

Marine Stewardship Council Surveillance Announcement

Name of Fishery	FROM Nord North Sea and Eastern Channel trammel net sole fishery	
Surveillance level and type	Surveillance level 6, on-site surveillance audit	
Surveillance number (tick one)	1st Surveillance	
	2nd Surveillance	x
	3rd Surveillance	
	4th Surveillance	
	Other (expedited etc)	
Proposed Team Leader	<p>Chrissie Sieben</p> <p>Chrissie Sieben has a Master's Degree in Marine Environmental Protection which she obtained at the University of Wales, Bangor. She is the MSC fisheries manager at MEC and specialises in marine and fisheries ecology, marine environmental impact assessment and sustainable fisheries. She has particular expertise with the MSC certification requirements and has completed numerous MSC pre-assessments and surveillance audits. She regularly participates in MSC training sessions and workshops. Chrissie is a fully qualified team leader and conforms to the team leader requirements specified in Table PC1, as well as three of the fishery team qualification and competency criteria (Table PC3): Fishing impacts on aquatic ecosystems; Current knowledge of the country, language and local fishery context; Understanding of the CoC Standard and CoC Certification Requirements</p>	
Proposed team member	<p>Sophie Des Clers</p> <p>Dr Sophie Des Clers has a PhD in Biometrics from the Université Lyon I, France and an MSc in Public Policy from the University College London. She has over 20 years' experience working in the fisheries sector. Sophie's career has focused on management-based analysis of fisheries in the UK, Europe and around the world. In total, Sophie has over 5 years relevant P3 experience in relation to the EU and ICES based management; acting as a P3 auditor for 10 separate assessments. She is a fully qualified Team Member (meeting all of Table PC2 criteria) and the following fishery team qualification and competency criteria (Table PC3): Fishing impacts on aquatic ecosystems, Fishery management and operations, Current knowledge of the country, language and local fishery context.</p>	
Audit/review time and location	21 st November 2017 at the FROM Nord offices in Boulogne-sur-Mer.	
Assessment/review activities	During the audit, MEC will communicate with the client and relevant stakeholders and use the available up to date information to assess and review;	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Changes to the fishery and its management including those to management systems, regulation and relevant personnel assessments;• Changes to the scientific base of information;• Any developments or changes within the fishery which may impact on traceability and the ability to segregate MSC from non-MSC products;• Any other significant changes in the fishery. <p>The team will also review progress against the fishery's conditions and associated action plan.</p>
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MEC would like to welcome anyone who would like to participate in or contribute to the site visit. All interested stakeholders are encouraged to contact Charlotte Gwyther (charlotte.gwyther@me-cert.com) or Chrissie Sieben (chrissie.sieben@me-cert.com) at MEC by email, telephone or post at the below number and address:

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Remote meetings can be arranged via telephone conferencing or Skype, or written submissions made to the above mentioned email addresses.

Please note that comments should be factual and should be supported by data or other evidence. Comments may remain unattributed. Furthermore, information that cannot be shared with any other stakeholder will not be referenced in the assessment and cannot be used in determining the outcome of the fishery's assessment nor used as a basis for an objection. Information can be kept confidential if it is restricted to financial transactions about certification, the financial affairs of individual companies or information that may lead to this information being known, or information that is the subject of relevant national privacy or data protection legislation in the assessed fishery's country.

The deadline for consultation is 17:00 GMT, 17 November 2017.

Submitted by: Charlotte Gwyther, MSC Fisheries Administrator

Date: 19/10/2017