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Subject:	ANNEXES to the Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION amending Regulation (EU) 2024/257 fixing for 2024, 2025 and 2026 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks, applicable in Union waters and, for Union fishing vessels, in certain non-Union waters, and amending Regulation (EU) 2023/194 fixing for 2023 and 2024 such fishing opportunities

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ANNEX I

I. Annex IA, Part A, to Regulation (EU) 2024/257 is amended as follows:

(1) Table 2 is replaced by the following:

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Table 2				
Species:	Anchovy *Engraulis encrasicolus*		Zone:	9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1 (ANE/9/3411)
Spain	4 519	(1)(3)	Analytical TAC	
Portugal	4 930	(1)(3)		
Union	9 449	(1)(2)(3)		
TAC	9 449	(1)(2)(3)		

(1) This quota may only be fished from 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2025.

(2) Special condition: Of which up to 969 tonnes may be taken in the area bounded by the following coordinates and the coast (ANE/*09AW):

Point	Latitude	Longitude
1	36°00'00"N	5°30'00"W
2	36°00'00"N	11°00'00"W
3	37°01'20"N	8°59'47"W

(3) Special condition: Of which the following quantities, in addition to the quantity referred to in footnote 2 and after full use of that quantity, may be taken in the area referred to in footnote 2 in the period from 1 July 2024 to 30 September 2024 (ANE/*09AW2). The exchange of those quantities between Member States shall be prohibited.

Spain	1 926
Portugal	2 102
Union	4 028

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(2) Tables 18 and 19 are replaced by the following:

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Table 18				
Species:	Pollack *Pollachius pollachius*		Zone:	8c (POL/08C.)
Spain	97	(1)	Analytical TAC	
France	11	(1)		
Union	108	(1)		
TAC	108	(1)		

(1) As from 1 October 2024, exclusively for by-catches and no directed fisheries are permitted under this quota (POL/*08C-BC).

Table 19			
Species:	Pollack	Zone:	9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1

	Pollachius pollachius			(POL/9/3411)
Spain		128	(1)(2)	Analytical TAC
Portugal		4	(1)(2)(3)	
Union		132	(1)(2)	
TAC		132	(1)(2)	

(1) As from 1 October 2024, exclusively for by-catches and no directed fisheries are permitted under this quota (POL/*9/3411-BC).

(2) Special condition: of which up to 100 % may be fished in 8c (POL/*08C.).

(3) In addition to this TAC, Portugal may fish quantities of pollack not exceeding 98 tonnes (POL/93411P).*

* As from 1 October 2024, exclusively for by-catches and no directed fisheries are permitted under this quota (POL/*93411P-BC).

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II. Annex IA, Part B, to Regulation (EU) 2024/257 is amended as follows:

(1) Table 33 is replaced by the following:

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Table 33				
Species:	Megrims *Lepidorhombus spp.*		Zone:	8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (LEZ/8ABDE.)
Spain	1 154		Analytical TAC	
France	931		Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Union	2 085			
TAC	2 175			

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(2) Table 38 is replaced by the following:

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Table 38				
Species:	Anglerfishes *Lophiidae*		Zone:	8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (ANF/8ABDE.)
Spain	1 872		Analytical TAC	
France	10 419		Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Union	12 291			
TAC	12 906			

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(3) Table 56 is replaced by the following:

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Table 56				
Species:	Hake *Merluccius merluccius*		Zone:	8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (HKE/8ABDE.)
Belgium	12	(1)	Analytical TAC	
Spain	8 359		Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
France	18 771			

Netherlands	24	(1)
Union	27 166	
TAC	27 532	

(1) Transfers of this quota may be effected to United Kingdom and Union waters of 2a and 4. However, such transfers shall be notified in advance to the Commission and to the United Kingdom.

Special condition: within the limits of these quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones:
6 and 7; United Kingdom and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14 (HKE/*57-14)

Belgium	2
Spain	2 454
France	4 418
Netherlands	7
Union	6 881

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(4) Table 121 is replaced by the following:

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Table 121

Species:	Horse mackerel *Trachurus spp.*		Zone:	8c (JAX/08C.)
Spain	1 889	(1)(2)	Analytical TAC	
France	31	(1)	Article 3(2) and (3) of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Portugal	177	(1)(2)	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	1 996	(1)		
TAC	2 097			

(1) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries for horse mackerel are permitted under this quota.

(2) Special condition: up to 10% of this quota may be fished in 9 (JAX/*09.).

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ANNEX II

In Annex IA, Part E, to Regulation (EU) 2023/194, the table for red seabream (*Pagellus bogaraveo*) in Union and international waters of ICES subarea 9 is replaced by the following:

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Species:	Red seabream *Pagellus bogaraveo*			Zone:	Union and international waters of 9 (SBR/09-)
Year	**2023**	**2024**		Precautionary TAC	
Spain	88	88	(2)	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply(1)	
Portugal	24	24	(2)		
Union	112	112	(2)		
TAC	114	114	(2)		

(1) Shall only apply in 2024.

(2) As from 1 October 2024, catches of red seabream shall not be taken in the area bounded by the following coordinates and the coast:

Point	Latitude	Longitude
1	36°10'00"N	11°00'00"W
2	36°10'00"N	5°53'17"W
3	36°00'00"N	11°00'00"W

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