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BS RAC recommendations for the fishery in 2012 Comments to the Commission's Consultation on fishing opportunities

Dear Lowri Evans,

Please find enclosed the BS RAC recommendations on the fisheries for Baltic Sea fish stocks in 2011, as well as comments to the Commission's Consultation on fishing opportunities (2011) 298 final.

The BS RAC hopes very much that the Commission and Member States will take these recommendations into account when preparing and deciding on the regulation of the Baltic Sea fisheries in 2011.

Kind regards,

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c.c. Member states, Fisheries Council of the European Community, European Parliament, Community, Fisheries Control Agency, ACFA, ICES and HELCOM