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Annual Returns of Infringements, 1968

By the ICNAF Secretariat

Returns /to 29 May 1969/ relating to mesh size, mesh obstructions and excess landing for 1968 were received from all Contracting Governments except Denmark, France, Germany /Fed.Rep./, Iceland and Norway. UK had no returns. Italy did not fish in the ICNAF Convention Area in 1968.

This document presents a summary of inspections, infringements and actions taken by Contracting Governments as a result of their efforts to ensure adherence by their nationals to the Commission's trawl regulations.

ICNAP Trawl Regulations
 Summary of Infringements.
 Mesh Obstruction - 1968

Country	Inspections (gear)			(4) apparent infringements (3)	(5) Percentage of gear (4) given (3)	(6) Warnings given	(7) Prosecutions (7) = (4) (6)	(8) Successful prosecutions	(9) Penalties imposed (in currency of reporting country)			Remarks (e.g. re cases pending and in respect of illegal nets)
	(1) at sea	(2) in harbour	(3) total (3) = (1) + (2)						Total	Highest	Lowest	
Canada	-	313	313	6	1.9	3	3	3	\$ 75	\$ 25	\$ 25	
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Poland	9	33	42	4	16.0	4	-	-	-	-	-	
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Romania	- ^a	- ^a	- ^a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain	12	20	32	-	Pair trawlers don't use chaffing gear	5	21	21	Rbbls 2,150	Rbbls 200	Rbbls 50	no returns
USSR	240	191	431	26	6.0	5	21	21	-	-	-	
UK												
USA	27	2,191	2,218	1	.0	1 ^b	-	-	-	-	-	

^a Inspections were performed but number not given

^b Topside chaffing gear extending beyond 16 meshes laterally

ICNAF Trawl Regulations
 Summary of Infringements
 Excess Landings - 1968

Country	Inspections (gear)			(4) Appar-ent infringements (4) on (3)	(5) Per-centage of (4)	(6) Warn-ings given	(7) Prosec-utions (7) = (4) - (6)	(8) Prosec-utions successful (8) = (7) - (6)	(9) Penalties imposed (in currency of reporting country)			Remarks (e.g. re cases pending and in respect of illegal nets)	
	(1) at sea	(2) in har-bour	(3) total (3) = (1) + (2)						Total	Highest	Lowest		
Canada	-	454	454	22	4.8	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Poland	5	28	33	3	2.5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Romania	- ^a	- ^a	- ^a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
U.S.S.R.	110	39	149	5	3.1	-	5	5	-	Rbls 450	Rbls 100	Rbls 50	
U.K.	-	3,214	3,214	5	.2	3	1	see Footnote	1	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	no returns
U.S.A.	-	3,214	3,214	5	.2	3	1	see Footnote	1	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	no returns

^a Inspections were performed but number not given
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ICNAP Travel Regulations
Summary of Infringements.

Mesh No. 1000

Country	Inspections (Gear)		(4) Apparent infringements (3)	(5) Percentage of (4) on (3)	(6) Prosecutions (15)	(7) Successful Prosecutions (16)	(8)	(9) Penalties imposed (in currency of reporting country)			Remarks (e.g. re cases pending and in respect of illegal nets)
	(1) at sea	(2) in harbour						Total	Highest	Lowest	
Canada	345	345	32	9.8	-	-	7	£ 105	£ 200	£ 10	
Germany	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Ireland	33	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Portugal	16	113	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Romania	- ^a	- ^a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain	45	145	4	2.8	-	-	2	Pes. 25,000	Pes. 25,000	Pes. 10,000	
USSR	240	431	21	4.9	-	24	24	Rbls 1,905	Rbls 100	Rbls 50	no returns
UK	27	2,191	7	.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	
USA		2,216									

^a Inspections were performed but number not given

^b For technical or minor infractions with insufficient evidence to convict