

## Felagiò Nòtaskip, Faroese Pelagic Organization Atlanto-Scandian Herring Fishery Marine Stewardship Council Certification Certification Body: DNV Business Assurance

## Acceptance of Faroese Pelagic Organization (FPO) corrective action plan

The corrective action plan was submitted by FPO on 26<sup>th</sup> of February 2021. DNV Business Assurance reviewed the corrective action plan and considers the proposed actions to be a significant commitment by FPO to achieve the required outcome through the main mechanisms available to them. This includes: dialog and cooperation with scientific institutions, media interaction and lobbying.

The corrective action plan is therefore accepted by DNVB and timeframe for the implementation is set until 15<sup>th</sup> December 2021 which is a certificate expiry date.

If the cause of suspension is addressed before the certificate expiry date, the certificate might be reinstated subject to successful annual surveillance. I this case, relevant information will be made available on the MSC website.

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