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EUROPEAN INLAND FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMISSION

Twenty-fourth Session

Mondsee, Austria, 14 - 21 June 2006

STATEMENT OF COMPETENCE AND VOTING RIGHTS SUBMITTED BY THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY (EC) AND ITS MEMBER STATES

1. **Opening Ceremony**
2. **Symposium On Hydropower, Flood Control and Water Abstraction: Implications for Fish and Fisheries**
 - Session 1: Assessment of issues and impacts
 - Session 2: Rehabilitating and mitigating mechanisms
 - Session 3: Environmental flow criteria; methodology and practice
 - Session 4: Social, economic, conservation and legal issues
 - Session 5: Conclusions and recommendations
 - Session 6: Presentation of Symposium Report

⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote*
3. **Ad hoc EIFAC Working Parties**

⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote**
4. **Sub-Commission I (Biology and management)**
 - Review of intersessional activities:
 - Eels
 - Fish monitoring in fresh waters
 - Introductions and stocking
 - Mapping of fish distribution and aquatic habitat quality
 - Management of sturgeon

* *Subject to further information.*

MS: Member States; EC: European Community

- Programme of the Sub-Commission
- Other matters
- Election of Officers

⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote*

5. Sub-Commission II (Aquaculture)

- Review of intersessional activities:
 - Relationship between fish transfers and fish health
 - Water resources management in aquaculture
 - Organic fish farming
 - Market perspectives of European freshwater aquaculture
 - Network of Aquaculture Centres in Central and Eastern Europe
- Programme of the Sub-Commission
- Other matters
- Election of Officers

⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote*

6. Sub-Commission III (Protection of the aquatic resource)

- Review of intersessional activities:
 - Effects of physical modification of the aquatic habitat on fish populations
 - Methodologies for rehabilitation of lakes and reservoirs
 - Prevention and control of bird predation
 - Influence of management practices on the environment
 - Handling of fishes in fisheries and aquaculture
 - Liaison with Council of Europe
 - EU Water Framework Directive (WFD)
- Programme of the Sub-Commission
- Other matters
- Election of Officers

⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote*

7. Sub-Commission IV (Social and economic issues)

- Review of intersessional activities:
 - Recreational fisheries
 - Socio-economic aspects of inland fisheries
 - IUU fishing
- Programme of the Sub-Commission
- Other matters
- Election of Officers

⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote*

8. Adoption of the reports and recommendations from the Sub-Commissions

- Report of the Symposium 2006
- Adoption of the Report of the Symposium
- Assessment of the role and functioning of EIFAC
- Collaboration with partners
- Emerging issues

- Symposium in conjunction with the Twenty-fifth Session of EIFAC 2008
- Any other matters
- Election of EIFAC Officers
- Date and place of the Twenty-fifth Session

⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote*

9. Ad hoc EIFAC Working Parties

⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote**

10 Adoption of the Report

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⇒ *Mixed Competence – MS Vote*