



WORKING GROUP 1 – EU PRODUCTION

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Chair

Copa Cogeca (Meeting Room A), Rue de Trèves 61, 1040 Brussels

Tuesday, 17 September 2024

AGENDA (CET TIME ZONE)

- 14:30 Welcome from the Chair, Julien Lamothe
 - 14:35 Adoption of the agenda and of the last meeting's minutes (04.06.24)
 - 14:40 Action points of the last meeting
 - 14:45 Fishers of the Future
 - 15:15 Landing Obligation
 - 16:00 **Break**
 - 16:15 Sustainability Criteria for Fishery and Aquaculture Products
 - 17:15 Producer Organisations
 - 17:50 AOB
 - 17:55 Summary of actions points
- 18:00 End of the meeting*

ACTION POINTS (4 JUNE 2024)

Landing Obligation:

- Secretariat to submit, in written format, the questions raised by the members on the study supporting the evaluation to the Commission services
- Secretariat to circulate a questionnaire to the members on the evaluation of the landing obligation, to serve as basis for a draft advice to be considered at the next meeting
 - Written questions submitted on 10 June 2024
 - Questionnaire circulated: 18 June – 2 July 2024
 - Draft advice circulated: 31 July 2024

Awareness and Role of Producer Organisations:

- EAPO to include aquaculture representatives in the development of the guide document listing all fisheries and aquaculture Producer Organisations and their work
 - Ongoing

ACTION POINTS (4 JUNE 2024)

Sustainability Criteria for Fishery and Aquaculture Products:

- Secretariat to review the draft advice on “Development of Fishery Sustainability Indicators by STECF” to reflect the exchanges held, which will be followed by recirculation
- Draft advice recirculated: 3 September 2024

European Market Observatory for Fisheries and Aquaculture (EUMOFA):

- Draft advice on “European Market Observatory for Fisheries and Aquaculture (EUMOFA): Suggestions of studies to be integrated in the Work Programme (2024)” to be put forward to the Executive Committee for consideration and potential adoption
- Advice adopted on 5 June 2024

FISHERS OF THE FUTURE

➤ Exchange of views on the consultant's draft profiles of fishers for 2050

- **Workshop on Profiles:** Friday, 20 September 2024 (09:00 – 12:00) – 5 representatives
 - Small-scale fisher + Large-scale fisher
- Scenario 1: “An industry in healthy balance”
 - Moderate planetary crisis + demand for EU-caught fish is higher than supply by the sector
- Scenario 2: “An industry under challenge”
 - Severe planetary crisis + demand for EU-caught fish is higher than supply by the sector
- Scenario 3: “An industry of niches”
 - Moderate planetary crisis + demand for EU-caught fish is lower than supply
- Scenario 4: “An industry in decline”
 - Severe planetary crisis + demand for EU-caught fish is lower than the supply from the sector

➤ Way forward

LANDING OBLIGATION

➤ Consideration of draft advice on the study supporting the evaluation of the Landing Obligation

- Questionnaire circulated: 18 June – 2 July 2024
 - Replies: EAPO, Ribarska zadruga friška riba, OPP Burela, FEDOPA
- Draft advice circulated: 31 July 2024

➤ Way forward

BREAK

➤ **BACK AT 16:15**

SUSTAINABILITY CRITERIA FOR FISHERY AND AQUACULTURE PRODUCTS

- **Continuation of consideration of draft advice on the development of fishery sustainability indicators by STECF**
 - Draft advice recirculated: 3 September 2024

- **Way forward**

PRODUCER ORGANISATIONS

- **Consideration of draft Terms of Reference for workshop on operational good practices, projects, and management measures**
 - Draft Terms of Reference circulated: X September 2024
- **Way forward**

AOB, ACTION POINTS, END OF MEETING

- **AOB**
- **Summary of action points**
- **End of meeting**