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PROPOSAL FOR A COUNCIL REGULATION

amending Regulation (EU) 2017/127 as regards certain fishing opportunities

1. Annex IA to Regulation (EU) 2017/127 is amended as follows:

(a) the fishing opportunities table for sandeel and associated by-catches in Union waters of IIa, IIIa and IV is replaced by the following:

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Species:	Sandeel and associated by-catches <i>Ammodytes spp.</i>	Zone:	Union waters of IIa, IIIa and IV(1)
Denmark	458 552 ⁽²⁾	Analytical TAC	
United Kingdom	10 024 ⁽²⁾	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Germany	701 ⁽²⁾	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Sweden	16 838 ⁽²⁾		
Union	486 115		

TAC 486 115

(1) Excluding waters within six nautical miles of the UK baselines at Shetland, Fair Isle and Foula.

(2) Without prejudice to the landing obligation, by-catches of whiting and mackerel may consist of up to 2 % of the quota (OT1/ *2A3A4). Where a Member State uses this provision in respect of a by-catch species in this fishery, no inter-species flexibility provision may be used by that Member State in respect of by-catches of that species.

Special condition: within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following sandeel management areas, as defined in Annex IID:

Zone: Union waters of sandeel management areas

	1r	2r and 3r	4	5r	6	7r
	(SAN/234_1R)	(SAN/234_2R) for 2r; (SAN/234_3R) for 3r	(SAN/234_4)	(SAN/234_5R)	(SAN/234_6)	(SAN/234_7R)
Denmark	241 443	165 965	50 979	0	165	0
United Kingdom	5 278	3 628	1 114	0	4	0
Germany	369	254	78	0	0	0
Sweden	8 866	6 094	1 872	0	6	0
Union	255 956	175 941	54 043	0	175	0
Total	255 956	175 941	54 043	0	175	0

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(b) the fishing opportunities table for Northern prawn in IIIa is replaced by the following:

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Species:	Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>	Zone:	IIIa (PRA/03A.)
Denmark	2 506	Precautionary TAC	
Sweden	1 350	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	

Union 3 856

TAC 7 221

(c) the fishing opportunities table for Northern prawn in Norwegian waters south of 62° N is replaced by the following:

Species:	Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>	Zone:	Norwegian waters south of 62° N (PRA/04-N.)
Denmark	211	Analytical TAC	
Sweden	123 ⁽¹⁾	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	334	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	Not relevant		

(1) By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack, whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quotas for these species.

(d) the fishing opportunities table for sprat and associated by-catches in Union waters of IIa and IV is replaced by the following:

Species:	Sprat and associated by-catches <i>Sprattus sprattus</i>		Zone:	Union waters of IIa and IV
	<i>Until 30 June 2017</i>	<i>From 1 July 2017 to 30 June 2018</i>		
	(SPR/2AC4-C)	(SPR/2AC4-E)		
Belgium	376	1 828 ⁽¹⁾	Analytical TAC	
Denmark	29 755	144 711 ⁽¹⁾		
Germany	376	1 828 ⁽¹⁾		
France	376	1 828 ⁽¹⁾		
The Netherlands	376	1 828 ⁽¹⁾		
Sweden	1 330	1 330 ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾		
United Kingdom	1 241	6 034 ⁽¹⁾		
Union	33 830	159 387		
Norway	0	10 000		
Faroe Islands	0	1 000 ⁽³⁾		
TAC	33 830	170 387		

- (1) Without prejudice to the landing obligation, by-catches of whiting may consist of up to 2 % of the quota ((OTH/ *2AC4C) for catches until 30 June 2017; (OTH/*2AC4E) for catches from 1 July 2017 to 30 June 2018). Where a Member State uses this provision in respect of a by-catch species in this fishery, no inter-species flexibility provision may be used by that Member State in respect of by-catches of that species.
- (2) Including sandeel.
- (3) May contain up to 4% of by-catch of herring

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(e) In the fishing opportunities table for sprat and associated by-catches in IIIa, footnote (1) is replaced by the following:

"(1) Without prejudice to the landing obligation, by-catches of whiting and haddock may consist of up to 5 % of the quota (OTH/ *03A.). Where a Member State uses this provision in respect of a by-catch species in this fishery, no inter-species flexibility provision may be used by that Member State in respect of by-catches of that species."

2. In Annex ID to Regulation (EU) 2017/127, the fishing opportunities table for swordfish in Mediterranean is replaced by the following:

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Species:	Swordfish <i>Xiphias gladius</i>		Zone: Mediterranean Sea (SWO/MED)
Croatia	16	(1)	Analytical TAC
Cyprus	59	(1)	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply.
Spain	1 822,49	(1)	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply.
France	127,02	(1)	
Greece	1 206,45	(1)	
Italy	3 736,26	(1)	
Malta	443,26	(1)	
Union	7 410,48	(1)	

TAC 10 500

(1) This quota may only be fished from 1 April 2017 to 31 December 2017.