

<u>Danish Pelagic Producers Organisation</u> North Sea Herring Fishery

Marine Stewardship Council Certification Certification Body: Det Norske Veritas

Announcement of Surveillance Audit

Det Norske Veritas (DNV) is pleased to announce that we will be conducting the second Surveillance Audit for the Danish Pelagic Producers Organisation's North Sea Herring Fishery.

The key purpose of the surveillance audit is:

- to review and evaluate the progress of the fishery against Conditions of Certification raised during the full assessment
- review any changes in the management systems
- review changes or additions / deletions to regulations
- review any personnel changes in scientific staff, key management or industry to evaluate impact on the management of the fishery
- review any potential changes to the scientific basis of information

The surveillance audit meetings will be held in Hirtshals and Copenhagen, Denmark during week 26 (27-28 June 2011) and will be conducted by members of the original assessment team Mr. Eskild Kirkegaard and DNV Lead Auditor Ms. Sandhya Chaudhury.

Any parties (individuals or organizations) interested in providing input to the annual surveillance process, please contact DNV by 13th June 2011 and provide:

- a) Your name and contact details
- b) Your association with the fishery
- c) The issues you would like to discuss (in order for us to arrange appropriate representation)
- d) Where and when you would like to meet

Information on this fishery can be found at:

http://www.msc.org/track-a-fishery/certified/north-east-atlantic/DPPO-North-Sea-herring

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