

Working Group 2 meeting

Review CFP



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- ◆ Key Issues PRAC
- ◆ Some Initial Views on Reforms

Green Paper Common Fisheries Policy

Commission Time Table

- ◆ Commissions Green Paper Published 22nd April 2009
- ◆ Council discussion May 2009
- ◆ Comments by 31st December 2009
- ◆ Summary comments 1st half 2010
- ◆ Impact assessment 2010
- ◆ Commission Proposal 2011
- ◆ Adoption 2012
- ◆ Date of Application 1st Jan 2013

Green Paper Common Fisheries Policy

PRAC Time Table

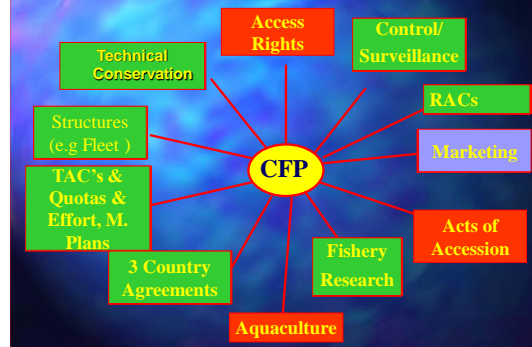
- ◆ 1st WG meeting 14th May
- ◆ Regionalisation paper Sept. '09
- ◆ 2nd WG meeting 16 Sept. '09
- ◆ 3rd WG meeting 14th Oct. '09
- ◆ Draft position paper end Oct.
- ◆ RACs Workshop Edinburgh 3rd & 4th Nov.
- ◆ Revised draft mid Nov.
- ◆ Executive Committee decision end Nov.
- ◆ PRAC submission Commission early Dec

KEY ISSUES IDENTIFIED

Questions for P RAC

- ◆ What changes do we want?
- ◆ What is the benefits of changes PRAC?
- ◆ How do we achieve these over next three years?

Main Elements of The CFP



Initial Views on Reforms

Specific Views

Objectives

- ◆ Setting clear objectives vital
- ◆ Rewrite existing objectives
- ◆ Ecological, Economic & Social

Initial Views on Reforms

Specific Views Contd.

Decentralisation/Regionalisation

- ◆ Scope, functions, powers & operating procedures
- ◆ Ideas discussion paper
- ◆ How to solve joint stock management issue PRAC?
- ◆ PRAC role & functions

Initial Views on Reforms

Specific Views Contd.

Marketing

- ◆ Role for PRAC?

Initial Views on Reforms

Specific Views Contd.

Scientific Research

- ◆ Scientific advice radical overall
 - ◆ ICES advice only biological
 - ◆ STECF not delivering
 - ◆ Socio economics not covered
 - ◆ New structure required
 - ◆ Decentralised approach required
 - ◆ Incorporation of fishermen's knowledge
 - ◆ New data collection methods
 - ◆ Reduce uncertainty in assessments
 - ◆ Industry actively involved

Initial Views on Reforms

Specific Views Contd.

Fleet Capacity

- ◆ Overcapacity must be properly defined
 - ◆ Economic overcapacity
 - ◆ Not a problem Pelagic Sector

Initial Views on Reforms

Specific Views Contd.

Industry Self Management & Control

- ◆ PRAC Support industry self management & control
- ◆ High level compliance
- ◆ Sustainable stocks
- ◆ Reversal burden of proof
- ◆ Incentives

Initial Views on Reforms
Specific Views Contd.

Technical Conservation Measures

- ◆ **Effective and simple**
- ◆ **Pelagic separate**
- ◆ **Part of industry self management**
- ◆ **Discards ban unrealistic**



Initial KFO Views on Reforms
Specific Views Contd.

Funding

- ◆ **Specific budgetary commitments all relevant areas reformed CFP**



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