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COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 653/80

of 17 March 1980

amending Regulation (EEC) No 3179/78 concerning the conclusion by the European Economic Community of the Convention on future multilateral cooperation in the North-West Atlantic Fisheries

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 7 June 1979 the General Council of the North-West Atlantic Fisheries Organization adopted with effect from 1 January 1980 amendments to Annex III to the Convention on future multilateral cooperation in the North-West Atlantic Fisheries, pursuant to Article XX, paragraph 2, of the same Convention, which concern the delimitation of the boundary between the statistical sub-areas covering the waters between the west coast of Greenland and the coast of Canada ;

Whereas by Council Regulation (EEC) No 3179/78 of 28 December 1978 concerning the conclusion by the European Economic Community of the Convention on future multilateral cooperation in the North-West Atlantic Fisheries (1), the Community approved the said Convention ;

Whereas it is appropriate that the Community amend the text of the Convention as it appears in Regulation (EEC) No 3179/78 ;

Whereas having regard to the abovementioned date it is necessary to adopt this Regulation as an interim measure on the basis of Article 103 of the Treaty, subject to it being included at a later date in the common agricultural policy,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION :

Article 1

Paragraphs 1 (a) and 2 (a) of Annex III to the Convention on future multilateral cooperation in the North-West Atlantic Fisheries, published in the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 3179/78, shall be amended in conformity with the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

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

It shall apply until it is replaced by a Regulation adopted under Article 43 of the Treaty, but in any case not beyond 31 December 1980.

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

Done at Brussels, 17 March 1980.

For the Council

The President

J. SANTER

(1) OJ No L 378, 30. 12. 1978, p. 1.

ANNEX

1. Paragraph 1 (a) of Annex III to the Convention shall be replaced by the following:

'1. (a) Sub-area 0 — that portion of the Convention Area bounded on the south by a line extending due east from a point at 61°00′ north latitude and 65°00′ west longitude to a point at 61°00′ north latitude and 59°00′ west longitude, thence in a south-easterly direction along a rhumb line to a point at 60°12′ north latitude and 57°13′ west longitude; thence bounded on the east by a series of geodesic lines joining the following points:

Point No	*Latitude*	*Longitude*
1	60°12′0	57°13′0
2	61°00′0	57°13′1
3	62°00′5	57°21′1
4	62°02′3	57°21′8
5	62°03′5	57°22′2
6	62°11′5	57°25′4
7	62°47′2	57°41′0
8	63°22′8	57°57′4
9	63°28′6	57°59′7
10	63°35′0	58°02′0
11	63°37′2	58°01′2
12	63°44′1	57°58′8
13	63°50′1	57°57′2
14	63°52′6	57°56′6
15	63°57′4	57°53′5
16	64°04′3	57°49′1
17	64°12′2	57°48′2
18	65°06′0	57°44′1
19	65°08′9	57°43′9
20	65°11′6	57°44′4
21	65°14′5	57°45′1
22	65°18′1	57°45′8
23	65°23′3	57°44′9
24	65°34′8	57°42′3
25	65°37′7	57°41′9
26	65°50′9	57°40′7
27	65°51′7	57°40′6
28	65°57′6	57°40′1
29	66°03′5	57°39′6
30	66°12′9	57°38′2
31	66°18′8	57°37′8
32	66°24′6	57°37′8
33	66°30′3	57°38′3
34	66°36′1	57°39′2
35	66°37′9	57°39′6
36	66°41′8	57°40′6
37	66°49′5	57°43′0
38	67°21′6	57°52′7
39	67°27′3	57°54′9
40	67°28′3	57°55′3
41	67°29′1	57°56′1
42	67°30′7	57°57′8
43	67°35′3	58°02′2
44	67°39′7	58°06′2
45	67°44′2	58°09′9
46	67°56′9	58°19′8
47	68°01′8	58°23′3
48	68°04′3	58°25′0
49	68°06′8	58°26′7
50	68°07′5	58°27′2
51	68°16′1	58°34′1
52	68°21′7	58°39′0
53	68°25′3	58°42′4
54	68°32′9	59°01′8

Point No	*Latitude*	*Longitude*
55	68° 34'0	59° 04'6
56	68° 37'9	59° 14'3
57	68° 38'0	59° 14'6
58	68° 56'8	60° 02'4
59	69° 00'8	60° 09'0
60	69° 06'8	60° 18'5
61	69° 10'3	60° 23'8
62	69° 12'8	60° 27'5
63	69° 29'4	60° 51'6
64	69° 49'8	60° 58'2
65	69° 55'3	60° 59'6
66	69° 55'8	61° 00'0
67	70° 01'6	61° 04'2
68	70° 07'5	61° 08'1
69	70° 08'8	61° 08'8
70	70° 13'4	61° 10'6
71	70° 33'1	61° 17'4
72	70° 35'6	61° 20'6
73	70° 48'2	61° 37'9
74	70° 51'8	61° 42'7
75	71° 12'1	62° 09'1
76	71° 18'9	62° 17'5
77	71° 25'9	62° 25'5
78	71° 29'4	62° 29'3
79	71° 31'8	62° 32'0
80	71° 32'9	62° 33'5
81	71° 44'7	62° 49'6
82	71° 47'3	62° 53'1
83	71° 52'9	63° 03'9
84	72° 01'7	63° 21'1
85	72° 06'4	63° 30'9
86	72° 11'0	63° 41'0
87	72° 24'8	64° 13'2
88	72° 30'5	64° 26'1
89	72° 36'3	64° 38'8
90	72° 43'7	64° 54'3
91	72° 45'7	64° 58'4
92	72° 47'7	65° 00'9
93	72° 50'8	65° 07'6
94	73° 18'5	66° 08'3
95	73° 25'9	66° 25'3
96	73° 31'1	67° 15'1
97	73° 36'5	68° 05'5
98	73° 37'9	68° 12'3
99	73° 41'7	68° 29'4
100	73° 46'1	68° 48'5
101	73° 46'7	68° 51'1
102	73° 52'3	69° 11'3
103	73° 57'6	69° 31'5
104	74° 02'2	69° 50'3
105	74° 02'6	69° 52'0
106	74° 06'1	70° 06'6
107	74° 07'5	70° 12'5
108	74° 10'0	70° 23'1
109	74° 12'5	70° 33'7
110	74° 24'0	71° 25'7
111	74° 28'6	71° 45'8
112	74° 44'2	72° 53'0
113	74° 50'6	73° 02'8
114	75° 00'0	73° 16'3
115	75° 05'	73° 30'

and thence due north to the parallel of 78° 10' north latitude ; and bounded on the west by a line beginning at 61° 00' north latitude and 65° 00' west longitude and extending in a north-westerly direction along a rhumb line to the coast of Baffin Island at East Bluff (61° 55' north latitude and 66° 20' west longitude), and thence in a northerly direction along the coast of Baffin Island, Bylot Island, Devon Island and Ellesmere Island and following the meridian of 80° west longitude in the waters between those islands to 78° 10'

north latitude ; and bounded on the north by the parallel of 78° 10' north latitude.'

2. Paragraph 2 (a) of Annex III to the Convention shall be replaced by the following :

'2. (a) Sub-area 1 — that portion of the Convention Area lying to the east of Sub-area 0 and to the north and east of a rhumb line joining a point at 60° 12' north latitude and 57° 13' west longitude with a point at 52° 15' north latitude and 42° 00' west longitude.'