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and Resolutions of NAFO – 2000-2003 (to July)

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The summary of proposals in Part I provide information on the current status of amendments to the Convention and for international regulation of the fisheries in the Regulatory Area for the period of 2000-2003 (to July). There have been no new Resolutions passed during this period.

The Quota Tables in Part II provide information on the international quota regulation of the fisheries in Subarea 3 of the Convention Area (2000-2003).

PART I

Proposals and resolutions for amendments
to the Convention and the Conservation and Enforcement Measures

<p>Proposal (1/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/8</p>	<p>Impartiality of Observers</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 27 November 2000</p>
<p>Proposal (2/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/9</p>	<p>No directed fishery for Witch flounder in Div. 3L in the Regulatory Area</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 27 November 2000</p>
<p>Proposal (3/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/10</p>	<p>No directed fishery for Cod in Div. 3L in the Regulatory Area</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 27 November 2000</p>
<p>Proposal (4/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/12</p>	<p>Chartering Arrangements</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 1999 In force: 27 November 2000</p>
<p>Proposal (5/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/14</p>	<p>Formats for the electronic transmission of NAFO hails from Contracting Parties to the NAFO Secretariat</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 27 November 2000</p>
<p>Proposal (6/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/15</p>	<p>Incidental Catch Limits</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 27 November 2000</p>
<p>Proposal (7/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/16</p>	<p>Port Inspections</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 27 November 2000</p>
<p>Proposal (8/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/17</p>	<p>Amend the title of Part I.H. of Conservation and Enforcement Measures</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 27 November 2000</p>
<p>Proposal (9/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/11</p>	<p>Management Measures for Shrimp in Div. 3M</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 04 December 2000 (on all Contracting Parties except Iceland, which objected to Part I.F.4.a-d, f and h-i of this proposal)</p>
<p>Proposal (10/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/13</p>	<p>Program for Observers and Satellite Tracking</p> <p>Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 07 January 2001 (on all Contracting Parties except Iceland, which objected to this proposal)</p>

Proposal (11/00) NAFO/FC Doc. 00/21	Schedule I - Quota Table for 2001 Adopted: 22 September 2000 In force: 07 January 2001 (on all Contracting Parties except Latvia which objected to the part of the proposal relative to the allocation of the "block" quota of Redfish 3M and Squid 3+4 to Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Russian Federation and "Others" re fishing for Greenland halibut; and Russian Federation which objected to the part of the proposal relative to the allocation of "block" quota of Redfish 3M and Squid 3+4 to Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Russian Federation).
Proposal (1/01) NAFO/FC Doc. 01/4	Schedule – Quota Table for 2001 (Revised) – Oceanic Redfish Div. 1F Adopted: 30 March 2001 In force: 24 June 2001 (on all Contracting Parties except Latvia, Lithuania and Ukraine, which presented their objections to this proposal)
Proposal (2/01) NAFO/FC Doc. 01/5	Management Measures for Shrimp in Div. 3M (amend Part I.G.4.b) Adopted: 30 March 2001 In force: 24 June 2001 (on all Contracting Parties except Denmark in respect of Faroe Islands and Greenland, Iceland, Latvia and Lithuania, which presented their objections to this proposal).
Proposal (3/01) (GF/01-736, Oct 19/01)	To "roll-over" all current NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures, Re. FC Doc. 00/1, FC Doc. 01/1, FC Doc. 01/4 and FC Doc. 01/5 (including all attachments and schedules). These measures shall apply for 2002 unless amended by the Fisheries Commission. Objections lodged in respect of these measures shall continue to be valid in 2002 unless the objection is withdrawn, or until possible new measures have been adopted by the Fisheries Commission. Adopted: 19 November 2001 In force: 19 November 2001
Proposal (1/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/1	New measures for 3L shrimp Adopted: 01 February 2002 In force: 08 April 2002
Proposal (2/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/2	Closing Area for Shrimp 3M Adopted: 01 February 2002 In force: 08 April 2002
Proposal (3/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/3	Increase mesh size (skates) Adopted: 01 February 2002 In force: 08 April 2002
Proposal (4/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/6	Data elements re format for electronic transmission of hails Adopted: 01 February 2002 In force: 08 April 2002
Proposal (5/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/4	90% of fishing days, 3M shrimp Adopted: 01 February 2002 In force: 29 April 2002 (on all Contracting Parties except Iceland, which presented an objections to this proposal).

Proposal (6/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/5	"Others" quota for Greenland halibut (2002) Adopted: 01 February 2002 In force: 29 April 2002 (on all Contracting Parties except Latvia, which presented an objections to this proposal).
Proposal (7/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/24	Schedule I - Quota Table for 2003 Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 17 December 2002 (on all Contracting Parties except Latvia which objected to the part of the proposal relative to the allocation of the "block" quota of Redfish 3M and "Others" fishing for Greenland halibut; and Denmark (in respect of Faroe Islands and Greenland) which objected to the quota of 3L shrimp allocated to it.
Proposal (8/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/24	Management Measures for Shrimp in Div. 3M (Part I.G) Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 18 December 2002 (on all Contracting Parties except Iceland which presented its objection to this proposal).
Proposal (9/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/24	Chartering Operations (Part I.B.) Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 01 December 2002
Proposal (10/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/24	No directed fishing of Cod in Div. 3L in the Regulatory Area (Part I.F.) Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 01 December 2002
Proposal (11/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/24	Management Measures for Shrimp in Div. 3NO (Part I.H.) Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 01 December 2002
Proposal (12/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/24	No directed fishing for Witch in Div. 3L in the Regulatory Area (Part I.I.) Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 01 December 2002
Proposal (13/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/24	Management Measures for Shrimp in Div. 3L (Part I.K.) Adopted: 20 September 2003 In force: 08 January 2003 (on all Contracting Parties except Denmark (in respect of the Faroe Islands and Greenland) which presented its objection
Proposal (13/02) NAFO/FC Doc. 02/17	New measures for 3L shrimp (re number of vessels) Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 01 December 2002
Proposal (14/02) (NAFO/FC Doc. 02/18)	Amend Part I.A.5(a) to include the definition of a directed fishery; Amend Part I.A.5(d) to calculate by-catch Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 01 December 2002
Proposal (15/02) (NAFO/FC Doc. 02/19)	Amendments to Part III.D, Part III. Annexes 1, 1.1 and 1.4, Part III.E. para 1, para 4 and Part VI.B para 5 – Hail and VMS Systems Adopted: 20 September 2002 In force: 01 December 2002

Proposal (16/02)
(NAFO/FC Doc. 02/20)

New Part VIII – Secure and Confidential treatment of electronic reports and messages transmitted pursuant to Part III.E, VI and VII of the Conservation and Enforcement Measures

Adopted: 20 September 2002
In force: 01 December 2002

Proposal (1/03)
(GF/03-046, 24 Jan 03)

Revised Quota Table for 2003 (re 3L shrimp allocation)

Adopted: 24 January 2003 (mail vote)
In force: 30 April 2003 (on all Contracting Parties except Denmark (in respect of Faroe Islands and Greenland) which objected to the distribution of the TAC allocated for the NAFO Regulatory Area

PART II

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Quota Table for 2000
(NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures, Part V, Schedule I)

Contracting Party	Cod		Redfish		American Plaice		Yellowtail	Witch	Capelin	G. halibut	Squid (<i>illex</i>) ^{2,3}	Shrimp
	Div. 3M	Div. 3NO*	Div. 3M	Div. 3LN	Div. 3M*	Div. 3LNO*	Div. 3NLO*	Div. 3NO*	Div. 3LNO*	Div. 3LMNO	Subareas 3+4	Div. 3L
1. Canada	0	0	500	0	0	0	9 750 ⁷	0	0	3 890	N.S. ⁴	5 000
2. Cuba	0	-	1 750	0	-	-	-	-	0	-	510	67
3. Denmark (Faroe Islands and Greenland)	0	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67
4. European Union	0	0	3 100	0	0	0	200 ⁷	-	0	14 355	N.S. ⁴	67
5. France (St. Pierre et Miquelon)	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
6. Iceland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67
7. Japan	-	-	400	-	-	-	-	-	0	2 658	510	67
8. Korea	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
9. Norway	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	67
10. Poland	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	227	67
11. Estonia	} ¹	0	13 850 ¹	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	1 133 ¹	67
12. Latvia												67
13. Lithuania												67
14. Russia												67
15. Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67
15. United States of America	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
16. Others	0	0	124	0	0	0	50 ⁷	0	-	1 725 ⁵	794	0
Total Allowable Catch	*	*	5 000 ⁶	*	*	*	10 000 ⁸	*	*	25 935	34 000	6 000

¹ Quotas to be fished by vessels from Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and the Russian Federation. The provisions of Part I, Section A.3 of the NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

² The opening date for the squid (*illex*) fishery is 1 July.

³ Any quota listed for squid may be increased by a transfer from any "coastal state" as defined in Article 1, paragraph 3 of the NAFO Convention, provided that the TAC for squid is not exceeded. Transfers made to Contracting Parties conducting fisheries for squid in the Regulatory Area shall be reported to the Executive Secretary, and the report shall be made as promptly as possible.

⁴ Not Specified because the allocations to these Contracting Parties are as yet undetermined, although their sum shall not exceed the difference between the total of allocations to other Contracting Parties and the TAC.

⁵ Of which no more than 40% (690t) may be fished before 1 May 2000 and no more than 80% (1380t) may be fished before 1 October 2000.

⁶ Each Contracting Party shall notify the Executive Secretary bi-weekly of catches taken by its vessels from this stock. Not more than 2500 tons may be fished before July 1, 2000. The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties of the date on which, for this stock, accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of the Contracting Parties is estimated to equal 50 and then 100 percent of the TAC for that stock.

⁷ Contracting Parties shall inform the NAFO Executive Secretary before 1 December 1999 of the measures to be taken to meet the advice of the NAFO Scientific Council.

⁸ The provisions of Part I, Section A.5c) of NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

* No directed fishing - The provisions of Part I, Section A.5a and c of NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

QUOTA TABLE. Total allowable catches (TACs) and quotas (metric tons) for 2001 of particular stocks in Subareas 3 and 4 of the NAFO Convention Area. The values listed include quantities to be taken both inside (REVISED) and outside the 200-mile fishing zone, where applicable.

Contracting Party	Cod		Redfish			American plaice		Yellowtail	Witch	Capelin	G. halibut	Squid (<i>Illex</i>) ^{2,3}	Shrimp
	Div. 3M	Div. 3NO*	Div. 3M	Div. 3LN*	Div. 1F ⁹	Div. 3M*	Div. 3LNO*	Div. 3LNO	Div. 3NO*	Div. 3NO*	Div. 3LMNO	SA 3+4	Div. 3L
1. Canada	0	0	500	0	1 175**	0	0	12675 ⁷	0	0	4 446	N.S. ⁴	5 000
2. Cuba	0	-	1750	0	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	510	67
3. Denmark (Faroe Islands and Greenland)	0	-	69	-	24 169	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67
4. European Union	0	0	3100	0	13 883	0	0	260 ⁷	-	0	16 406	N.S. ⁴	67
5. France (St. Pierre et Miquelon)	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
6. Iceland	-	-	-	-	27 008 ¹⁰	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67
7. Japan	-	-	400	-	1 175**	-	-	-	-	0	3 038	510	67
8. Korea	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
9. Norway	0	-	-	-	3 596	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	67
10. Poland	0	-	-	-	1 000	-	-	-	-	0	-	227	67
11. Estonia					1 175**								67
12. Latvia					1 175**								67
13. Lithuania	0	0	13 850 ¹	0	1 175**	0	-	-	0	0	-	1 133 ¹	67
14. Russia					1 175**								67
15. Ukraine					24 169						3 779		67
16. United States of America	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
17. Others	0	0	124	0	-	0	0	65 ⁷	0	-	1 971 ⁵	794	0
Total Allowable Catch	*	*	5 000 ⁶	*	95 000 ¹¹	*	*	13 000 ⁸	*	*	29 640	34 000	6 000

¹ Quotas to be fished by vessels from Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and the Russian Federation. The provisions of Part I, Section A.3 of the NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

² The opening date for the Squid (*Illex*) fishery is 1 July.

³ Any quota listed for squid may be increased by a transfer from any "coastal state" as defined in Article 1, paragraph 3 of the NAFO Convention, provided that the TAC for squid is not exceeded. Transfers made to Contracting Parties conducting fisheries for squid in the Regulatory Area shall be reported to the Executive Secretary, and the report shall be made as promptly as possible.

⁴ Not specified because the allocation to these Contracting Parties are as yet undetermined, although their sum shall not exceed the difference between the total of allocations to other Contracting Parties and the TAC.

⁵ Of which no more than 40% (788 t) may be fished before 1 May 2001 and no more than 80% (1577 t) may be fished before 1 October 2001.

⁶ Each Contracting Party shall notify the Executive Secretary bi-weekly of catches taken by its vessels from this stock. Not more than 2500 tons may be fished before July 1, 2001. The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties of the date on which, for this stock, accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of the Contracting Parties is estimated to equal 50 and then 100 percent of the TAC for that stock.

⁷ Contracting Parties shall inform the NAFO Executive Secretary before 1 December 2000 of the measures to be taken to meet the advice of the NAFO Scientific Council.

⁸ The provisions of Part I, Section A.5c) of NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

⁹ These quotas are set on the basis of the TAC of 95,000 tons established by NEAFC for 2001. Quantities taken in the NEAFC Convention Area shall be deducted from the quotas mentioned.

¹⁰ Iceland has objected to the NEAFC management measures for oceanic redfish for 2001. Iceland will however limit its fisheries in the NAFO Regulatory Area to 27,008 tons in 2001.

¹¹ Each Contracting Party shall notify the Executive Secretary bi-weekly of catches taken by its vessels from this stock in Div. 1F. The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties of the date on which, for this stock, accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of the Contracting Parties is estimated to equal 15,000 tons and then 30,000 tons.

*No directed fishing —The provisions of Part I, Section A.5a and c of NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

**Quota (1175) to be fished by vessels from Canada, Estonia, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania.

QUOTA TABLE. Total allowable catches (TACs) and quotas (metric tons) for 2002 of particular stocks in Subareas 3 and 4 of the NAFO Convention Area. The values listed include quantities to be taken both inside and outside the 200-mile fishing zone, where applicable.

("roll-over" of all allocations and conditions from 2001, except G. halibut)

Contracting Party	Cod		Redfish			American plaice		Yellowtail	Witch	Capelin	G. halibut	Squid (<i>Illex</i>) ^{2,3}	Shrimp
	Div. 3M	Div. 3NO*	Div. 3M	Div. 3LN*	Div. 1F ⁹	Div. 3M*	Div. 3LNO*	Div. 3LNO	Div. 3NO*	Div. 3NO*	Div. 3LMNO	Subareas 3+4	Div. 3L
1. Canada	0	0	500	0	1 175**	0	0	12 675 ⁷	0	0	4 890	N.S. ⁴	5 000
2. Cuba	0	-	1750	0	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	510	67
3. Denmark (Faroe Islands and Greenland)	0	-	69	-	24 169	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67
4. European Union	0	0	3100	0	13 883	0	0	260 ⁷	-	0	18 046	N.S. ⁴	67
5. France (St. Pierre et Miquelon)	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
6. Iceland	-	-	-	-	27 008 ¹⁰	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67
7. Japan	-	-	400	-	1 175**	-	-	-	-	0	3 341	510	67
8. Korea	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
9. Norway	0	-	-	-	3 596	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	67
10. Poland	0	-	-	-	1 000	-	-	-	-	0	-	227	67
11. Estonia					1 175**								67
12. Latvia					1 175**								67
13. Lithuania	0	0	13 850 ¹	0	1 175**	0	-	-	0	0	-	1 133 ¹	67
14. Russia					1 175**								67
15. Ukraine					24 169						4 157		67
16. United States of America	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	67
17. Others	0	0	124	0	-	0	0	65 ⁷	0	-	2 169 ⁵	794	0
Total Allowable Catch	*	*	5 000 ⁶	*	95 000 ¹¹	*	*	13 000 ⁸	*	*	32 604	34 000	6 000

¹ Quotas to be fished by vessels from Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and the Russian Federation. The provisions of Part I, Section A.3 of the NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

² The opening date for the Squid (*Illex*) fishery is 1 July.

³ Any quota listed for squid may be increased by a transfer from any "coastal state" as defined in Article 1, paragraph 3 of the NAFO Convention, provided that the TAC for squid is not exceeded. Transfers made to Contracting Parties conducting fisheries for squid in the Regulatory Area shall be reported to the Executive Secretary, and the report shall be made as promptly as possible.

⁴ Not specified because the allocation to these Contracting Parties are as yet undetermined, although their sum shall not exceed the difference between the total of allocations to other Contracting Parties and the TAC.

⁵ Of which no more than 40% (868 t) may be fished before 1 May 2002 and no more than 80% (1,735 t) may be fished before 1 October 2002.

⁶ Each Contracting Party shall notify the Executive Secretary bi-weekly of catches taken by its vessels from this stock. Not more than 2500 tons may be fished before July 1, 2002. The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties of the date on which, for this stock, accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of the Contracting Parties is estimated to equal 50 and then 100 percent of the TAC for that stock.

⁷ Contracting Parties shall inform the NAFO Executive Secretary before (1 December 2000) of the measures to be taken to meet the advice of the NAFO Scientific Council. —has not been reviewed

⁸ The provisions of Part I, Section A.5c) of NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

⁹ These quotas are set on the basis of the TAC of 95,000 tons established by NEAFC for 2001. Quantities taken in the NEAFC Convention Area shall be deducted from the quotas mentioned. — has not been reviewed

¹⁰ Iceland has objected to the NEAFC management measures for oceanic redfish for 2001. Iceland will however limit its fisheries in the NAFO Regulatory Area to 27,008 tons in 2001. —has not been reviewed

¹¹ Each Contracting Party shall notify the Executive Secretary bi-weekly of catches taken by its vessels from this stock in Div. 1F. The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties of the date on which, for this stock, accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of the Contracting Parties is estimated to equal 15,000 tons and then 30,000 tons.

*No directed fishing —The provisions of Part I, Section A.5a and c of NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

**Quota (1175) to be fished by vessels from Canada, Estonia, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania.

(REVISED-January 24, 2003)

QUOTA TABLE. Total allowable catches (TACs) and quotas (metric tons) for 2003 of particular stocks in Subareas 1-4 of the NAFO Convention Area. The values listed include quantities to be taken both inside and outside the 200-mile fishing zone, where applicable.

Contracting Party	Cod		Redfish		American plaice		Yellowtail	Witch	Capelin	G. halibut	Squid (Illex) ^{2,3}	Shrimp
	Div. 3M	Div. 3NO	Div. 3M	Div. 3LN	Div. 3M	Div. 3LNO	Div. 3LNO	Div. 3NO	Div. 3NO	Div. 3LMNO	Subareas 3+4	Div. 3L
1. Canada	0	0	500	0	0	0	14137 ⁷	0	0	4 668	N.S. ⁴	10 833
2. Cuba	0	-	1750	0	-	-	-	-	0	-	510	144
3. Denmark (Faroe Islands and Greenland)	0	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	144
4. European Union	0	0	3100	0	0	0	290 ⁷	-	0	17 226	N.S. ⁴	144
5. France (St. Pierre et Miquelon)	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	144
6. Iceland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	144
7. Japan	-	-	400	-	-	-	-	-	0	3 189	510	144
8. Korea	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	144
9. Norway	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	144
10. Poland	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	227	144
11. Estonia												144
12. Latvia	0	0	13 850 ¹	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	1 133 ¹	144
13. Lithuania												144
14. Russia												144
15. Ukraine												144
16. United States of America	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453	144
17. Others	0	0	124	0	0	0	73 ⁷	0	-	2 070 ⁵	794	0
Total Allowable Catch	* ⁹	*	5 000 ⁶	*	* ⁹	*	14 500 ⁸	*	*	31 122	34 000	13 000

¹ Quotas to be fished by vessels from Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and the Russian Federation. The provisions of Part I, Section A.3 of the NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

² The opening date for the Squid (Illex) fishery is 1 July.

³ Any quota listed for squid may be increased by a transfer from any "coastal state" as defined in Article 1, paragraph 3 of the NAFO Convention, provided that the TAC for squid is not exceeded. Transfers made to Contracting Parties conducting fisheries for squid in the Regulatory Area shall be reported to the Executive Secretary, and the report shall be made as promptly as possible.

⁴ Not specified because the allocation to these Contracting Parties are as yet undetermined, although their sum shall not exceed the difference between the total of allocations to other Contracting Parties and the TAC.

⁵ Of which no more than 60% (1242 t) may be fished before 1 May 2003.

⁶ Each Contracting Party shall notify the Executive Secretary bi-weekly of catches taken by its vessels from this stock. Not more than 2500 tons may be fished before July 1, 2003. The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties of the date on which, for this stock, accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of the Contracting Parties is estimated to equal 50 and then 100 percent of the TAC for that stock.

⁷ Contracting Parties shall inform the NAFO Executive Secretary before (1 December 2002) of the measures to be taken to meet the advice of the NAFO Scientific Council, i.e. to ensure that total catches do not exceed the levels indicated.

⁸ The provisions of Part I, Section A.5c) of NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

⁹ Applicable to 2003 and 2004.

*No directed fishing —The provisions of Part I, Section A.5a and c of NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.

Oceanic Redfish
(pelagic *Sebastes mentella*)

NAFO SA 2 and
Divisions 1F and 3K

Denmark (in respect of Faroe Islands and Greenland)
European Union
Iceland
Norway
Poland
Russia

25,000^{1);2);3)}

Canada
Cuba
Estonia
France (St. Pierre et Miquelon)
Japan
Korea
Latvia
Lithuania
Ukraine
USA

7,500^{1);3)}

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- 1) The Contracting Parties shall notify the Executive Secretary bi-weekly of catches taken by its vessels from this allocation. The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties the dates on which accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of Contracting Parties estimated equal to 50% and then 100% of that allocation.
- 2) As acceptance of this decision the quantities taken from that allocation in the NAFO Convention Area by respective Contracting Parties shall be deducted from the quotas allocated to these Contracting Parties in the NEAFC Convention Area.
- 3) This arrangement applies to 2003 and is without prejudice to sharing arrangements for this stock in future years.