WITHIN THIS LICENCE ANY REFERENCE TO AN EU REGULATION IS A REFERENCE TO THAT REGULATION AS IT FORMS PART OF UNITED KINGDOM DOMESTIC LAW BY VIRTUE OF SECTION 3 OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (WITHDRAWAL) ACT 2018 IN ACCORDANCE WITH SCHEDULE 8 (1) OF THAT ACT.

## UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED REFERENCES TO ICES AREAS ARE REFERENCES TO THOSE PARTS OF THE AREA WHICH FALL WITHIN BRITISH FISHERY LIMITS.

#### PART 1: SPECIES FOR WHICH YOU MAY NOT FISH:

| Description of Sea Fish                         | Areas of Sea   |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| Angel sharks                                    | All waters   |  |  |
| Basking sharks                                  | All waters   |  |  |
| Bass<br>(Dicentrarchus labrax)                  | ICES divisions 7b, 7c, 7j and 7k, and the waters of ICES divisions 7a and 7g that are more than 12 nautical miles from the baseline under the sovereignty of the United Kingdom. |  |  |
| Bluefin Tuna <sup>1</sup>                       | All waters   |  |  |
| Common skate (Dipturus batis)                   | 2a   |  |  |
|   | 4, 5, 7, 8   |  |  |
| Deep sea sharks <sup>2</sup>                    | 5, 6, 7, 8   |  |  |
| Guitarfishes                                    | 5, 6, 7, 8   |  |  |
| Great Lanternshark (Etmopterus princeps)        | 1, 2a, 4, 14   |  |  |
| Herring   | $2a^3$   |  |  |
|   | 7g-k   |  |  |
|   | The Thames and Blackwater coastal area <sup>4</sup>  |  |  |
|   | 6 The Firth of Clyde <sup>5</sup>  |  |  |
| Migratory trout                                 | 2a, 5, 5b , 6, 7, 8  |  |  |
| Norway pout                                     | 2a, 3a, 4  |  |  |
| Norwegian skate (Raja {Dipturus} nidarosiensis) | 6, 7a-c,e-k  |  |  |
| Orange roughy                                   | All waters   |  |  |
| Porbeagle                                       | All waters   |  |  |
| Roundnose Grenadier                             | 3  |  |  |
| Salmon  | 2a, 4, 5b, 6, 7, 8   |  |  |
| Sandeels  | Scottish Inshore Waters <sup>6</sup>   |  |  |
| Shortfin mako (Isurus oxyrinchus)               | All waters   |  |  |
| Starry Ray (Amblyraja radiata)                  | 2a, 3a, 4, 7d  |  |  |
| Thornback ray (Raja clavata)                    | 3a   |  |  |
| Tope shark (Galeorhinus galeus)                 | When taken with longlines in 2a, 4; and in   |  |  |
|   | 1, 5, 6, 7, 8  |  |  |
| Undulate Ray (Raja undulata)                    | 6, 7a-c, 7f-k and 10   |  |  |
| Whale shark (Rhincodon typus)                   | All waters   |  |  |
| White sharks                                    | All waters   |  |  |
| White Skate (Rostroraja alba)                   | 6, 7, 8  |  |  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Subject to the bycatch provisions in condition 7 in the Schedule to this licence.

<sup>4</sup> The Thames and Blackwater coastal area means the area of sea within a zone delimited by a line running due south from Landguard Point in 51° 56' North and 1° 19' East to 51 33' North and thence due west to a point on the coast of England.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Deep sea sharks refers to sharks in the following list of species: gulper sharks, black dogfish, Portugese dogfish, longnose velvet dogfish, kitefin shark, greater lanternshark, frilled shark, birdbeak dogfish, mouse catshark, bluntnose six-gilled shark, velvet belly, sailfin roughshark (sharpback shark), knifetooth dogfish, Greenland shark and Deepwater catshark.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Atlanto-Scandian Herring –ICES 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Firth of Clyde means the area of sea which lies landward of a line drawn from a point on the mainland of Scotland at 55° 17.9' North and 5° 47.8' West (Mull of Kintyre) to a point on the mainland of Scotland at 55° 00.5' North and 5° 09.4' West (Corsewall Point).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> "Scottish inshore waters" means the sea adjacent to the coast of Scotland and to the landward of a limit of 6 nautical miles from the baseline from which the territorial sea is measured, up to the mean high water mark of ordinary spring tides.

#### SPECIES FOR WHICH YOU MAY NOT FISH CONTINUED

| SPECIES                                | SEA AREAS  |
|--|--|
| Black Scabbardfish                     | 8  |
| Blonde ray (Raja brachyura)            | 2a   |
| Herring                                | 5b, 6b and 6aN <sup>7</sup>  |
|  | 7g-k   |
| Mackerel                               | 4a Flexibility box <sup>8</sup> (Seasonal closure 15 February – 31 July) |
| Sandeels                               | 2a & 4 (including all management areas)                                  |
| Horse Mackerel                         | 1, 12, 14  |
| Pollock                                | 5b, 6, 12, 14  |
| Sandeels                               | 2a & 4 (including all management areas)                                  |
| Sole                                   | 5b, 6, 12, 14  |
| Small-eyed ray (Raja<br>microocellata) | 2a, 4, 6a, 6b, 7a-c, 7e and 7h-k   |

#### Part 2: QUOTA LIMITATIONS OF TAC STOCKS

#### LICENCE HOLDERS ARE REMINDED THAT QUOTA LIMITS ARE IN LIVE WEIGHT.

For the conversion factors that apply see the bottom of this Annexe.

| TAC SPECIES        | SEA AREA      | QUOTA LIMIT/MONTH ( UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED) |
|--------------------|---------------|--|
| Anglerfish         | 2a, 4         | 4 tonnes                                     |
|                    | 7             | 8 tonnes                                     |
| Brill              | 7d, e         | 2 tonnes                                     |
| Cod                | 2a, 4         | 4 tonnes                                     |
|                    | 7a            | 2 tonnes per quarter (Strictly bycatch only) |
|                    | 7b-c, 7e-k, 8 | 0.3 tonnes (Strictly bycatch only)           |
|                    | 7d            | 1 tonne (Strictly bycatch only)              |
|                    |               |  |
| Haddock            | 2a, 4         | 2.5 tonnes                                   |
|                    | 7a            | 0.5 tonnes                                   |
|                    | 7b-k, 8       | 3.5 tonnes                                   |
| Hake               | 2a and 4      | 2 tonnes                                     |
|                    | 5b, 6, 7      | 10 tonnes                                    |
| Lemon Sole/Witches | 2a, 4         | 1 tonne                                      |
| Lemon sole         | 7d            | 0.2 tonnes                                   |
|                    |               |  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Reference is to the herring stock in the part of ICES zone 6a which lies east of the meridian of longitude 7°W and north of the parallel of latitude 55°N, or west of the meridian of longitude 7°W and north of the parallel of latitude 56°N, excluding the Clyde. <sup>8</sup> Mackerel caught in ICES Division 4a in the periods between 1 August and 15 February shall be recorded against the Western mackerel quota. All other catches of mackerel in ICES Division 4a shall be recorded against the North Sea mackerel quota and shall be subject to any quota limitations set out at **Part 2** of this **Annex**.

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| Ling             | 6, 7, 8  | 2 tonnes  |
|                  | 4  | 0.2 tonnes  |
| Megrim           | 2a, 4  | 0.25 tonnes   |
|                  | 7  | 5 tonnes  |
| Nephrops         | 2a, 4  | 50 tonnes per quarter   |
|                  | 5b, 6  | 7 tonnes per quarter  |
|                  | 7  | 8 tonnes per quarter  |
| Plaice           | 2a, 4  | 8 tonnes  |
|                  | 7a   | 8 tonnes  |
|                  | 7d   | 3 tonnes  |
|                  | 7e   | 3 tonnes  |
|                  | 7f,g   | 0.5 tonnes  |
| Pollack          | 7  | 0.075 tonnes (Strictly by-catch only)   |
| Saithe           | 2a, 3a, 3b-d, 4                                      | 0.5 tonnes  |
| Same             | 7, 8   | 2 tonnes  |
|                  | 7, 0   | 2 tollies   |
| Skates & Rays    | 2a, 4  | 4 tonnes  |
|                  | 7d (excluding undulate ray)                          | 4 tonnes  |
|                  |  |   |
|                  | 6a-b & 7a-c, e-k (excluding undulate ray in area 7e) | 15 tonnes; of which no more than 0.5 tonnes Smalleyed ray ( <i>Raja microocellata</i> ) to be fished in 7f-g only                           |
| Undulate Ray     | 7de  | 2 tonnes  |
|                  |  |   |
| Sole             | 2, 4   | 5 tonnes  |
|                  | 7a   | 2 tonnes  |
|                  | 7d   | 2.5 tonnes  |
|                  | 7e   | 1.25 tonnes of which no more than 0.2 tonnes may be retained on board or landed when fishing using scallop dredges (strictly by-catch only) |
|                  | 7f-g   | 2 tonnes  |
| Turbot and Brill | 2a, 4  | 1 tonne   |
| Whiting          | 2a, 4  | 4 tonnes  |
|                  | 7a   | 0.1 tonnes (Strictly bycatch only)  |
|                  | 7bce, k  | 1.5 tonnes (Strictly bycatch only)  |
|                  | 7d   | 2 tonnes  |
| Herring          | 4ab  | 50 tonnes   |
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|                | 4c, 7d   | 200 tonnes   |  |  |
|                | 7a   | 0.5 tonnes   |  |  |
|                | 7e-f   | 5 tonnes   |  |  |
| Horse mackerel | 4b, 4c and 7d<br>2a, 4a, 5b, 6, 7a-c, 7e-k, 8a,b,d,e   | 1 tonne (Strictly bycatch only) 2 tonnes   |  |  |
| Mackerel       | 2a, 3a-d and 4   | 1.5 tonnes   |  |  |
|                | 5b, 6, 7, 8abde  | 10 tonnes. Please note that this quota limit excludes fish caught and landed by vessels using handline gear in sea areas <u>7e-h</u> only. |  |  |
|                | 7d handline (additional limit for vessels authorised in accordance with section 5.5 of the schedule to this licence) | 2 tonnes   |  |  |
| Sprats         | 2a, 4  | 200 tonnes per vessel per week   |  |  |
|                | 7d-e   | 1 tonne  |  |  |
| Picked Dogfish | 2a, 4  | 8 tonnes   |  |  |
| Witch          | 7d   | 0.05 tonnes  |  |  |

Fisheries Administrations are aware of the differing catch limits that exist between ICES areas and that this can on occasion lead to the misreporting of the catch area. To ensure that we do not overfish and ensure more accurate reporting we intend to closely monitor activity, with a view to allowing greater catch limit flexibility throughout the year.

### $\underline{\textbf{Live weight shall be calculated by multiplying landed weight by the conversion factors set out below.}\\$

| <u>Species</u>    | <u>Code</u> | <u>Gutted</u> | Gutted &<br>Headed | <u>Fillets</u> | <u>Parts</u> |
|-------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Anglerfish        | ANF         | 1.22          | 3.0                |                | $3.0^{9}$    |
| Bass              | BSE         | 1.125         |                    | 2.7            |              |
| Blue Whiting      | WHB         | 1.15          |                    |                |              |
| Brill             | BLL         | 1.09          | 2.7                |                |              |
| Cod               | COD         | 1.17          | 1.7                | 2.6            | $1.38^{10}$  |
| Conger Eel        | COE         | 1.125         |                    | 2.7            |              |
| Common Dab        | DAB         | 1.11          | 1.39               |                |              |
| Common Sole       | SOL         | 1.04          |                    | 2.5            |              |
| Flounder          | FLE         | 1.08          |                    | 2.7            | $1.39^{11}$  |
| Greenland Halibut | GHL         | 1.08          |                    |                |              |
| Halibut           | HAL         | 1.08          |                    | 2.7            |              |
| Haddock           | HAD         | 1.17          | 1.46               | 2.6            |              |
| Hake              | HKE         | 1.11          | 1.4                | 2.6            |              |
| Herring           | HER         | 1.12          | 1.19               |                |              |
| Horse Mackerel    | JAX         | 1.08          |                    |                |              |
| Lemon Sole        | LEM         | 1.05          |                    | 2.5            |              |
| Ling              | LIN         | 1.14          | 1.32               | 2.64           | $2.8^{12}$   |
| Mackerel          | MAC         | 1.09          |                    |                |              |
| Megrims           | LEZ         | 1.06          |                    | 2.5            |              |
| Mullet            | MUL         | 1.125         |                    | 2.7            |              |
| Nephrops          | NEP         |               |                    |                | $3.0^{8}$    |
| Plaice            | PLE         | 1.05          | 1.39               | 2.4            |              |
|                   |             |               |                    |                |              |

<sup>9</sup> Tails

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Headed

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Gutted, headed and skinned

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Gutted and salted

# Category A (10 metre and under) Licence: Annexe Vessel not in membership of a Producers' Organisation (9199)

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|-----------------------------|----------|--------|----------|---------------|---------------------|
| Pollack                     | POL      | 1.17   | 1.36     | 2.7           |                     |
| Redfish                     | RED      | 1.19   |          |               |                     |
| Red Mullet                  | MUR      | 1.125  |          | 2.7           |                     |
| Saithe                      | POK      | 1.19   | 1.44     | 2.9           |                     |
| Skates & Rays <sup>13</sup> |          | 1.13   |          |               | $2.09^{14}$         |
| Picked dogfish              | DGS      | 1.35   |          | 2.7           | $2.52^{10}$         |
| Tope                        | GAG      | 1.125  |          |               |                     |
| Turbot                      | TUR      | 1.09   |          | 2.7           |                     |
| Tusk                        | USK      | 1.14   |          |               |                     |
| Whiting                     | WHG      | 1.18   | 1.41     | 2.7           |                     |
| Witch                       | WIT      | 1.06   |          | 2.7           |                     |
| Deep Sea Species            | s Code   | Gutted | Gutted & | Fillets       | Parts               |
|                             | <u> </u> |        | Headed   |               |                     |
|                             |          |        |          |               |                     |
| Black Scabbardfi            | sh BSF   | 1.24   |          |               | $1.4^{9}$           |
| Blue Ling                   | BLE      | 1.17   | 1.32     | 2.8           |                     |
| Greater Forkbeard           | d GFB    | 1.11   | 1.4      |               |                     |
| Greenland Halibu            | t GHL    | 1.08   |          |               |                     |
| Roundnose Grena             | dier RNG | 1.11   | 1.92     |               | $3.2^{15}$          |
| Red Seabream                | SBR      | 1.11   |          | 2.7           |                     |
|                             |          |        |          |               |                     |
|                             |          |        |          |               |                     |

<sup>15</sup> Gutted, headed and tailed

 $<sup>^{13}</sup>$  Species specific codes and ID guides are available from your local fisheries office  $^{14}$  Wings