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## ANNEX III

## TRANSITIONAL TECHNICAL MEASURES

## A.Restrictions on fishing for flounder and turbot

1. The retention on board of the following species of fish which are caught within the geographical areas and during the periods mentioned below shall be prohibited:

Species	Geographical area	Period
Flounder ( <i>Platichthys flesus</i> )	Subdivisions 26, 27, 28 and 29 south of 59°30'N Subdivision 32	15 February to 15 May 15 February to 31 May
Turbot ( <i>Psetta maxima</i> )	Subdivisions 25, 26 and 28 south of 56°50'N	1 June to 31 July

2. By way of derogation from point 1, when fishing with trawls, Danish seines or similar gears with a mesh size equal to or greater than 105 mm or with gillnets, entangling nets or trammel nets with a mesh size equal to or greater than 100 mm, by-catches of flounder and turbot may be retained on board and landed within a limit of 10 % by live weight of the total catch retained on board and landed during the periods of prohibition referred to in point 1.

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