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# SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 2

### REGULATION OF FOREIGN FISHING BOATS

## PART 2

#### **SCOTLAND**

The Sharks, Skates and Rays (Prohibition of Fishing, Trans-shipment and Landing) (Scotland) Order 2012

- 26 (1) The Sharks, Skates and Rays (Prohibition of Fishing, Trans-shipment and Landing) (Scotland) Order 2012 (S.S.I. 2012/63) is amended as follows.
  - (2) In article 2 (definitions) omit the following definitions—
    - "fishing boat";
    - "relevant British fishing boat";
    - "Scottish fishing boat";
    - "third country";
    - "third country fishing boat".
  - (3) Omit article 3 (application).
  - (4) In article 4 (prohibition of fishing for tope), for "a boat to which this article applies" substitute "any fishing boat".
  - (5) In article 5 (prohibition of trans-shipment of tope), for "a boat or vessel to which this article applies" substitute "any fishing boat".
  - (6) In article 6 (prohibition of landing tope)—
    - (a) the existing provision becomes paragraph (1);
    - (b) in that paragraph, for "a boat or vessel to which this article applies" substitute "any fishing boat";
    - (c) after that paragraph insert—
      - "(2) The prohibition in paragraph (1) does not apply in relation to tope caught by a foreign fishing boat in waters lying outside British fishery limits."
  - (7) In article 7 (prohibition of landing specified species of shark, skate and ray)—
    - (a) in paragraph (1), for "a boat or vessel to which this article applies" substitute "any fishing boat";
    - (b) after paragraph (1) insert—

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- "(1A) The prohibition in paragraph (1) does not apply in relation to a specified species caught by a foreign fishing boat in waters lying outside British fishery limits."
- (c) in paragraph (2), for "paragraph (1)" substitute " this article ".
- (8) In article 8 (powers of British sea-fishery officers in relation to fishing boats), in paragraph (1)—
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (b), for "relevant British" substitute " other ";
  - (b) omit sub-paragraph (c) and the "and" before it.

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