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FISHERIES

Restriction of Herring Fishing

REGULATIONS, DATED 10TH JULY 1974, MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 124 OF THE FISHERIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966.

The Department of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 124 of the Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(**a**) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Herring (Restriction of Fishing) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974 and shall come into operation on 2nd October 1974.

2. In these Regulations—

"specified waters" means so much of the exclusive fishery limits of the British Islands (as defined by section 1(1)(*a*) of the Fishery Limits Act 1964(**b**)) as is adjacent to Northern Ireland.

3. During the period 2nd October 1974 to 13th October 1974, both dates inclusive, fishing for herring (*Clupea harengus*) by means of any kind of fishing engine within such part of the specified waters as lies within an area bounded to the north by a line running due east from the Roaring Rock (approx 54° 10′N) and to the south by a line running in a south easterly direction from the Haulbowline Rocks (approx 54° 00′N) and to seaward by the seaward boundary of the specified waters shall be prohibited.

4. The Herring (Restriction of Fishing) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973(**c**) are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 10th day of July 1974.

A. J. Kissock,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1966. c. 17 (N.I.). (b) 1964. c. 72.
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973, No. 355.