



**Erzeugergemeinschaft der Hochsee - und Kutterfischer GmbH
German North Sea Saithe Trawl Fishery**

Marine Stewardship Council Certification

Certification Body: Moody Marine Ltd

Notification of Proposed Peer Reviewers

A Peer Review panel has been proposed for this fishery. Potential peer reviewers have been approached on the basis of their experience of one or more of the following; the fishery under assessment, fishery management, stock assessment issues and relevant ecosystem interactions.

Brief details of each reviewer are provided below. All stakeholders (including the applicant fishery) are now given the opportunity to state any objections to the selection of a proposed member of the peer review panel, on the basis of any conflicts of interest, accompanied by a statement on the basis of any objection.

Comments on the suitability of any of the persons listed below should be forwarded, **before 5:00 p.m. GMT on 6 December 2007**, to Dr Andrew Hough at Moody Marine Ltd as follows:

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Proposed Peer Reviewers:

Dr Colin Bannister. Colin Bannister is the former Senior Fisheries Science Advisor at CEFAS, providing high level advice to DEFRA and industry on all aspects of the assessment and management of finfish stocks. He has extensive knowledge and experience of the management of stocks; crustacean, finfish and molluscan, and of scientific research and advice on the same. Since 2004, he has acted as a scientific member of the Canadian Government Review Panel for fisheries in the Gulf Region of Canada; a member of the Committees and Council of the Shellfish Association of Great Britain; and recently completed a report "Towards a Development Strategy for the Shellfish Industry in England" for the DEFRA Inshore Group.

Dr Stephen Lockwood. Stephen is an independent marine environment consultant and chairman of the Welsh Minister's fishing industry consultation group. Until 1999 he was Head of the UK Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food laboratory at Conwy, which undertook research and development work in the fields of fish and shellfish cultivation, and the environmental effects of fishing. At a personal level, he was responsible for providing advice to MAFF policy divisions, and through them to ministers, across the broad field of coastal zone management. Previously,



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he led research and providing scientific advice on the conservation of fish stocks and the management of fisheries, including the Western mackerel stock, Celtic Sea and Bay of Biscay Demersal fisheries, Pilchard (*Sardina pilchardus*) stocks and Western English Channel herring and sprats. He has published on stock assessment, fishery management and coastal development issues.