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PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

allocating catch quotas between Member States for vessels fishing in Swedish waters

PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

allocating certain catch quotas between Member States for vessels fishing in the Norwegian economic zone and the fishery zone around Jan Mayen

PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC)

allocating catch quotas between Member States for vessels fishing in Faroese waters

(presented by the Commission to the Council)

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EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

The consultations which have taken place between the European Economic Community and Sweden, within the framework of the Agreement on Fisheries between the two parties, have resulted in the initialling of an agreement for 1982 which provides inter alia for certain catch quotas to Community vessels in the Swedish fishing zone of the Baltic Sea.

The draft regulation explained in the present proposal is intended to divide the quotas available to fishing vessels from the Community under the abovementioned agreement between the interested Member States and to establish procedures to control that the allocation between Member States provided in these Regulation are respected.

The proposed allocations between Member States of the quotas available to the Community are based on the allocation key used in previous years. However, the proposed allocation of the cod quota takes into account the fact that German fishermen are particularly dependent on access to the Swedish fishing zone.

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PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION ALLOCATING CATCH QUOTAS BETWEEN
MEMBER STATES FOR VESSELS FISHING IN SWEDISH WATERS

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,
and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (1),

Whereas the Community and Sweden have signed an agreement on their mutual
fishing for 1982 (2) which provides inter alia for certain catch quotas
to Community vessels in Swedish waters ;

Whereas it is the responsibility of the Community to allocate these
catch quotas among its own fishermen ;

Whereas in order to ensure an equitable allocation of available fishing
possibilities these quotas should be allocated between the Member States
of the Community ;

Whereas information about actual catches should be made available in order
to ensure that the allocations are respected,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

From 1 January to 31 December 1982 vessels flying the flag of
a Member State shall be authorized to make the catches set out in the Annex
hereto in waters falling within the fisheries jurisdiction of Sweden.

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Article 2

Member States, and captains of fishing vessels flying the flag of a Member State and fishing in the waters referred to in Article 1, shall comply with the provisions of Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Regulation (EEC) N° 753/80 laying down detailed rules for the recording and transmission of information concerning catches taken by fishing vessels of Member States(1)

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

It shall apply until 31 December 1982.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

(1) O.J. N° L 84, 28.3.1980, p. 33

ANNEX

Quantities referred to in Article 1 for the period 1 January to 31 December 1982

(tonnes)

Species	ICF S division	Quotas	Allocations
Cod	III d	3.350	Denmark 2.150
			Germany 1.200
Herring	III d	700	Denmark 400
			Germany 300
Salmon	III d	25	Denmark 20
			Germany 5

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

The consultations which have taken place between the European Economic Community and Norway, within the framework of the Agreement on Fisheries between the two parties, have resulted in the initialling of an agreement for 1982 which provides inter alia for certain catch quotas to Community vessels in the fisheries zone of Norway.

The consultations which have taken place between the European Economic Community and the Faroe Islands, under the terms of the Agreement on Fisheries between the two parties, have resulted in agreement between the two delegations on an arrangement on fishing rights for the year 1982 for each party in the fisheries zone of the other Party.

The Council has already approved the implementation on a provisional basis of the abovementioned agreements and the authorities of Norway and the Faroe Islands have on their part approved the respective agreements.

The draft regulations explained in the present proposal are intended to divide the quotas available to fishing vessels from the Community under the abovementioned agreements between the interested Member States and to establish procedures to control that the allocation between Member States provided in these Regulations are respected.

The proposed allocations between Member States of the quotas available to the Community are based on the following principles :

The catch possibilities for all species taken together available to the Community under the Agreement (each Agreement being considered separately), expressed in tonnes of cod equivalent, are allocated between Member States in proportion to their total catches of the same species, in the same areas, during the period 1973-1976.

The quantity thus available to each Member State is then allocated between the species for which quotas are available with a view to meeting, as far as possible, the needs of each Member State's fishermen as reflected in the catch distribution during the three most recent years in which substantial fishing was possible, i.e. in the Norwegian zone : 1979-81, in the Faroese zone : 1978-80.

The details of the calculations are given in the attached tables.

The abovementioned principles have not been applied for the allocation of Greenland halibut, blue whiting, norway pout, sandeel and shrimps. The allocation of the quotas for these species is based upon available information about the actual interests of Member States.

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PROPOSAL 1982

ALLOCATION IN THE NORWEGIAN EEZ NORTH OF 62° N ACCORDING TO 1973-1976
AVERAGE CATCHES

	REAL WEIGHT				COD EQUIVALENT			
	D	F	UK	EEC	D	F	UK	ELC
Cod	1.500	1.750	8.750	12.000	1.500	1.750	8.750	12.000
Haddock	700	540	3.460	4.700	700	540	3.460	4.700
Saithe	5.500	570	930	7.000	4.235	439	716	5.390
Redfish	2.830	590	1.080	4.500	2.466	509	940	3.915
Total					8.901	3.238	13.866	26.005
					34,2%	12,45%	53,35 %	
						%		
Cod					12,5	14,6	72,9	100,0
Haddock					14,9	11,5	73,6	100,0
Saithe					78,6	8,1	13,3	100,0
Redfish					63,0	13,0	24,0	100,0
Total								
						%		
Cod					16,9	54,0	63,1	
Haddock					7,9	16,7	25,0	
Saithe					47,5	13,6	5,1	
Redfish					27,7	15,7	6,8	
Total					100	100	100	

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1973-1976 TOTAL CATCHES IN THE NORWEGIAN EEZ NORTH OF 62°N

Excluding Svalbard (ICES IIb)

(in metric tonnes)

	REAL WEIGHT				COD EQUIVALENT			
	D	F	UK	EEC	D	F	UK	EEC
Cod	94.700	75.100	314.900	484.700	94.700	75.100	314.900	484.700
Haddock	61.000	13.500	113.000	187.500	61.000	13.500	113.000	187.500
Saithe	152.600	21.300	16.700	190.600	117.500	16.400	12.900	146.800
Redfish	19.800	1.000	14.200	35.000	17.300	0.900	12.400	30.600
Total					290.500 34,2 %	105.900 12,45 %	453.200 53,35 %	849.600 100 %
Cod					19,5	15,5	65	100
Haddock					32,5	7,2	60,3	100
Saithe					80	11,2	8,8	100
Redfish					56,6	2,9	40,5	100
Total						%		
Cod					32,5	71	69,5	
Haddock					21	12,7	25	
Saithe					40,5	15,5	2,8	
Redfish					6	0,8	2,7	
Total					100	100	100	

1979-1981 AVERAGE CATCHES IN NORWEGIAN EEZ NORTH OF 62°N

(in metric tonnes)

	REAL WEIGHT				COD EQUIVALENT			
	D	F	UK	EEC	D	F	UK	EEC
Cod	1.969	2.396	10.953	15.317	1.969	2.396	10.953	15.317
Haddock	1.191	415	3.501	5.107	1.191	415	3.501	5.107
Saithe	8.243	795	758	9.596	6.347	612	584	7.543
Redfish	2.945	616	1.123	4.684	2.562	536	977	4.075
Total					12.069 37,5 %	3.959 12,5 %	16.015 50 %	32.043
Cod					12,8	15,6	71,5	100,0
Haddock					23,3	8,1	68,6	100,0
Saithe					84,1	8,1	7,7	100,0
Redfish					62,8	13,2	24	100,0
Total								
Cod					16,3	60,5	68,4	
Haddock					9,9	10,5	21,9	
Saithe					52,6	15,5	3,7	
Redfish					21,2	13,5	6	
Total					100,0	100,0	100,0	

1978-1980 TOTAL CATCHES IN FAROESE WATERS

(in metric tonnes)

	REAL WEIGHT				COD EQUIVALENT			
	D	F	UK	EEC	D	F	UK	EEC
Cod + Haddock	9.120	522	8.826	18.468	9.120	522	8.826	18.468
Saithe	1.866	12.034	1.961	15.861	1.437	9.266	1.510	12.213
Redfish	17.766	1.937	57	19.760	15.456	1.685	50	17.191
Blue Ling	1.445	7.188	22	8.655	1.445	7.188	22	8.655
Ling	57	978	767	1.802	57	978	767	1.802
Tusk	98	83	836	1.017	69	58	585	712
Total %					27.584 46,7	19.697 33,3	11.760 20	59.041
Cod + Haddock					49,4	2,8	47,8	100
Saithe					11,8	75,8	12,4	100
Redfish					89,9	9,8	0,3	100
Blue Ling					16,7	83	0,3	100
Ling					3,2	54,2	42,6	100
Tusk					9,7	8,1	82,2	100
Total %								
Cod + Haddock					33	2,7	75	
Saithe					5,2	47,0	12,8	
Redfish					56	8,6	0,4	
Blue Ling					5,2	36,5	0,2	
Ling					0,2	5,0	6,5	
Tusk					0,3	0,3	5	
Total %					99,9	100,0	99,9	

1978-1980 TOTAL CATCHES IN FAROESE WATERS

(CATCHES IN EXCESS OF 1978 and 1979 QUOTAS EXCLUDED)

(in metric tonnes)

	REAL WEIGHT				COD EQUIVALENT			
	D	F	UK	EEC	D	F	UK	EEC
Cod + Haddock	2.383	301	8.826	11.510	2.383	301	8.826	11.510
Saithe	1.866	12.034	1.961	15.861	1.437	9.266	1.510	12.213
Redfish	14.938	1.116	57	16.111	12.996	971	50	14.017
Blue Ling	1.445	7.188	22	8.655	1.445	7.188	22	8.655
Ling	57	978	767	1.802	57	978	767	1.802
Tusk	98	24	836	958	69	17	585	671
Total %					18.387 37,6	18.721 38,3	11.760 24,1	48.868
						%		
Cod + Haddock					20,7	2,6	76,7	100
Saithe					11,8	75,8	12,4	100
Redfish					92,7	6,9	0,4	100
Blue Ling					16,7	83	0,3	100
Ling					3,2	54,2	42,6	100
Tusk					10,2	2,5	87,3	100
Total %								
Cod + Haddock					12,9	1,6	75	
Saithe					7,8	49,5	12,8	
Redfish					70,7	5,2	0,4	
Blue Ling					7,9	38,4	0,2	
Ling					0,3	5,2	6,5	
Tusk					0,4	0,1	5	
Total %					100	100	99,9	

PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION ALLOCATING CERTAIN CATCH QUOTAS BETWEEN MEMBER STATES FOR VESSELS FISHING IN THE NORWEGIAN ECONOMIC ZONE AND THE FISHERY ZONE AROUND JAN MAYEN

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (1),

Whereas the Community and Norway have signed an agreement on their mutual fishing for 1982 (2) which provides inter alia for the allocation of certain catch quotas to Community vessels in Norwegian waters ;

Whereas it is the responsibility of the Community to apportion these catch quotas among its own fishermen ;

Whereas in order to ensure an equitable division of available fishing possibilities these quotas should be divided between the Member States of the Community ;

Whereas information about actual catches should be made available in order to ensure that the allocations are respected,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

1. Catches, in accordance with the Agreement concerning the mutual fishing rights in 1982 between the Community and Norway, by vessels flying the flag of a Member State in the waters falling within the Norwegian economic zone north of 62° N as well as in the fishery zone around Jan Mayen shall be limited for 1982 to the allocation set out in Annex I.

(1)
(2) OJ n°

2. Catches of the species mentioned in Annex II, in accordance with the Agreement concerning the mutual fishing rights in 1982 between the Community and Norway, by vessels flying the flag of a Member State in the waters falling within the Norwegian economic zone and situated south of 62°N shall be limited for 1982 to the allocation set out in the said Annex.

Article 2

Member States and captains of fishing vessels flying the flag of a Member State shall, with regard to fishing in the waters referred to in Article 1, comply with the provisions of Articles 1 to 6 of Regulation (EEC) N) 735/80 of 26 March 1980 laying down detailed rules for the recording and transmission of information concerning catches taken by fishing vessels of Member States (1).

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

It shall apply until 31 December 1982.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

(1) OJ. n° L 84, 28.3.1980, p. 33

ANNEX I

Quantities referred to in Article 1 ~~paragraph 1~~
 (Norwegian waters north of 62°00'N)

(metric tonnes - fresh round weight)

SPECIES	ICES-division	Quotas	Allocations
Cod	I,IIa and IIb	12.000	France 1.750
			Germany 1.500
			United Kingdom 8.750
Haddock	I,IIa and IIb	4.700	France 540
			Germany 700
			United Kingdom 3.460
Saithe	I,IIa and IIb	7.000	France 570
			Germany 5.500
			United Kingdom 930
Redfish Sebastes mentella	I,IIa and IIb	2.250	Germany 1.415
			United Kingdom 540
Sebastes marinus	I,IIa and IIb	2.250	France 295
			Germany 1.415
Greenland halibut	I,IIa and IIb	250	United Kingdom 540
			France 295
			Germany 125
Blue whiting	II	4.000	United Kingdom 125
			France 2.000
			Germany 2.000
Other species (as by-catches)	I,IIa and IIb	500	France 65
			Germany 170
			United Kingdom 265

Article 2

Member States and captains of fishing vessels flying the flag of a Member State shall, with regard to fishing in the waters referred to in Article 1, comply with the provisions of Articles 1 to 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 735/80 of 26 March 1980 laying down detailed rules for the recording and transmission of information concerning catches taken by fishing vessels of Member States (1).

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

It shall apply until 31 December 1982.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

(1) O.J. No. L 84, 28.3.1980, p. 33

ANNEX II

Quantities referred to in Article 1, paragraph 2
(metric tonnes - fesh round weight)

Species	ICES-division	Quotas	Allocations	
Norway pout (1)	IV	50.000	Denmark	47.500(2)
			United Kingdom	2.500(3)
Sandeel	IV	150.000	Denmark	142.500(2)
			United Kingdom	7.500(3)
Shrimps	IV	1.000	Denmark	1.000
Other species	IV	4.000	Denmark	2.000
			United Kingdom	1.500
			Germany	} 500
			Belgium	
			France	

(1) Including blue whiting

(2) Within a total quota for Norway Pout and Sandeel up to 19.000 t may be interchanged

(3) Within a total quota of Norway Pout and Sandeel up to 1.000 t may be interchanged.

PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION ALLOCATING CATCH QUOTAS BETWEEN MEMBER STATES FOR VESSELS FISHING IN FAROESE WATERS

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament (1),

Whereas in accordance with the procedure provided for by the fisheries agreement between the European Economic Community, on the one hand, and the Government of Denmark and the local Government of the Faroe Islands, on the other hand (2), have held consultations concerning their mutual fishing rights for 1982 ;

Whereas as a result of these consultations the two parties have agreed an arrangement for 1982 involving, inter alia, the allocation of certain catch quotas to Community vessels in the fisheries zone of Faroe Islands ;

Whereas it is the responsibility of the Community to allocate the catch quotas in the Faroese fishery zone among its own fishermen ;

Whereas in order to ensure an equitable allocation of available fishing possibilities these quotas should be allocated between the Member States of the Community ;

Whereas information about actual catches should be made available in order to ensure that the allocation are respected,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

From 1 January to 31 December 1982 catches by vessels flying the flag of a Member State in the waters falling within the fisheries jurisdiction of Faroe Islands in the framework of the arrangement on reciprocal fishing rights for 1982 between Community and the Faroe Islands shall be limited to the allocation set out in the Annex.

(1)
(2) OJ. N. L 226, 29.8.1980, p. 11

Member States and captains of fishing vessels flying the flag of a Member State shall, with regard to fishing in the waters referred to in Article 1, comply with the provisions of Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Regulation (EEC) No 753/80 laying down detailed rules for the recording and transmission of information concerning catches taken by fishing vessels of Member States⁽¹⁾.

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply until 31 December 1982.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 84, 28. 3. 1980, p. 33.

ANNEX

Quantities referred to in Article 1

Species	Quotas	Allocations	
			(tonnes)
Cod and haddock	2.500	France	60
		Germany	10
		United Kingdom	2.430
Saithe	3.500	Belgium	p.m.
		France	2.200
		Germany	260
		Netherlands	p.m.
		United Kingdom	1.040
Redfish	4.800	Belgium	p.m.
		France	580
		Germany	2.880
		United Kingdom	1.340
Ling	500	France	250
		United Kingdom	230
		Germany	20
Blue ling	4.500	France	2.720
		United Kingdom	1.580
		Germany	200
Tusk	400	United Kingdom	340
		Germany	30
		France	30
Blue whiting	25.000	Denmark	11.000
		France	} 3.000
		Germany	
		Netherlands	
		United Kingdom	11.000
Flatfish	500	France	180
		Germany	100
		United Kingdom	220
Other species	500	France	180
		United Kingdom	220
		Germany	100

