

**Question for written answer E-002348/2022  
to the Commission**

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**Subject:** Member States' ratification of the ILO's Convention 188 (ILO C188) of 2007 concerning work in the fishing sector

On 16 September 2021, Parliament adopted a resolution on fishers for the future: attracting a new generation of workers to the fishing industry and generating employment in coastal communities (2019/2161(INI)) In paragraph 27 of its resolution, Parliament recalls that 'given the large number of self-employed fishers in the EU, and the fact that the directive does not cover the majority of them, it is necessary for the Member States to ratify ILO C 188 to ensure fair competition among all fishers'. Parliament also 'calls on Member States to urgently ratify the ILO C188 to ensure a level playing field and fair competition among fishing companies across the world, especially considering the strong international dimension of the fishing sector'.

In the light of the above:

Which Member States have yet to ratify ILO C188 of 2007 concerning work in the fishing sector?