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**DECLARATION OF COMPETENCE AND VOTING RIGHTS BY THE EUROPEAN UNION AND ITS MEMBER STATES**
Seventeenth Session of the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade
Vigo, Spain, 25–29 November

Declaration of Competences and Voting Rights submitted by the European Union and its Member States

Agenda point 1. Opening of the Session

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Agenda point 2. Adoption of the Agenda, arrangements for the Session and designation of the Drafting Committee (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/1; COFI:FT/XVII/2019/Inf.1)

*MS competence – MS vote*

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Agenda point 3. Overview of the fisheries and aquaculture sectors (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/2) Afternoon 14:30–17:30 hours

*Shared competence – EU vote*

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*EU Competence – EU Vote Recurrent topic (As in previous Subcommittees)*

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Agenda point 6. FAO, information on markets and trade: GLOBEFISH and the FISH INFONetwork (FIN) (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/5)

*EU competence – EU vote*
Agenda point 7. Quality and safety of fish and fishery products (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/6)

Shared competence – EU vote  Recurrent topic (As in previous Subcommittees)

Agenda point 8. Small-scale fisheries: value chains, post-harvest operations and trade (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/7)

EU competence – EU vote


EU competence – EU vote

Agenda point 10. Biodiversity conservation and trade (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/9)

Shared competence – EU vote

Agenda point 11. Recent trade agreements and market access for fish and fishery products (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/10)

EU competence – EU vote

Agenda point 12. Communicating aquaculture to consumers and other stakeholders (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/11)

Shared competence – EU vote

Agenda point 13. Traceability: FAO's recent work and the future (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/12)

EU competence – EU vote


Shared competence – EU vote
Agenda point 15. Trade in Fisheries Services (COFI:FT/XVII/2019/14; COFI:FT/XVII/2019/Inf.8)

**EU competence – EU vote**

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Agenda point 16. Reporting from Members and observers of relevance to the Sub-Committee

**Shared competence – MS vote**

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Agenda point 17. Election of Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons of the Eighteenth Session of the COFI SubCommittee on Fish Trade

**MS competence – MS vote**

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Agenda point 18. Any other matters

**Shared competence – EU vote**

* Subject to further information on content of items under this point of the agenda

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Agenda point 19. Date and place of the Eighteenth Session

**MS competence – MS vote**

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Agenda point 20. Adoption of the Report

**Shared competence – MS**

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