



NWWAC / EFCA / NWW CEG Joint Workshop on monitoring, control and enforcement of the Landing Obligation

6 July 2020

Videoconference

AGENDA

Participation: NWWAC, EFCA, European Commission, scientific bodies, Member States (NWW CEG)

Morning session 10:00 – 13:00

1 Introduction:

- Welcome and logistics of the meeting by EFCA as moderator
- Introduction by NWW CEG Chair, by NWWAC and by the European Commission

2 Five years of LO in demersal fisheries in NWW:

- The implementation of the Landing Obligation in NWW demersal fisheries (David Reid, Marine Institute)
- Discard data and scientific advice: current situation and future needs for estimating discards (Colm Jordan, ICES)
- Monitoring the regional implementation of the Landing Obligation: the evaluation of compliance in NWW fisheries (Cristina Morgado, EFCA)

3 Main issues encountered (Topics to be presented by the NWWAC for discussion):

1. Control and compliance with discard plans
2. Choke situations and compliance
3. Risk assessment
4. Specific control issues on TM regulation in relation to the Landing obligation

LUNCH BREAK

Afternoon session 15:00 – 17:00

4 How to improve monitoring and control of the LO:

- NWWAC views on electronic monitoring (Sean O'Donoghue, NWWAC)
- Current and future REM pilot projects in the EU (Liam S Kennedy, SFPA)
- Monitoring and improving compliance with the LO: REM (Miguel Nuevo, EFCA)

5 The way forward

6 AOB & Closure of the meeting

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