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SEA FISHERIES

**The Rathlin Island (Prohibited Methods of
Fishing) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016**

	<i>22nd November</i>
<i>Made</i> - - - -	<i>2016</i>
<i>Coming into operation</i>	<i>31st December 2016</i>

The Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs⁽¹⁾ makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 19(1) and 124(1), (2) and (2A) of the Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1966⁽²⁾.

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- (1) The Ministry of Agriculture became known as the Department of Agriculture by virtue of section 7(5) of the Northern Ireland Constitution Act 1973 (c.36). The Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland was renamed the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development by Article 3(4) of the Departments (Northern Ireland) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/283 (N.I.1)). The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development was renamed the Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs by section 1(2) of the Departments Act (Northern Ireland) 2016 (c.5) (N.I.).
- (2) 1966 c.17 (N.I.). Section 124 was substituted by the Fisheries Amendment (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 (S.I. 1981/227 (N.I. 7)), Article 6, and amended by the Fisheries (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 c.4 (N.I.), section 1, the Sea Fisheries (Northern Ireland) Order 2002 (S.I. 2002/790), article 6(2), and the Foyle and Carlingford Fisheries (Northern Ireland) Order 2007 (S.I. 2007/915 (N.I. 9), Article 34(1) and Schedule 2, paragraph 2(10).