## COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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## AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDED PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) LAYING DOWN TECHNICAL MEASURES FOR THE CONSERVATION OF FISHERY RESOURCES

(presented by the Commission to the Council, pursuant to the second paragraph of article 149 of the EEC treaty)

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## EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

In its Explanatory Memorandum to the Amended Proposal for a Council Regulation (EEC) laying down technical measures for the conservation of fishery resources (1) the Commission reserved the right to amend its proposal concerning the fishery for Norway pout in the light of all relevant factors emerging from a further examination.

The present amendment thus proposes to modify the shape of the area defined in Annex III, paragraph 4.

<sup>(1)</sup> Of 17 July 1980, COM(80) 465 final.

## Amendment to the

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laying down technical measures for the conservation of fishery resources.

Annex III paragraph 4 shall be replaced by the following text:

"4. Norway pout (<u>Trisopterus esmarkii</u>), in that part of the North Sea which is under the sovereignty or jurisdiction of a Member State and bounded on the south by a line running due east from the point of intersection of the east coast of Scotland by the parallel of 56 degrees north to 2 degrees east, then north to 58 degrees north, then west to half a degree west, then north to 59 and a quarter degrees north, then east to 1 degree east, then north to 60 degrees north, then west to the meridian, then north to 60 and a half degrees north, then west to the east coast of the Shetland Isles, then west from the West coast of the Shetland Isles at 60 degrees north to 3 degrees west, then south to 58 and a half degrees north, then west to the Scottish coast."