

CALENDAR OF MEETINGS FOR 2011 North Western Waters RAC

1st HALF OF THE YEAR

ICES Copenhagen, 25-26 January - Confirmed

* Meeting between ICES and the RACs (MIRAC)

ICES Copenhagen, 26-27 January - Confirmed

* "Brainstorming" meeting ICES-NSRAC-NWWRAC on Data Deficiencies for Stock Assessments

<u>CNPMEM Paris, 27 January - Confirmed</u>

- * Focus Group on LTMP for Celtic Sea Fisheries (9:30-16:00 h)
- * Mini-Executive Committee (16:00-17:00 h)

End of February / Early March – To be confirmed

- * Regional Task Force on Data Deficiencies
- * Focus Group on LTMPs for individual stocks
 - → E.g. Northern Hake; Nephrops VII; Haddock VIa; etc.

CCAB Brussels, 1-2 March - Confirmed

- * 1st of March afternoon: Meeting with CFCA for preparation of a Control Conference for north western waters
- * 2nd of March: Coordination Meeting between RACs and Commission: participation of DG Mrs. Evans



BEC Bilbao, 13-14 April - Confirmed

- * 4 Geographical Working Group Meetings (one day?)
- * Horizontal Working Groups as required?

Madrid/London, End of May – To be confirmed

- * Executive Committee
- * Debriefing Meeting NWWRAC-Commission
- * Focus Group on CFP?

2nd HALF OF THE YEAR

<u>Dublin Castle, 5-7 July - Confirmed</u>

- * 4 Geographical Working Groups
- * Presentation of ICES Advice
- * Follow-up meeting on LTMPs / Data Deficiencies

Madrid/London, Mid September - To be confirmed

- * Executive Committee
- * Additional Focus Groups?

<u>Dublin Castle, October / November – To be confirmed</u>

- * NWWRAC General Assembly
- * Executive Committee?
- * "Ad hoc" Workshop (e.g. Socio-economics...)?