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NOTICE OF MEETING AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Subject:	Working Party on Fisheries Policy
Date:	4 May 2023
Time:	10:00
Venue:	COUNCIL
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Working Party on Fisheries Policy

1. United Nations Fish Stock Agreement (UNFSA) resumed Review Conference (22-26 May 2023, New-York)
– *Preparation*
ST 8715/23
2. Proposal for a Council Decision on the signing, on behalf of the European Union, and provisional application of a Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Madagascar and the Implementing Protocol thereto (2023-2027)

Proposal for a Council Decision on the conclusion, on behalf of the European Union, and provisional application of a Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Madagascar and the Implementing Protocol thereto (2023-2027)

Proposal for a Council Regulation on the allocation of the fishing opportunities under the Protocol on the implementation of the Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Madagascar

- *Presentation and examination of the proposals*
ST 8800/23 + ADD1 (docs. to follow)
ST 8801/23 + ADD1 (docs. to follow)
ST 8803/23 (doc. to follow)

3. Preparation of the EU-UK Specialised Committee on Fisheries

- *Consideration of the Presidency compromises*
WK 4681/23
WK 4726/23
ST 8537/23 (doc. to follow)
ST 8538/23 (doc. to follow)

4. 12th session of the FAO COFI Sub-Committee on Aquaculture (16-19 May 2023, Mexico)

- *Preparation*
ST 8836/23 (doc. to follow)

5. Joint committee meeting EU-Gabon (15-17 May 2023) and information by the Commission on Economic Forum (11-13 May 2023)

- *Preparation*
WK 5589/23 (doc. to follow)

6. Trilateral EU-UK-Norway consultations on fishing opportunities for sprat in the North Sea, Skagerrak and Kattegat from 1 July 2023 to 30 June 2024

- *Preparation*
ST 8837/23 (doc. to follow)

7. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down management, conservation and control measures applicable in the Area covered under the Southern Indian Ocean Fisheries Agreement (SIOFA)

- *Examination of Presidency compromise*
ST 8709/23

8. Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009, and amending Council Regulations (EC) No 768/2005, (EC) No 1967/2006, (EC) No 1005/2008, and Regulation (EU) No 2016/1139 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards fisheries control

- *Examination of Presidency proposals*
WK 5624/23 + ADD1 (docs. to follow)

9. Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EU) 2023/194 of 30 January 2023 fixing for 2023 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks, applicable in Union waters, for Union fishing vessels, in certain non-Union waters, as well as fixing for 2023 and 2024 such fishing opportunities for certain deep-sea fish stocks (2nd amendment)
 - *Exchange of views on the implementation of the EU-Norway political understanding*
WK 5704/23
WK 5705/23
10. Any other business

NB: Council documents are available on Delegates Portal. Room attendants will provide copies on request at the earliest opportunity.