# 2010 No. 54

# FOOD

# The Fish Labelling Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010

Made	-	-	-	-	1st March 2010
Coming	into c	pere	ation	_	6th April 2010

The Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety(**a**) makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 15(1)(e) and (f), 16(2), 25(3) and 47(2) of the Food Safety (Northern Ireland) Order 1991(**b**), as read with paragraph 1A of Schedule 2 to the European Communities Act 1972(c).

In accordance with Article 47(3A) of that Order, it has had regard to relevant advice given by the Food Standards Agency.

As required by Article 9 of Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the general principles and requirements of food law, establishing the European Food Safety Authority and laying down procedures in matters of food safety(**d**), there has been open and transparent public consultation during the preparation and evaluation of these Regulations.

### **Citation and commencement**

**1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Fish Labelling Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2010 and shall come into operation on 6th April 2010.

# Interpretation

2.—(1) In these Regulations —

"Member State" means a Member State of the European Communities;

"Regulation 104/2000" means Council Regulation (EC) No. 104/2000 on the common organisation of the markets in fishery and aquaculture products(e); and

<sup>(</sup>a) Formerly the Department of Health and Social Services; see S.I. 1999/283 (N.I.1) Article 3(6)

<sup>(</sup>b) S.I. 1991/762 (N.I.7) as amended by S.I. 1996/1663 (N.I.12), paragraphs 26 to 42 of Schedule 5 and Schedule 6 to the Food Standards Act 1999 c.28 and S.R. 2004 Nos. 482 and 505

<sup>(</sup>c) 1972 c.68, Paragraph 1A of Schedule 2 was inserted by the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006 (2006 c.51)

<sup>(</sup>d) OJ No. L31, 1.2.2002, p.1. That Regulation was last amended by Regulation (EC) No. 596/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council adapting a number of instruments subject to the procedure referred to in Article 251 of the Treaty to Council Decision 1999/468/EC with regard to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny: Adaptation to the regulatory procedure with scrutiny – Part Four (OJ No. L188, 18.7.2009, p.14)

<sup>(</sup>e) OJ No. L17, 21.1.2000, p.22. That Regulation was amended by the EU Act concerning the conditions of accession of the Czech Republic etc. (OJ No. L236, 23.9.2003, p.33)

"Regulation 2065/2001" means Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2065/2001 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No. 104/2000 as regards informing consumers about fishery and aquaculture products(**a**).

(2) Any expressions used in these Regulations and in Regulation 104/2000 or Regulation 2065/2001 have the same meaning as they have in those Regulations.

(3) Any references to Regulation 104/2000 or Regulation 2065/2001 mean those Regulations as amended or corrected from time to time.

#### Offences relating to consumer information

**3.**—(1) Any person who, in contravention of Article 4(1) of Regulation 104/2000 (consumer information) as read with Regulation 2065/2001, offers for retail sale to the final consumer any of the products to which that Article applies shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale.

(2) Any person who fails to comply with Article 8 of Regulation 2065/2001 (traceability and control) shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.

#### Lists of commercial designations

**4.**—(1) The list of commercial designations which the United Kingdom is required to draw up and publish under Article 4(2) of Regulation 104/2000 is that set out in the table in the Schedule and accordingly, the commercial designations set out in that Schedule are names prescribed by law for the purposes of regulations 6(1), 7 and 8(a) of the Food Labelling Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996(**b**).

(2) In relation to a species included both in the Schedule and in a list published in English under Article 4(2) of Regulation 104/2000 having effect in another Member State or another part of the United Kingdom, the commercial designation for that species in the list having effect in that other Member State or part of the United Kingdom shall be an alternative to the commercial designation for that species set out in the Schedule and shall be a name prescribed by law for the purposes set out in paragraph (1).

#### Omission of reference to the production method

**5.** In the case described in Article 4(2) of Regulation 2065/2001 (situation where it is obvious from commercial designation and catch area that the species is caught at sea) it shall not be a contravention of Article 4(1) of Regulation 104/2000 to offer for retail sale to the final consumer a product to which that Article applies without the product being marked or labelled with the production method.

#### **Small quantities of products**

**6.**—(1) For the purposes of Article 4(1) of Regulation 104/2000 as read with Article 7 of Regulation 2065/2001, the small quantity of products which may be sold directly to consumers shall be products to a value not exceeding 20 Euros for each purchase.

(2) For the purposes of this regulation, the reference to 20 Euros shall be taken to be a reference to the sterling equivalent of that number of Euros, converted by reference to the rate of conversion published annually on the first working day of the preceding September in the C series of the Official Journal of the European Communities or, if no rate is published in it on that day, the first rate published in it thereafter.

<sup>(</sup>a) OJ No. L278, 23.10.2001, p.6. That Regulation was corrected by a Corrigendum (OJ No. L10, 12.1.2002, p.82 (2001/2065) and it was amended by the EU Act concerning the conditions of accession of the Czech Republic etc. (OJ No. L236, 23.9.2003, p.33) and by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1792/2006 (OJ No. L362, 20.12.2006, p.1)

<sup>(</sup>b) S.R. 1996 No. 383; regulation 6(4) (which defines "prescribed by law" for the purposes of regulations 6(1), 7 and 8(a)) was inserted by S.R. 1998 No. 253

#### Additional information relating to the catch area

7. The indication of catch area required by Article 4(1)(c) of Regulation 104/2000 may, where the circumstances described in Article 5(1)(c) of Regulation 2065/2001 apply, indicate the various Member States or third countries in which the product was farmed.

#### **Provisional commercial designations**

**8.**—(1) For the purposes of Article 2 of Regulation 2065/2001 (provisional commercial designations), the Food Standards Agency ("the Agency") shall be the competent authority.

(2) The Agency shall draw up and publish a list of provisional commercial designations laid down pursuant to Article 2 of Regulation 2065/2001.

# Enforcement

9. Each district council shall enforce and execute these Regulations in its district.

#### Application of various provisions of the Food Safety (Northern Ireland) Order 1991

**10.** The following provisions of the Food Safety (Northern Ireland) Order 1991 ("the Order") shall apply for the purposes of these Regulations with the modification that any reference in those provisions to the Order or Part of the Order shall be construed as a reference to these Regulations and to those provisions of Regulation 104/2000 and Regulation 2065/2001 to which these Regulations relate —

- (a) Article 4 (presumption that food is intended for human consumption);
- (b) Article 19 (offences due to fault of another person);
- (c) Article 20 (defence of due diligence) as it applies for the purposes of Article 13 or 14;
- (d) Article 30(8) (which relates to documentary evidence);
- (e) Article 34(1) (obstruction etc of officers);
- (f) Article 34(2) with the modification that the reference to "any such requirement as is mentioned in paragraph (1)(b)" shall be deemed to be a reference to any such requirement as is mentioned in Article 34(1)(b) as applied by sub-paragraph (e);
- (g) Article 36(1) (punishment of offences) insofar as it relates to offences under Article 34(1) as applied by sub-paragraph (e);
- (h) Article 36(2) and (3) insofar as it relates to offences under Article 34(2) as applied by sub-paragraph (f).

## Revocation

11. The following Regulations are revoked —

- (a) The Fish Labelling Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003(a); and
- (b) The Fish Labelling (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006(b).

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety on 1st March 2010.



<sup>(</sup>a) S.R. 2003 No. 160

<sup>(</sup>b) S.R. 2006 No. 116

Andrew McCormick A senior officer of the Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety

# SCHEDULE

Regulation 4

# Commercial Designations

**1.** Subject to paragraphs 2 and 3, the commercial designation for any species of fish specified in column 2 of the following Table shall be a name specified for that species in the corresponding entry in column 1.

**2.** A customary name may be used for any species of fish which has been subjected to smoking or any similar process, unless the name of the species in column 2 of the Table is followed by an asterisk. In such cases the name used for the food when the fish is smoked shall be a name specified for that species in column 1 of the said Table preceded by the word "smoked".

**3.** Paragraph 1, as read with the Table, shall not apply to fish regulated by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2136/89 laying down common marketing standards for preserved sardines and trade descriptions for preserved sardines and sardine-type products(**a**) (as amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1181/2003(**b**) and Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1345/2008(**c**)) or Council Regulation (EEC) No. 1536/92 laying down common marketing standards for preserved tuna and bonito(**d**).

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Sea Fish	
African sole	Solea senegalensis
Alaska plaice	Pleuronectes quadrituberculatus
Alaska pollack <i>or</i> Alaska pollock <i>or</i> Pacific pollack <i>or</i> Pacific pollock	Theragra chalcogramma
Alaska pollock – see entry for Alaska Pollack <i>or</i> Alaska pollock <i>or</i> Pacific pollack <i>or</i> Pacific pollock	
Albacore tuna - see entry for Tuna <i>or</i> Tunny	
Amberjack – see entry for Horse Mackerel or Jack or Scad or Trevally	
American plaice	Hippoglossoides platessoides
Anchovy	All species of the family Engraulidae
Angler(fish) or Monk(fish)	Lophiodes caulinaris
	Lophius americanus
	Lophius budegassa
	Lophius piscatorius

TABLE

<sup>(</sup>a) OJ No. L212, 22.7.1989, p.79

<sup>(</sup>**b**) OJ No. L165, 3.7.2003, p.17

<sup>(</sup>c) OJ No. L348, 24.12.2008, p.76

<sup>(</sup>**d**) OJ No. L.163, 17.6.1992, p.1

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Argentine	All species of the family Argentinidae
Arrowtooth flounder	Atheresthes stomias
Barracuda	All species of Sphyraena
Barramundi	Lates calcarifer
Basking shark – see entry for Shark	
Bass or Sea bass	Dicentrarchus labrax
Bib or Pout or Pouting or Pout whiting	Trisopterus luscus
Bigeye	All species of Priacanthus
Bigeye tuna – see entry for Tuna <i>or</i> Tunny	
Black bream or Black seabream	Spondyliosoma cantharus
Black halibut <i>or</i> Greenland halibut <i>or</i> Mock halibut	Reinhardtius hippoglossoides
Black oreo – see entry for Oreo	
Black sabre – see entry for Cutlassfish or Ribbonfish <i>or</i> Scabbard fish	
Black scabbard fish – see entry for Cutlassfish <i>or</i> Ribbonfish <i>or</i> Scabbard fish	
Black scorpionfish or Racasse	Scorpaena porcus
Black seabream – see entry for Black bream <i>or</i> Black seabream	
Blacktip shark – see entry for Shark	
Blue cod	Parapercis colias
Bluefin tuna – see entry for Tuna <i>or</i> Tunny	
Bluefish or Tailor	Pomatomus saltatrix
Blue ling	Molva dypterygia
Blue shark – see entry for Shark	
Blue whiting	Micromesistius poutassou
Bogue	Boops boops
Bombay duck	Harpadon nehereus

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Bonito	All species of Auxis
	All species of <i>Euthynnus</i> , with the exception of <i>Euthynnus</i> ( <i>Katsuwonus</i> ) <i>pelamis</i>
	All species of Sarda
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Bullet tuna <i>or</i> Melva	Auxis rochei
Brill	Scophthalmus rhombus
Brisling	Sprattus sprattus when canned
Note also entries for Sild, Sprat and Whitebait	
Bullet tuna – see entry for Bonito	
Butterfish or Pomfret	All species of Brama
	All species of <i>Pampus</i>
	All species of Stromateus
Butter sole	Isopsetta isolepis
Californian sole	Parophrys vetulus
Cape angler(fish) or Cape monk(fish)	Lophius vomerinus
Cape hake – see entry for Hake	
Cape monk(fish) – see entry for Cape angler(fish) <i>or</i> Cape monk(fish)	
Catfish or Rockfish or Wolffish	All species of Anarhichas
Chilean hoki	Macruronus magellanicus
Coalfish or Coley or Saithe	Pollachius virens
Cobia	Rachycentron canadum

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Cod	Gadus macrocephalus
	Gadus morhua
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	Gadus ogac
Codling	Gadus morhua
Greenland cod	Gadus ogac
Pacific cod	Gadus macrocephalus
Codling – see entry for Cod	
Coley – see entry for Coalfish <i>or</i> Coley <i>or</i> Saithe	
Conger	All species of Conger
Croaker or Drum or Jewfish	All species of the family Sciaenidae
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Meagre	Argyrosomus regius
Mulloway or Southern meagre	Argyrosomus hololepidotus
Cutlassfish or Ribbonfish or Scabbard fish	All species of family <i>Trichiuridae</i>
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Black sabre or Black scabbard fish	Aphanopus carbo
Sabre or Sabre fish or Silver sabre	Lepidopus caudatus
Dab	Limanda limanda
Doctor fish or Surgeon fish or Tang	All species of the family Acanthuridae

Column 1	Column 2
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Dogfish or Flake or Huss or Rigg or	All species of Galeorhinus
Rock eel or Rock salmon	All species of Mustelus
	All species of Scyliorhinus
	Galeus melastomus
	Squalus acanthias
Dory or John Dory or St Peter's fish	Zeus faber
Dover sole or Sole	Solea solea
Drum – see entry for Croaker <i>or</i> Drum <i>or</i> Jewfish	
Eel	All species of Anguilla
Emperor	All species of <i>Lethrinus</i>
Escolar or Snake mackerel	All species of the family Gempylidae
Flake – see entry for Dogfish <i>or</i> Flake <i>or</i> Huss <i>or</i> Rigg <i>or</i> Rock eel <i>or</i> Rock salmon	
Flathead	All species of the family <i>Platycephalidae</i>
Flathead sole	Hippoglossoides elassodon
Flounder	Platichthys flesus
Flying fish	All species of the family Exocoetidae
Garfish or Needlefish	All seafish species of the family Belonidae
Goatfish or Red mullet	All species of the family Mullidae
Greenland cod – see entry for Cod	
Greenland halibut – see entry for Black halibut <i>or</i> Greenland halibut <i>or</i> Mock halibut	
Greenling	Ophiodon elongatus
Grey mullet	All species of the family Mugilidae
Grouper	All species of <i>Epinephelus</i>
	All species of Mycteroperca
Gurnard	All species of the family <i>Triglidae</i>
	Peristedion cataphractum

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Haddock	Melanogrammus aeglefinus
Hake	All species of Merluccius
The following commercial designation may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against it in Column 2:	
Cape hake	Merluccius capensis
	Merluccius paradoxus
Halfbeak	All species of the family Hemiramphidae
Halibut	Hippoglossus hippoglossus
	Hippoglossus stenolepis
Herring	Clupea harengus
Note also entries for Sild and Whitebait	
Hilsa	Tenualosa ilisha
Hoki	Macruronus novaezelandiae
Horse mackerel <i>or</i> Jack <i>or</i> Scad <i>or</i>	All species of Caranx
Trevally	All species of Decapterus
	All species of Hemicaranx
	All species of Seriola
	All species of Trachurus
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Amberjack or Yellowtail	Seriola lalandi
Huss – see entry for Dogfish <i>or</i> Flake <i>or</i> Huss <i>or</i> Rigg <i>or</i> Rock eel <i>or</i> Rock salmon	
Icefish or Toothfish	Dissostichus eleginoides
	Dissostichus mawsoni
Indian halibut	Psettodes erumei
Indian mackerel	All species of Rastrelliger

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Jack – see entry for Horse mackerel or Jack or Scad or Trevally	
Japanese sea bass	Lateolabrax japonicus
Jewfish – see entry for Croaker <i>or</i> Drum <i>or</i> Jewfish	
Jobfish – see entry for Snapper	
John Dory – see entry for Dory <i>or</i> John Dory <i>or</i> St Peter's fish	
Kingfish or Spanish mackerel	All species of Scomberomorus
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in column 2:	
King mackerel	Scomberomorus cavalla
Pacific sierra or Sierra mackerel	Scomberomorus sierra
Kingklip	Genypterus capensis
King mackerel – see entry for Kingfish or Spanish mackerel	
Ladyfish	All species of the family <i>Elopidae</i>
Leatherjacket or Unicorn fish	Aluterus monoceros
Leerfish	Lichia amia
Lemon sole	Microstomus kitt
Ling	All species of Molva except Molva dypterygia
Longfin codling	Laemonema longipes
Long-finned sole or Rex sole	Glyptocephalus zachirus
Lumpfish or Lumpsucker	Cyclopterus lumpus
Lumpsucker – see entry for Lumpfish or Lumpsucker	
Lythe or Pollack or Pollock	Pollachius pollachius
Mackerel	All species of Scomber
Mahi Mahi	Coryphaena hippurus
Marlin	All species of Makaira
Meagre – see entry for Croaker <i>or</i> Drum <i>or</i> Jewfish	

<u>Column 1</u>	Column 2
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Megrim	All species of <i>Lepidorhombus</i>
Melva – see entry for Bonito	
Milkfish	Chanos chanos
Mock halibut – see entry for Black halibut <i>or</i> Greenland halibut <i>or</i> Mock halibut	
Monk(fish) – see entry for Angler (fish) <i>or</i> Monk(fish)	
Moonfish <i>or</i> Opah	All species of <i>Lampris</i>
Mulloway – see entry for Croaker <i>or</i> Drum <i>or</i> Jewfish	
Needlefish – see entry for Garfish <i>or</i> Needlefish	
Northern rock sole	Lepidopsetta polyxystra
Ocean perch or Redfish or Rose fish	All species of <i>Helicolenus</i>
	All species of Sebastes
Opah – see entry for Moonfish <i>or</i> Opah	
Orange roughy	Hoplostethus atlanticus
Oreo	Allocyttus niger
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	Pseudocyttus maculatus
Black oreo	Allocyttus niger
Smooth oreo	Pseudocyttus maculatus
Oriental bluefin tuna - see entry for Tuna <i>or</i> Tunny	
Pacific angler(fish) or Pacific monk(fish)	Lophius litulon
Pacific bluefin tuna – see entry for Tuna <i>or</i> Tunny	
Pacific cod - see entry for Cod	
Pacific monk(fish) – see entry for Pacific angler(fish) <i>or</i> Pacific monk(fish)	

Column 1	Column 2
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Pacific pilchard	Sardinops sagax that has been caught in the Pacific Ocean
Pacific pollack – see entry for Alaska pollack <i>or</i> Alaska pollock <i>or</i> Pacific pollack <i>or</i> Pacific pollock	
Pacific pollock – see entry for Alaska pollack <i>or</i> Alaska pollock <i>or</i> Pacific pollack <i>or</i> Pacific pollock	
Pacific sand dab	Citharichthys sordidus
Pacific sierra – see entry for Kingfish or Spanish mackerel	
Pacific sole	Microstomus pacificus
Parrotfish	All species of the family Scaridae
Patagonian icefish	Patagonotothen ramsayi
Peruvian moonfish	Selene peruviana
Petrale sole	Eopsetta jordani
Picarel	Spicara smaris
Pilchard	Sardina pilchardus
Note also entry for Sardine	
Plaice	Pleuronectes platessa
Pollack – see entry for Lythe <i>or</i> Pollack <i>or</i> Pollock	
Pollock – see entry for Lythe <i>or</i> Pollack <i>or</i> Pollock	
Pomfret – see entry for Butterfish <i>or</i> Pomfret	
Ponyfish or Thirali	All species of the family Leiognathidae
Poor cod	Trisopterus minutus
Porbeagle – see entry for Shark	
Porgy or Sea bream	All species of the family <i>Sparidae</i> except <i>Boops</i> boops
Pout – see entry for Bib <i>or</i> Pout <i>or</i> Pouting <i>or</i> Pout whiting	
Pouting – see entry for Bib <i>or</i> Pout <i>or</i> Pouting <i>or</i> Pout whiting	
Pout whiting – see entry for Bib <i>or</i> Pout <i>or</i> Pouting <i>or</i> Pout whiting	

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Rabbitfish	All species of the family <i>Siganidae</i>
Racasse – see entry for Black scorpionfish <i>or</i> Racasse	
Rainbow runner	Elagatis bipinnulata
Ray or Skate	All species of the family Rajidae
The following commercial designation may also be used in relation to fish listed against it in Column 2:	
Roker	Raja clavata
Red cod	Pseudophycis bachus
Redfish – see entry for Ocean perch <i>or</i> Redfish <i>or</i> Rose fish	
Red mullet – see entry for Goatfish <i>or</i> Red mullet	
Rex sole – see entry for Long-finned sole <i>or</i> Rex sole	
Ribbonfish – see entry for Cutlassfish or Ribbonfish or Scabbard fish	
Rigg –see entry for Dogfish <i>or</i> Flake <i>or</i> Huss <i>or</i> Rigg <i>or</i> Rock eel <i>or</i> Rock salmon	
Rock eel –see entry for Dogfish <i>or</i> Flake <i>or</i> Huss <i>or</i> Rigg <i>or</i> Rock eel <i>or</i> Rock salmon	
Rockfish – see entry for Catfish <i>or</i> Rockfish <i>or</i> Wolffish	
Rock salmon – see entry for Dogfish or Flake or Huss or Rigg or Rock eel or Rock salmon	
Rock sole	Lepidopsetta bilineata
Roker – see entry for Ray or Skate	
Rose fish – see entry for Ocean perch or Redfish or Rose fish	
Sablefish	Anoplopoma fimbria
Sabre - see entry for Cutlassfish <i>or</i> Ribbonfish <i>or</i> Scabbard fish	
Sabre fish – see entry for Cutlassfish or Ribbonfish or Scabbard fish	
Saffron cod	Eleginus gracilis
Sailfish	All species of Istiophorus

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
St Peter's fish – see entry for Dory <i>or</i> John Dory <i>or</i> St Peter's fish	
Saithe – see entry for Coalfish <i>or</i> Coley <i>or</i> Saithe	
Sandbar shark – see entry for Shark	
Sand smelt or Silverside	All species of the family Atherinidae
Sardine	Small Sardina pilchardus
Note also entry for Pilchard	
Sardinella	All species of Sardinella
Scabbard fish – see entry for Cutlassfish <i>or</i> Ribbonfish <i>or</i> Scabbard fish	
Scad – see entry for Horse mackerel <i>or</i> Jack <i>or</i> Scad <i>or</i> Trevally	
Sea bass – see entry for Bass <i>or</i> Sea bass	
Sea bream – see entry for Porgy <i>or</i> Sea bream	
Sea catfish	All species of the family Ariidae

Column 1	Column 2
Commercial designation Shark	Species of fish Carcharhinus falciformis
	Carcharhinus limbatus
	Carcharhinus plumbeus
	Cetorhinus maximus
	Isurus oxyrinchus
	Lamna nasus
	Prionace glauca
	Rhincodon typus
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Basking shark	Cetorhinus maximus
Blacktip shark	Carcharhinus limbatus
Blue shark	Prionace glauca
Porbeagle	Lamna nasus
Sandbar shark	Carcharhinus plumbeus
Shortfin mako or Shortfin mako shark	Isurus oxyrinchus
Silky shark	Carcharhinus falciformis
Whale shark	Rhincodon typus
Shortfin mako – see entry for Shark	
Shortfin mako shark – see entry for Shark	
Sierra mackerel – see entry for Kingfish or Spanish mackerel	
Sild	Small Clupea harengus, when canned
Note also entries for Brisling, Herring, Sprat and Whitebait	Small Sprattus sprattus, when canned

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Silky shark – see entry for Shark	
Sillago	All species of the family Sillaginidae
Silver sabre – see entry for Cutlassfish or Ribbonfish or Scabbard fish	
Silverside – see entry for Sand smelt or Silverside	
Skate – see entry for Ray or Skate	
Skipjack tuna or Tuna	Euthynnus (Katsuwonus) pelamis
Note also entry for Tuna or Tunny	
Small sandeel	Ammodytes tobianus
Smelt or Sparling	All species of Osmerus
Smooth oreo – see entry for Oreo <i>or</i> Smooth oreo	
Snake mackerel – see entry for Escolar or Snake mackerel	
Snapper	All species of the family Lutjanidae
The following commercial designation may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against it in Column 2:	
Jobfish	All species of Aphareus
	All species of Aprion
	All species of Pristipomoides
Snook	All species of Centropomus
Soldier fish or Squirrel fish	All species of the family Holocentridae
Sole – see entry for Dover sole <i>or</i> Sole	
South Atlantic pilchard	Sardinops sagax that has been caught in the South Atlantic Ocean
Southern blue whiting	Micromesistius australis
Southern bluefin tuna – see entry for Tuna <i>or</i> Tunny	
Southern meagre – see entry for Croaker <i>or</i> Drum <i>or</i> Jewfish	
Southern rock bass	Paralabrax callaensis
Spadefish	All species of the family <i>Ephippidae</i>
Spanish mackerel – see entry for Kingfish <i>or</i> Spanish mackerel	
Sparling – see entry for Smelt <i>or</i> Sparling	

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Speckled flounder	Paralichthys woolmani
Spottail spiny turbot or Spottail turbot	Psettodes belcheri
Spottail turbot – see entry for Spottail spiny turbot <i>or</i> Spottail turbot	
Spotted sea bass	Dicentrarchus punctatus
Sprat	Sprattus sprattus, except when canned
Note also entries for Brisling, Sild and Whitebait	
Squirrel fish – see entry for Soldier fish <i>or</i> Squirrel fish	
Stargazer	All species of the family Uranoscopidae
Striped bass	Morone saxatilis
Surgeon fish – see entry for Doctor fish <i>or</i> Surgeon fish <i>or</i> Tang	
Swordfish	Xiphias gladius
Tailor – see entry for Bluefish <i>or</i> Tailor	
Tang – see entry for Doctor fish <i>or</i> Surgeon fish <i>or</i> Tang	
Tarpon	All species of the family Megalopidae
Thirali – see entry for Ponyfish <i>or</i> Thirali	
Threadfin	Polynemus tetradactylum
Threadfin bream	All species of Nemipterus
Toothfish – see entry for Icefish <i>or</i> Toothfish	
Torbay sole or Witch	Glyptocephalus cynoglossus
Torpedo sand perch	Diplectrum maximum
Trevally – see entry for Horse mackerel <i>or</i> Jack <i>or</i> Scad <i>or</i> Trevally	

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Tuna or Tunny	All species of <i>Thunnus</i>
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Albacore tuna	Thunnus alalunga
Bigeye tuna	Thunnus obesus
Bluefin tuna	Thunnus thynnus
Oriental bluefin tuna or Pacific bluefin tuna	Thunnus orientalis
Southern bluefin tuna	Thunnus maccoyii
Yellowfin tuna	Thunnus albacares
Note also entry for Skipjack tuna or Tuna	
Tunny – see entry for Tuna or Tunny	
Turbot	Psetta maxima
Unicorn fish – see entry for Leatherjacket <i>or</i> Unicorn fish	
Wahoo	Acanthocybium solandri
Weever	All species of the family Trachinidae
Whale shark – see entry for Shark	
Whitebait	Small Clupea harengus
	Small Sprattus sprattus (except when canned)
Note also entries for Brisling, Herring, Sild and Sprat	
White hake	Urophycis tenuis
Whiting	Merlangius merlangus
Winter flounder	Pseudopleuronectes americanus
Witch – see entry for Torbay sole <i>or</i> Witch	
Wolffish – see entry for Catfish <i>or</i> Rockfish <i>or</i> Wolffish	
Wolf herring	Chirocentrus dorab
Wrasse	All species of the family Labridae

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Yellowfin sole	Limanda aspera
Yellowfin tuna – see entry for Tuna <i>or</i>	
Tunny	
Yellowstripe scad	Sellaroides leptolepis
Yellowtail – see entry for Horse	
mackerel <i>or</i> Jack <i>or</i> Scad <i>or</i> Trevally	
Yellowtail dab or Yellowtail flounder	Limanda ferruginea
Yellowtail flounder – see entry for Yellowtail dab <i>or</i> Yellowtail flounder	
Salmon and Freshwater Fish	
American catfish – see entry for	
Catfish	
Arctic cisco or Pollan	Coregonus autumnalis
Atlantic salmon or Salmon	Salmo salar*
Ayre – see entry for Catfish	
Bacha	Eutropiichthys vacha
Banspata – see entry for Carp	
Barbel – see entry for Carp	
Basa <i>or</i> Panga(s) <i>or</i> Pangasius <i>or</i> River cobbler <i>or</i> any of these together with the additional word 'catfish'	All species of the family Pangasiidae
The following commercial designation may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against it in Column 2:	
Royal basa	Pangasianodon bocourti
Basa catfish – see entry for Basa <i>or</i> Panga(s) <i>or</i> Pangasius <i>or</i> River cobbler <i>or</i> any of these together with the additional word 'catfish'	
Bata – see entry for Carp	
Batashi	Pseudeutropius atherinoides
Boal – see entry for Catfish	
Brown trout – see entry for Trout	
Buzuri – see entry for Catfish	
Cachama or Tambaqui	Colossoma macroponum

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Carp	All species of the family <i>Cyprinidae</i>
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Banspata	Danio devario
Barbel	Barbus barbus
Bata	Labeo bata
Chelapata	Salmostoma bacaila
Freshwater bream	Abramis brama
Ghania	Labeo gonius
Kalibous	Labeo calbasu
Mowrala	Amblypharyngodon mola
Punti	Puntius sarana
Roach	Rutilus rutilus
Rohu or Ruhi	Labeo rohita
Tench	Tinca tinca

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Catfish	All species of the family <i>Bagridae</i>
	All species of the family Clariidae
	All species of the family Ictaluridae
	All species of the family Pimelodidae
	All species of the family Siluridae
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
American catfish or Channel catfish	All species of the family Ictaluridae
Ayre	Sperata aor
Boal	Wallago attu
Buzuri	Mystus tengara
Gulsha	Mystus bleekeri
Magur	Clarias batrachus
Pabda	Ompok pabda
Tengra	Mystus vittatus
Channel catfish – see entry for Catfish	
Chapila	Gudusia chapra
Char	All species of Salvelinus
Chelapata – see entry for Carp	
Cherry salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Chinook salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Chum salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Coho salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Cut-throat trout – see entry for Trout	
Dry star baim <i>or</i> Largebaim <i>or</i> Patabaim	All species of the family Mastacembelidae

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
<i>Commercial designation</i> Freshwater bream – see entry for Carp	Species of fish
Ghania – see entry for Carp	
Gulsha – see entry for Catfish	
Kakila	Xenentodon cancila
Kalibous – see entry for Carp	
Keski	Corica soborna
Keta salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Khalisha	Colisa fasciatus
King salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Коі	Anabas testudineus
Largebaim – see entry for Dry star baim <i>or</i> Largebaim <i>or</i> Patabaim	
Magur – see entry for Catfish	
Medium red salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Meni	Nandus nandus
Mowrala – see entry for Carp	
Nile perch	Lates niloticus
Northern pike or Pike	Esox lucius
Pabda – see entry for Catfish	

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Pacific salmon	Oncorhynchus gorbuscha*
	Oncorhynchus keta*
	Oncorhynchus kisutch*
	Oncorhynchus masou masou*
	Oncorhynchus nerka*
	Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Cherry salmon	Oncorhynchus masou masou*
Chinook salmon <i>or</i> King salmon <i>or</i> Spring salmon	Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*
Chum salmon or Keta salmon	Oncorhynchus keta*
Coho salmon <i>or</i> Medium red salmon <i>or</i> Silver Salmon	Oncorhynchus kisutch*
Pink salmon	Oncorhynchus gorbuscha*
Red salmon or Sockeye salmon	Oncorhynchus nerka*
Раси	Piaractus mesopotamicus
Panga(s) – see entry for Basa <i>or</i> Panga(s) <i>or</i> Pangasius <i>or</i> River cobbler <i>or</i> any of these together with the additional word 'catfish'	
Panga(s) catfish – see entry for Basa <i>or</i> Panga(s) <i>or</i> Pangasius <i>or</i> River cobbler or any of these together with the additional word 'catfish'	
Pangasius – see entry for Basa <i>or</i> Panga(s) <i>or</i> Pangasius <i>or</i> River cobbler <i>or</i> any of these together with the additional word 'catfish'	
Pangasius catfish – see entry for Basa or Panga(s) or Pangasius or River cobbler or any of these with the additional word 'catfish'	
Patabaim – see entry for Dry star baim or Largebaim or Patabaim	

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Pike – see entry for Northern pike <i>or</i> Pike	
Pike-Perch or Zander	Stizostedion lucioperca
Pink salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Pollan – see entry for Arctic cisco <i>or</i> Pollan	
Punti – see entry for Carp	
Queen fish	Botia dario
Rainbow trout – see entry for Trout	
Red salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
River cobbler – see entry for Basa <i>or</i> Panga(s) <i>or</i> Pangasius <i>or</i> River cobbler <i>or</i> any of these together with the additional word 'catfish'	
River cobbler catfish – see entry for Basa <i>or</i> Panga(s) <i>or</i> Pangasius <i>or</i> River cobbler or any of these together with the additional word 'catfish'	
Roach – see entry for Carp	
Rohu – see entry for Carp	
Royal basa – see entry for Basa or Panga(s) or Pangasius <i>or</i> River cobbler <i>or</i> any of these together with the additional word 'catfish'	
Ruhi – see entry for Carp	
Salmon – see entry for Atlantic salmon or Salmon	
Salmon trout or Sea trout	Salmo trutta trutta which has spent part of its life in sea water
Note also entry for Trout. Sea trout – see entry for Salmon trout	
or Sea Trout	
Shol	Channa striata
Silver salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Snakehead	All species of the family Channidae
Sockeye salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Spring salmon – see entry for Pacific salmon	
Steelhead trout – see entry for Trout	

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Taki	Channa punctata
Tambaqui – see entry for Cachama or Tambaqui	
Tench – see entry for Carp	
Tengra – see entry for Catfish	
Tilapia	All species of Oreochromis
	All species of <i>Tilapia</i>
Trout	Oncorhynchus clarki clarki
	Oncorhynchus mykiss
	Salmo trutta which has spent all of its life in fresh water
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Brown trout	Salmo trutta trutta which has spent all of its life in fresh water
Cut-throat trout	Oncorhynchus clarki clarki
Rainbow trout or Steelhead trout	Oncorhynchus mykiss
Note also entry for Salmon trout <i>or</i> Sea Trout	
Vendace	Coregonus albula
Zander – see entry for Pike – Perch <i>or</i> Zander	
Shellfish	
Abalone or Ormer	All species of Haliotis
Amande clam or Dog cockle	Glycymeris glycymeris
Ark clam or Arkshell	All species of the family Arcidae
Arkshell – see entry for Ark clam <i>or</i> Arkshell	
Arrow squid	Nototodarus gouldi
	Nototodarus sloani
Atlantic scallop – see entry for Common Scallop <i>or</i> Scallop	

Column 1	Column 2
Commercial designation Brown shrimp or Shrimp	Species of fish All species of Crangon
	I
Note also entries for Pink shrimp <i>or</i> Shrimp, Prawn <i>or</i> Shrimp and Shrimp	
Clam or Hard shell clam	Mercenaria mercenaria
	Venus verrucosa
Clam or Razor clam or Razor shell	All species of <i>Ensis</i> and <i>Solen</i>
Cockle	All species of Cerastoderma
Common scallop or Scallop	All species of the family <i>Pectinidae</i>
The following commercial	
designations may also be used in	
relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Atlantic scallop	Placopecten magellanicus
King scallop	Pecten maximus
Queen or Queen scallop	Chlamys (Aequipecten) opercularis
Crab	All species of the order Brachyura
	All species of the family <i>Lithodidae</i>
Crawfish or Rock lobster or Spiny	All species of Jasus
lobster	All species of Palinurus
	All species of <i>Panulirus</i>
	This species of T unum us
Crayfish	All species of the family Astacidae
	All species of the family Austroastacidae
	All species of the family Cambaridae
	All species of the family <i>Parastacidae</i>
Cuttlefish	All species of Sepia
	Rossia macrosoma
Dog cockle – see entry for Amande clam <i>or</i> Dog cockle	
Dublin bay prawn <i>or</i> Langoustine <i>or</i> Norway lobster <i>or</i> Scampi	Nephrops norvegicus
Gaper or Soft shell clam	All species of Mya
Geoduck or Geoduck clam	Panopea abrupta

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Geoduck clam – see entry for Geoduck or Geoduck clam	
Grooved carpet shell <i>or</i> Native clam <i>or</i> Palourde	Ruditapes decussatus
	Tapes decussatus
	Venerupis decussa
Hard shell clam – see entry for Clam or Hard shell clam	
Indian Ocean lobster or Whip lobster	Puerulus angulatus
	Puerulus carinatus
	Puerulus sewelli
Japanese carpet shell or Manila clam	Ruditapes philippinarum
	Tapes philippinarum
King prawn	All species of the family Aristaeidae
	All species of the family Palaemonidae
	All species of the family Penaeidae
	Where the count is less than 123 per kg (head on/shell on) or less than 198 per kg (head off/shell on) or less than 242 per kg (head off/shell off)
King scallop – see entry for Common scallop <i>or</i> Scallop	
Langoustine – see entry for Dublin Bay prawn <i>or</i> Langoustine <i>or</i> Norway lobster <i>or</i> Scampi	
Lobster	All species of Homarus
Manila clam – see entry for Japanese carpet shell <i>or</i> Manila clam	
Mantis shrimp	Squilla mantis
Mussel	All species of the family Mytilidae
Native clam – see entry for Grooved carpet shell <i>or</i> Native clam <i>or</i> Palourde	
Native oyster – see entry for Oyster	
Norway lobster – see entry for Dublin Bay prawn <i>or</i> Langoustine <i>or</i> Norway lobster <i>or</i> Scampi	
Octopus	All species of Octopus

<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Ormer – see entry for Abalone <i>or</i> Ormer	
Otter shell clam	Lutraria lutraria
Oyster	All species of Crassostrea
	All species of Ostrea
The following commercial designations may also be used in relation to fish of the species listed against them in Column 2:	
Native oyster	Ostrea edulis
Pacific oyster or Rock oyster	Crassostrea gigas
Portuguese oyster	Crassostrea angulata
Pacific oyster – see entry for Oyster	
Pacific scampi	Metanephrops andamanicus
	Metanephrops challengeri
	Metanephrops thomsoni
Palourde – see entry for Grooved carpet shell <i>or</i> Native clam <i>or</i> Palourde	
Pink shrimp <i>or</i> Shrimp	Pandalus montagui
Note also entries for Brown shrimp <i>or</i> Shrimp, Prawn <i>or</i> Shrimp and Shrimp	
Portuguese oyster – see entry for Oyster	
Prawn or Shrimp	Whole fish (of a size which, when cooked, have a count of less than 397 per kg) or tails (of a size which, when peeled and cooked, have a count of less than 1,323 per kg) of —
	all species of the family Aristaeidae
	all species of the family Palaemonidae
	all species of the family Pandalidae
Note also entries for Brown shrimp <i>or</i> Shrimp, Pink shrimp <i>or</i> Shrimp and Shrimp	all species of the family <i>Penaeidae</i>
Queen – see entry for Common scallop or Scallop	

Column 1	<u>Column 2</u>
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Queen scallop – see entry for Common scallop <i>or</i> Scallop	
Razor clam – see entry for Clam or Razor clam <i>or</i> Razor shell	
Razor shell – see entry for Clam <i>or</i> Razor clam <i>or</i> Razor shell	
Rock lobster – see entry for Crawfish or Rock lobster or Spiny lobster	
Rock oyster – see entry for Oyster	
Scallop – see entry for Common scallop <i>or</i> Scallop	
Scampi – see entry for Dublin Bay prawn <i>or</i> Langoustine <i>or</i> Norway lobster <i>or</i> Scampi	
Sea urchin	All species of the family <i>Echinidae</i>
Shrimp	Whole fish (of a size which, when cooked, have a count of 397 per kg or more) or tails (of a size which, when peeled and cooked, have a count of 1,323 per kg or more) of — all species of the family <i>Aristaeidae</i> all species of the family <i>Palaemonidae</i> all species of the family <i>Pandalidae</i>
Note also entries for Brown Shrimp <i>or</i> Shrimp, Pink Shrimp <i>or</i> Shrimp and Prawn <i>or</i> Shrimp	all species of the family <i>Penaeidae</i>
Slipper lobster	All species of the family Scyllaridae
Soft shell clam – see entry for Gaper or Soft shell clam	
Spiny lobster – see entry for Crawfish or Rock lobster or Spiny lobster	
Squat lobster	All species of the family Galatheidae
Squid	All species of <i>Illex</i>
	All species of Loligo
	Ommastrephes sagittatus
Surf clam	All species of Spisula

Column 1	Column 2
Commercial designation	Species of fish
Tiger prawn	Parapenaeopsis hardwickii
	Parapenaeopsis sculptilis
	Penaeus esculentus
	Penaeus japonicus
	Penaeus kerathurus
	Penaeus monodon
	Penaeus semisulcatus
Whelk	All species of <i>Buccinum</i>
Whip lobster – see entry for Indian	
Ocean lobster or Whip lobster	
Winkle	All species of Littorina

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

### (This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations provide for the execution and enforcement of Title I, Chapter 2 (consumer information) of Council Regulation (EC) No. 104/2000 on the common organisation of the markets in fishery and aquaculture products (OJ No. L17, 21.2.2000, p.22) as applied by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2065/2001 laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No.104/2000 as regards informing consumers about fishery and aquaculture products (OJ No. L278, 23.10.2001, p.6).

Title I of Chapter 2 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 104/2000 imposes requirements regarding the provision of information about the commercial designation, production method and catch area of certain fishery and aquaculture products offered for retail sale to the final consumer. It further provides for Member States to draw up and publish a list of commercial designations for at least the species listed in Annexes I to IV of the Regulation. Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2065/2001 describes in more detail the information to be provided to consumers and the exemptions that may be allowed. It also provides for the necessary information to be provided at each stage of the marketing process.

These Regulations:

- (a) provide an updated list of the commercial designations required to be drawn up by the United Kingdom (*regulation 4 and the Schedule*) and further provide for the granting of provisional commercial designations (*regulation 8*);
- (b) provide for the derogation at Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No. 2065/2001 (circumstances in which fishery products may be sold to the final consumer without being marked or labelled with the production method) (*regulation 5*);
- (c) in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No. 2065/2001, determine what constitutes "small quantities of products sold directly to consumers" for the purposes of applying the derogation at Article 4(1) of Regulation (EC) No. 104/2001 (*regulation 6*); and
- (d) provide that the indication of catch area required by Article 4(1)(c) of Regulation (EC) No. 104/2001 may, in accordance with Article 5(1)(c) of Regulation (EC) No. 2065/2001, indicate the various member States or third countries in which the product was farmed (*regulation 7*);
- (e) create offences and prescribe penalties (*regulation 3*), specify enforcement authorities (*regulation 9*) and apply with modifications specified provisions of the Food Safety (Northern Ireland) Order 1991 (*regulation 10*); and
- (f) revoke the Fish Labelling Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003 (S.R. 2003 No. 160) and the Fish Labelling (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 (S.R. 2006 No. 116) (*regulation 11*).

<sup>©</sup> Crown Copyright 2010

Printed in the UK by The Stationery Office Limited under the authority and superintendence of Carol Tullo, Controller of Her Majesty's Stationery Office being the Government Printer for Northern Ireland and the Officer appointed to print the Acts of the Northern Ireland Assembly.