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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1989 No. 2015**

**SEA FISHERIES**

CONSERVATION OF SEA FISH

The Sea Fish Licensing Order 1989

*Made - - - - 1st November 1989*

*Laid before Parliament 2nd November 1989*

*Coming into force 1st February 1990*

THE SEA FISH LICENSING ORDER 1989

1. Title and commencement
  2. Interpretation
  3. Prohibition of fishing without a licence and exceptions thereto
  4. Retention on board of fish
  5. Enforcement
  6. Revocation
- Signature

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SCHEDULE 1 — STATISTICAL SUB-AREAS AND DIVISIONS OF THE  
INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL FOR THE EXPLORATION OF  
THE SEA

ICES Statistical Sub-Area I (Barents Sea)  
ICES Statistical Division IIa (Norwegian Sea)  
ICES Statistical Division IIb (Spitzbergen and Bear Island)  
ICES Statistical Division IIIa (Skagerak and Kattegat)  
ICES Statistical Division IIIb, c (Sound and Belt Sea or Transition Area)  
ICES Statistical Division IIId (Baltic Sea)  
ICES Statistical Sub-Area IV (North Sea)  
ICES Statistical Division Va (Iceland Grounds)  
ICES Statistical Division Vb (Faroes Grounds)  
ICES Statistical Sub-Area VI (Rockall and West of Scotland)  
ICES Statistical Sub-Area VII (Irish Sea, West of Ireland and Porcupine  
Bank, South Coast of Ireland, Bristol Channel and English Channel)  
ICES Statistical Division VIIa (Irish Sea)  
ICES Statistical Division VIIb, c (West of Ireland and Porcupine Bank)  
ICES Statistical Division VIId (Eastern English Channel)  
ICES Statistical Division VIIe (Western English Channel)

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ICES Statistical Division VIIf (Bristol Channel)  
ICES Statistical Division VIIg (South-east of Ireland)  
ICES Statistical Division VIIh (Little Sole Bank)  
ICES Statistical Division VIIj (Great Sole Bank)  
ICES Statistical Division VIIk (West of Great Sole Bank)  
ICES Statistical Sub-Area VIII (Bay of Biscay)  
ICES Statistical Sub-Area IX (Portuguese Waters)  
ICES Statistical Sub-Area X (Azores Grounds)  
ICES Statistical Sub-Area XII (North of Azores)  
ICES Statistical Sub-Area XIV (East Greenland)

SCHEDULE 2 — AREAS OF SEA AND DESCRIPTIONS OF SEA FISH IN  
RESPECT OF WHICH PROHIBITION OF FISHING WITHOUT  
LICENCE APPLIES

SCHEDULE 3 — AREAS OF SEA AND DESCRIPTIONS OF SEA FISH CAUGHT  
THEREIN TO WHICH RETENTION ON BOARD PROVISIONS  
APPLY

SCHEDULE 4 — ORDERS WHICH ARE REVOKED BY THIS ORDER

Explanatory Note