

Regulation (EU) No 1379/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 on the common organisation of the markets in fishery and aquaculture products, amending Council Regulations (EC) No 1184/2006 and (EC) No 1224/2009 and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 104/2000

CHAPTER II

PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATIONS

SECTION II

Recognition

Article 17

Internal functioning of producer organisations and inter-branch organisations

The internal functioning of producer organisations and inter-branch organisations referred to in Articles 14 and 16 shall be based on the following principles:

- (a) compliance by its members with the rules adopted by the organisation in terms of fisheries exploitation, production and marketing;
- (b) non-discrimination among members, particularly on grounds of nationality or place of establishment;
- (c) the levying of a financial contribution from its members in order to finance the organisation;
- (d) a democratic functioning that enables the members to scrutinise their organisation and its decisions;
- (e) the imposition of effective, dissuasive and proportionate penalties for infringement of obligations laid down in the internal rules of the organisation concerned, particularly in the case of –non payment of financial contributions;
- (f) the definition of rules on the admission of new members and the withdrawal of membership;
- (g) the definition of the accounting and budgetary rules necessary for the management of the organisation.

Changes to legislation:

There are outstanding changes not yet made to Regulation (EU) No 1379/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council. Any changes that have already been made to the legislation appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole legislation item and associated provisions

- Art. 5(e) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(4\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 5(f) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(4\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 7(1)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(6\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 7(2)(b) omitted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(6\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 8(1)(c) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(7\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 8(2)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(7\)\(b\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 19(7)(b) substituted immediately before IP completion day by [S.I. 2020/1542, reg. 11\(4\)\(a\)](#))
- Art. 8(2)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739, reg. 19\(7\)\(b\)\(i\)](#) (as substituted) by [S.I. 2020/1542 reg. 11\(4\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 8(2)(c) omitted by [S.I. 2019/739, reg. 19\(7\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#) (as substituted) by [S.I. 2020/1542 reg. 11\(4\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 13(a) word substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(12\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 13(b) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(12\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 13(c) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(12\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 14(1)(b) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(13\)\(a\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 14(1)(c) substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(13\)\(a\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 16(1)(d) substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(15\)\(a\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 22(1)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(18\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 22(1)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(18\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 23(1)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(19\)\(a\)\(ii\)\(aa\)](#)
- Art. 23(1)(a) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(19\)\(a\)\(ii\)\(bb\)](#)
- Art. 23(1)(b) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(19\)\(a\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 37(1)(b)(i) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(28\)\(a\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 38(1)(b) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(29\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 38(1)(c) word substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(29\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 41(1)(a) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(31\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 41(1)(a) words substituted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/739, reg. 19\(31\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/1542 reg. 11\(4\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 41(1)(c) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(31\)\(b\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 41(2)(a) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(31\)\(c\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 41(2)(a) words substituted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/739, reg. 19\(31\)\(c\)\(ii\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/1542 reg. 11\(4\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 41(2)(c) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(31\)\(c\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 41(2)(f) words substituted by [2020 c. 22 Sch. 11 para. 3](#)
- Art. 41(2)(f) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(31\)\(c\)\(iv\)](#)
- Art. 41(3)(4) inserted by [S.I. 2019/739 reg. 19\(31\)\(d\)](#)