

Basic information	
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Conservation of fishery resources: cod stocks in the Irish Sea Amending Regulation (EC) No 2549/2000 2000/0071(CNS) Subject 3.15.01 Fish stocks, conservation of fishery resources Geographical area Ireland	

Key players				
European Parliament	Committee responsible		Rapporteur	Appointed
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Council of the European Union	Council configuration		Meetings	Date
	General Affairs		2367	2001-07-16
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	Maritime Affairs and Fisheries			

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
26/03/2001	Legislative proposal published	COM(2001)0165 	Summary
25/04/2001	Debate in Council		
02/05/2001	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
18/06/2001	Vote in committee		Summary
18/06/2001	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A5-0213/2001	
05/07/2001	Decision by Parliament	T5-0410/2001	Summary
05/07/2001	Debate in Parliament		

16/07/2001	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
16/07/2001	End of procedure in Parliament		
18/07/2001	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2001/0083(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Amendments and repeals	Amending Regulation (EC) No 2549/2000 2000/0071(CNS)
Legal basis	EC Treaty (after Amsterdam) EC 037
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PECH/5/14604

Documentation gateway				
European Parliament				
Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A5-0213/2001	18/06/2001	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T5-0410/2001 OJ C 065 14.03.2002, p. 0188-0379 E	05/07/2001	Summary
European Commission				
Document type	Reference	Date	Summary	
Legislative proposal	COM(2001)0165  OJ C 180 26.06.2001, p. 0311 E	26/03/2001	Summary	
Other institutions and bodies				
Institution/body	Document type	Reference	Date	Summary
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Additional information		
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Final act

Regulation 2001/1456
OJ L 194 18.07.2001, p. 0001

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Conservation of fishery resources: cod stocks in the Irish Sea

2001/0083(CNS) - 26/03/2001 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE : to amend Regulation 2549/2000/EC establishing additional technical measures for the recovery of the stock of cod in the Irish Sea (ICES Division VIIa). **CONTENT** : the conditions laid down in regulation 2549/2000/EC of 17 November 2000 establishing additional technical measures for the recovery of the stock of cod in the Irish Sea (ICES Division VIIa) are intended to ensure that the selectivity of fishing gears deployed in the Irish Sea are such that few young cod are captured. Within the conditions laid down in Regulation 2549/2000/EC it is stipulated in Article 2(1) that it is prohibited to use any demersal towed net other than beam trawl incorporating a cod-end and/or extension piece of which the thickness of the twine exceeds 6mm. However, recent scientific advice concurs with the opinion of fishermen that cod-end and/or extension piece constructed of double twine of thickness no more than 4 mm is technically equivalent to a cod-end and/or extension piece as currently defined. There is a requirement on the part of some fishermen to deploy double-twine cod-ends. Furthermore, the text of Article 3 of the current regulation refers to conditions which were relevant only during 2000 and therefore may be replaced with the text which defines the required amendment. Regulation 2549/2000/EC should, therefore, be modified accordingly.

Conservation of fishery resources: cod stocks in the Irish Sea

2001/0083(CNS) - 05/07/2001 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

This report by Jim NICHOLSON (EPP-ED, UK) was adopted without amendment (see previous document).

Conservation of fishery resources: cod stocks in the Irish Sea

2001/0083(CNS) - 16/07/2001 - Final act

PURPOSE : to amend Regulation 2549/2000/EC establishing additional technical measures for the recovery of the stock of cod in the Irish Sea. **COMMUNITY MEASURE** : Council Regulation 1456/2001/EC. **CONTENT** : This Regulation ensures that, when fishing with towed gears in the Irish Sea, certain fishermen are permitted to use a cod-end and/or extension piece of double-twine netting material of which the thickness of any individual twine does not exceed 4mm. **ENTRY INTO FORCE** : 19/07/2001.