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Germany Lower Saxony mussel dredge and mussel culture fishery

Marine Stewardship Council Certification

Certification Body: Food Certification International Ltd

Notification - Timeline

FCI is pleased to announce the proposed timeline for the MSC Sustainable Fisheries Assessment for the above named fishery. Details below:

| Year | 2011 | | | | 2012 | | | | | |
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| Month | S | 0 | N | D | J | F | М | Α | М | J |
| Entering full assessment * | | | | | | | | | | |
| Assessment Team confirmed | | | | | | | | | | |
| Use of FAM and / or RBF | | | | | | | | | | |
| Information gathering stage | | | | | | | | | | |
| Information submitted to team | | | | | | | | | | |
| Site Visit | | | | | | | | | | |
| Scoring Meeting | | | | | | | | | | |
| Preliminary Draft Report (PDR) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Peer reviewer nominations | | | | | | | | | | |
| Peer Review Draft Report (PRDR) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Public Comment Draft Report (PCDR) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Final Report (FR) and Decision | | | | | | | | | | |
| Public Certification Report | | | | | | | | | | |
| Certificate awarded | | | | | | | | | | |

^{*} Includes timeline and team nomination announcements

Projected timeline dates in blue

Grey shaded area above - period between site visit and PCDR - time restrictions apply

Timeline Announcement
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