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Subject: Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU) 2015/104 as regards certain fishing opportunities
- *Adoption*

1. On 20 May 2015 the Commission submitted to the Council its proposal for a Council Regulation as regards certain fishing opportunities for seabass¹. The proposal was subsequently updated with a number of technical elements including revised fishing opportunities for capelin, cod, haddock, ling, redfish and others².
2. The Working Party on Internal Fisheries Policy examined the proposal at its meetings on 28 May and 5 June 2015. DK, NL and FR introduced Parliamentary scrutiny reserves.
3. The Permanent Representatives Committee (COREPER) at its meeting on 10 June 2015, agreed on a Presidency compromise³. The FR delegation submitted a statement⁴.
4. With a view to cater for the specificities of the capelin fishing season, the Council is invited to adopt this proposal, as set out in document 9774/15 PECHE 209, following the legal linguistic revision.

¹ doc. 8845/15 PECHE 163

² docs. 9421/15 PECHE 188, 9493/15 PECHE 190 and 9537/15 PECHE 191.

³ cf. doc. 9662/15 PECHE 202

⁴ cf. doc. 9866/15 PECHE 216