

Basic information	
2009/0041(CNS) CNS - Consultation procedure Regulation	Procedure completed
Conservation of fishery resources: recovery plan for Greenland halibut in the framework of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO) Amending Regulation (EC) No 2115/2005 2004/0229(CNS) Subject 3.15.01 Fish stocks, conservation of fishery resources 3.15.05 Fish catches, import tariff quotas 3.15.07 Fisheries inspectorate, surveillance of fishing vessels and areas	

Key players				
European Parliament	Committee responsible		Rapporteur	Appointed
	PECH Fisheries		FRAGA ESTÉVEZ Carmen (PPE)	01/09/2009
	Former committee responsible		Former rapporteur	Appointed
	PECH Fisheries			
Council of the European Union	Council configuration		Meetings	Date
	Justice and Home Affairs (JHA)		2979	2009-11-30
European Commission	Commission DG		Commissioner	
	Maritime Affairs and Fisheries		BORG Joe	

Key events			
Date	Event	Reference	Summary
19/03/2009	Legislative proposal published	COM(2009)0127 	Summary
14/07/2009	Committee referral announced in Parliament		
03/11/2009	Vote in committee		Summary
06/11/2009	Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading	A7-0046/2009	
24/11/2009	Decision by Parliament	T7-0079/2009	Summary

24/11/2009	Results of vote in Parliament		
30/11/2009	Act adopted by Council after consultation of Parliament		
30/11/2009	End of procedure in Parliament		
09/12/2009	Final act published in Official Journal		

Technical information	
Procedure reference	2009/0041(CNS)
Procedure type	CNS - Consultation procedure
Procedure subtype	Legislation
Legislative instrument	Regulation
Amendments and repeals	Amending Regulation (EC) No 2115/2005 2004/0229(CNS)
Legal basis	Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union TFEU 043-p2
Other legal basis	Rules of Procedure EP 165
Stage reached in procedure	Procedure completed
Committee dossier	PECH/7/00275

Documentation gateway				
European Parliament				
Document type	Committee	Reference	Date	Summary
Committee draft report		PE428.136	10/09/2009	
Committee report tabled for plenary, 1st reading/single reading		A7-0046/2009	06/11/2009	
Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading		T7-0079/2009	24/11/2009	Summary
European Commission				
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Legislative proposal	COM(2009)0127 	19/03/2009	Summary	

Additional information		
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National parliaments	IPEX	
European Commission	EUR-Lex	

Final act

Conservation of fishery resources: recovery plan for Greenland halibut in the framework of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO)

2009/0041(CNS) - 30/11/2009 - Final act

PURPOSE: to implement in Community law a recovery plan for Greenland halibut adopted by the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO).

LEGISLATIVE ACT : Council Regulation (EC) No 1197/2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 2115/2005 establishing a recovery plan for Greenland halibut in the framework of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation

CONTENT: the Council adopted a regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 2115/2005 on the Greenland halibut recovery plan with the purpose of bringing it into line with modifications adopted by the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO).

At its annual meeting held in September 2007, NAFO adopted a number of amendments on the Greenland halibut recovery plan, which relate to enhanced measures for catch reporting and additional control measures designed to enhance at-sea inspections for vessels entering and leaving the NAFO regulatory area.

ENTRY INTO FORCE: 16/12/2009.

Conservation of fishery resources: recovery plan for Greenland halibut in the framework of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO)

2009/0041(CNS) - 24/11/2009 - Text adopted by Parliament, 1st reading/single reading

The European Parliament adopted by 638 votes to 17 with 5 abstentions, a legislative resolution approving unamended, under the consultation procedure, the proposal for a Council regulation amending Council Regulation (EC) No 2115/2005 of 20 December 2005 establishing a recovery plan for Greenland halibut in the framework of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation.

Conservation of fishery resources: recovery plan for Greenland halibut in the framework of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO)

2009/0041(CNS) - 19/03/2009 - Legislative proposal

PURPOSE: to implement in Community law a recovery plan for Greenland halibut adopted by the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO).

PROPOSED ACT: Council Regulation amending Council Regulation (EC) No 2115/2005 of 20 December 2005 establishing a recovery plan for Greenland halibut in the framework of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation.

CONTENT: the purpose of Council Regulation (EC) No 2115/2005 of 20 December 2005 is to implement in Community law a recovery plan for Greenland halibut adopted by the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (NAFO). This recovery plan is subject to review at regular intervals by NAFO.

During its 2007 annual meeting held in Lisbon, Portugal, NAFO adopted a number of modifications to this rebuilding plan. The following modifications were adopted:

- enhanced measures on catch reporting;
- additional control measures to enhance at-sea inspections for vessels entering and leaving the NAFO Area.

These modifications were adopted with the support of the Community following consultations with Member States, concerned industry and non-governmental organisations. These measures have been implemented in Community Law on a temporary basis through Council Regulations (EC) No 40/2008 and Council Regulation (EC) No 43/2009 fixing for 2008 and 2009 the fishing opportunities and associated conditions for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks, applicable in Community waters and, for Community vessels, in waters where catch limitations are required. These modifications are binding and should therefore be implemented in Community law on a more long term basis. The purpose of this proposal is to introduce the necessary amendments to Council Regulation (EC) No 2115/2005.

BUDGETARY IMPLICATION: this proposal has no implications for the Community budget.