

ORAL QUESTION H-0141/09
for Question Time at the part-session in April 2009
pursuant to Rule 109 of the Rules of Procedure
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to the Commission

Subject: Fish discards

Discarding fish is a huge problem for the Common Fisheries Policy which gives the European Union a bad name, as the public quite rightly cannot understand why fishermen have to throw away good-quality fish while fish stocks are low and there are people starving in the world.

What plans does the Commission have, during the review of the Common Fisheries Policy, to tackle this problem and to restore faith and credibility in the Common Fisheries Policy as well as the European Union?

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