

**Recommendation on amending Recommendation 2:2011, to add additional deep-sea Chimaera species to Annex I – Stock Units in Recommendation 2:2011 Monthly Statistics (as amended by Recommendations 17:2021: 23:2020: 13:2016, 17:2015, 14:2013), and to amend the scientific name and FAO code for Iceland catshark**

As proposed by the Working Group on Statistics, the Commission hereby adopts the following recommendation pursuant to Article 9.1 and 9.2 of the Convention:

**Recommendation 2:2011 shall be amended to read as follows:  
(amendments are shown in track changes)**

**Recommendation 02: 2011**

**THE NORTH-EAST ATLANTIC FISHERIES COMMISSION AT ITS ANNUAL MEETING IN NOVEMBER 2012 ADOPTED, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLES 9.1 AND 9.2 OF THE CONVENTION, A RECOMMENDATION AMENDING RECOMMENDATION 2:2011 PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION OF STATISTICAL INFORMATION RELATING TO FISHERIES BEYOND AND UNDER THE FISHERIES JURISDICTION OF CONTRACTING PARTIES**

Recognising the need to establish a more efficient reporting system for uptakes of quotas from resources regulated by NEAFC the Contracting Parties have agreed the following measures:

1. Each Contracting Party shall, within 30 days following the calendar month in which the catches were landed, or transhipped, report to the Secretary, in computer readable format, provisional monthly statistics of catches from stocks listed in Annex I and species listed in Annex IV, whether the catch is taken in international waters or in waters under the jurisdiction of the Contracting Parties. For stocks listed in Annex I, the reporting shall include all catches that are determined by the relevant Contracting Party to be from the stock subject to NEAFC management measures. For species listed in Annex IV, the reporting shall include all catches that are determined by the relevant Contracting Party as not from the stock that is subject to NEAFC management measures.
2. These reports shall be made in accordance with the specifications and format set out in Annexes II and III, whether or not that Party has quota allocations for the stocks from which catches were obtained.
3. The Secretary shall, within 10 days following the monthly deadline for receipt of the provisional catch statistics, collate the information received and circulate it to the Contracting Parties. Annual catch data shall be submitted not later than 1 July of the following year.

ANNEX I

Stock units

| Stock units   | Stock code | NEAFC stock – common name                            | Species                   |                   |   |
|---|------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------|---|
|   |            |  | Common name               | FAO code          | Scientific name                               |
| Norwegian spring spawning herring                   | XHE        | Norwegian spring spawning herring (Atlanto Scandian) | Herring                   | HER               | <i>Clupea harengus</i>                        |
| Blue whiting combined stock Sub Area I-IX, XII, XIV | XWH        | Blue whiting   | Blue whiting              | WHB               | <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>               |
| North East Atlantic Mackerel                        | XMA        | Mackerel   | Mackerel                  | MAC               | <i>Scomber scombrus</i>                       |
| Rockall haddock                                     | XHA        | Haddock  | Haddock                   | HAD               | <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>               |
| Pelagic redfish in the Irminger Sea                 | XIS        | Redfish  | Redfish                   | REB               | <i>Sebastes mentella</i>                      |
| Pelagic redfish Sub Areas I, II                     | XNS        | Redfish  | Redfish                   | REB               | <i>Sebastes mentella</i>                      |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Baird’s smoothhead        | ALC               | <i>Alepocephalus bairdi</i>                   |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Risso’s smoothhead        | PHO               | <i>Alepocephalus rostratus</i>                |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Blue antimora (Blue hake) | ANT               | <i>Antimora rostrata</i>                      |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Black scabbardfish        | BSF               | <i>Aphanopus carbo</i>                        |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Iceland catshark          | <del>APQAPI</del> | <del><i>Apristurus laurussonii</i> spp.</del> |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Argentines                | ARG               | <i>Argentinaspp.</i>                          |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Greater argentine         | ARU               | <i>Argentina silus</i>                        |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Alfonsinos                | ALF               | <i>Berys spp.</i>                             |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Tusk                      | USK               | <i>Brosme brosme</i>                          |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Gulper shark              | GUP               | <i>Centrophorus granulosos</i>                |
| Deep Sea Fisheries                                  | XDS        | Deep-sea species                                     | Leafscale gulper shark    | GUQ               | <i>Centrophorus squamosus</i>                 |

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| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Black dogfish                       | CFB | <i>Centoscyllium fabricii</i>      |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Portuguese dogfish                  | CYO | <i>Centroscymnus coeloepis</i>     |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Longnose velvet dogfish             | CYP | <i>Centroscymnus crepidater</i>    |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Deep-water red crab                 | KEF | <i>Chacon (geyron) affinis</i>     |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Rabbit fish (Rattail)               | CMO | <i>Chimaera monstrosa</i>          |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Frilled shark                       | HXC | <i>Chalamydoselachus anguineus</i> |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Conger eel                          | COE | <i>Conger conger</i>               |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Roundnose grenadier                 | RNG | <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i>    |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Kitefin shark                       | SCK | <i>Dalatias licha</i>              |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Birdbeak dogfish                    | DCA | <i>Deania calceus</i>              |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Black (Deep-water) cardinal fish    | EPI | <i>Epigonus telescopus</i>         |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Latern sharks                       | SHL | <i>Etmopterus spp.</i>             |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Greater lantern shark               | ETR | <i>Etmopterus princeps</i>         |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Velvet belly                        | ETX | <i>Etmopterus spinax</i>           |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Blackmouth dogfish                  | SHO | <i>Galeus melastomus</i>           |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Mouse catshark                      | GAM | <i>Galeus murinus</i>              |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Bluemouth (Blue mouth redfish)      | BRF | <i>Helicolenus dactylopterus</i>   |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Blondnose six-gilled shark          | SBL | <i>Hexanchus griseus</i>           |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Orange roughy                       | ORY | <i>Hoplostethus atlanticus</i>     |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Silver roughy (Pink)                | HPR | <i>Hoplostethus mediterraneus</i>  |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Large- eyed rabbit fish (Ratfish)   | CYH | <i>Hydrolagus mirabilis</i>        |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Silver scabbard fish (Cutless fish) | SFS | <i>Lepidopus caudatus</i>          |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Eelpout                             | ELP | <i>Zoarces viviparous</i>          |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Greater eelpout                     | LXK | <i>Lycodes esmarkii</i>            |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Roughhead grenadier (Rough rattail) | RHG | <i>Marcrourus berglax</i>          |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Blue ling                           | BLI | <i>Molva dypterigia</i>            |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Ling                                | LIN | <i>Molva molva</i>                 |
| Deep Sea Fisheries | XDS | Deep-sea species | Common mora                         | RIB | <i>Mora moro</i>                   |

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| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Sailfin roughshark (Sharpback shark)        | OXN        | <i>Oxynotus paradoxus</i>            |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Red (blackspot) seabream                    | SBR        | <i>Pagellus bogaraveo</i>            |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Forkbeards                                  | FOX        | <i>Phycis spp</i>                    |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Greater forkbeards                          | GFB        | <i>Phycis blennoides.</i>            |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Wreckfish                                   | WRF        | <i>Polyprion americanus</i>          |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Round skate                                 | RJY        | <i>Raja fyllae</i>                   |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Arctic skate                                | RJG        | <i>Raja hyperborea</i>               |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Norwegian skate                             | JAD        | <i>Raja nidarosiensus</i>            |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Greenland halibut                           | GHL        | <i>Rheinhardtius hippoglossoides</i> |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Straightnose rabbitfish                     | RCT        | <i>Rhinochimaera atlantica</i>       |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Knifetooth dogfish                          | SYR        | <i>Scymnodon ringens</i>             |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Small redfish (Norway haddock)              | SFV        | <i>Sebastes viviparus</i>            |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Greenland shark                             | GSK        | <i>Somniosus microcephalus</i>       |
| Deep Sea Fisheries        | XDS        | Deep-sea species        | Spiny (Deep-sea) Scorpionfish               | TJX        | <i>Trachyscorpia cristulata</i>      |
| <u>Deep Sea Fisheries</u> | <u>XDS</u> | <u>Deep-sea species</u> | <u>Opal chimaera</u>                        | <u>WCH</u> | <u><i>Chimaera opalescens</i></u>    |
| <u>Deep Sea Fisheries</u> | <u>XDS</u> | <u>Deep-sea species</u> | <u>Small-eyed rabbitfish</u>                | <u>CYA</u> | <u><i>Hydrolagus affinis</i></u>     |
| <u>Deep Sea Fisheries</u> | <u>XDS</u> | <u>Deep-sea species</u> | <u>Portuguese rabbitfish</u>                | <u>KXA</u> | <u><i>Hydrolagus lusitanicus</i></u> |
| <u>Deep Sea Fisheries</u> | <u>XDS</u> | <u>Deep-sea species</u> | <u>Pale chimaera</u>                        | <u>CYZ</u> | <u><i>Hydrolagus pallidus</i></u>    |
| <u>Deep Sea Fisheries</u> | <u>XDS</u> | <u>Deep-sea species</u> | <u>Smallspine spookfish</u>                 | <u>HCH</u> | <u><i>Harriotta haeckeli</i></u>     |
| <u>Deep Sea Fisheries</u> | <u>XDS</u> | <u>Deep-sea species</u> | <u>Narrownose Pacific longnose chimaera</u> | <u>HCR</u> | <u><i>Harriotta raleighana</i></u>   |
| Porbeagle                 | XOS        | Other Species           | Porbeagle                                   | POR        | <i>Lamna nasus</i>                   |
| Spiny dogfish/Spurdog     | XOS        | Other Species           | Spiny dogfish/Spurdog                       | DGS        | <i>Squalus acanthias</i>             |
| Basking Shark             | XOS        | Other Species           | Basking Shark                               | BSK        | <i>Cetorhinus maximus</i>            |



**ANNEX III**

**Reporting elements**

**CP Contracting Party**

XEU European Union  
FRO Faroe Islands (DFG)  
GRL Greenland (DFG)  
ISL Iceland  
GBR United Kingdom  
NOR Norway  
RUS Russian Federation

**YM Year / Month**

200901 for January 2009

**SS Stock**

XIS Pelagic *S. mentella* in the Irminger Sea  
XNS Pelagic *S. mentella* in ICES sub-areas I and II  
XMA North east Atlantic Mackerel  
XHE Norwegian spring spawning Herring (Atlanto Scandian)  
XWH Blue whiting combined stock  
XHA Rockall Haddock  
XDS Deep sea fisheries  
XOS Other Species  
XXX Unspecified stock

**ZO Fishing grounds either international waters or EEZs**

XNE NEAFC's Regulatory Area  
XNW NAFO's Regulatory Area  
XNW-GRL Greenland's EEZ within NAFO Convention Area  
XEU European Union EEZs  
XSV Svalbard  
XJM Jan Mayen  
FRO Faroe Islands EEZ  
GRL Greenland EEZ  
ISL Iceland EEZ  
NOR Norway EEZ  
RUS Russian Federation EEZ  
GBR United Kingdom EEZ

**CA Monthly catch**

Quantity in metric tonnes of catch landed or transhipped in the relevant month.  
No decimals, rounded up.

**CC Cumulative catch**

Quantity in metric tonnes of cumulative catch up to and including the relevant month.  
No decimals, rounded up.

**Annex IV**

**Species list**

| Stock code | NEAFC – common name | Species               |          |                          |
|------------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------|--------------------------|
|            |                     | Common name           | FAO code | Scientific name          |
| XXX        | Herring             | Atlantic herring      | HER      | <i>Clupea harengus</i>   |
| XXX        | Redfish             | Beaked redfish        | REB      | <i>Sebastes mentella</i> |
| XXX        | Redfish             | Redfish (unspecified) | RED      | <i>Sebastes spp</i>      |
| XXX        | Redfish             | Golden redfish        | REG      | <i>Sebastes marinus</i>  |

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