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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union, and in particular Article 43(3) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,

Whereas:

- (1) Council Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 (¹) fixes for 2011 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks, applicable in EU waters and, for EU vessels, in certain non-EU waters.
- (2) Consultations on fishing opportunities between the Union and the Faroe Islands failed to result in an agreement for 2011. After a further round of consultations with Norway in March 2011, the fishing opportunities reserved for the consultations with the Faroe Islands can now be allocated to Member States. Therefore, Article 1 of Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 and the relevant TACs in Annexes IA and IB thereto should be amended in order to distribute the non-allocated quota and to reflect the traditional allocation of mackerel in the North-East Atlantic.
- (3) It is desirable to implement flexible arrangements regarding the use of blue whiting quotas across the two main management areas provided for in Annex IA to Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 for that fishery (namely the area consisting of EU and international waters of ICES zones I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIIb, VIIId, VIIIe, XII and XIV and the area consisting of ICES zones VIIIc, IX and X and EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1), since those two areas are subject to the same scientific advice and considered part of the same biological stock.
- (4) Annex IA to Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 establishes general quotas for Norway lobster in ICES zone VII and specific quotas for Norway lobster in the area of the Porcupine Bank located within that zone. It is necessary to fix those specific quotas anew for the year 2011 on the basis of updated data on historic catches.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 24, 27.1.2011, p. 1.

- (5) Further to the consultations concluded on 17 March 2011 between coastal states (Faroe Islands, Greenland and Iceland) and other North East Atlantic Fisheries Convention (NEAFC) parties (Union and Norway) on the management of redfish in the Irminger Sea and adjacent waters, it is necessary to establish TACs for redfish in those areas while respecting the agreed time and area restrictions. Annex IB to Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 should be amended accordingly.
- (6) At its Annual Meeting in 2010, the Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission decided to maintain the limits imposed for that year on swordfish catches and on the number of vessels authorised to fish for swordfish, with effect from 1 January 2011. It is necessary to implement those measures in Union law.
- During the Third International Meeting, held in May 2007, for the creation of a Regional Fisheries Management Organisation (RFMO) in the high seas of the South Pacific (SPRFMO), the participants accepted interim measures, including fishing opportunities, in order to regulate pelagic fishing activities as well as bottom fisheries in that area until the establishment of such RFMO. New interim measures have been accepted at the Second Preparatory Conference for the SPRFMO Commission, held in January 2011. Those interim measures are voluntary and not legally binding under international law. It is however appropriate, in accordance with the cooperation and conservation obligations enshrined in the International Law of the Sea, to implement those measures in Union law by establishing an overall quota for the Union. For the purpose of allocating the Union quota among the Member States, it is appropriate to establish a new and final allocation key on the basis of sound, fair and objective criteria of the past fishing performance of the Member States in 2009 and 2010 which is a recent and sufficiently representative period during which all Member States concerned were present on the fishing grounds.
- (8) Annex IIB to Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 sets fishing effort limitations for the recovery of certain southern hake and Norway lobster stocks in ICES divisions VIIIc and IXa, excluding the Gulf of Cadiz. It is appropriate to clarify the wording of a special condition set out in the framework of those fishing effort limitations and the consequences of receiving an unlimited number of days for landings in the 2011 management period.
- (9) Annex IIC to Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 sets fishing effort limitations for the purposes of Council Regulation (EC) No 509/2007 of 7 May 2007 establishing a multi-annual plan for the sustainable exploitation of the stock of sole in the Western Channel (¹). It is necessary to align the wording of that Annex with the wording of Article 5(2) of Regulation (EC) No 509/2007.

(10) Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 applies, in general, from 1 January 2011. However, the fishing effort limits are laid down for a 1-year period starting from 1 February 2011. In order to follow the year-to-year regime of reporting on fishing opportunities, the provisions of this Regulation concerning catch limits and allocations should apply from 1 January 2011 and the provisions concerning fishing effort limits should apply from 1 February 2011, except where indicated otherwise. Such retroactive application is without prejudice to the principle of legal certainty as the fishing opportunities concerned have not yet been exhausted. For reasons of urgency, this Regulation should enter into force immediately after its publication,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 57/2011

Regulation (EU) No 57/2011 is amended as follows:

(1) Article 1 is replaced by the following:

'Article 1

Subject matter

This Regulation fixes the following fishing opportunities:

- (a) for the year 2011, catch limits for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks;
- (b) for the period from 1 February 2011 to 31 January 2012, certain effort limits;
- (c) for the periods set out in Articles 20, 21 and 22 and in Annexes IE and V, fishing opportunities for certain stocks in the Convention Area of the Convention on the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources (CCAMLR);
- (d) for the periods set out in Article 28, fishing opportunities for certain stocks in the Convention Area of the Inter American Tropical Tuna Commission (IATTC); and
- (e) additional fishing opportunities for mackerel resulting from uncaught quota in 2010.';
- (2) Annex IA is amended as follows:
 - (a) the entry for sandeel and associated by-catches in EU waters of IIa, IIIa and IV is replaced by the following:

•	Sandeel and associated by-catches Ammodytes spp.	Zone:	EU waters of IIa, IIIa and IV (¹) (SAN/2A3A4.)
Denmark	334 324		
United King	gdom 7 308		
Germany	511		
Sweden	12 277		
EU	354 420 (2)		
Norway	20 000		
TAC	374 420		Analytical TAC

Special conditions:

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following sandeel management areas, as defined in Annex IID:

Zone:	EU waters	EU waters of sandeel management areas					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	(SAN/*234_1)	(SAN/*234_2)	(SAN/*234_3)	(SAN/*234_4)	(SAN/*234_5)	(SAN/*234_6)	(SAN/*234_7)
Denmark	282 989	32 072	9 434	9 434	0	395	0
United Kingdom	6 186	701	206	206	0	9	0
Germany	433	49	14	14	0	1	0
Sweden	10 392	1 178	346	346	0	15	0
EU	300 000	34 000	10 000	10 000	0	420	0
Norway	20 000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	320 000	34 000	10 000	10 000	0	420	0';

(b) the entry for herring in IIIa is replaced by the following:

'Species:	Herring (¹) Clupea harengus	Zone:	IIIa (HER/03A.)
Denmark	12 608 (²)		
Germany	202 (2)		
Sweden	13 189 (²)		
EU	25 999 (²)		
TAC	30 000		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ Landings of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes equal to or larger than 32 mm. (2) Up to 50 % of this amount may be fished in EU waters of IV.';

 ⁽¹) Excluding waters within six miles of UK baselines at Shetland, Fair Isle and Foula.
 (²) At least 98 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of sandeel. By-catches of dab, mackerel and whiting are to be counted against the remaining 2 % of the TAC

(c) the entry for herring in EU and international waters of Vb, VIb and VIaN is replaced by the following:

'Species: Herring Clupea harengus		Zone:	EU and international waters of Vb, VIb and VIaN $(\sp{1})$ (HER/5B6ANB)
Germany	2 513		
France	475		
Ireland	3 396		
The Netherlands	2 513		
United Kingdom	13 584		
EU	22 481		
TAC	22 481		Analytical TAC

⁽¹⁾ Reference is to the herring stock in VIa, north of 56° 00° N and in that part of VIa which is situated east of 07° 00° W and north of 55° 00° N, excluding the Clyde.';

(d) the entry for blue whiting in EU and international waters of I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId, VIIIe, XII and XIV is replaced by the following:

'Species: Blue whiting Micromesistius poutassou		Zone:	EU and international waters of I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId, VIIIe, XII and XIV (WHB/1X14)
Denmark	1 533 (1)		
Germany	596 (1)		
Spain	1 300 (1) (2)		
France	1 067 (1)		
Ireland	1 187 (1)		
The Netherlands	1 869 (1)		
Portugal	121 (1) (2)		
Sweden	379 (1)		
United Kingdom	1 990 (1)		
EU	10 042 (1)		
TAC	40 100		Analytical TAC

⁽¹⁾ Of which up to 68 % may be fished in the Norwegian Economic Zone or in the fishery zone around Jan Mayen (WHB/*NZJM1).

⁽²⁾ Transfers of this quota may be effected to VIIIc, IX and X; EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1. Such transfers must be notified in advance to the Commission.';

(e) the entry for blue ling in EU waters and international waters of Vb, VI, VII is replaced by the following:

'Species: Blue ling Molva dypterygia		Zone:	EU waters and international waters of Vb, VI, VII (BLI/5B67-) (³)
Germany	20	•	
Estonia	3		
Spain	62		
France	1 422		
Ireland	5		
Lithuania	1		
Poland	1		
United Kingdom	362		
Others	5 (1)		
EU	1 717		
Norway	150 (²)		
TAC	2 032		Analytical TAC Article 13 of this Regulation applies.

⁽¹⁾ Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

To be fished in EU waters of IIa, IV, Vb, VI and VII.

Special rules apply in accordance with Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1288/2009 (*) and point 7 of Annex III to Regulation (EC) No 43/2009 (**).

^(*) Council Regulation (EC) No 1288/2009 of 27 November 2009 establishing transitional technical measures from

¹ January 2010 to 30 June 2011 (OJ L 347, 24.12.2009, p. 6).

(**) Council Regulation (EC) No 43/2009 of 16 January 2009 fixing for 2009 the fishing opportunities and associated conditions for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks, applicable in Community waters and, for Community vessels, in waters where catch limitations are required (OJ L 22, 26.1.2009, p. 1).';

(f) the entry for ling in EU and international waters of VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XII and XIV is replaced by the following:

'Species: Ling Molva molva	Zo	Due: EU and international waters of VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XII and XIV (LIN/6X14.)
Belgium	30	
Denmark	5	
Germany	109	
Spain	2 211	
France	2 357	
Ireland	591	
Portugal	5	
United Kingdom	2 716	
EU	8 024	
Norway	6 140 (1) (2)	
TAC	14 164	Analytical TAC Article 13 of this Regulation applies.

⁽¹⁾ Of which an incidental catch of other species of 25 % per ship, at any moment, is authorised in Vb, VI and VII. However, this percentage may be exceeded in the first 24 hours following the beginning of the fishing on a specific ground. The total incidental catch of other species in VI and VII shall not exceed 3 000 tonnes.

(g) the entry for Norway lobster in zone VII is replaced by the following:

*Species: Norway lobster Nephrops norvegicus		Zone:	VII (NEP/07.)
Spain	1 306 (1)		
France	5 291 (1)		
Ireland	8 025 (1)		
United Kingdom	7 137 (1)		
EU	21 759 (1)		
TAC	21 759 (1)		Analytical TAC

						
(1)	Of which no more than the	e following quotas may	be taken in	VII (Porcupine	Bank - Unit	16) (NEP/*07U16):
	Spain	377				
	France	241				
	Ireland	454				
	United Kingdom	188				
	EU	1 260';				

⁽²⁾ Including tusk. The quotas for Norway are ling 6 140 tonnes and tusk 2 923 tonnes and are interchangeable of up to 2 000 tonnes and may only be fished with long-lines in Vb, VI and VII.';

(h) the entry for mackerel in IIIa and IV; EU waters of IIa, IIIb, IIIc and Subdivisions 22-32 is replaced by the following:

'Species: Mackerel Scomber scombrus		Zone:	IIIa and IV; EU waters of IIa, IIIb, IIIc and IIId (MAC/2A34.)
Belgium	517 (3)		
Denmark	18 084 (³) (⁵)		
Germany	539 (3)		
France	1 629 (3)		
The Netherlands	1 640 (3)		
Sweden	4 860 (1) (2) (3)		
United Kingdom	1 518 (3)		
EU	28 787 (1) (3) (5)		
Norway	169 019 (4)		
TAC	Not relevant		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ Including 242 tonnes to be taken in Norwegian waters south of 62°N (MAC/*04N-).

Special condition:

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones:

	IIIa (MAC/*03A.)	IIIa and IVbc (MAC/*3A4BC)	IVb (MAC/*04B.)	IVe (MAC/*04C.)	VI, international waters of IIa, from 1 January to 31 March 2011 and in December 2011 (MAC/*2A6.)
Denmark	0	4 130	0	0	9 764 (1)
France	0	490	0	0	0
The Netherlands	0	490	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	390	10	1 847
United Kingdom	0	490	0	0	0
Norway	3 000	0	0	0	0

⁽¹⁾ Includes 183 tonnes of quota transferred from unused 2010 fishing opportunities.';

⁽²⁾ When fishing in Norwegian waters, by-catches of cod, haddock, pollack and whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quotas for these species.

⁽³⁾ May also be taken in Norwegian waters of IVa.

⁽⁴⁾ To be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC (access quota). This amount includes Norway's share in the North Sea TAC of the amount of 47 197 tonnes. This quota may be fished in IVa only, except for 3 000 tonnes that may be fished in IIIa.

⁽⁵⁾ Includes 323 tonnes of quota transferred from unused 2010 fishing opportunities.

(i) the entry for mackerel in VI, VII, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId and VIIIe; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of IIa, XII and XIV is replaced by the following:

'Species: Mackerel Scomber scombrus		Zone:	VI, VII, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId and VIIIe; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of IIa, XII and XIV (MAC/2CX14-)
Germany	20 694		
Spain	22		
Estonia	172		
France	13 797		
Ireland	68 978		
Latvia	127		
Lithuania	127		
The Netherlands	30 177		
Poland	1 457		
United Kingdom	189 694		
EU	325 245 (3)		
Norway	14 050 (1) (2)		
TAC	Not relevant		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ May be fished in IIa, VIa north of 56° 30' N, IVa, VIId, VIIe, VIIf and VIIh.

Special condition:

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones and periods specified below.

	EU and Norwegian waters of IVa (MAC/*04A-EN) During the periods from 1 January to 15 February 2011 and from 1 September to 31 December 2011	Norwegian waters of IIa (MAC/*2AN-)
Germany	8 326	849
France	5 551	566
Ireland	27 754	2 832
The Netherlands	12 142	1 238
United Kingdom	76 325	7 789
EU	130 098	13 274';

⁽²⁾ An additional 33 804 tonnes of access quota may be fished by Norway north of 56° 30' N and counted against its catch limit

⁽³⁾ Includes 674 tonnes of quota omitted from the 2010 fishing opportunities.

(j) the entry for mackerel in VIIIc, IX and X; EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1 is replaced by the following:

'Species:	Mackerel Scomber scombrus	Zone:	VIIIc, IX and X; EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1 (MAC/8C3411)
Spain	30 609 (1)		
France	203 (1)		
Portugal	6 327 (1)		
EU	37 139		
TAC	Not relevant		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹) Quantities subject to exchanges with other Member States may be taken in VIIIa, VIIIb and VIIId (MAC/*8ABD.). However, the quantities provided by Spain, Portugal or France for exchange purposes and to be taken in VIIIa, VIIIb and VIIId shall not exceed 25 % of the quotas of the donor Member State.

Special condition:

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone.

	VIIIb (MAC/*08B.)
Spain	2 570
France	17
Portugal	531';

(k) the entry for mackerel in Norwegian waters of IIa and IVa is replaced by the following:

'Species:	Mackerel Scomber scombrus	Zone:	Norwegian waters of IIa and IVa (MAC/2A4A-N.)
Denmark	13 018 (1) (2)		
EU	13 018 (1) (2)		
TAC	Not relevant		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ Catches taken in IVa (MAC/*4A.) and in IIa (MAC/*02A.) to be reported separately.

⁽²⁾ Includes 272 tonnes of quota transferred from unused 2010 fishing opportunities.';

(l) the entry for sprat and associated by-catches in EU waters of IIa and IV is replaced by the following:

'Species: Sprat and assoc Sprattus sprattu	iated by-catches	Zone:	EU waters of IIa and IV (SPR/2AC4-C)
Belgium	1 835		
Denmark	145 273		
Germany	1 835		
France	1 835		
The Netherlands	1 835		
Sweden	1 330 (1)		
United Kingdom	6 057		
EU	160 000 (4)		
Norway	10 000 (2)		
TAC	170 000 (³)		Precautionary TAC

[|] Including sandeel. (2) May only be fished in EU waters of IV. (3) Preliminary TAC. The final TAC will be established in the light of new scientific advice during the first half of 2011. (4) At least 98 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of sprat. By-catches of dab and whiting are to be counted against the remaining 2 % of the TAC.';

(m) the entry for horse mackerel and associated by-catches in EU waters of IIa, IVa; VI, VIIa-c, VIIe-k, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId and VIIIe; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of XII and XIV is replaced by the following:

'Species:	Horse mackerel and associa <i>Trachurus</i> spp.	ted by-catches	Zone:	EU waters of IIa, IVa; VI, VIIa-c,VIIe-k, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId and VIIIe; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of XII and XIV (JAX/2A-14)
Denmark		15 781 (¹)		
Germany		12 314 (1) (2)		
Spain		16 795		
France		6 338 (1) (2)		
Ireland		41 010 (1)		
The Nether	rlands	49 406 (1) (2)		
Portugal		1 618		
Sweden		675 (1)		
United Kin	ngdom	14 850 (1) (2)		
EU		158 787 (³)		
TAC		158 787		Analytical TAC

⁽¹⁾ Up to 5 % of this quota fished in EU waters of IIa or IVa before 30 June 2011 may be accounted for as fished under the quota concerning EU waters of IVb, IVc and VIId. However, the use of this special condition must be notified in advance to the Commission (JAX/*4BC7D).

(3) Annex IB is amended as follows:

(a) the entry for cod and haddock in Faroese waters of Vb is replaced by the following:

	Cod and haddock Gadus morhua and Melanogrammus aeglefi	Zone:	Faroese waters of Vb (C/H/05B-F.)
Germany	0		
France	0		
United Kin	gdom 0		
EU	0		
TAC	Not relevant';		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽²⁾ Up to 5 % of this quota may be fished in VIId. However, the use of this special condition must be notified in advance to the Commission (JAX/*07D).

⁽³⁾ At least 95 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of horse mackerel. By-catches of boarfish, haddock, whiting and mackerel are to be counted against the remaining 5 % of the TAC.';

(b) the entry for blue whiting in Faroese waters is replaced by the following:

'Species: Blue whiting <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>		Zone:	Faroese waters (WHB/2A4AXF)
Denmark	0		
Germany	0		
France	0		
The Netherlands	0		
United Kingdom	0		
EU	0		
TAC	40 100 (1)		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ TAC agreed by the Union, Faroe Islands, Norway and Iceland.';

(c) the entry for ling and blue ling in Faroese waters of Vb is replaced by the following:

'Species: Ling and blue ling <i>Molva molva</i> and <i>Mol</i>	lva dypterygia	Zone:	Faroese waters of Vb (B/L/05B-F.)
Germany	0		_
France	0		
United Kingdom	0		
EU	0		
TAC	Not relevant';		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

(d) the entry for northern prawn in Greenland waters of V and XIV is replaced by the following:

'Species:	Northern prawn Pandalus borealis	Zone:	Greenland waters of V and XIV (PRA/514GRN)
Denmark	1 950		
France	1 950		
EU	7 000 (1)		
TAC	Not relevant		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ Of which 3 100 tonnes are allocated to Norway.';

(e) the entry for saithe in Faroese waters of Vb is replaced by the following:

'Species: Saithe Pollachius virens		Zone:	Faroese waters of Vb (POK/05B-F.)
Belgium	0	•	
Germany	0		
France	0		
The Netherlands	0		
United Kingdom	0		
EU	0		
TAC	Not relevant';		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

(f) the entry for Greenland halibut in Greenland waters of NAFO 0 and 1 is replaced by the following:

'Species:	Greenland halibut Reinhardtius hippoglossoides	Zone:	Greenland waters of NAFO 0 and 1 (GHL/N01GRN)
Germany	1 850		
EU	2 650 (1)		
TAC	Not relevant		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

 $^{(^1)\,}$ Of which 800 tonnes are allocated to Norway to be fished in NAFO 1 only.';

(g) the entry for Greenland halibut in Greenland waters of V and XIV is replaced by the following:

'Species: Greenland halibut Reinhardtius hippo	glossoides	Zone:	Greenland waters of V and XIV (GHL/514GRN)
Germany	5 867		
United Kingdom	309		
EU	7 000 (1)		
TAC	Not relevant		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ Of which 824 tonnes are allocated to Norway.';

(h) the entry for redfish in EU and international waters of V; international waters of XII and XIV is replaced by the following:

'Species: Redfish (shallow pelagic) Sebastes spp.		Zone:	EU and international waters of V; international waters of XII and XIV (RED/51214S)
Estonia	0 (1)	•	
Germany	0 (1)		
Spain	0 (1)		
France	0 (1)		
Ireland	0 (1)		
Latvia	0 (1)		
The Netherlands	0 (1)		
Poland	0 (1)		
Portugal	0 (1)		
United Kingdom	0 (1)		
EU	0 (1)		
TAC	0 (1)		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

 $^{(^1)\,}$ May not be fished from 1 January to 9 May 2011.

Species:	Redfish (deep pelagic) Sebastes spp.		Zone:	EU and international waters of V; international waters of XII and XIV (RED/51214D)
Estonia		177 (1) (2)	l	
Germany		3 569 (1) (2)		
Spain		633 (1) (2)		
France		336 (1) (2)		
Ireland		1 (1) (2)		
Latvia		64 (1) (2)		
The Nethe	erlands	2 (1) (2)		
Poland		324 (1) (2)		
Portugal		757 (1) (2)		
United Ki	ingdom	8 (1) (2)		
EU		5 871 (1) (2)		
TAC		38 000 (1) (2)		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

(1) May only be taken within the area bounded by the lines joining the following coordinates:

	Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
	1	64° 45'	28° 30'
	2	62° 50'	25° 45'
	3	61° 55'	26° 45'
	4	61° 00'	26° 30'
	5	59° 00'	30° 00'
	6	59° 00'	34° 00'
	7	61° 30'	34° 00'
	8	62° 50'	36° 00'
	9	64° 45'	28° 30'
May not be fished fi	rom 1 January to 9 May	2011.';	

(i) the entry for redfish in Greenland waters of V and XIV is replaced by the following:

'Species: Redfish (pelagic) Sebastes spp.		Zone:	Greenland waters of V and XIV (RED/514GRN)
Germany	5 164 (1) (2)		
France	26 (1) (2)		
United Kingdom	37 (1) (2)		
EU	5 227 (1) (2)		
TAC	Not relevant		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

 ⁽¹⁾ May only be fished by pelagic trawl. May be fished East or West.
 (2) The quota may be fished in the NEAFC Regulatory Area on the condition that reporting conditions established by Greenland are fulfilled (RED/*51214). When fished in the NEAFC Regulatory Area, redfish may only be taken as of 10 May 2011 as deep pelagic redfish, and only within the area bounded by the lines joining the following coordinates (RED/*5-14).

1 64° 45' 28° 30' 2 62° 50' 25° 45' 3 61° 55' 26° 45'	Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
3 61° 55' 26° 45'	1	64° 45'	28° 30'
	2	62° 50'	25° 45'
	3	61° 55'	26° 45'
4 61° 00' 26° 30'	4	61° 00'	26° 30'
5 59° 00' 30° 00'	5	59° 00'	30° 00'
6 59° 00' 34° 00'	6	59° 00'	34° 00'
7 61° 30' 34° 00'	7	61° 30'	34° 00'
8 62° 50' 36° 00'	8	62° 50'	36° 00'
9 64° 45' 28° 30' ';	9	64° 45'	28° 30' ';

(j) the entry for other species in Faroese waters of Vb is replaced by the following:

'Species: Other species (1)		Zone:	Faroese waters of Vb (OTH/05B-F.)
Germany	0		
France	0		
United Kingdom	0		
EU	0		
TAC	Not relevant		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ Excluding fish species of no commercial value.';

(k) the entry for flatfish in Faroese waters of Vb is replaced by the following:

'Species: Flatfish		Zone:	Faroese waters of Vb (FLX/05B-F.)
Germany	0		
France	0		
United Kingdom	0		
EU	0		
TAC	Not relevant';		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

(4) in Annex IC, the entry for northern prawn in zone NAFO 3L is replaced by the following:

'Species: Northern prawn Pandalus borealis		Zone:	NAFO 3L (¹) (PRA/N3L.)
Estonia	214		
Latvia	214		
Lithuania	214		
Poland	214		
Other Member States	213 (2)		
EU	1 069		
TAC	19 200		Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.

⁽¹⁾ Not including the box bounded by the following coordinates:

Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
1	47° 20' 0	46° 40' 0
2	47° 20' 0	46° 30' 0
3	46° 00' 0	46° 30' 0
4	46° 00' 0	46° 40' 0

(2) Except Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland.';

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(5) In Annex ID, the entry for bluefin tuna in the Atlantic Ocean, east of 45° W, and Mediterranean (BFT/AE045W) is replaced by the following:

'Species: Bluefin tuna <i>Thunnus thynnus</i>		Zone:	Atlantic Ocean, east of 45° W, and Mediterranean (BFT/AE045W)
Cyprus	66,98 (4)		
Greece	124,37		
Spain	2 411,01 (2) (4)		
France	958,42 (2) (3) (4)		
Italy	1 787,91 (4) (5)		
Malta	153,99 (4)		
Portugal	226,84		
Other Member States	26,90 (1)		
EU	5 756,41 (2) (3) (4) (5)		
TAC	12 900		

⁽¹⁾ Except Cyprus, Greece, Spain, France, Italy, Malta and Portugal, and only as by-catch.

⁽²⁾ Within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocation between Member States shall apply to catches of bluefin tuna between 8 kg/75 cm and 30 kg/115 cm by the vessels referred to in point 1 of Annex IV (BFT/*8301):

Spain	350,51
France	158,14
EU	508 65

(3) Within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocation between Member States shall apply to catches of bluefin tuna weighing no less than 6,4 kg or measuring no less than 70 cm by the vessels referred to in point 1 of Annex IV (BFT/*641):

France	45 (*)
EU	45

^(*) This quantity may be revised by the Commission upon request from France, up to an amount of 100 tonnes as indicated by ICCAT Recommendation 08-05.

(4) Within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocation between Member States shall apply to catches of bluefin tuna between and 8 kg and 30 kg by the vessels referred to in point 2 of Annex IV (BFT/*8302):

Spain	48,22
France	47,57
Italy	37,55
Cyprus	1,34
Malta	3,08
EU	137,77

(5) Within this TAC, the following catch limit and allocation between Member States shall apply to catches of bluefin tuna between and 8 kg and 30 kg by the vessels referred to in point 3 of Annex IV (BFT/*643):

Italy	37,55
EU	37,55';

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(6) Annex IH is replaced by the following:

'ANNEX IH

WCPFC Convention Area

Species:	Swordfish Xiphias gladius	Zone:	WCPFC Convention Area south of 20° S (SWO/F7120S)
EU	3 170,36		
TAC	Not relevant';		Analytical TAC

(7) Annex IJ is replaced by the following:

'ANNEX IJ

SPRFMO Convention Area

Species:	Jack mackerel Trachurus murphyi		Zone:	SPRFMO Convention Area (CJM/SPRFMO)
Germany		10 223,67		
The Nether	rlands	11 080,80		
Lithuania		7 112,63		
Poland		12 231,90		
EU		40 649';		

- (8) Annex IIB is amended as follows:
 - (a) point 5.2 is replaced by the following:
 - '5.2. For the purposes of fixing the maximum number of days at sea that an EU vessel may be authorised by its flag Member State to be present within the area, the following special conditions shall apply in accordance with Table I:
 - (a) the total landings of hake in the year 2008 or 2009 made by the vessel shall represent less than 5 tonnes or less than 3 % of the total landings in live weight; and
 - (b) the total landings of Norway lobster in the year 2008 or 2009 made by the vessel shall represent less than 2,5 tonnes according to the landings in live weight.';
 - (b) point 9.1 is replaced by the following:
 - '9.1. If a vessel has received an unlimited number of days resulting from compliance with the special conditions, the vessel's landings in the 2011 management period shall not exceed 5 tonnes or 3 % of the total landings in live weight of hake and 2,5 tonnes in live weight of Norway lobster.';

- (9) Annex IIC is amended as follows:
 - (a) point 2 is replaced by the following:
 - '2. Fishing gear

For the purposes of this Annex, the following groupings of fishing gears shall apply:

- (a) beam trawls of mesh size equal to or greater than 80 mm;
- (b) static nets including gill-nets, trammel-nets and tangle-nets with mesh size equal to or less than 220 mm.';
- (b) Table I is replaced by the following:

'Table I

Gear point 2	Denomination Only the gear groupings as defined in point 2 are used	Western Channel
2(a)	Beam trawls of mesh size ≥ 80 mm	164
2(b)	Static nets with mesh size ≤ 220 mm	164';

(10) Annex VII is replaced by the following:

'ANNEX VII

WCPFC CONVENTION AREA

Maximum number of EU vessels authorised to fish for swordfish in areas south of 20° S of the WCPFC Convention Area

Spain	14
EU	14'.

Article 2

Entry into force and applicability

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

Points 1 to 7 and point 10 of Article 1 shall apply from 1 January 2011.

Points 8 and 9 of Article 1 shall apply from 1 February 2011.

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