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COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2301/78

of 29 September 1978

establishing the number of licences that may be issued to vessels flying the flag of Norway for fishing within the 200 mile fishing zones of the Member States

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 1849/78 of 25 July 1978 laying down certain measures for the conservation and management of fishery resources applicable to vessels flying the flag of Norway [1], as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 2084/78 [2], and in particular Article 3 (2) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas under Regulation (EEC) No 1849/78 fishing by Norwegian vessels in the waters covered by division XIV as defined by the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (ICES) and zones 0 + 1 as defined in the Annex to the Convention establishing the International Commission for North-West Atlantic Fisheries (ICNAF) and falling within the jurisdiction of the Member States, was made subject with effect from 30 September 1978 to the issuing of licences whose number is to be established after consultations with the Norwegian authorities;

Whereas these consultations have now taken place, and it is therefore necessary for the Community to establish the appropriate number of licences,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In accordance with Article 3 (2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1849/78, the number of licences, valid for the period up to 31 December 1978, which may be issued by the Commission to vessels flying the flag of Norway, shall be established as follows:

(a) 13 for fishing halibut, Greenland halibut and redfish;

(b) 25 for fishing Northern deep-water prawn (Pandalus borealis).

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 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, 29 September 1978.

For the Council

The President

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(1) OJ No L 211, 1. 8. 1978, p. 13.
(2) OJ No L 240, 1. 9. 1978, p. 60.