agriculture and fisheries</u> (News - Press service)

EP will not seek a court decision on the EU-Morocco fisheries agreement

29/09/2011

A bid by 77 MEPs to have the new protocol to the EU-Morocco fisheries agreement referred to the European Court of Justice (ECJ), for a ruling on whether it is fair to the people of Western Sahara, was halted by a plenary vote in Parliament on Thursday.

The resolution calling for the ECJ ruling was rejected in the plenary vote (221 in favour, 302 against and 30 abstentions).

The bid's backers argued that a European Court of Justice (ECJ) ruling would dispel legal uncertainty as to whether the inclusion of the Western Sahara in the protocol reflects the wishes of the local population and whether it takes their interests into account, as required by EU treaties and international law.

What's next?

The process of approving the controversial protocol will now continue in committee. The Fisheries Committee vote is scheduled for its November meeting (22 - 23 November). The final vote in plenary should take place in December.



European Commission Press Service Fisheries - Press corner

The EU pleased with NAFO's continued commitment to the conservation of international fish stocks and the protection of Atlantic ecosystems

26/9/2011

Thanks to the continued commitment of the European Union to follow scientific advice and its close cooperation with partner countries, the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO) adopted science-based, precautionary measures for the conservation and management of its fish stocks and ecosystems at its Annual Meeting held in Halifax, Canada, on 19-23 September 2011.

NAFO set total allowable catches (TACs) for a number of its stocks under its purview, including cod and redfish in the Flemish Cap strictly in line with the scientific advice, at 9280 tonnes and 6500 tonnes respectively.

Unfortunately for the third important stock on the Flemish Cap – shrimp – NAFO was unable to reopen the fishery closed last year due to enduring bad condition of the stock.

Likewise, the continuing downward trend for the shrimp stock in the Grand Banks led NAFO to significantly decrease fishing opportunities from 19200 tonnes in 2011 to 12000 tonnes in 2012 and 9350 tonnes in 2013.

NAFO was able to reap the benefits of the work carried out in the previous years – as a result of the adoption of a ground-breaking management procedure for one of its most important stocks – Greenland Halibut – last year, the TAC for 2012 was set at 16382 tonnes in accordance with the rule.

NAFO also formally adopted Conservation Strategies and Rebuilding Plans developed earlier this year for two of its stocks under moratoria – Grand Banks cod and American



...Plaice in order to accelerate their recovery and agreed to continue this valuable work for other species under a fishing ban.

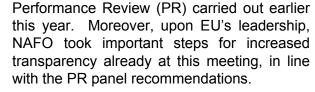
In line with its Action Plan for the protection of elasmobranchs (sharks, rays and skates), the EU worked with NAFO Contracting Parties to lower the TAC for thorny skates for conservation of these vulnerable species.

The EU was instrumental in ensuring that NAFO took further action on the protection of Vulnerable Marine Ecosystems from the significant adverse impacts of bottom fisheries by tabling a proposal (co-sponsored by Canada) for an extension of the closed area 5 (Flemish Cap Northeast Prong) in order to protect the most interesting arrangement of corals and sponges communities identified so far in the NAFO Area. The EU also co-sponsored a US proposal to conduct a reassessment of the impact of NAFO bottom fisheries on Vulnerable Marine Ecosystems by 2016 and every five years thereafter.

importantly, NAFO lowered threshold for sponge indicator species which trigger reporting obligations and well as a move-away rule in the existing fishing areas (with a temporary closure in new fishing areas) to 600 kg (down from 800kg) for existing fishing areas and 400kg (down from 800kg) for new fishing areas. This decision promises to bring more information about encounters of Vulnerable Marine Ecosystems in NAFO waters to the NAFO Scientific Council for further action on their protection in the future. The EU hopes that other Regional Fisheries Management Organisations will be able to follow suit.

NAFO also agreed to extend the closures of its sponge and coral protection zones to 2014, when more information from the scientific project NEREIDA is due to become available.

NAFO committed to work inter-sessionally to develop a concrete course of action to implement the recommendations of the



The EU regrets however that the NAFO Contracting Parties were not in a position to act on another of Performance Review recommendations and adopt the EU/US proposal for a resolution concerning climate change and its potential effects on NAFO fishery resources.

The European Commission is convinced that the measures adopted by NAFO at this Annual Meeting will yield long term environmental and socio-economic benefits ensuring good condition of the fish stocks and the ecosystem and an economic viability for NAFO fishermen.

Background

The Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO) was established in 1979, with the objective of contributing to the optimum utilisation, rational management and conservation of the fishery resources of the Convention Area. Its current Contracting Parties are Canada, Cuba, Denmark (in respect of the Faroe Islands and Greenland), the European Union, France (in respect of St. Pierre et Miquelon), Iceland, Japan, Republic of Korea, Norway, Russia, Ukraine and the United States of America.



Fisheries: Commission proposes fishing opportunities for 2012 for EU fish stocks in the Atlantic and North Sea

27/09/2011

The European Commission presented today its first proposal for 2012 fishing opportunities for certain stocks in the Atlantic and the North



Sea. Today's proposal sets levels of total allowable catch (TAC) and fishing effort for the fish stocks managed by the EU exclusively, and not for stocks managed with third countries. Based on scientific advice. the Commission proposes to increase the TAC for 9 stocks (certain stocks of cod, anglerfish, herring, haddock, hake, sole, megrim and Norway lobster) and reduce it for 53 stocks. For cod in the West of Scotland. Irish Sea and the Kattegat, the Commission proposes that no fishing takes place in 2012, given the poor state of these stocks. The proposed changes would amount to an overall reduction in TACs (by weight) of 11% compared to 2011. The Commission's goal is to set TACs at science-based levels which help recover the stocks and make fisheries sustainable in the long term.

Maria Damanaki, Commissioner for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries, said: "our proposal's cornerstones are long-term management of stocks and reliable scientific data to base our decisions on, in line with our proposed reform of the Common Fisheries Policy. This reform will deliver a fisheries policy fit for the future, based on viable fish stocks which will assure fishermen a decent income."

The proposed catch limits are based on the scientific advice from the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (ICES) and the Scientific, Technical and Economic Committee for Fisheries (STECF). Stakeholders were also consulted on the basis of the Commission's Consultation document from May (IP/11/638).

The Commission's ultimate aim is that all stocks are fished at sustainable levels, the so-called Maximum Sustainable Yield (MSY), by 2015 – a commitment that the EU made to the international community, and which is also a key pillar of the proposed CFP reform.

To help achieve MSY by 2015, the International Council for the Exploration of

the Sea (ICES) has started to frame its scientific advice with this goal in mind, whenever possible. Also, multi-annual management plans are being put in place for all major commercial stocks. Stocks managed in this way tend to fare better than those subject to short-term decision-making.

Background

The present proposal concerns only the 83 stocks for which the TACs are decided by the EU alone, and is scheduled to be discussed by the member states' fisheries ministers at the November Fisheries Council.

A second proposal will deal with the 66 stocks for which the fishing opportunities must be agreed with Regional Fisheries Management Organisations (RFMOs) or in the context of consultations with third countries and will be tabled later this autumn. Thanks to splitting the proposal in this way, fishermen will learn sooner how much they can fish in 2012 and be able to plan ahead better.

For some stocks the long-term approach has already proven beneficial. For example the stocks of anglerfish in North and North-West Spain may reach sustainable levels (MSY) already in 2012, even with higher catches (110% increase in TAC proposed), and the TACs for cod in the Celtic Sea and the Bay of Biscay can be safely increased by 141%.

But serious concerns for a number of stocks remain. In particular, due to poor state of the stocks, the Commission proposes to stop fishing for cod in the West of Scotland, the Irish Sea and the Kattegat. Poor data hampers the management of these stocks and despite successive cuts in the TACs over the recent years, the stocks still fail to recover.

For stocks where data are too poor to properly estimate their size, the Commission applied a so-called precautionary principle,



reducing the TACs by between 15% and 25% until more reliable data are available.

For 12 stocks the scientific advice will be issued in the autumn, so the proposal contains no figures for them at the moment.

The Commission already proposed fishing opportunities for the Baltic Sea for 2012 on 15 September (IP/11/1033). These proposals will be discussed by ministers at the October Fisheries Council.



Commission seeks Italy's compliance with Court ruling on illegal use of drift-nets in the Mediterranean

29 /09/2011

The European Commission calls on Italy to take measures and comply with an October 2009 Court of Justice ruling on Italy's continued illegal use of drift-nets. The Court found that Italy had failed to adequately control and enforce the EU ban on the use of drift-nets. Safeguarding of fish stocks and the eradication of illegal fishing practices are crucial priorities for the EU, and the Commission, in particular Commissioner for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries. Maria Damanaki, deeply regrets Italy's longstanding infringement of the drift-net ban, which dates from 1992. If no satisfactory actions are taken within two months from the receipt of the Commission's letter, the Commission may refer this case to the Court of Justice again, this time asking the Court to impose significant financial penalties on Italy in accordance with the Treaty rules.

Fishing with illegal gear such as drift-nets is highly destructive, as it ruins marine habitats, endangers marine wildlife and threatens sustainable fisheries. Illegal fishing practices ruin the income of honest fishermen and

coastal communities - and the future of fisheries altogether. Therefore, in the interest of all, implementation and enforcement of the rules are at the heart of the Commission priorities.

Despite persistent calls on Italy to fulfil its monitoring and enforcement tasks adequately with regard to illegal drift-nets, recent on-site inspections did not show any significant improvements as compared to the situation before the Court's judgement. The Commission's verifications indicate that driftnets are still used illegally in Italy in large numbers, and that actions taken by national authorities are neither sufficient, nor efficient enough to deter their use.

Background

The origins of this case go back to 1992, when the EU adopted the drift-net ban prohibiting the use of drift-nets of over 2,5 km in length (in response to a 1991 UN General Assembly moratorium on large pelagic drift-nets).

Since then, the EU has constantly toughened its anti-drift-net rules to address growing concerns about this fishing technique, which is highly non-selective (high degree of by-catches of non-targeted species) and therefore poses a threat to the conservation of many fish stocks, and marine mammals. As from January 2002, the EU has completely banned the use of drift-nets, irrespective of their length, intended for the capture of certain fish stocks, such as albacore, bluefin tuna and swordfish.





Renewal of fisheries agreement EU/Guinea Bissau

4/10/2011

The European Commission has today adopted formal proposals for a new one-year protocol to the fisheries agreement with Guinea Bissau, agreed by the two parties on 16 June 2011.

This protocol maintains the conditions the current one, i.e. fishing possibilities for 4,400 gross register tonnage (GRT) for shrimp trawlers, 4,400 GRT for fin-fish and cephalopod trawlers, 23 tuna seiners and longliners, and 14 pole-and-line vessels. The EU counterpart financial amounts 4,550,000 € for the right to fish and 2,950,000 € for the support of the fisheries sector in Guinea Bissau. A new clause was added to allow for the suspension of the protocol if there is a breach of human rights and democratic principles. This fisheries agreement allows vessels mainly from Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece and France to fish in the Guinea-Bissau waters. The one year extension of the protocol was agreed to give both parties the time necessary to assess the prospect of a future protocol of a longer duration.







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Meetings of the Regional Advisory Councils



Date	RAC	Туре	Place	Main issues
10-11/10/2011	LDRAC	WG	Brussels	WG 1-4-5
10-11/10/2011	NS RAC	GA/EXCOM	Boulogne-s/M	
20/10/2011	MED RAC	EXCOM	Bari	
25-26/10/2011	SWWRAC	WG	Paris	Insular subdivision, Traditional fishing, Areas VIII & IX
27/10/2011	NWW RAC	GA + EXCOM	Dublin	
27/10/2011	LDRAC	WG2	Brussels	WG2-RFPs and North agreements
02/11/2011	BSRAC	WG	Gothenburg	LTMP salmon
24/11/2011	SWWRAC	EXCOM	Paris	

Abbreviations:

- → NWW RAC: North Western Waters Regional Advisory Council (link)
- → SWW RAC: South Western Waters Regional Advisory Council (link)
- → NS RAC: North Sea Regional Advisory Council (<u>link</u>)
- → MED RAC: Regional Advisory Council for the Mediterranean (link)
- → LD RAC: Long Distance Fleet Regional Advisory Council (link)
- → BS RAC: Baltic Sea Regional Advisory Council (link)
- → NS RAC: North Sea Regional Advisory Council (link)
- → PEL RAC: Pelagic Regional Advisory Council (link)
- → MIRAC: ICES/RAC meeting
- → GA: General Assembly
- → EXCOM: Executive Committee
- → WG: Working Groups



Main International Meetings and Events

Norway/Coastal States/NEAFC/Russian Federation

Date	Organisation	Type of meeting	Venue			
	October 2011					
10-11	Coastal State consultations on blue whiting		London			
13-14	Coastal State consultations on Atlanto scandian herring		London			
17-21	Coastal State consultations on mackerel		Tbc			
26-28	EU-Norway-Skagerrak Technical Working group		Bergen			
	Noven	nber 2011				
7-11	NEAFC	Annual meeting	London			
15-18	EU/Norway-annual consultations (1st round)	Bilateral	Tbc			
	December 2011					
28/11- 02/12	EU/Norway – annual consultations (2nd round)	Bilateral	Bergen			

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Regional Fisheries Organisations and other international meetings

Date	Organisation	Type of meeting	Venue				
	October 2011						
10-14	SEAFO	Annual Meeting	Windhoek, Namibia				
10-12	OECD	108th Session COFI	Paris, France				
20-24	AIDCP/IATTC	AIDCP Annual Meeting and IATTC WG on capacity	La Jolla, USA				
19-26	NAFO	Scientific Council and NIPAG	Dartmouth				
24/10- 04/11			Hobart, Australia				
		November 2011					
09-19	09-19 ICCAT Annual Meeting		Istanbul, Turkey				
	December 2011						
04-09	WCPFC	Finance and Administration Committee	Koror, Palau				
05-09	WCPFC	Annual Meeting	Koror, Palau				



Fisheries Partnership Agreements

		EXPIRATION	JOINT COM MEETII		NEGOTIATION
	COUNTRY	DATE OF CURRENT PROTOCOL	Date	Location	Estimated date and place for starting negotiation
	Morocco	27/02/2012	October 2011	Brussels	
MIXED AGREEMENTS	Mauritania	31/07/2012	31/03-01/04 2011	Brussels	Nouakchott (13-16/6) Brussels (27-30/07) Brussels (25-26/07) Nouakchott (13-15/09)
REEMENTS	Guinea Bissau	15/06/2012	08-09/09/2011	Bissau, Guinea Bissau	Brussels (Nov 2011)
	Greenland	31/12/2012	21-22/11/2011	Brussels	Ilulissat (27-30/09/11) Brussels(23-25/11/11)
	Cape-Verde	31/08/2014	November 2011	Brussels	
WES	Ivory Coast	30/06/2013	11-12/10/2011	Brussels	
WEST AFRICA	Gabon	02/12/2011	2 nd quarter 2011	Brussels	August 2011
RICA	São Tomé and Principe	End 2013	2 nd half of 2011	tbd	
	Comoros	31/12/2013	6-7/10/2011	Moroni	
INDIAN OCEAN	Mauritius	No protocol in force			November 2011 Tbd
OCE	Madagascar	31/12/2012	tbd	tbd	
AN	Mozambique	31/12/2011	tbd	tbd	Brussels (30/5-01/06)
	Seychelles	17/01/2014	February 2011	Mauritius	
	Kiribati	15/09/2012	February 2012	Nadi, Fiji	Nadi, Fiji (Feb 2012)
PACIFIC	Micronesia	End 2016			
FIC	Solomon Islands	08/10/2012	Apr/May 2012	Nadi, Fiji	Nadi,Fiji (Apr/May 2012)



Composition of the Fisheries Committee

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Next Fisheries Committee Meetings

2011

- >Tuesday, 22 November, 15h00 -18h30
- >Wednesday, 23 November, 9h00 -12h30 and 15h00 -18h30
- ➤ Monday, 19 December, 15h00 -18h30
- ➤ Tuesday, 20 December, 9h00 -12h30

2012

- >Tuesday, 24 January, 15h00 -18h30
- ➤ Wednesday, 25 January, 9h00 -12h30 and 15h00 -18h30
- ➤ Tuesday, 28 February, 15h00 -18h30
- >Wednesday, 29 February, 9h00 -12h30 and 15h00 -18h30
- >Wednesday, 21 March, 9h00 -12h30 and 15h00 -18h30

