# EC/Cape Verde fisheries agreement: protocol for the period from 6 September 1994 to 5 September 1997

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The Council adopted this regulation concluding a new fisheries protocol between the Community and Cape Verde. This protocol laid down the technical and financial conditions covering fishing activities of Community vessels in Cape Verde waters between 6 September 1994 and 5 September 1997. The protocol thus provided for the following fisheries opportunities: a) highly migratory species: - licences for 23 freezer tuna seiners; - licences for 17 pole-and-line tuna vessels and surface longliners; b) for other species: - licences for three bottom longliners, each with a tonnage of less than 210 GRT. In return, Cape Verde would be granted: - financial compensation totalling ECU 1 063 500, payable in three equal annual instalments. In the case of tuna fishing, this compensation would cover a catch weight in waters of Cape Verde of 4 850 tonnes of tuna fished per year. If the annual amount of tuna caught exceeded this quantity, the compensation would be increased by ECU 50 for each additional tonne caught; - a contribution of ECU 261 900 towards the financing of scientific or technical programmes to develop the fisheries industry; - awards for study and practical training to improve the skills and knowledge of fishermen, to a maximum of ECU 174 600. The protocol would apply from 6 September 1994 and enter into force on the date of its signature. The Council was authorised to designate the persons empowered to sign the protocol in order to bind the Community. The regulation would apply from 27 August 1995.