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THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 847/96 of 6 May 1996 introducing additional conditions for year-to-year management of TACs and quotas[(1)], and in particular Article 4(2) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) According to Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 847/96, Member States may ask the Commission, before 31 October of the year of application of a fishing quota allocated to them, to withhold a maximum of 10 % of that quota to be transferred to the following year. The Commission is to add to the relevant quota the quantity withheld.

(2) Council Regulation (EU) No 1225/2010 of 13 December 2010 fixing for 2011 and 2012 the fishing opportunities for EU vessels for fish stocks of certain deep-sea fish species[(2)], Council Regulation (EU) No 1256/2011 of 30 November 2011 fixing for 2012 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks applicable in the Baltic Sea and amending Regulation (EU) No 1124/2010[(3)], Council Regulation (EU) No 5/2012 of 19 December 2011 fixing for 2012 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks applicable in the Black Sea[(4)], Council Regulation (EU) No 43/2012 of 17 January 2012 fixing for 2012 the fishing opportunities available to EU vessels for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks which are not subject to international negotiations or agreements[(5)] and Council Regulation (EU) No 44/2012 of 17 January 2012 fixing for 2012 the fishing opportunities available in EU waters and, to EU vessels, in certain non-EU waters for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks which are subject to international negotiations or agreements[(6)], fix fishing quotas for certain stocks for 2012 and specify which stocks may be subject to the measures provided for in Regulation (EC) No 847/96.

(3) Council Regulation (EU) No 1262/2012 of 20 December 2012 fixing for 2013 and 2014 the fishing opportunities for EU vessels for certain deep-sea fish stocks[(7)], Council Regulation (EU) No 1088/2012 of 20 November 2012 fixing for 2013 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks applicable in the Baltic Sea[(8)], Council Regulation (EU) No 1261/2012 of 20 December 2012 fixing for 2013 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks applicable

in the Black Sea[9], Council Regulation (EU) No 39/2013 of 21 January 2013 fixing for 2013 the fishing opportunities available to EU vessels for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks which are not subject to international negotiations or agreements[10] and Council Regulation (EU) No 40/2013 of 21 January 2013 fixing for 2013 the fishing opportunities available in EU waters and, to EU vessels, in certain non-EU waters for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks which are subject to international negotiations or agreements[11], fix fishing quotas for certain stocks for 2013.

(4) Certain Member States have requested, before 31 October of 2012, pursuant to Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 847/96, that part of their quotas for 2012 be withheld and transferred to the following year. Within the limits indicated in that Regulation, the quantities withheld should be added to the quota for 2013.

(5) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Committee for Fisheries and Aquaculture,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The fishing quotas fixed for 2013 in Regulations (EU) No 1262/2012, (EU) No 1088/2012, (EU) No 1261/2012, (EU) No 39/2013 and (EU) No 40/2013 are increased as set out in the Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the seventh day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 9 April 2013.

For the Commission

The President

José Manuel BARROSO

ANNEX

Country ID	Stock Id	Species	Zone name	Final Quota 2012[a](in tonnes)	Catches 2012(in tonnes)	Special Condition catches 2012(in tonnes)	Final quota(%)	Transferred quantity(in tonnes)
BEL	ANF/07.	Anglerfish	VII	1 688	1 374,2	141,7	89,8	168,8
BEL	ANF/2AC4-C	Anglerfish	EU waters of IIa and IV	358	132,6		37,04	35,8
BEL	ANF/8ABDE	Anglerfish	VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId and VIIIe	95	59,7		62,84	9,5
BEL	COD/07A.	Cod	VIIa	28	22,9		81,79	2,8
BEL	COD/07D.	Cod	VIId	71	39,8		56,06	7,1
BEL	COD/7XAD34	Cod	VIIb, VIIc, VIIe-k, VIII, IX and X, EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1	327	288,9		88,35	32,7
BEL	HAD/07A.	Haddock	VIIa	39	12,8		32,82	3,9
BEL	HAD/5BC6A	Haddock	EU and international waters of Vb and VIa	7	0		0	0,7
BEL	HAD/6B12.	Haddock	EU and international waters VIb, XII and XIV	8	0		0	0,8
BEL	HAD/7X7A34	Haddock	VIIb-k, VIII, IX and	243	235,4		96,87	7,6

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			X; EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1					
BEL	HKE/2AC4-C	Hake	EU waters of IIa and IV	32	27,1		84,69	3,2
BEL	HKE/5712-14	Hake	VI and VII; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of XII and XIV	23	9,7		42,17	2,3
BEL	HKE/8ABDE	Hake	VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId and VIIIe	10	2,6		26	1
BEL	LEZ/07.	Megrims	VII	659	600,9		91,18	58,1
BEL	LEZ/2AC4-C	Megrims	EU waters of IIa and IV	9	0,2		2,2	0,9
BEL	LIN/04-C.	Ling	EU waters of IV	24	11,7		48,75	2,4
BEL	LIN/6X14	Ling	EU and international waters of VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XII and XIV	74	61,4		82,97	7,4
BEL	NEP/07.	Norway lobster	VII	72	6,4		8,89	7,2
BEL	NEP/2AC4-C	Norway lobster	EU waters	1 268	372,6		29,38	126,8

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			of IIa and IV					
BEL	NEP/8ABD.	Norway lobster	VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIId and VIIIe	6	1,4		23,33	0,6
BEL	PLE/07A.	Plaice	VIIa	433	235,6		54,41	43,3
BEL	PLE/7DE.	Plaice	VIId and VIIe	1 216	1 167,7		96,03	48,3
BEL	PLE/7HJK.	Plaice	VIIh, VIIj and VIIk	2	1,4		70	0,2
BEL	SOL/07A.	Common sole	VIIa	246	221,7		90,12	24,3
BEL	SOL/07D.	Common sole	VIId	1 689	939,2		55,61	168,9
BEL	SOL/07E.	Common sole	VIIe	40	37,4		93,5	2,6
BEL	SOL/24-C	Common sole	EU waters of II and IV	1 558	601,1		38,58	155,8
BEL	SOL/7FG.	Common sole	VIIf and VIIg	867,9	839,7		96,75	28,2
BEL	SOL/7HJK.	Common sole	VIIh, VIIj and VIIk	39	18,1		46,41	3,9
BEL	SOL/8AB.	Common sole	VIIIa and VIIIb	386	385,2		99,79	0,8
BEL	SRX/07D.	Skates and rays	EU waters of VIId	63	8,3	46,8	87,46	6,3
BEL	SRX/2AC4-C	Skates and rays	EU waters of IIa and IV	208	28	156,9	88,89	20,8
BEL	SRX/67AK.	Skates and rays	EU waters of VIa,	1 422	112	1 183,6	91,11	126,4

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