

---

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

---

**2020 No. 1542**

The Common Fisheries Policy (Amendment  
etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

PART 2

UPDATED ANNUAL EU FISHERIES LEGISLATION

CHAPTER 2

AMENDMENT OF THE 2020 DISCARD PLANS

**Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2238 specifying details of implementation of the landing obligation for certain demersal fisheries in the North Sea for the period 2020-2021**

5.—(1) [Commission Delegated Regulation \(EU\) 2019/2238](#) specifying details of implementation of the landing obligation for certain demersal fisheries in the North Sea for the period 2020-2021 is amended as follows.

- (2) In Article 1—
  - (a) for “Union” substitute “United Kingdom”;
  - (b) for “divisions 2a, 3a” substitute “division 2a”; and
  - (c) for “for the period 2020-2021” substitute “until the end of 2021”.
- (3) In Article 3(1)—
  - (a) for “Union” substitute “United Kingdom”; and
  - (b) for “divisions 2a, 3a” substitute “division 2a”.
- (4) In Article 4(1), for “Union” substitute “United Kingdom”.
- (5) In Article 5(1)—
  - (a) for “Union” substitute “United Kingdom”; and
  - (b) omit “ICES division 3a and”.
- (6) In Article 6—
  - (a) for “Union” in each place it occurs, substitute “United Kingdom”;
  - (b) in paragraph 1, omit “division 3a and”; and
  - (c) in paragraph 2, omit point (a).
- (7) In Article 7—
  - (a) in paragraph 1—
    - (i) for “Union” substitute “United Kingdom”;
    - (ii) in point (a), omit “or” in the second place it occurs, and
    - (iii) omit point (b); and

- (b) omit paragraph 3.
- (8) In Article 8(1), for “Union” substitute “United Kingdom”.
- (9) In Article 9—
  - (a) in paragraph 1—
    - (i) for “Union” substitute “United Kingdom”, and
    - (ii) for “divisions 2a, 3a” substitute “division 2a”; and
  - (b) omit paragraph 2.
- (10) In Article 10—
  - (a) for “Union” in each place it occurs, substitute “United Kingdom”;
  - (b) in point (a), for “divisions 2a and 3a” substitute “division 2a”;
  - (c) omit points (c), (d) and (g); and
  - (d) in point (m)—
    - (i) omit “ICES division 3a and” in the first place it occurs, and
    - (ii) for “mesh sizes above 35 mm in ICES division 3a and” substitute “a mesh size above”.
- (11) Omit Articles 11 and 13.
- (12) For Article 14 substitute—

*“Article 14*

*Application*

This Regulation applies until the end of 31 December 2021.”.

**Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2239 specifying details of the landing obligation for certain demersal fisheries in North-Western waters for the period 2020-2021**

**6.—(1)** Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/2239 specifying details of the landing obligation for certain demersal fisheries in North-Western waters for the period 2020-2021 is amended as follows.

- (2) In Article 1—
  - (a) for “ICES Subareas 5 (excluding 5a and including only Union waters of 5b),” substitute “United Kingdom waters of ICES Subarea 5b and in United Kingdom and International waters of ICES Subareas”; and
  - (b) for “for the period 2020-2021” substitute “until the end of 2021”.
- (3) In Article 5, omit paragraph 2.
- (4) In Article 6(1)—
  - (a) in point (c) for “7a to 7k” substitute “7a and 7d to 7j”; and
  - (b) in point (d) for “7a to 7k” substitute “7a and 7d to 7j”.
- (5) In Article 7(1), for “ICES Subareas 5 (excluding 5a and including only Union waters of 5b),” substitute “United Kingdom waters of ICES Subarea 5b and in United Kingdom and International waters of ICES Subareas”.
- (6) In Article 8(1)—
  - (a) in point (a), for “7b to 7k” substitute “7d to 7j”;
  - (b) in point (d), for “7b, 7c and 7e to 7k” substitute “7e to 7j”;

- (c) in point (e), for “7b to 7k” substitute “7d to 7j”;
  - (d) in point (f), for “7b to 7k” substitute “7d to 7j”;
  - (e) in point (g), for “7a, 7j and 7k” substitute “7a and 7j”;
  - (f) in point (i), for “7b, 7c and 7f to 7k” substitute “7f to 7j”; and
  - (g) in point (j) for “EU” substitute “United Kingdom”.
- (7) In Article 9(5), for “the STECF” substitute “a fisheries administration”.
- (8) In Article 10(5), for “the STECF” substitute “a fisheries administration”.
- (9) In Article 11—
- (a) in paragraph 1, for “Union” substitute “United Kingdom”; and
  - (b) in paragraph 2, for “the STECF” substitute “a fisheries administration”.
- (10) In Article 12, omit the first sentence.
- (11) For Article 13 substitute—

*“Article 13*

*Application*

This Regulation applies until the end of 31 December 2021.”.