

Department of Agriculture Fisheries and Food

An Roinn Talmhaíochta, Iascaigh agus Bia

Fisheries Management Notice No. 008 of 2008

(Additional March Quota Management Notice)

I, Mary Coughlan, Minister for Agriculture Fisheries and Food (“the Minister”), in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 12 of the Sea-Fisheries and Maritime Jurisdiction Act 2006 (“the Act”), hereby issue the following Notice:

1. This Notice may be cited as Fisheries Management Notice No. 008 of 2008.
2. This Notice comes into force on 24 March 2008.
3. Schedule 2 to Fisheries Management Notice No. 004 of 2008 is amended by substituting for:

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COD (<i>Gadus morhua</i>)	VIIa	3 tonnes	1.50 tonnes	Not Applicable
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the following:

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COD (<i>Gadus morhua</i>)	VIIa	1 tonnes	0.50 tonnes	Not Applicable
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 - (a) An Irish sea-fishing boat greater than or equal to 55 feet in length, or for a person on board that boat, that landed during the period from 1 March to 23 March 2008 a quantity of cod taken in Area VIIa that was greater than or equal to **1 tonnes** is prohibited from having or retaining on board or landing, during the period from 24 March to 31 March 2008, any quantity of cod taken from Area VIIa.
 - (b) An Irish sea-fishing boat less than 55 feet in length, or for a person on board that boat, that landed during the period from 1 March to 23 March 2008 a quantity of cod taken in Area VIIa that was greater than or equal to **0.5 tonnes** is prohibited from having or retaining on board or landing, during the period from 24 March to 31 March 2008, any quantity of cod taken from Area VIIa.

GIVEN under my Official Seal

19 March 2008 at 19.00 hours

Mary Coughlan T.D.

Minister for Agriculture

Fisheries and Food

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation)

This Notice sets amended restrictions on the catching, retaining on board or landing Cod in Area VIIa in March 2008.

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