COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 3884/91

of 18 December 1991

allocating, for 1992, certain catch quotas between Member States for vessels fishing in the Norwegian exclusive economic zone and the fishing zone around Jan Mayen

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 170/83 of 25 January 1983 establishing a Community system for the conservation and management of fishery resources [1], as amended by the Act of Accession of Spain and Portugal [2], and in particular Article 11 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Community and Norway have held consultations on their mutual fishing rights for 1992, and in particular the allocation of certain catch quotas to Community vessels in the Norwegian fishing zone;

Whereas it is for the Community, pursuant to Article 3 of Regulation (EEC) No 170/83, to determine the conditions subject to which these catch quotas may be used by Community fishermen;

Whereas, to ensure efficient management of the catch possibilities available, they should be allocated among the Member States as quotas in accordance with Article 4 of Regulation (EEC) No 170/83;

Whereas the fishing activities covered by this Regulation are subject to the pertinent control measures provided for by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2241/87 of 23 July 1987 establishing certain control measures for fishing activities [3], as amended by Regulation (EEC) No 3483/88 [4],

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. In accordance with the Agreement on mutual fishing rights in 1992 between the Community and Norway, catches by vessels flying the flag of a Member State in waters falling within the Norwegian exclusive economic zone north of 62°00'N or within the fishing zone around Jan Mayen, shall be limited for 1992 to the quotas set out in Annex I.

2. In accordance with the Agreement on mutual fishing rights in 1992 between the Community and Norway, catches of the species listed in Annex II by vessels flying the flag of a Member State in waters falling within the Norwegian exclusive economic zone south of 62°00'N shall be limited for 1992 to the quotas set out in that Annex.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1992.

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

Done at Brussels, 18 December 1991.

For the Council

The President

P. BUKMAN

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(1) OJ No L 24, 27. 1. 1983, p. 1.
(2) OJ No L 302, 15. 11. 1985, p. 1.
(3) OJ No L 207, 29. 7. 1987, p. 1.
(4) OJ No L 306, 11. 11. 1988, p. 2.

ANNEX I

Allocation for 1992 of Community catch quotas in Norwegian waters, as referred to in Article 1 (1)
(Norwegian waters north of 62°00′ N)

(tonnes — fresh round weight)

Species	ICES divisions	Community catch quotas	Quotas allocated to Member States	
Cod	I, II	7 500	France	1 190
			Germany	1 290
			United Kingdom	5 020
Haddock	I, II	750	France	100
			Germany	160
			United Kingdom	490
Saithe	I, II	3 500	France	450
			Germany	2 800
			United Kingdom	250
Redfish	I, II	3 000	Germany	1 380
			United Kingdom	400
			France	220
			Portugal	810 (3)
			Spain	190 (3)
Greenland halibut	I, II	100	Germany	50
			United Kingdom	50
Blue whiting	II	1 000	France	500
			Germany	500 (1)
Other species (as by-catches)	I, II	450	France	60
			Germany	150
			United Kingdom	240
Mackerel	II a	16 300 (2)	Denmark	16 300

(1) *Ad hoc* solution for 1992.
(2) Of which 16 300 tonnes may be fished in area ICES IV a, and Norway may fish up to 60 000 tonnes in the same area from the TAC fixed by Norway for the area north of 62° N.
(3) Special allocation for 1992.

ANNEX II

Allocation for 1992 of Community catch quotas in Norwegian waters, as referred to in Article 1 (2)

(tonnes — fresh round weight)

Species	ICES division	Community catch quotas	Quotas allocated to Member States	
Norway pout (1)	IV	50 000	Denmark	47 500 (2)
			United Kingdom	2 500 (3)
Sand-eel	IV	150 000	Denmark	142 500 (2)
			United Kingdom	7 500 (3)
Shrimps	IV	900	Denmark	900
Other species	IV	6 500	Denmark	3 250
			United Kingdom	2 435
			Germany, Belgium, France, Netherlands	815

(1) Including blue whiting.
(2) Within a total quota for Norway, pout and sand-eel up to 19 000 tonnes may be interchanged upon request.
(3) Within a total quota for Norway, pout and sand-eel up to 1 000 tonnes may be interchanged upon request.