



### **38<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MEETING – SEPTEMBER 2016**

#### **New text for EU footnotes associated to CEM Annex I.A**

#### **Background information**

NAFO has simplified in 2015 the footnotes associated to the CEM Annex I.A. It was however agreed, on request of the EU, to defer to 2016 the revision of the footnotes pertaining to the EU, to ensure that the new edit would preserve the individual allocation rights of the EU Baltic States (Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland) within the EU global allocation of TACs.

Thanks to the collaboration of the NAFO Secretariat, the legal basis and calculation procedures endorsed by the Fisheries Commission and used by the NAFO Secretariat since 2005 to establish the individual allocations rights for each of the EU Baltic Member States, in relation to the global EU allocation, have been clarified.

The new harmonized edit of the EU related footnotes to CEM Annex I.A proposed for adoption refers to these procedures.

#### **New editorial text for the EU footnotes associated to CEM Annex I.A**

CEM 2016 EU Footnote		Existing text	New text
N°	Stock		
4	<b>COD 3NO PLA 3M WIT 3NO</b>	Including fishing entitlements of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania following their accession to the European Union and in accordance with sharing arrangements of the former USSR quota adopted by the Fisheries Commission at its Annual Meeting in 2003 (FC Working Paper 03/7)	# 1 <i>Including allocations to Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania in accordance with the sharing arrangement of the former USSR quota adopted by the Fisheries Commission in 2003 ( FC WP 03/7), as applied by NAFO since 2005 following their accession to the EU</i>
	<b>CAP 3NO</b>		# 2 <i>Including allocations to Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania in accordance with the sharing arrangement of the former USSR quota adopted by the Fisheries Commission in 2003 ( FC WP 03/7), and to Poland, as applied by NAFO since 2005 following their accession to the EU</i>



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N°	Stock		
5	<b>RED 3M</b>	Including allocations of 1571 tonnes each for Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania out of a sharing of 20,000 tonnes, following their accession to the European Union	item as # 1 above
6	<b>SQI 3_4</b>	Allocations of 128 tonnes each for Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania as well as 227 tonnes for Poland out of a TAC of 34,000 tonnes, following their accession to the European Union	item as #2 above
7	<b>PRA 3L</b>	Including allocations of 1.11 % each for Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland out of the TAC, following their accession to the European Union	#3 <i>Including allocations to Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland, as applied by NAFO since 2005 following their accession to the EU</i>
8	<b>REB 1F_2_3K</b>	Allocation of 17.85% to Lithuania and 2.15% to Latvia following their accession to the European Union	#4 <b>No change to existing #8</b>
11	<b>GHL 3LMNO</b>	Including an allocation of 360 tonnes for Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania following their accession to the European Union	item as #3 above
15	<b>COD 3M</b>	Including fishing entitlements of 155 tons each for Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania in accordance with sharing arrangements of the former USSR quota adopted by the Fisheries Commission at its Annual Meeting in 2003 (FC Working Paper 03/7) and allocation of 529 tons for Poland following their accession to the European Union	item as #2 above
16	<b>RED 3LN</b>	Including fishing entitlements of 514 tonnes each for Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania in accordance with sharing arrangements of the former USSR quota adopted by the Fisheries Commission at its Annual Meeting in 2003 (FC Working Paper 03/7) following their accession to the European Union	item as #1 above