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DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR MARITIME AFFAIRS AND FISHERIES

The Director-General

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Dear Mr. Brouckaert,

Thank you for your letter. We took good note of your reply to the consultation earlier this year on the implementation of the Technical Measures Regulation, and of the elements you further highlight in your letter. Your contribution is of great help for the preparation of the report on the implementation of the Technical Measures Regulation that will be adopted this summer.

We very much appreciate all the work you are leading in the framework of various Focus Groups.

With regard to the advice that you submitted regarding the 2021 Fishing Opportunities, we took your suggestions into account in the framework of the broader [public consultation](#). We will also get back to you shortly regarding your opinion on addressing choke risks in the NWW after exemptions.

I am looking forward to our continued fruitful cooperation. Should you have any further questions on this reply, please contact Ms Pascale COLSON, coordinator of the Advisory Councils ([Pascale.COLSON@ec.europa.eu](mailto:Pascale.COLSON@ec.europa.eu); +32.2.295.62.73), who will forward it to relevant colleagues.

Yours sincerely,

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