

**Recommendation on Shrimp Fisheries in the NEAFC Regulatory Area – Sorting Grids**

The Commission hereby adopts the following recommendation pursuant to Articles 5 and 7 of the Convention:

Each Contracting Party shall ensure that its vessels use sorting grids when fishing for shrimp with trawl in ICES sub-areas I and II of the Regulatory Area. The spacing between the bars of the sorting grid shall not exceed 22 mm.