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(Proposal by Denmark (in respect of Faeroe Islands and Greenland))

Definition of Transhipment(ADOPTED)

Background:

In 2006 the working group on the Reform of NAFO expressed a wish to define the concept of transhipment, but considered that this definition should appear in the NCEM and not in the Convention (Reform WG WP 06/16). STACTIC then determined that the definition should be incorporated into the NCEM. It was decided that, in the interest of harmonization, the NEAFC definition should be considered.

Proposal:

Denmark (in respect of Greenland and the Faeroe Islands) proposes an addition to the NAFO CEM Article 2 – Definitions regarding transhipment.

"Transhipment" means the transfer, over the side, of any quantity of fisheries resources or products thereof retained on board, from one fishing vessel to another.