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Request for an allocation from the cod stocks in Div. 2J-3KLM for Romania in 1977

The following telex message was received in the ICNAF Secretariat from Ing. Ocanoaia of the Romanian Government on 4 November 1976:

"ICNAF Dartmouth Canada

"In connection with the Ninth Special Meeting, we are kindly asking you to introduce in the Provisional Agenda a new item regarding the allocation of cod in Div. 2J+3KLM for our country in 1977. We know there are considerable difficulties in allocating some of the quotas in the Convention Area. Romanian delegation took into consideration these difficulties and we would remind our intention for partial utilization of some stocks were enlisted in the "Others" categories. In 1973 and 1974 our individual quota of cod was approximately 8,000 tons in Div. 2J+3KLM. In 1974 we had no possibilities to attend General Meeting when our individual quota was reduced to 400 tons for Div. 2GH. We intend to expose very briefly our attitude regarding this problem and also our reasonable need for an individual quota of cod for Div. 2J+3KLM in 1977. Thanks for your support. Regards.

"Ing. Ocanoaia"

Since the request does not meet the Commission's Rule of Procedure 5.1 which requires 60 days' notice prior to the meeting at which the request is to be discussed, the Commission will determine whether the request will be adopted as an agenda item for future consideration, under Provisional Plenary Agenda Item 2, at the First Plenary Session of the Ninth Special Meeting, 1-9 December 1976.

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