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COMMON SOLE (FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AND CONSERVATION) (No. 8) REGULATIONS 2005.

I, PAT THE COPE GALLAGHER, Minister of State at the Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 224B (inserted by section 5 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act 1983 (No. 27 of 1983)) of the Fisheries (Consolidation) Act 1959 (No. 14 of 1959) as amended by the Fisheries (Transfer of Departmental Administration and Ministerial Functions) Order 1977 (S.I. No. 30 of 1977) (as adapted by the Marine and Natural Resources (Alteration of Name of Department and Title of Minister) Order 2002 (S.I. No. 307 of 2002) and the Marine (Delegation of Ministerial Functions) (No. 2) Order 2004 (S.I. No. 703 of 2004)) hereby make the following regulations:

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Common Sole (Fisheries Management and Conservation) (No. 8) Regulations 2005.
 - 2. These Regulations come into operation on 1 January 2006.
 - 3. In these Regulations—

"ICES" means the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea;

"Irish sea-fishing boat" means a boat entered in the Register of Fishing Boats or in the EU Community Fishing Fleet Register;

"quotas" means the State's share of the total allowable catch (TAC) fixed by the Council of the European Communities relating to certain species of fish in respect of the year 2005¹ or, as the case may be, each subsequent year thereafter;

"Common Sole" means Solea solea;