European Parliament

Public Hearing
'The Future of EU-UK fisheries relations after Brexit'
Wednesday 16 June, 9h00 - 12h00

9.00 **Welcome & Opening address by PECH Chair, Pierre Karleskind**

9.10 **Securing long-term fisheries under the EU-UK Trade and Cooperation Agreement (TCA)** - *Charlina Vitcheva, Director-General, Directorate-General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries, European Commission*

Part I – Implementing the TCA: What worked well? – What went wrong?

9.20 **Access to waters and resources**
Jean-Luc Hall, Director General of the French National Committee for Maritime Fisheries and Marine Farming

9.30 **Access to ports and markets**
Iván M. López van der Veen, President of the Long Distance Advisory Council

9.40 **Governance**
Rosa Quintana Carballo, Galician Minister for the Sea

9.50-10.30 **Q&A Session with MEPs**

Part II – Partners or Opponents: What perspectives for EU-UK Fisheries?

10.30 **A perspective from the Netherlands**
Gerard van Balsfoort, President of the Pelagic Freeze-trawler Association (PFA) and the Dutch Pelagic Ship-owners Association.

10.35 **A perspective from France**
Eric Banel: Director, Directorate for maritime fisheries and aquaculture (DPMA) in France

10.40 **A perspective from Ireland**
Ciarán O'Driscoll, Policy and Brexit Research Officer, European Movement Ireland

10.45 **A perspective from Denmark**
Esben Sverdrup-Jensen, Director, Danish Pelagic Producer organisation (DPPO)

10.50-11.50 **Q&A Session with MEPs**

11.50 **Wrap-up & conclusions by François-Xavier Bellamy, PECH standing rapporteur, and Manuel Pizarro MEP**

12.00 **Closure by PECH Chair, Pierre Karleskind**