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## Invitation to Stakeholders for Submission of New Information Euronor and Compagnie des Pêches St Malo cod and haddock fishery

ME Certification Ltd (MEC) are currently undertaking the reassessment of the Euronor and Compagnie des Pêches St Malo cod and haddock fishery.

This fishery was announced on the 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2016 and the Public Comment Draft Report (PCDR) was due to be published on the 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2017. The period between the assessment announcement and receipt of the PCDR by the MSC now exceeds 9 months and therefore, as per clause 7.3.4.1 of the FCRs, MEC would like to invite stakeholder submission of any new information relating to the fishery that the team should consider in the assessment of the fishery. This period of consultation will last 30 days. A revised time line taking into account this period of consultation has also been published on the MSC's website.

All interested stakeholders are encouraged to contact Gavin Fitzgerald (<a href="mailto:gavin.fitzgerald@me-cert.com">gavin.fitzgerald@me-cert.com</a>) or Chrissie Sieben (<a href="mailto:chrissie.sieben@me-cert.com">chrissie.sieben@me-cert.com</a>) by email, telephone or post at the below number and address.

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The deadline for consultation is 17:00 GMT, 25th July 2017.