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Maritime Policy and Blue Economy The Director-General

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Mr. Guus Pastoor, Chairman Market Advisory Council rue de la Science, 10 B-1000 Brussels

Subject: MAC Advice – Suggestion of case studies on price structure analyses by EUMOFA

Dear Mr Pastor,

I would like to thank the MAC for the detailed suggestions that were sent on 17 October 2022 on a study to be conducted by EUMOFA on the challenges of aquaculture products in food outlets.

DG MARE and the EUMOFA experts will carefully assess the proposal and its feasibility. Depending on the results of this assessment, we will explore the possibility to integrate this study in EUMOFA's 2023 work programme.

We would like also to inform you about latest studies published by EUMOFA on related topics:

- Oysters in the EU: Price structure in the supply chain (November 2022)
- Salmon and trout roe: Production, trade and consumption (October 2022)
- Organic Aquaculture in the EU (May 2022)
- Online sales of fishery and aquaculture products (February 2021)

Yours sincerely,

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