COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 2000/2002

of 8 November 2002

adapting certain fish quotas for 2002 pursuant to Council Regulation (EC) No 847/96 introducing additional conditions for year-to-year management of TACs and quotas

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 of 12 October 1993 establishing a control system applicable to the common fisheries policy ([1]), as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2846/98 ([2]), and in particular Article 23(1) thereof,

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 ([3]) and in particular Article 4(2) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) Council Regulation (EC) No 2848/2000 of 15 December 2000 fixing for 2001 the fishing opportunities and associated conditions for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks, applicable in Community waters and, for Community vessels, in waters where limitations in catch are required ([4]), as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 2425/2001 ([5]), stipulate which stocks may be subject to the measures foreseen by Regulation (EC) No 847/96.

(2) Council Regulation (EC) No 2555/2001 ([6]), as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1811/2002 ([7]), fixes fish quotas for certain stocks in 2002.

(3) Within the terms of Article 4(2) of Council Regulation (EC) No 847/96, certain Member States have asked to withhold a fraction of their quotas to be transferred to the following year. Within the limits indicated in that Article, the quantities withheld shall be added to the quota for 2002.

(4) According to the information communicated to the Commission, certain Member States have fished in excess of permitted landings for some stocks in 2001. In accordance with Article 5(1) of Regulation (EC) No 847/96, deductions from national quotas for 2002 should be made at a level equivalent to the quantity fished in excess, without prejudice to the application of Article 5(2).

(5) In conformity with Article 5(2) of Regulation (EC) No 847/96, weighted deductions from national quotas for 2002 should be made in the case of overfishing of permitted landings in 2001 for those stocks identified as such in Article 5 of and Annex III to Regulation (EC) No 2848/2000.

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

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The quotas fixed in Regulation (EC) No 2555/2001 are increased or reduced as shown in the Annex.

Article 2

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

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

Done at Brussels, 8 November 2002.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

([1]) OJ L 261, 20.10.1993, p. 1.
([2]) OJ L 358, 31.12.1998, p. 5.
([3]) OJ L 115, 9.5.1996, p. 3.
([4]) OJ L 334, 30.12.2000, p. 1.
([5]) OJ L 328, 13.12.2001, p. 7.
([6]) OJ L 347, 31.12.2001, p. 1.
([7]) OJ L 276, 12.10.2002, p. 1.

ANNEX

Species	Zone	Member State	Withheld Quantities (1)	Catch in Excess of Permitted Landings in 2001	Deductions (2)	Weighted Deductions (3)	Additional Deductions (4)	2002 Quota	Revised Value of 2002 Quota
Anchovy	VIII	ES	0,00	785,00	785,00	0,00	n.a.	29 700,00	28 915,00
Anglerfish	VII	BE	201,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	1 719,00	1 920,00
Anglerfish	VII	NL	26,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	223,00	249,00
Anglerfish	VII	UK	390,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	3 345,00	3 735,00
Anglerfish	VII	FR	644,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	11 030,00	11 674,00
Anglerfish	VII	ES	80,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	683,00	763,00
Anglerfish	VIIIabde	ES	90,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	786,00	876,00
Anglerfish	VIIIabde	FR	500,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	4 374,00	4 874,00
Anglerfish	VIIIc, IX, X	ES	500,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	3 958,00	4 458,00
Atlantic cod	I, II (Norwegian waters)	DE	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	1 976,00	1 976,00
Atlantic cod	I, II	ES	0,00	11,00	11,00	0,00	n.a.	2 205,00	2 194,00
Atlantic cod	IIa (EC), North Sea	FR	0,00	37,00	0,00	37,00	n.a.	1 822,00	1 785,00
Atlantic cod	IIIa Skagerrak	DK	0,00	204,00	0,00	204,00	n.a.	5 680,00	5 476,00
Atlantic cod	VIIb to k, VIII, IX, X, CECAF 34.1.1 (EC waters)	IRL	0,00	4,00	0,00	4,00	n.a.	977,00	973,00
Blue Whiting	IIa (EC waters), North Sea (EC waters)	DK	4 855,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	26 846,00	31 701,00
Blue Whiting	IIa (EC waters), North Sea (EC waters)	NL	15,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	81,00	96,00
Blue Whiting	IIa (EC waters), North Sea (EC waters)	UK	107,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	592,00	699,00
Blue Whiting	Vb (EC waters), VI, VII, XII, XIV	DE	1 494,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	8 582,00	10 076,00

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Blue Whiting	Vb (EC waters), VI, VII, XII, XIV	ES	2 591,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	14 304,00	16 895,00
Blue Whiting	Vb (EC waters), VI, VII, XII, XIV	FR	2 164,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	11 944,00	14 108,00
Blue Whiting	Vb (EC waters), VI, VII, XII, XIV	NL	3 108,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	26 963,00	30 071,00
Blue Whiting	Vb (EC waters), VI, VII, XII, XIV	UK	2 976,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	25 032,00	28 008,00
Blue Whiting	VIIIabde	ES	1 000,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	5 530,00	6 530,00
Blue Whiting	VIIIabde	FR	776,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	4 291,00	5 067,00
Blue Whiting	VIIIc, IX, X	ES	4 400,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	24 332,00	28 732,00
Cod & haddock	Vb (Faroese waters)	DE	0,00	1,00	1,00	0,00	n.a.	10,00	9,00
Common sole	II, IV (North Sea)	NL	1 274,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	12 038,00	13 413,00
Common sole	II, IV (North Sea)	BE	159,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	1 333,00	1 492,00
Common sole	II, IV (North Sea)	GE	141,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	1 067,00	1 208,00
Common sole	II, IV (North Sea)	UK	82,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	686,00	768,00
Common Sole	Skagerrak and Kattegat, IIIbcd (EC waters)	DK	59,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	420,00	479,00
Common sole	VIIa	BE	55,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	543,00	598,00
Common sole	VIIa	UK	25,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	244,00	269,00
Common sole	VIId	BE	124,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	1 400,00	1 524,00
Common sole	VIId	UK	89,00	0,00	0,00	0,00	n.a.	1 000,00	1 089,00
Common sole	VIIe	UK	0,00	21,00	0,00	21,00	n.a.	309,00	288,00
Common sole	VIIfg	BE	0,00	30,00	0,00	30,00	n.a.	669,00	639,00