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PART 5

TRANSFER OF LEGISLATIVE FUNCTIONS CHAPTER 4

AMENDMENT OF THE MULTIANNUAL PLANS AND EFFORT REGIMES

Council Regulation (EC) No 1100/2007 establishing measures for the recovery of the stock of European Eel

- **30.**—(1) Council Regulation (EC) No 1100/2007 establishing measures for the recovery of the stock of European Eel is amended as follows.
 - (2) For Article 5 substitute—

"Article 5

Amendment and continuing implementation of Eel Management Plans

- 1. A fisheries administration may amend an Eel Management Plan provided that, on the basis of a technical and scientific evaluation of the proposed amendments, the fisheries administration is satisfied that the requirements of this Regulation will continue to be met by the amended Plan.
- **2.** Before amending an Eel Management Plan, a fisheries administration must consult such persons or bodies as the fisheries administration considers appropriate.
- **3.** Following any amendment of an Eel Management Plan in accordance with this Article, the fisheries administration must, without delay, publish the amended version of the Eel Management Plan together with a notice specifying the date on which the amendments will take effect and an explanation of how they will be implemented.
- **4.** A fisheries administration must ensure that each Eel Management Plan is correctly implemented.
- **5.** A fisheries administration may permit fishing for eel of the species *Anguilla* anguilla the whole year round provided that the fishery in question conforms to the specifications and restrictions set out in the relevant Eel Management Plan.".
- (3) In Article 7 omit paragraph 6.