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### **COMMUNICATION**

#### **WRITTEN PROCEDURE**

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| Contact:  | LIFE.Fisheries@consilium.europa.eu                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Tel./Fax: | +32 2 281 5453                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Subject:  | Bilateral EU-UK consultations on fishing opportunities for 2024 and, for certain deep-sea stocks, for 2024 and 2025<br>- Authorisation to use the written procedure<br>- Authorisation of the approval of the specification of the Union position only in English<br>- Approval of the specification of the Union position<br>= START OF THE WRITTEN PROCEDURE |

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In accordance with Article 12(1) of the Rules of Procedure of the Council, the Presidency has decided to launch a written procedure for the approval of the specification of the Union position in the bilateral EU-UK consultations on fishing opportunities for 2024 and, for certain deep-sea stocks, for 2024 and 2025, as set out in documents ST 16114/23 and ST 16114/23 ADD1.

#### **Please state:**

- 1) Whether you agree to use the written procedure for the approval of the Union position as set out in documents ST 16114/23 and ST 16114/23 ADD1.

**Please answer YES or NO.**

- 2) Whether you agree that the approval of the Union position as set out in documents ST 16114/23 and ST 16114/23 ADD1 is done in English only.

**Please answer YES, NO or ABSTENTION.**

- 3) Whether you agree to the approval of the Union position as set out in documents ST 16114/23 and ST 16114/23 ADD1.

**Please answer YES, NO or ABSTENTION.**

Any unilateral statements should be made at the same time as answering the questions above.

Replies must reach the General Secretariat of the Council **by 14:30 on Tuesday, 5 December 2023.**

Replies should be e-mailed to [LIFE.fisheries@consilium.europa.eu](mailto:LIFE.fisheries@consilium.europa.eu).

Thank you for your cooperation.

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