



## AGENDA

**North Western Waters Regional Advisory Committee  
Working Group 2  
Tuesday 17th of February 2009  
14:00-17:30 h  
Madrid**

1. Welcome (14.00-14.10)
  - Adoption of Agenda
  - Adoption of Report of the last meeting (Madrid, July 2008)
  
2. Assessment of TAC and Quotas 2009 adopted at December Council (P) (14.10-14.30)
  - Cod, Haddock and Whiting
  - Hake
  - Anglerfish
  - Megrim
  - Nephrops
  - Plaice and sole
  
3. Ongoing actions and papers for discussion (P) (D) (14.30-15.30)
  - Discards and incentives for nephrops fishing fleet in area VII (Stéphanie Tachaires)
  - Cod strategy: current status and proposed way forward (J. Pichon & Hugo González)
  - EU Market policy and competition among fishing products in the EU (Hugo González)

### **Coffee break (15.30-15.45)**

4. Presentations on projects related to gillnets (15.45-16.45)
  - Preliminary outcomes of DEEPCLEAN project, future meetings plan and proposed way forward with the industry (Norman Graham) (D)
  - Study sponsored by the Commission for review of Gear Marking Regulation (D. Rihan)
  
5. Improvement of quality of data and interactions with ICES (H) (I) (16.45-17.15)
  - Main conclusions and actions of MIRAC meeting (Stéphanie Tachaires)
  - Main conclusions and outcomes of the ICES Workshops on data benchmarking (Paul Trebilcock / Luc Corbisier)
  - Organization of workshop on Data for Deep-sea species stocks (Tom Blasdale)
  
6. AOB (17.15-17.25)
  
7. Agreed recommendations to put forward to Executive Committee (17:25-17:30)

D= Discussion;

P= Paper to be considered;

I= Information