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Status of Commission proposals for changes in the Convention and
for international regulation of the fisheries under the Convention
(as of 1 May 1979)

by

Executive Secretary
ICNAF

The attached Tabulations provide information on the current status of approval of proposals for changes in the Convention (Tabulation I) and for regulation of the international fisheries in the Convention Area and Statistical Areas 0 and 6 (Tabulation II) as of 1 May 1979.

Appendix I presents a summary of the status of proposals since the Commission was established in 1951.

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Status

TABULATION I

1 May 1979

Proposals for Changes in
the International Convention for
the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries

	Protocol relating to basic payment by Contracting Governments	Protocol relating to continued functioning of the Commission
Resolution adopted by International Commission for the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries	June 16, 1973	December 8, 1976
Sent by Commission Secretariat to Depositary Government	December 11, 1973	December 15, 1976
Draft Protocol circulated by Depositary Government to Contracting Governments for consideration	May 21, 1975	December 20, 1976
Date of receipt by Depositary Government of approval by:		
Bulgaria		
Canada	September 18, 1975	March 9, 1977
Cuba	November 28, 1975	February 15, 1977
Denmark*		January 28, 1977
France*	September 29, 1975	
Federal Republic of Germany*	August 18, 1975	
German Democratic Republic		April 19, 1977
Iceland		January 24, 1977
Italy*		
Japan		
Norway	April 21, 1976	April 21, 1977
Poland		
Portugal	March 14, 1978	
Romania		January 20, 1978
Spain		
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics		April 1, 1977
United Kingdom*		September 13, 1977
Date of entry into force:		

* These are Member States of the European Economic Community (EEC) which withdrew from ICNAF 31 December 1978 and delegated powers in respect of their external relations in fisheries matters to EEC which became a Contracting Party to NAFO 1 January 1979.

TABULATION II

	June 1978 Proposal (1) Catch quota Subarea 3 for 1979	March 1979 Proposal (1) Amendment of Scheme of Joint Inter- national Enforcement	March 1979 Proposal (2) Actions by Executive Secretary when inform- ation that quotas reached	March 1979 Proposal (3) Catch quota Subareas 3 and 4 for 1979
Adopted by Commission:	6 June 1978	9 March 1979	9 March 1979	9 March 1979
Transmitted by Commission Secretariat to Depository Government:	15 June 1978	5 April 1979	5 April 1979	5 April 1979
Transmitted by Depository Government to Contracting Governments:	13 July 1978	26 April 1979	26 April 1979	26 April 1979
Date of receipt by Depository Government of objection or withdrawal by: (Numbers following country indicate 1978/79 panel membership)	Bulgaria 3,4,5 Canada 2,3,4,5,A Cuba 2,3,4,5 Denmark* 1, 3,4, A France* 1,2,3,4,5 FRG* 1,2,3,4 GDR 2,3, 5 Iceland 2,3 Italy* 3 Japan 3,4,5 Norway 1,2,3, A Poland 1,2,3,4,5 Portugal 1,2,3,4 Romania 2,3, 5 Spain 1,2,3,4,5 USSR 1,2,3,4,5 UK* 1,2,3			
Effective date for regulation:	13 January 1979			

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Summary
of
Status of Proposals for Amendments to the Convention
and for International Regulation of the Fisheries (1951-1979)

by

the Executive Secretary
ICNAF

The following account reviews the status of all proposals adopted by the Commission since its First Annual Meeting in April of 1951, for changes in the Articles of the International Convention for the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries of 1949 and for international regulation of the fisheries in the Convention Area and Statistical Areas 0 and 6.

I. Proposals for changes in the Convention

- (1) Changes to allow Annual Meetings to be held in any member country (Amendment to Convention Article II, para.5)

Proposed: 11 June 1955 (Ann.Proc.Vol.5,p.3)
In force: 10 January 1959

- (2) Declaration of understanding of text of Convention concerning molluscs

Proposed: 14 June 1958 (Ann.Proc.Vol.8,p.12-13)
In force: 5 June 1963

- (3) Resolution to bring harp and hood seals under provisions of the Convention

Proposed: 9 June 1961 (Ann.Proc.Vol.11,p.15)
In force: 29 April 1966

- (4) Changes to allow proposals for national and international measures of control (Amendment to Convention Article VIII, para.5 and 8)

Proposed: 7 June 1963 (Ann.Proc.Vol.13,p.17)
In force: 19 December 1969

- (5) Changes to procedures for effecting regulatory measures (Amendment to Convention Article VIII, para.7 and 8)

Proposed: 6 June 1964 (Ann.Proc.Vol.14,p.13-14)
In force: 19 December 1969

- (6) Changes to basis for panel memberships and to types of fisheries regulatory measures which may be proposed (Amendment to Convention Article IV, para.2, Article VII, para. 2 and Article VIII, para.1)

Proposed: 5 and 6 June 1969 (Ann.Proc.Vol.19,p.20-21)
In force: 15 December 1971

- (7) Changes to procedures for amending the Convention (Article XVII of the Convention renumbered XVIII and a new Article XVII inserted)

Proposed: 6 June 1970 (Ann.Proc.Vol.20,p.19-20)
In force: 4 September 1974

- (8) Changes to procedure for annual basic payment by Contracting Governments (Amendment to Convention Article XI, para.3)

Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.40-41)
In force:

- (9) Changes to area of Convention application and to provision of scientific advice inside national fishery limits (Amendments to Convention Article I, para. 1, and Article VI adds para. 4)

Proposed: 8 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.21)
In force:

II. Proposals for international regulation of the trawl fishery

- (1) Regulation of the haddock trawl fishery in Subarea 5 (4-1/2" mesh size, wet; 5,000 pound or 10% trip exemption; savings gear)
Proposed: 8 July 1952 (Ann.Proc.Vol.2,p.14)
In force: 13 June 1953
- (2) Amendments to regulation of the haddock trawl fishery in Subarea 5 (Wet and dry mesh measurements)
Proposed: 27 May 1953 (Ann.Proc.Vol.3,p.14)
In force: 1 January 1954
- (3) Regulation of the cod and haddock trawl fisheries in Subareas 3, 4 and 5: for Subarea 5 the regulations substitute for the ones adopted in 1952 and 1953 [see (1) and (2) above] (4-1/2" mesh size for Subareas 4 and 5; 4" mesh size for Subarea 3; 5,000 pound or 10% trip exemption; savings gear)
Proposed: 11 June 1955 (Ann.Proc.Vol.5,p.11-12)
In force: for Subareas 3 and 4, excepting para. IV, 29 November 1957
for Subarea 5, 26 March 1957
- (4) Amendments to regulation of the cod and haddock trawl fisheries in Subareas 3, 4 and 5 adopted in 1955 [see (3) above] (abeyance to para. IV for Subareas 3 and 4; 5,000 pound or 10% 12-month exemption in Subarea 5)
Proposed: 15 June 1956 (Ann.Proc.Vol.6,p.16)
In force: for Subareas 3 and 4, 1 January 1958
for Subarea 5, 26 March 1957
- (5) Amendments to regulation of the cod and haddock trawl fisheries in Subareas 3, 4 and 5 adopted in 1955 and 1956 [see (3) and (4) above] (attaching savings gear)
Proposed: 25 May 1957 (Ann.Proc.Vol.7,p.17)
In force: for Subarea 5, 28 September 1958
for Subarea 4, 22 April 1960
for Subarea 3, 21 September 1968
- (6) Regulation of the groundfish trawl fishery in Subareas 1, 2 and 3 (except redfish in Div. 3N, 3O and 3P): for Subarea 3 the regulation substitutes for the ones adopted in 1955, 1956 and 1957 [see (3), (4) and (5) above] (4-1/2" mesh size; mesh measurements; 10% trip exemption in Div. 3N, 3O and 3P; savings gear)
Proposed: 10 June 1961 (Ann.Proc.Vol.11,p.15-17)
In force: 21 September 1968
- (7) Regulation of cod, haddock and flounder trawl fisheries in Subarea 4; substitutes for 1955, 1956 and 1957 proposals [see (3), (4) and (5) above] (4-1/2" mesh size; mesh measurements; 5,000 pound or 10% trip exemption; savings gear)
Proposed: 10 June 1961 (Ann.Proc.Vol.11,p.17-18)
In force: 22 December 1967
- (8) Amendment to regulation of the groundfish trawl fisheries in Subareas 1, 2 and 3 adopted in 1961 [see (6) above] (savings gear)
Proposed: 7 June 1963 (Ann.Proc.Vol.13,p.16)
In force: 21 September 1968
- (9) Amendment to regulation of cod, haddock and flounder trawl fisheries in Subarea 4 adopted in 1961 [see (7) above] (savings gear)
Proposed: 7 June 1963 (Ann.Proc.Vol.13,p.16)
In force: 22 December 1967
- (10) Amendments to regulation of cod and haddock trawl fisheries in Subarea 5 adopted in 1955 [see (3) above] (savings gear)
Proposed: 7 June 1963 (Ann.Proc.Vol.13,p.16-17)
In force: 4 July 1969

- (11) Amendment to regulation of the groundfish trawl fisheries in Subareas 1, 2 and 3 adopted in 1961 [see (6) above] (manila twine and ICNAF gauge as standard)
Proposed: 6 June 1964 (Ann.Proc.Vol.14,p.16)
In force: 21 September 1968
- (12) Amendment to regulation of the cod, haddock and flounder trawl fisheries in Subarea 4 adopted in 1961 [see (7) above] (manila twine and ICNAF gauge as standard)
Proposed: 6 June 1964 (Ann.Proc.Vol.14,p.16-17)
In force: 22 December 1967
- (13) Amendment to regulation of the cod and haddock trawl fisheries in Subarea 5 adopted in 1955 [see (3) above] (manila twine and ICNAF gauge as standard)
Proposed: 6 June 1964 (Ann.Proc.Vol.14,p.17)
In force: 21 October 1965
- (14) Amendment to regulation of groundfish trawl fisheries in Subareas 1 and 2 adopted in 1964 [see (11) above] (defines groundfish)
Proposed: 12 June 1965 (Ann.Proc.Vol.15,p.17-18)
In force: 21 September 1968
- (15) Amendment to regulation of groundfish trawl fisheries in Subarea 3 adopted in 1964 [see (11) above] (defines groundfish)
Proposed: 12 June 1965 (Ann.Proc.Vol.15,p.18)
In force: 21 September 1968
- (16) Amendment to regulation of groundfish trawl fisheries in Subarea 3 adopted in 1961 [see (6) above] (extends exemptions)
Proposed: 12 June 1965 (Ann.Proc.Vol.15,p.18-19)
In force: 21 September 1968
- (17) Amendment to regulation for cod, haddock and flounder in Subarea 4 adopted in 1961 [see (7) above] (extends exemption)
Proposed: 12 June 1965 (Ann.Proc.Vol.15,p.19)
In force: 22 December 1967
- (18) Amendment to regulation for cod and haddock in Subareas 3 and 4 adopted in 1955 [see (3) above] (extends exemption)
Proposed: 12 June 1965 (Ann.Proc.Vol.15,p.19)
In force: for Subarea 3, 21 September 1968
for Subarea 4, 11 August 1967
- (19) Codification of regulations in Subareas 1, 2, 3 and 4 proposed in 1961, with amendments adopted in 1963, 1964 and 1965 [see (6) to (18) above, excepting (10) and (13)]
Proposed: 12 June 1965 (Ann.Proc.Vol.15,p.19-24)
In force: for Subareas 1, 2, and 3, 21 September 1968
for Subarea 4, 22 December 1967
- (20) Amendment to regulations adopted for Subarea 1 in 1961, 1964 and 1965 and the codification of the 1961, 1964 and 1965 regulations adopted in 1965 [see (6), (8), (11), (14), (19) above] (130-mm mesh size)
Proposed: 12 June 1966 (Ann.Proc.Vol.16,p.20)
In force: 21 September 1968
- (21) Regulation of seal fishery in the "Front" area (for 1968 season only)
Proposed: 9 June 1967 (Ann.Proc.Vol.17, p.28)
In force: 10 February 1968

- (22) Amendments to trawl regulations adopted for Subarea 1 in 1961, 1964, 1965 and 1966; Subarea 2 in 1961, 1964 and 1965; Subarea 3 in 1955, 1961, 1964 and 1965; Subarea 4 in 1955, 1961, 1964 and 1965; and in Subarea 5 in 1964 [see (3) to (20) above] (5 kg pressure or pull; measure 20 consecutive meshes of codend)
- Proposed: 9 June 1967 (Ann.Proc.Vol.17,p.20)
In force: 1 January 1970
- (23) Regulation of Atlantic salmon fishing on the high seas (ban on fishing outside national fishing limits)
- Proposed: 6 June 1969 (Ann.Proc.Vol.19,p.28)
In force: 3 April 1970 (for all Contracting Governments, except Denmark, Federal Republic Germany and Norway)
31 December 1975 (for Norway)
- (24) Regulation of haddock fishery in Subarea 5 (for 1970, 1971 and 1972, catch quota 12,000 metric tons, closed season and area)
- Proposed: 7 June 1969 (Ann.Proc.Vol.19,p.27)
In force: 1 January 1970
- (25) Regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4X of Subarea 4 (for 1970, 1971 and 1972, catch quota of 18,000 metric tons, closed season and area)
- Proposed: 7 June 1969 (Ann.Proc.Vol.19,p.26-27)
In force: 1 January 1970
- (26) Regulation of red hake and silver hake fisheries in Subarea 5 (for 1970, 1971 and 1972, closed season and area)
- Proposed: 7 June 1969 (Ann.Proc.Vol.19,p.26)
In force: 1 January 1970
- (27) Further regulation of Atlantic salmon fishing on high seas (1969 catch or vessel level, restricted gear and netting material, ban 1 December-31 July, in force for 1971)
- Proposed: 6 June 1970 (Ann.Proc.Vol.20,p.28-29)
In force: 8 March 1971 (for all Contracting Governments, except USSR)
- (28) Regulation of yellowtail flounder in Subarea 5 (for 1971, catch quotas of 16,000 tons east of 69°W and 13,000 tons west of 69°W)
- Proposed: 6 June 1970 (Ann.Proc.Vol.20,p.27)
In force: 7 January 1971
- (29) Regulation of cod, haddock and yellowtail flounder trawl fisheries in Subarea 5: substitutes for regulation adopted in 1955, 1956, 1957, 1963, 1964, and 1967 (adds yellowtail flounder)
- Proposed: 6 June 1970 (Ann.Proc.Vol.20,p.27)
In force: 7 January 1971
- (30) Amendment to regulations adopted for Subarea 2 in 1965 and 1967 [see (14) and (22) above] (130-mm mesh size)
- Proposed: 5 June 1970 (Ann.Proc.Vol.20,p.26)
In force: 7 January 1971 (effective for Poland, Portugal, Spain, 1 January 1972)
- (31) Amendment to regulation adopted for Subarea 3 in 1965 and 1967 [see (15), (16), (19), (19), and (22) above and (42) below] (130-mm mesh size)
- Proposed: 5 June 1970 (Ann.Proc.Vol.20,p.26)
In force: 15 April 1971 (for all Contracting Governments, except Canada, Poland, Portugal, and Spain)
1 January 1972 (effective for Canada, Poland, Portugal, and Spain)
- (32) Regulation of seal fishing in the Gulf and Front areas (catch quota and fishing season for 1971)
- Proposed: 4 June 1970 (Ann.Proc.Vol.20,p.28)
In force: 7 January 1971

- (33) Scheme for Joint International Enforcement of the Fishery Regulations in the Convention Area
Proposed: 5 June 1970 (Ann.Proc.Vol.20,p.20-22)
In force: 7 January 1971 (to be operative 1 July 1971; non-operative for USSR, Poland and Romania in relation to inspection of gear below deck and catch)
25 June 1973 (Poland withdrawal of reservation)
15 November 1973 (USSR withdrawal of reservation)
- (34) Extension of regulation of Atlantic salmon fishing on high seas [see (27)] (1969 catch or vessel levels, restricted gear and netting material, ban 1 December-31 July, in force 1972 and 1973)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.31)
In force: 1 March 1972 (for all Contracting Governments, except USSR and Portugal)
- (35) Further regulation of yellowtail flounder in Subarea 5 [see (28)] (review annually, catch quota of 16,000 tons east of 69°W and 10,000 tons west of 69°W)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.29-30)
In force: 1 January 1972
- (36) Amendment to regulation adopted for Subarea 5 [see (29)] (deletes alternative gauges, 130-mm mesh size for yellowtail flounder)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.30-31)
In force: 1 January 1972
- (37) Further regulation of haddock fishery in Subarea 5 [see (24)] [review annually, catch quota of 6,000 tons, closed season (March, April, May) and area]
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.32-33)
In force: 1 January 1972
- (38) Further regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4X of Subarea 4 [see (25)] [for 1972, catch quota of 9,000 tons, closed season (March, April, May) and new area]
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.33-34)
In force: 1 January 1972
- (39) Regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4W of Subarea 4 (for 1972, catch quota of 4,000 tons)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.34-35)
In force: 1 January 1972
- (40) Amendment to regulation adopted for Subarea 1 in 1966 [see (20)] (deletes alternative gauges)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.31)
In force: 1 January 1972
- (41) Amendment to regulation adopted for Subarea 2 in 1970 [see (30)] (deletes alternative gauges)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.31)
In force: 1 January 1972
- (42) Amendment to regulation adopted for Subarea 3 in 1970 [see (31)] (deletes alternative gauges)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.31)
In force: 1 January 1972 (brings 130-mm mesh size into force for Canada, Poland, Portugal, and Spain)
- (43) Amendment to regulation adopted for Subarea 4 in 1965 [see (19)] (deletes alternative gauges)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.31)
In force: 1 January 1972
- (44) Further regulation of seal fishing in Gulf and Front Areas [see (32)] (fishing season for 1972)
Proposed: 4 June 1971 (Ann.Proc.Vol.21,p.30)
In force: 1 January 1972

- (45) Regulation of herring fishery on Georges Bank stock (150,000-ton quota for 1972, national allocations, logbook, action for 1973, mutual allocation)
Proposed: 7 March 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.70)
In force: 17 September 1972
- (46) Regulation of herring fishery in Div. 5Y of Subarea 5 (30,000-ton quota for 1972, national allocations, logbook, action for 1973, mutual allocation)
Proposed: 7 March 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.71)
In force: 17 September 1972
- (47) Regulation of herring fishery in Div. 4X and part of Div. 4W of Subarea 4 (65,000-ton quota for 1972, national allocations, logbook, action for 1973, mutual allocation)
Proposed: 7 March 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.72)
In force: 17 September 1972
- (48) Regulation of herring fishery in Subareas 4 and 5 (9-inch size limit excluding the area north of 44°52'N lat in Div. 4W of Subarea 4 and the area north of 43°50'N lat in Div. 4X of Subarea 4, 10% weight exemption)
Proposed: 7 March 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.73-74)
In force: 17 September 1972
- (49) Further regulation of Atlantic salmon fishing on the high seas [see (34)] (phase out high seas salmon fishery by 1 January 1976)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.43)
In force: 23 December 1972
- (50) Regulation of cod fishery in Div. 2J of Subarea 2 and Div. 3K and 3L of Subarea 3 (575,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocations, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.45)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (51) Regulation of cod fishery in Subdiv. 3Ps of Subarea 3 (50,500-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.46)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (52) Regulation of cod fishery in Div. 3N and 3O of Subarea 3 (103,500-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.47)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (53) Regulation of cod fishery in Subdiv. 4Vs and Div. 4W of Subarea 4 (60,500-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.48)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (54) Regulation of cod fishery in Div. 5Y of Subarea 5 (10,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.49)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (55) Regulation of cod fishery in Subdiv. 5Ze and 5Zw of Subarea 5 (35,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.50)
In force: 1 January 1973

- (56) Regulation of American plaice fishery in Div. 3L, 3N and 3O of Subarea 3 (60,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.51)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (57) Regulation of yellowtail flounder fishery in Div. 3L, 3N and 3O of Subarea 3 (50,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.52)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (58) Further regulation of yellowtail flounder fishery East of 69°W in Subarea 5 [see (35)] (16,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.53)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (59) Further regulation of yellowtail flounder fishery West of 69°W in Subarea 5 [see (35)] (10,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.54)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (60) Regulation of silver hake fishery in Div. 5Y of Subarea 5 (10,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.55)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (61) Regulation of silver hake fishery in Subdiv. 5Ze of Subarea 5 (80,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.56)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (62) Regulation of silver hake fishery from Southern New England stock (Subdiv. 5Zw of Subarea 5 and adjacent waters to the west and south) (80,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.57)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (63) Regulation of red hake fishery from Southern New England stock (Subdiv. 5Zw of Subarea 5 and adjacent waters to the west and south) (40,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, daily catch record)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.58)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (64) Amendment to haddock quota regulation in Subarea 5 [see (37)] (for 1973, new boundaries for westerly area for closure)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.59)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (65) Amendment to haddock quota regulation in Subarea 5 [see (37)] (6,000-ton quota for 1973)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.60)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (66) Amendments to haddock quota regulation in Div. 4X of Subarea 4 [see (38)] (9,000-ton quota for 1973, closed season and area for 1973)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.61)
In force: 1 January 1973

- (67) Amendment to haddock quota regulation in Div. 4W of Subarea 4 [see (39)] (4,000-ton quota for 1973)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.62)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (68) Amendment to regulation for red hake and silver hake fisheries in Subarea 5 [see (26)] (closed area April 1973, 10% exemption)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.63)
In force: 1 January 1973
- (69) Amendment to regulation of the cod, haddock and flounder trawl fisheries in Subarea 4 [see (43)] (114-mm (4-1/2 inches) mesh size in netting other than codend; 130-mm (5-1/8 inches) mesh size in codend) (effective 1 January 1974, except for Div. 4X)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.64)
In force: 1 January 1973 (to become operative 1 January 1974, except for Div. 4X)
16 June 1973 (to become operative 1 January 1974 for Div. 4X)
- (70) Amendment to regulation of cod, haddock and yellowtail flounder in Subarea 5 [see (36)] (114-mm (4-1/2 inches) mesh size in netting other than codend; 130-mm (5-1/8 inches) mesh size in codend; effective 1 January 1974)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.65)
In force: 1 January 1973 (to become operative 1 January 1974)
- (71) Regulation of the fishery for sea scallops in Div. 5Z of Subarea 5 (shell size 95 mm, average 40 meats per pound)
Proposed: 2 June 1972 (Ann.Proc.Vol.22,p.66)
In force: 29 March 1973 (for all Contracting Governments, except Canada and USA)
- (72) Further regulation of the herring fishery from the Georges Bank stock [see (45)] (150,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, commitment for 1974 catch level)
Proposed: 26 January 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.28-29)
In force: 15 August 1973 (for 1973)
- (73) Further regulation of the herring fishery in Div. 5Y of Subarea 5 [see (46)] (25,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation, commitment for 1974 catch level)
Proposed: 26 January 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.30)
In force: 15 August 1973 (for 1973)
- (74) Further regulation of the herring fishery in Div. 4X and part of Div. 4W of Subarea 4 [see (47)] (90,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation)
Proposed: 26 January 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.31)
In force: 15 August 1973 (for 1973)
- (75) Regulation of the fishery for flounders (except yellowtail) from the Southern New England stock (25,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation)
Proposed: 26 January 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.32)
In force: 15 August 1973 (for 1973)
- (76) Regulation of the fishery for mackerel from the Southern New England stock (450,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation)
Proposed: 26 January 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.33)
In force: 15 August 1973 (for 1973)
- (77) Regulation of the fishery for pollock in Subarea 5 and Div. 4X of Subarea 4 (50,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation)
Proposed: 26 January 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.34)
In force: 15 August 1973 (for 1973)

- (78) Regulation of the fishery for redfish in Subarea 5 (30,000-ton quota for 1973, national allocation)
Proposed: 26 January 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.35)
In force: 15 August 1973 (for 1973)
- (79) Regulation of the cod fishery in Subarea 1 (95,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 14 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.62)
In force: 19 March 1974 (for all Contracting Governments, except Iceland)
- (80) Regulation of the cod fishery in Div. 2G and 2H of Subarea 2 (19,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 14 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.63)
In force: 17 January 1974 (Resolution (5) adopted 30 Jan 1974 allocates to GDR from "Others")
- (81) Further regulation of the cod fishery in Div. 2J of Subarea 2 and Div. 3K and 3L of Subarea 3 [see (50)] (606,700-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.64)
In force: 17 January 1974 (Resolution (5) adopted 30 Jan 1974 allocates to GDR from "Others")
- (82) Regulation of the witch fishery in Div. 2J of Subarea 2 and Div. 3K and 3L of Subarea 3 (19,500-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.65)
In force: 17 January 1974 (Resolution (5) adopted 30 Jan 1974 allocates to GDR from "Others")
- (83) Regulation of the cod fishery in Div. 3M of Subarea 3 (40,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.66)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (84) Further regulation of the cod fishery in Div. 3N and 3O of Subarea 3 [see (52)] (100,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.67)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (85) Further regulation of the cod fishery in Subdiv. 3Ps of Subarea 3 [see (51)] (70,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.68)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (86) Further regulation of the American plaice fishery in Div. 3L, 3N and 3O of Subarea 3 [see (56)] (60,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.69)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (87) Further regulation of the yellowtail flounder fishery in Div. 3L, 3N and 3O of Subarea 3 [see (40,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.70)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (88) Regulation of the redfish fishery in Div. 3M of Subarea 3 (40,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.71)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (89) Regulation of the redfish fishery in Div. 3L and 3N of Subarea 3 (28,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.72)
In force: 17 January 1974 (Resolution (5) adopted 30 Jan 1974 allocates to GDR from "Others")

- (90) Regulation of the redfish fishery in Div. 30 of Subarea 3 (16,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.73)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (91) Regulation of the redfish fishery in Div. 3P of Subarea 3 (25,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.74)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (92) Regulation of the witch fishery in Div. 3N and 3O of Subarea 3 (10,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.75)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (93) Regulation of the witch fishery in Subdiv. 3Ps of Subarea 3 (3,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.76)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (94) Further regulation of the cod fishery in Subdiv. 4Vs and Div. 4W of Subarea 4 [see (53)] (60,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.77)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (95) Further regulation of the haddock fishery in Div. 4X of Subarea 4 [see (66)] (prohibits fishery; exemption; closed area and season for 1974)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.78)
In force: 19 March 1974 (Canadian reservation of 3 Jan 1974 extended objection period to 19 March 1974; objection withdrawn 15 March 1974)
- (96) Further regulation of the haddock fishery in Div. 4V and 4W of Subarea 4 [see (67)] (prohibits fishery; exemption)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.79)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (97) Regulation of the herring fishery in Div. 4V and northern part of Div. 4W of Subarea 4 (45,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.80)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (98) Further regulation of the herring fishery in Div. 4X and southern part of Div. 4W of Subarea 4 [see (74)] (commitment to set TAC and allocate for 1974 at January 1974 Commission Meeting)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.81)
In force: 17 January 1974 (Resolution (1) adopted 30 Jan 1974 set TAC and national allocations for 1974 - In force: 4 March 1974)
- (99) Regulation of the redfish fishery in Div. 4V, 4W and 4X of Subarea 4 (40,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.82)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (100) Regulation of the silver hake fishery in Div. 4V, 4W and 4X of Subarea 4 (100,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.83)
In force: 17 January 1974

- (101) Regulation of the yellowtail, witch and American plaice fishery in Div. 4V, 4W and 4X of Subarea 4 (32,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.84)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (102) Further regulation of the pollock fishery in Div. 4V, 4W and 4X of Subarea 4 [see (77)] (55,000-ton quota for 1974; national allocation)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.85)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (103) Further regulation of the haddock fishery in Subarea 5 [see (65)] (prohibits fishery; exemption; closed area and season for 1974)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.86)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (104) Further regulation of the herring fishery from the Georges Bank stock [see (72)] (commitment for TAC and allocation for 1974 at January 1974 Commission Meeting)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.87)
In force: 17 January 1974 (Resolution (1) adopted 30 Jan 1974 set TAC and national allocation for 1974 - In force: 4 March 1974)
- (105) Further regulation of the herring fishery in Div. 5Y of Subarea 5 [see (73)] (commitment for TAC and allocation for 1974 at January 1974 Commission Meeting)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.88)
In force: 17 January 1974 (Resolution (1) adopted 30 Jan 1974 set TAC and national allocation for 1974 - In force: 4 March 1974)
- (106) Further regulation of the mackerel fishery from the Southern New England stock [see (76)] (commitment for TAC and allocation for 1974 at January 1974 Commission Meeting)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.89)
In force: 17 January 1974 (Resolution (1) adopted 30 Jan 1974 set TAC and national allocation for 1974 - In force: 4 March 1974)
- (107) Amendment to regulation for red hake and silver hake fisheries in Subarea 5 [see (68)] (closed area April 1974; 10% trip exemption)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.90)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (108) Further regulation for seal fisheries in Gulf and Front Areas [see (44)] (for 1974 120,000 quota for harp seals, Front; 30,000 harps, non-mobile, Front and Gulf; 15,000 hood seals, Front; opening and closing dates and times; prohibition kill whelping adult harps)
Proposed: 14 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.91)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (109) Amendments to Scheme for Joint International Enforcement of Fishery Regulations [see (33)] (application in Statistical Area 6)
Proposed: 16 June 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.23,p.92-93)
In force: 17 January 1974
- (110) Regulation of fisheries in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (overall TAC 923,900 tons and allocations for 1974; commitment 850,000 tons and allocation for 1975 and commitment for 1976; species TACs and allocations; reporting procedures)
Proposed: 19 October 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.27-29)
In force: 7 May 1974
- (111) Regulation of fishing gear in Subarea 5 (prohibits demersal fishing from 1 July-31 December by vessels over 145 feet with bottom trawl gear in prescribed area off US coast)
Proposed: 19 October 1973 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.30-31)
In force: 7 May 1974

- (112) Amendment to size limit regulation for herring in Subareas 4 and 5 [see (48)] (adds exemption of 25% by count)
- Proposed: 30 January 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.52)
In force: 4 September 1974
- (113) Regulation of red hake, argentine and other finfish fisheries in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (species TACs and allocations for 1974 completing Table in proposal (1) [see (110) above] of October 1973 Commission Meeting)
- Proposed: 30 January 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.53)
In force: 4 September 1974
- (114) Regulation of fisheries in Subareas 2, 3 and 4 (TACs and allocations for 12 stocks for 1974; reporting procedures)
- Proposed: 30 January 1974 (Resolution requests application throughout 1974) (Ann.Rept.Vol.24, p.54)
In force: 4 September 1974
- (115) Amendments to Scheme for Joint International Enforcement [see (109)] (detailed improvements)
- Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.87-89)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (116) Regulation of capelin fishery in Subareas 2 and 3 [see (114)] (commitment to set TAC and allocate nationally for 1975 at January 1975 Meeting)
- Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.90)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (117) Further regulation for seal fisheries in 'Gulf' and 'Front' areas [see (108)] (for 1975, 150,100 quota for harp seals; 60,000 Norway 'Front'; 60,000 Canada 'Front'; 30,000 non-mobile 'Front' and 'Gulf'; 100 unallocated. 'Front' 15,000 hood seals; 'Front' opening and closing date and time; prohibition killing whelping adult harps)
- Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.91)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (118) Amendment to regulation of groundfish trawl fisheries in Subarea 3, adopted in 1965 [see (16), (18), and (19)] (details exemptions)
- Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.92)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (119) Amendment to regulation for cod, haddock, and flounders in Subarea 4, adopted in 1965 [see (17), (18), and (19)] (details exemptions)
- Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.93)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (120) Amendment to regulation for cod, haddock, and yellowtail flounder trawl fisheries in Subarea 5 [see (29)] (details exemptions)
- Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.94)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (121) Regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4X of Subarea 4 [see (95) and (127)] (closed area, March, April and May, restricted to pelagic gear)
- Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.95)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (122) Regulation of haddock fishery in Subarea 5 [see (103)] (commitment to determine exemption at Special Meeting, restricted to pelagic gear March, April and May in closed areas)
- Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.96)
In force: 11 January 1975

- (123) Regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4VW of Subarea 4 [see (96)] (commitment to determine exemption at Special Meeting)
Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.97)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (124) Amendment to size-limit regulation for herring in Subareas 4 and 5 [see (112)] (details exemption procedure)
Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.98)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (125) Amendments to fishing gear regulation in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 [see (111)] (restricted to pelagic gear and 145-foot vessels (130-foot vessels by 31 December 1976) from July through December in prescribed area off US coast)
Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.99)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (126) Amendments to yellowtail flounder fishery in Subarea 5 west of 69°W and Statistical Area 6 [see (110)] (commitment to determine TAC and allocation at Special Meeting)
Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.100)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (127) Regulation of fisheries in the Convention Area and Statistical Area 6 (TAC and allocations for 54 stocks in the Convention Area and overall TAC and allocation of whole group of stocks in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 for 1975)
Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.101-104)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (128) Management of International Catch Quota Regulation (management procedures for first tier and second tier quotas)
Proposed: 14 June 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.24,p.105-106)
In force: 11 January 1975
- (129) Further amendments to fishing gear regulation in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 [see (125)] (restricted from 31 December 1974 to vessels under 130 feet with pelagic gear during whole year in reduced area off US coast)
Proposed: 31 December 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.29)
In force: 27 July 1975
- (130) Further amendments to regulation of yellowtail flounder fishery in Subarea 5 west of 69°W and Statistical Area 6 [see (126)] (sets TAC and allocation for 1975)
Proposed: 31 December 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.30)
In force: on date of receipt of notification from Depository Government (Depository Note of 27 January 1975) of TAC and allocation adopted by Commission 27 July 1975 (6-month procedure)
- (131) Amendment to regulation of yellowtail flounder fishery in Subarea 5 east of 69°W [see (127)] (amends TAC and allocations for 1975 set by Proposal (13) at June 1974 Meeting)
Proposed: 31 December 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.31)
In force: 27 July 1975
- (132) Amendment to regulation of herring fishery in Div. 5Y of Subarea 5 [see (127)] (amends TAC and allocations for 1975 set by Proposal (13) at June 1974 Meeting)
Proposed: 31 December 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.32)
In force: 27 July 1975

- (133) Amendment to regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4X of Subarea 4 [see (121)] (extends closed season to February, March, April and May, and closed area to include LaHave Bank)
- Proposed: 31 December 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.33)
In force: 1 February 1975 (see Resolution (2) from Sixth Special Commission Meeting, January 1975)
27 July 1975 (6-month procedure)
- (134) Amendment to regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4VW of Subarea 4 [see (106) and (123)] (determines exemption at 5,000 lb or 10% by weight)
- Proposed: 31 December 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.34)
In force: on date of receipt of notification from Depository Government (Depository Note of 27 January 1975) of adoption by Commission
27 July 1975 (6-month procedure)
- (135) Regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4X of Subarea 4 [see (127)] (5,000 lb or 10% by weight exemption for countries not mentioned in 1975 quota allocations for haddock in Div. 4X as determined by Proposal (13) at June 1974 Meeting)
- Proposed: 31 December 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.35)
In force: 27 July 1975
- (136) Amendments to regulation of haddock fishery in Subarea 5 [see (103) and (122)] (TAC and allocation for 1975; exemption 5,510 lb or 1% by weight; pelagic gear only in closed areas and season)
- Proposed: 31 December 1974 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.36)
In force: for paragraph 3, on date of receipt of notification from Depository Government (Depository Note of 27 January 1975) of adoption by Commission
27 July 1975 for paragraphs 1, 2, and 5
11 January 1976 for paragraph 4
- (137) Further regulation of capelin fishery in Subareas 2 and 3 [see (114) and (116)] (TAC and allocation for 1975 for Div. 2J-3K, Subdiv. 3Ps, Div. 3L, and 3NO stocks; closed area in Div. 3L)
- Proposed: 24 February 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.48-49)
In force: When notified by Depository Government (Depository Note of 14 April 1975) of adoption by Commission
Iceland objection 23 September 1975 adds 60 days from 14 October 1975;
14 December 1975 for all Contracting Governments, except Iceland
- (138) Notification of fisheries research vessels (defines research vessel for regulation exemptions, procedure for notification to Commission)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.84)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (139) Amendment to management of international quota regulations [see (128)] (recording cumulative catch including discards against catch quotas for individual species)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.85)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (140) Further amendment to regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4VW of Subarea 4 [see (96), (123), and (134)] (determines exemption at 5,510 lb or 2,500 kg or 1% by weight for 1976)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.86)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (141) Regulation of cod and haddock fisheries in Div. 4X of Subarea 4 [see (133) and (135)] (determines exemption at 5,510 lb or 2,500 kg or 1% by weight; closed season, March, April, and May and closed area to exclude LaHave Bank)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.87)
In force: 16 January 1976

- (142) Regulation of herring fishery in Div. 4VWX of Subarea 4 (commitment to revise TAC and allocation for 1976 at Special January 1976 Meeting; procedures for effecting TAC and allocation for 1976 before normal 6-month procedure)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.88)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (143) Regulation of herring fishery in Div. 5Z of Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (commitment to set TAC and allocation for 1976 at Special January 1976 Meeting; procedures for effecting TAC and allocation for 1976 before normal 6-month procedure)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.89)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (144) Regulation of herring fishery in Div. 5Y of Subarea 5 (commitment to set TAC and allocation for 1976 at Special January 1976 Meeting; procedures for effecting TAC and allocation for 1976 before normal 6-month procedure)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.90)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (145) Amendment to regulation of haddock fishery in Subarea 5 [see (136)] (exemption for 1976 5,510 lb or 2,500 kg or 1%; pelagic gear only in closed areas (a) and (b) and season)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.91)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (146) Regulation for seal fisheries in "Gulf" and "Front" Areas [see (117)] (for 1976, "Front" opening and closing date and time; killing prohibitions in "Front" and "Gulf")
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.92)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (147) Regulation of mackerel fishery by size limit in Subareas 3, 4, and 5 (size limit 10 inches or 25 cm; trip exemption 10% by weight or 25% by count)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.93)
In force: 16 January 1976
- (148) Regulation of fisheries by catch quota in Convention Area and Statistical Areas 0 and 6 (for 1976; TACs and allocations for 49 stocks (first tier); TACs and allocations for whole group of stocks in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6)
- Proposed: 20 June 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.25,p.94-96)
In force: 16 January 1976 for Proposal 11(b) (USA objection 18 August 1975; withdrawn 13 November 1975)
(Spain objection 19 September 1975; withdrawn 17 December 1975)
16 January 1976 for Proposal 11(a) for all stocks, except capelin
(Iceland objection (capelin) 13 January 1976)
16 March 1976 for capelin in Proposal 11(a) for all Contracting Governments, except Iceland
3 May 1976 for Iceland for capelin in Proposal 11(a)
- (149) Regulation of fishing effort for groundfish in Subareas 2, 3, and 4 (procedures for reduction of fishing effort in 1976; proposed regulation with national allocation of days fishing in Subarea 2 + Div. 3K, Div. 3LNO, Div. 3M, Div. 3P, and Div. 4VWX)
- Proposed: 28 September 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26, p. 34-36)
In force: 14 April 1976 (Resolution (1) requests implementation 1 January 1976 with modifications from Special January 1976 Meeting)
- (150) Amendment to fishing gear regulation in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 [see (130)] (restricted to pelagic gear and 130-foot (39.6-m) vessels in new Area I; restricted to pelagic gear and 155-foot (47.2-m) vessels in Area II)
- Proposed: 28 September 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.37)
In force: 14 April 1976

- (151) Registration of fishing and support vessels (requirements re registration)
Proposed: 28 September 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.38)
In force: 14 April 1976
- (152) Amendment to regulation of groundfish trawl fisheries in Subarea 3 [see (118)] (exemption of 2,500 kg (5,510 lb) or 10% by weight)
Proposed: 28 September 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.39)
In force: 14 April 1976
- (153) Amendment to regulation for cod, haddock and flounder trawl fisheries in Subarea 4 [see (119)] (exemption of 2,500 kg (5,510 lb) or 10% by weight)
Proposed: 28 September 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.40)
In force: 14 April 1976
- (154) Amendment to regulation for cod, haddock and yellowtail flounder trawl fisheries in Subarea 5 [see (120)] (exemption of 2,500 kg (5,510 lb) or 10% by weight)
Proposed: 28 September 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.41)
In force: 14 April 1976
- (155) Amendment to regulation of fisheries by catch quota in Convention Area and Statistical Areas 0 and 6 [see (148)] (for 1976; TAC and allocations for 9 stocks deferred from 1975 Annual Meeting and revised allocations for 19 stocks agreed at 1975 Annual Meeting; revised allocation for the group of stocks in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6)
Proposed: 28 September 1975 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.42-43)
In force: 14 April 1976 (Resolution (4) requests implementation 1 January 1976)
- (156) Further amendments to Scheme for Joint International Enforcement [see (115)] (replacements to paragraphs 1 and 5(v))
Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.61)
In force: 26 August 1976
- (157) Amendment to management of international quota regulations [see (128) and (139)] (quota and other possible adjustment for quota overrun and failures to report as required)
Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.62)
In force: 26 August 1976
- (158) Modifications to regulation of fishing effort for groundfish in Subareas 2, 3, and 4 [see (149)] (for 1976; modifies table of national allocation of fishing days in Proposal (1) from Special September 1975 Meeting)
Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.63-65)
In force: 14 April 1976
- (159) Further regulation for seal fisheries in "Gulf" and "Front" Areas [see (146)] (for 1976; TACs and allocations for harp and hood seals; opening and closing dates and times; killing prohibitions)
Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.66)
In force: Resolution (3) requests implementation beginning 12 March 1976, unless objection before that date.
- (160) Regulation of herring fisheries by catch quota in Div. 5Z of Subarea 5 and in Statistical Area 6 [see (143)] (for 1976; TAC and allocation for 1 January-30 June 1976; TAC for 1 January-31 December 1976; restricted in 1 January-30 June to purse seines or vessels less than 110 feet (33.5 m); exemption 7.5% by weight after 72 hours fishing; commitment to set TAC and allocation for 1 July-31 December 1976 and bring into force 1 July 1976; commitment to adult stock levels and TACs for future years)
Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.67)
In force: 26 February 1976

- (161) Regulation of herring fisheries by catch quota in Div. 5Y of Subarea 5 [see (144)] (for 1976; set TAC and allocation but allows adjustment at June 1976 Annual Meeting which become effective when notified of amounts by Depositary Government)
- Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.68)
In force: 26 February 1976
- (162) Regulation of herring fisheries by catch quota in Div. 4VWX of Subarea 4 [see (142)] (commitment to set TAC and allocations at June 1976 Annual Meeting and to become effective when notified of amounts by Depositary Government)
- Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.69)
In force: 26 August 1976
- (163) Amendments to size limit for herring in Subareas 4 and 5 [see (48) and (124)] (size limit 9 inches (22.7 cm) in Div. 4Wb and 4Xa; exemption 10% by weight or 25% by count after 48 hours fishing)
- Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.70)
In force: 26 August 1976
- (164) Amendment to size limit for mackerel in Subareas 3, 4, and 5 [see (147)] (size limit 10 inches (25 cm); exemption 10% by weight or 25% by count after 48 hours fishing)
- Proposed: 26 January 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.71)
In force: 26 August 1976
- (165) Amendment to ICNAF Scheme of Joint International Enforcement [see (115)] (authorizes and details procedures for helicopter transfer of inspectors)
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.105-108)
In force: 25 December 1976
- (166) Regulation of silver hake in Subarea 4 (60 mm (manila) mesh size, exemption, codend covers)
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.109)
In force: 25 December 1976 (countries have until 1 April 1977 to change over to new nets)
- (167) Further amendment to regulation of haddock fishery in Div. 4VW of Subarea 4 [see (140)] (determines exemption for 1977)
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.110)
In force: 25 December 1976
- (168) Regulation of river herring (*Alosa aestivalis* and *A. pseudoharengus*) in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (prohibition to fish, exemption at 5,510 lb or 2,500 kg or 1% by weight)
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.111)
In force: 25 December 1976
- (169) Resolution regarding the taking of menhaden (*Brevoortia tyrannus*) in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (requests no directed fishery and to limit by-catch; no vessels over 130 ft)
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.93)
Accepted: 23 June 1976
- (170) Amendment to regulation of sea scallop fishery in Div. 5Z of Subarea 5 [see (71)] (shell size 95 mm; 40 meats per lb; exemption 10% average count)
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.112)
In force: no later than 1 September 1976 (Resolution (2) from June 1976 Annual Meeting)
- (171) Further amendment to regulation of haddock fishery in Subarea 5 [see (145)] (change from 1976 exemption to annual exemption)
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.113)
In force: 25 December 1976

- (172) Amendment to regulation of fisheries by catch quota in Subareas 2, 3, 4, and 5, and Statistical Area 6 [see (148), (155), and (160)] (national re-allocations for 1976 of redfish in Subarea 2 and Div. 3K, Div. 3M, Div. 3LN, Div. 3O, and Div. 3P; of capelin in Subarea 2 and Div. 3K; and herring in Div. 4XW(b), and Div. 5Z and Statistical Area 6)
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.114)
In force: 25 December 1976
- (173) Regulation of fisheries by catch quota in the Convention Area and Statistical Areas 0 and 6 [for 1977; TACs and national allocations for 51 stocks (first tier)]
- Proposed: 23 June 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.26,p.115-118)
In force: 25 December 1976
- (174) Further regulation for seal fisheries in the "Gulf" and "Front" Areas [see (159)] (for 1977; TACs and allocations for harp and hooded seals; opening and closing dates and times; killing prohibitions)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.33)
In force: 17 June 1977 (Resolution (3) from June 1976 Annual Meeting requests implementation throughout 1977)
- (175) Regulation of the northern prawn (shrimp) fisheries in Subarea 1 (40-mm synthetic mesh size; codend requirements)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.34)
In force: 17 June 1977 (Resolution (3) from June 1976 Annual Meeting requests implementation throughout 1977, but paragraph 4 of regulation allows to 1 January 1978 to change to new nets)
- (176) Regulation of the small-mesh bottom-trawl fisheries in Div. 4VWX of Subarea 4 (prohibits use of less than 130-mm mesh in bottom trawls except for redfish and except from 15 April to 15 November in designated area; allows small-mesh bottom-trawling for silver hake allocation with technical observer on board)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.35)
In force: 17 June 1977 (Resolution (3) from June 1976 Annual Meeting requests implementation throughout 1977)
- (177) Regulation of silver and red hake fisheries in Div. 5Z of Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (restricts fisheries to "window" Area A, 1 January-31 March; Area B, 1 January-30 April; and Area C, 1 April-31 August; exemption clauses)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.36)
In force: 17 June 1977 (Resolution (3) from June 1976 Annual Meeting requests implementation throughout 1977)
- (178) Regulation of the herring fishery in Div. 5Z of Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (for 1977; TAC and allocations; herring "window" area, 15 August-30 September for pelagic gear only; exemption 5% for incidental non-allocated herring and 1% for incidental non-allocated other species)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.37-38)
In force: 17 June 1977 (Resolution (3) from June 1976 Annual Meeting requests implementation throughout 1977)
- (179) Regulation of the squid (*Loligo* and *Illex*) fisheries in Div. 5Z of Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (for 1977; fisheries restricted to "window" Areas A-F seasonally; exemption 5,510 lb or 2,500 kg or 10% for incidental non-allocated other species and 1% for incidental non-allocated squid)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.39-40)
In force: 17 June 1977 (Resolution (3) from June 1976 Annual Meeting requests implementation throughout 1977)
- (180) Regulation of the mackerel fishery in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (for 1977; TAC and allocation; fisheries restricted to "window" area seasonally with pelagic gear; exemption of 10% for incidental non-allocated mackerel and 5% for incidental non-allocated other species)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.41-42)
In force: 17 June 1977 (Resolution (3) from June 1976 Annual Meeting requests implementation throughout 1977)

- (181) Repeal of fishing gear regulation in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 [see (150)] (repeals proposal (2) from September 1975 Special Meeting effective 1 January 1977)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.43)
In force: 17 June 1977
- (182) Regulation of the squid (*Loligo* and *Illex*) fisheries in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6 (for 1977; commitment to adopt revisions of 1977 allocations at 1977 June Meeting and bring into effect upon receipt of notification from Depository Government of amounts decided by Commission)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.44)
In force: 17 June 1977
- (183) Regulation of the fisheries by catch quota in the Convention Area and Statistical Area 6 [see (173)] (for 1977; TACs and allocations for 9 stocks (first-tier) deferred from 1976 Annual Meeting (proposal 8) and TAC and allocation for group of stocks (collectively) (second-tier) in Subarea 5 and Statistical Area 6)
- Proposed: 9 December 1976 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.45)
In force: 17 June 1977 (Resolution (3) from June 1976 Annual Meeting requests implementation throughout 1977)
- (184) Regulation of the fisheries by catch quota in Subareas 2, 3, and 4 of the Convention Area [see (173)] (for 1978; TACs and allocations for 22 stocks)
- Proposed: 10 June 1977 (Ann.Rept.Vol.27,p.67-68)
In force: 24 December 1977
- (185) Regulation of the fisheries by catch quota in Subarea 3 of the Convention Area (for 1979; TACs and allocation for 8 stocks with special provisions for EEC member countries)
- Proposed: 6 June 1978 (Ann.Rept.Vol.28,p.40)
In force: 13 January 1979
- (186) Amendments to ICNAF Scheme of Joint International Enforcement [see (115), (156), and (165)] (amendments to paragraphs 4 and 5 and additional Annex C re boarding ladder)
- Proposed: 9 March 1979 (Proc. March 1979 Meeting, p. 19-22)
In force:
- (187) Authorized actions to be taken by Executive Secretary following information on Member Countries reaching their catch quotas
- Proposed: 9 March 1979 (Proc. March 1979 Meeting, p. 23)
In force:
- (188) Regulation of the fisheries by catch quota in Subareas 3 and 4 of the Convention Area (for 1979; TACs and allocations for 2 stocks)
- Proposed: 9 March 1979 (Proc. March 1979 Meeting, p. 32)
In force: