

Council Regulation (EC) No 2371/2002 of 20 December 2002  
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resources under the Common Fisheries Policy (repealed)

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**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Council Regulation (EC) No 2371/2002 (repealed).