# COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 2576/78

## of 30 October 1978

## allocating among the Member States certain catch quotas for vessels fishing in the Nowegian exclusive economic zone

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community and in particular Article 103 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas on 3 November 1976 the Council adopted a set of resolutions concerning certain external and internal aspects of the common fisheries policy;

Whereas the Community and the Kingdom of Norway have negotiated a framework agreement on fisheries;

Whereas the Commission has submitted the above-mentioned framework agreement to the Council for approval;

Whereas the Community and Norway have held consultations concerning their mutual fishing allocations for 1978;

Whereas during the consultations the delegations agreed to recommend to their authorities that they fix certain catch quotas for 1978 for vessels of the other party;

Whereas it is the responsibility of the Community to allocate the catch quotas in the Norwegian exclusive economic zone among the Community vessels concerned;

Whereas for this purpose it is necessary to allocate these quotas among the Member States of the Community;

Whereas the quotas agreed with Norway cover the whole of 1978, but the Council by Regulation (EEC) No 1847/78 [1] made an allocation only for the period 1 August to 31 October 1978;

Whereas the allocation must take into account catches already made by vessels of each of the Member States;

Whereas information about actual catches should be made available in order to ensure that the allocations are respected;

Whereas these measures must be taken without delay, and it is therefore necessary to adopt them as interim measures, on the basis of Article 103 of the Treaty, subject to their being included at a later date in the common agricultural policy,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

The only catches which vessels flying the flag of a Member State are authorized to make from 1 August to 31 December 1978 in waters north of 62°00' N and falling within the Norwegian exclusive economic zone are set out in the Annex hereto.

*Article 2*

Member States shall periodically transmit to the Commission information concerning the catches, broken down by species, made by vessels flying their flag fishing in the Norwegian exclusive economic zone.

*Article 3*

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

It shall apply until 31 December 1978.

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

Done at Luxembourg, 30 October 1978.

*For the Council*

*The President*

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[1] OJ No L 211, 1. 8. 1978, p. 4.

*ANNEX*

**Quantities referred to in Article 1 for the period 1 August to 31 December 1978**

(Norwegian waters north of 62°00′ N)

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| Species | ICES sub-area or division | Quotas | Allocations | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cod | I, IIa) and IIb) | 13 190 | Belgium : | token entry |
| | | | France : | 888 |
| | | | Germany : | 4 664 |
| | | | United Kingdom : | 7 638 |
| Haddock | I, IIa) and IIb) | 3 111 | Belgium : | token entry |
| | | | France : | 664 |
| | | | Germany : | 479 |
| | | | United Kingdom : | 1 968 |
| Saithe | I, IIa) and IIb) | 9 619 | Belgium : | token entry |
| | | | France : | token entry |
| | | | Germany : | 7 982 |
| | | | United Kingdom : | 1 637 |
| Redfish | I, IIa) and IIb) | 5 190 | Belgium : | token entry |
| | | | Germany : | 3 228 |
| | | | United Kingdom : | 1 962 |
| Greenland halibut | I, IIa) and IIb) | 1 303 | Germany : | 750 |
| | | | United Kingdom : | 553 |
| Other species (as by catches) | I, IIa) and IIb) | 5 000 | Belgium : | token entry |
| | | | France : | 690 (1) |
| | | | Germany : | 1 610 (1) |
| | | | United Kingdom : | 2 700 (1) |

(1) Quota valid for the whole of 1978.