SEA FISHERIES

BOATS AND METHODS OF FISHING

1960 No. 889 (S. 44.)

The Sea Fisheries (Scotland) Byelaw (No. 59), 1960

Made - - - -	1*st April*, 1960
Coming into Operation	18*th May*, 1960

The Secretary of State in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4 of the Sea Fisheries (Scotland) Amendment Act, 1885(**a**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Byelaw:—

1.—(1) This Byelaw may be cited as the Sea Fisheries (Scotland) Byelaw (No. 59), 1960.

(2) This Byelaw shall come into force on the date of its confirmation by the Secretary of State.

2. Notwithstanding Byelaw No. 17 made by the Fishery Board for Scotland on 21st October 1898, and confirmed by the Secretary for Scotland on 7th December 1898(**b**), it shall not be lawful, within the exclusive fishery limits of the east coast of Lewis between a line drawn due east (true) from the Butt of Lewis and a line drawn north-east (true) from Tiumpan Head for any person, unless on the service or possessing the written authority of the Secretary of State for Scotland, to use, by trailing or dragging along the bottom of the sea, any net (including a seine or circle net) or other instrument for the capture of Norway lobsters (nephrops norvegicus).

Made by the Secretary of State this First day of April, 1960.

A. J. Aglen,
Fisheries Secretary.

Confirmed by the Secretary of State this eighteenth day of May, 1960.

A. J. Aglen,
Fisheries Secretary.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Byelaw, but is intended to indicate its general purport.*)

This Byelaw makes it illegal to use a seine-net, or any other net which is trailed or dragged along the bottom of the sea, for the capture of Norway lobsters within exclusive fishery limits off part of the east coast of Lewis.

(**a**) 48 & 49 Vict. c. 70. (**b**) S.R. & O. 1898/1061 (Rev. VII, p. 1032: 1898, p. 371).