Recommendation 15:2016

Recommendation on the conservation and management of North-East Atlantic Mackerel in NEAFC Regulatory Area in 2016

The Commission hereby adopts the following Recommendation pursuant to Article 5 of the Convention:


2. Conservation and management measures shall include catch limits.

3. Only vessels entitled to fly the flag of a NEAFC Contracting Party, having been authorized by its flag State to fish for mackerel in the NEAFC Regulatory Area, may take part in the fishery.

4. Each Contracting Party shall notify the conservation and management measures it has taken to the Secretary by 1 May 2016. The Secretary shall without delay notify these measures to the other Contracting Parties.

5. These conservation and management measures shall be without prejudice to any future conservation and management measures to be taken for the mackerel in the North-East Atlantic.