Amendment 244 Ulrike Rodust on behalf of the S&D Group

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COM(2011)0425 – C7-0198/2011 – 2011/0195(COD)

Proposal for a regulation Recital 34

Text proposed by the Commission

(34) Fisheries management based on the best available scientific advice requires harmonised, reliable and accurate data sets. Therefore Member states should collect data on fleets and their fishing activities, in particular biological data on catches, including discards, survey information on fish stocks and on the potential environmental impact of fishing activities on the marine ecosystem.

Amendment

(34) Fisheries management based on the best available scientific advice requires harmonised, reliable and accurate data sets. Therefore Member States should collect data on fleets and their fishing activities, in particular biological data on catches, including discards, *and* survey information on fish stocks and on the potential environmental impact of fishing activities on the marine ecosystem, *and should make them available to end-users and the public at large*.

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Proposal for a regulation Recital 51 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(51a) Union financial assistance should facilitate the development of public goods and services in the fisheries sector, and in particular support control and monitoring measures, information gathering, research and the development of activities aimed at ensuring a healthy marine ecosystem.

Amendment 246 Ulrike Rodust on behalf of the S&D Group

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Proposal for a regulation Article 5 – paragraph 1 – indent 14

Text proposed by the Commission

- 'technical measures' means the measures that regulate the species composition, size composition of catches and impacts on components of the ecosystems resulting from fishing activities through conditioning the use and structure of fishing gear and restriction of access to fishing areas;

Amendment

 - 'technical measures' means the measures that regulate the species composition, size composition of catches and impacts on components of the ecosystems resulting from fishing activities;

Amendment 247 Ulrike Rodust on behalf of the S&D Group

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Common fisheries policy COM(2011)0425 - C7-0198/2011 - 2011/0195(COD)

Proposal for a regulation Article 5 – paragraph 1 – indent 20

Text proposed by the Commission

- 'aquaculture' means the rearing or cultivation of aquatic organisms using techniques designed to increase the production of the organisms in question beyond the natural capacity of the environment, where the organisms remain the property of a natural or legal person throughout the rearing and culture stage, up to and including harvesting;

Amendment

- 'aquaculture' means the cultivation of aquatic organisms in inland or coastal areas, which involves, firstly, intervention in the rearing process to improve production and, secondly, individual or company ownership of the stock cultivated (mussels designation of origin);

Amendment 248 Ulrike Rodust on behalf of the S&D Group

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Proposal for a regulation Article 5 – paragraph 1 – indent 23

Text proposed by the Commission

- 'fishing' means the collection or capture of aquatic organisms living in their natural environment, or the intentional use of any means allowing such collection or capture;

Amendment

- 'fishing activity' means searching for fish, shooting, setting, towing or hauling of fishing gear, taking catch on board, transhipping, retaining on board, processing on board, transferring, caging, fattening and landing of fish and fisheries products, gathering shellfish and capturing species on foot;

Amendment 249 Ulrike Rodust on behalf of the S&D Group

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Proposal for a regulation Article 5 – paragraph 1 – indent 31

Text proposed by the Commission

- 'Mixed fisheries' means fisheries where more than one species are present in the area being fished and are vulnerable to being caught in the fishing gear.

Amendment

- 'mixed fisheries' means fisheries in which more than one species are present in a given area and are vulnerable to being caught simultaneously in the fishing gear.

Amendment 250 Ulrike Rodust on behalf of the S&D Group

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Common fisheries policy COM(2011)0425 - C7-0198/2011 - 2011/0195(COD)

Proposal for a regulation Article 5 – paragraph 1 – indent 31 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

- 'coastal and small-scale fishing' means professional fishing activity deeply rooted in a local community and carried out in maritime areas near to the coast which is highly selective, conducted during short fishing trips, with daily returns to port, and characterised by the freshness of its products and its respect for the environment and the small-scale tradition. This type of fishing shows a high level of socioeconomic dependence on ports and is operated by a microbusiness or family business, both in terms of ownership and actual fishing. This definition includes shellfish gathering and the fishing of certain species on foot;

Amendment 251 Ulrike Rodust on behalf of the S&D Group

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Proposal for a regulation Article 6 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. In the waters up to 12 nautical miles from baselines under their sovereignty or jurisdiction, Member States shall be authorised from 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2022 to restrict fishing to fishing vessels that traditionally fish in those waters from ports on the adjacent coast, without prejudice to the arrangements for Union fishing vessels flying the flag of other Member States under existing neighbourhood relations between Member States and the arrangements contained in Annex I, fixing for each Member State the geographical zones within the coastal bands of other Member States where fishing activities are pursued and the species concerned. Member States shall inform the Commission of the restrictions put in place under this paragraph.

Amendment

2. In the waters up to 12 nautical miles from baselines under their sovereignty or jurisdiction, Member States shall be authorised from 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2022 to restrict fishing to fishing vessels that traditionally fish in those waters from ports on the adjacent coast, without prejudice to the arrangements for Union fishing vessels flying the flag of other Member States under existing neighbourhood relations between Member States and the arrangements contained in Annex I, fixing for each Member State the geographical zones within the coastal bands of other Member States where fishing activities are pursued and the species concerned. Member States shall envisage exclusive or preferential access for small scale, artisanal or coastal fishermen, taking into account social and environmental factors including the potential benefits to be derived from awarding exclusive or preferential access for local or micro businesses and for fishermen pursuing selective and low-impact fishing practices. Member States shall inform the Commission of the restrictions put in place under this paragraph.

Amendment 252 Ulrike Rodust on behalf of the S&D Group

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Proposal for a regulation Article 6 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. In the waters up to 100 nautical miles from the baselines of the *Azores, Madeira* and the Canary Islands, the Member States concerned may from 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2022 restrict fishing to vessels registered in the ports of those islands. Such restrictions shall not apply to Union vessels that traditionally fish in those waters, in so far as those vessels do not exceed the fishing effort traditionally exerted. Member States shall inform the Commission of the restrictions put in place under this paragraph.

Amendment

3. In the waters up to 100 nautical miles from the baselines of the *outermost* regions of the Union referred to in Article 349(1) of the Treaty, the Member States concerned may from 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2022 restrict fishing to vessels registered in the ports of those islands. Such restrictions shall not apply to Union vessels that traditionally fish in those waters, in so far as those vessels do not exceed the fishing effort traditionally exerted. Member States shall inform the Commission of the restrictions put in place under this paragraph.

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Proposal for a regulation Article 7 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Article 7a

Fish stock recovery areas

In order to secure the conservation of living aquatic resources and marine ecosystems, and as part of a precautionary approach, Member States shall establish a coherent network of fish stock recovery areas in which all fishing activities are prohibited, including in particular areas important for fish reproduction.

Member States shall identify and designate those areas, which shall amount to at least 10 % of their territorial waters, together with the scientific community, and producer organization representatives of the fishermen concerned and in concertation with the Advisory Council.