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WORKING GROUP 1 – IRISH SEA

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Agenda

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| 14:30 – 14:40 | 1. Welcome and introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcome from the Chair (John Lynch)• Apologies• Adoption of the agenda• Action points from the minutes of the last meeting |
| 14:40 – 15:10 | 2. Review of draft advice on choke risk in the NWW – Irish sea stocks |
| 15:10 – 15:30 | 3. Management measures in the Irish Sea – need for review? |
| 15:30 – 15:35 | 4. AOB |
| 15:35 – 15:45 | 5. Summary of actions agreed and decisions adopted by the Chair |

Action points from the last meeting

- 1 WG 1 members have elected Aodh O'Donnell as new vicechair.
- 2 Comments made following presentation of ICES advice will be taken into account in the preparation of the AC advice on Fishing Opportunities by the FG Landing Obligation. Members are invited to send any other contribution via email before the FG meeting on 24 July.
- 3 The WG will continue to follow ICES work related to expanding the use of the stability clause.
- 4 Proposal to elaborate a request to DG MARE to enable the possibility to expand ICES advice beyond catch advice and consider management measures where needed.



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3. Management measures in the Irish Sea – need for review?



A dramatic sunset or sunrise over the ocean. The sky is filled with dark, heavy clouds, with bright golden light breaking through in several places, creating a high-contrast scene. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm glow. In the foreground, the dark blue water of the ocean is visible. A small, dark silhouette of a ship or offshore structure is visible on the horizon line, positioned towards the right side of the frame.

5. AOB

6. Summary of actions agreed and decisions adopted by the Chair