

## **AGENDA**

### **Working Group 4 Irish Sea – ICES VIIa**

**Wednesday 13th of April 2011  
16.00-18.00  
BEC - Bilbao**

#### **16.00 - 16.15**

##### **1. Welcome**

- Apologies
- Adoption of Agenda
- Adoption of Report of the last meeting (Paris, 8<sup>th</sup> of July 2010)

#### **16.15 - 17.00**

##### **2. Review of management measures for VIIa Stocks: exchange of views (D) (P) (I)**

- Review of Cod Recovery Programme as relates to Area VIIa - outcome of contacts with EU Commission / Terms of Reference drafting group Copenhagen
- EC consultation on Nephrops management by functional units
- MSC assessment report on by-catches of Manx queenie fishery – T. Bryan-B

#### **17.00 - 17.30**

##### **3. Marine Spatial Planning: Irish Sea Marine Conservation Zones Projects: Update and Discussion (D) (P) (I) – J. Murt (JNCC)**

#### **17.30 - 17.45**

##### **4. Horizontal issues (D) (P) (I)**

- Initiatives to improve data quality – L. O’Cinnéide / B. Deas
- Socio-economics aspects of fisheries management: follow-up – J. Woodlock

#### **17.45 - 17.50**

##### **5. Chairman’s conclusions: summary of actions and proposals to put forward to the Executive Committee**