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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Common Fisheries Policy and Aquaculture  
(Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019**

**PART 3**

**AMENDMENT OF THE TECHNICAL CONSERVATION REGULATIONS**

**Council Regulation (EC) No 1984/2003 introducing a system for the statistical monitoring of trade in swordfish and bigeye tuna within the Community**

**13.**—(1) Council Regulation (EC) 1984/2003 introducing a system for the statistical monitoring of trade in swordfish and bigeye tuna within the Community is amended as follows.

- (2) In Article 1 for “Community” substitute “United Kingdom”.
- (3) In Article 2—
  - (a) in point (a) for “Community” substitute “United Kingdom”;
  - (b) in point (b) for “Community” substitute “United Kingdom”; and
  - (c) in point (c) for “Community” substitute “United Kingdom”.
- (4) In Article 3, in point (e) for “Community” substitute “United Kingdom”.
- (5) In the heading for Section 1 of Chapter 2 for “on Member States” substitute “in the United Kingdom”.
- (6) In Article 4—
  - (a) in paragraph 1 for “territory of the Community” substitute “United Kingdom”;
  - (b) in paragraph 3 for “the Member State in which the product is imported” substitute “a fisheries administration”; and
  - (c) in paragraph 4 for “The Member States shall ensure that their” substitute “A fisheries administration must ensure that its”.
- (7) In the heading for Section 2 for “on Member States in respect of exports” substitute “in respect of exports from the United Kingdom”.
- (8) In Article 5—
  - (a) in paragraph 1 for “Community” in both places it occurs, substitute “United Kingdom”;
  - (b) in paragraph 2 for point (b) substitute—

“(b) be validated by the competent authorities of a fisheries administration;”;
  - (c) in paragraph 3—
    - (i) for “The Member States shall” substitute “A fisheries administration must”, and
    - (ii) for “their” substitute “its”; and
  - (d) omit paragraph 4.

- (9) In the heading for Section 3 for “on Member States in respect of re-exports” substitute “in respect of re-exports from the United Kingdom”.
- (10) In Article 6—
- (a) in paragraph 1—
    - (i) in point (a) for “Community” in both places it occurs, substitute “United Kingdom”, and
    - (ii) in point (b) for “territory of the Community” substitute “United Kingdom”;
  - (b) in paragraph 2 for point (b) substitute—
    - “(b) be validated by the competent authorities of a fisheries administration, in the circumstances where re-export is to take place from the United Kingdom, or the competent authorities of the third country from which the re-export has taken place.”;
  - (c) in paragraph 3—
    - (i) for “Member States which authenticate re-export certificates in accordance with paragraph 2(b)” substitute “Where a fisheries administration has authenticated a re-export certificate in accordance with paragraph 2, it”, and
    - (ii) for “The Member States shall” substitute “A fisheries administration must”;
  - (d) in paragraph 4 for “the Member State of importation or re-exportation” substitute “a fisheries administration”; and
  - (e) in paragraph 5—
    - (i) for “The Member States shall” substitute “A fisheries administration must”, and
    - (ii) for “their” substitute “its”.
- (11) In the heading for Section 4 omit “for Member States”.
- (12) In Article 7a—
- (a) for paragraph 1 substitute—
    - “**1.** In relation to large-scale pelagic longline vessels, when validating statistical documents, a fisheries administration must ensure that transhipments are consistent with the reported catch amount by each such vessel.”;
  - (b) in paragraph 2 for “The flag Member State of large-scale pelagic longline vessels shall” substitute “A fisheries administration, in relation to large-scale pelagic longline vessels, must”; and
  - (c) in paragraph 3—
    - (i) for “Member States shall” substitute “A fisheries administration must”, and
    - (ii) for “their area or territory” substitute “the United Kingdom”.
- (13) Omit Chapter 3.
- (14) Omit Articles 11, 12 and 14.