

[DIRECTORATE OF FISHERIES]

NOTIFICATION FROM THE DIRECTOR OF FISHERIES
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Regulations on amending the Regulations on Registration and Reporting for Fishing in waters outside any State's Fisheries Jurisdiction.

On 18 April 2013, Regulations No 173 of 4 March 1998 on the regulations of fishing in waters outside any State's fishing jurisdiction Sections 2 and 5 has laid down the following regulations:

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Section 1 (as amended) shall be replaced by the following:

§ 1 Scope

This Regulations applies to Norwegian nationals and persons resident in Norway who fish with Norwegian vessels in waters outside any State's jurisdiction that is not regulated by regional or subregional fisheries management organisations or events with separate reporting provisions. The Regulations also applies to the NEAFC Regulatory Area.

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The Regulations enters into force immediately.

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The Regulations are as follows:

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Regulations on registration and reporting for fishing in waters outside the jurisdiction of any State

On 30 June 1999, the Directorate of Fisheries, pursuant to Sections 2 and 5 of the Regulations of 4 March 1998 on the Regulations related to fishing in waters outside any State's jurisdiction on fisheries, has laid down the following regulations:

§ 1 Scope

This Regulations applies to Norwegian nationals and persons resident in Norway who fish with Norwegian vessels in waters outside any State's jurisdiction that is not regulated by regional or subregional fisheries management organisations or events with separate reporting provisions. The Regulations also applies to the NEAFC regulatory area.

§ 2 Registration

Vessels intended to fish in waters as mentioned in Section 1 must be registered in advance through notification to the Directorate of Fisheries:

- (a) before 1 January each year, if possible; or
- B) in good time before departure from the port of residence; or
- C) within 3 days from the change date if there are changes to the information provided in the Registration Notice.

The message shall be sent by fax or e-mail and shall contain the following information:

- The year for which the Registration Message applies
- Name of ship
- Ship's radio call signal
- Registration number of the ship in the registration register or IMO number if the ship does not have a registration number
- Name and address of vessel owner
- Sea area/r to be fished in
- Fish species that are the main target for fishing
- Type of ship
- Tonnage of vessel
- Length of vessel
- Vessel power

Section 3 Reporting

Vessels fishing in waters as referred to in Section 1 shall send the notifications provided for in this provision. The messages must be sent electronically to the Directorate of Fisheries.

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The person responsible on board the ship shall ensure the proper functioning of the reporting system.

Messages sent in accordance with this regulations are considered not received by the Fisheries Directorate if the sender does not receive a return message or the return message shows the message status NAK.

1. Notification about start of fishing activities.

Notification of start of fishing activities must be sent no earlier than 12 hours and no later than 2 hours before entrance to the area.

The notification shall contain the following information:

Data item:	Code:	Required/ Optional:	Contents:
Type of notification	TM	P	CoE, Fishstart Message
Notification number	RN	P	Serial number of the notification in the current year
Authentication	AU	P	Agreed authentication code
Radio call signal	RC	P	Ship's radio call signal
Vessel name	NA	V	Name of ship
Registration mark	XR	V	Registration number of the ship in the registration register or IMO number if the ship does not have a registration number
Position width	LA	P	Position width when sending message, NDDMM
Position length	LO	P	Position length when sending message, E/WDDMM
Quantity on board	OB	P	Catches on board by fish species in kilograms of round weight. In pairs indicated.
Planned fisheries	DS	P	Species to be fished for
Fishing area	RA	V	Ices area where fishing is to start
Date	PD	V	Date of Fishstart in UTC (YYYYMMDD)
Date of notification	DA	P	Date the message is sent in UTC (YYYYMMDD)
Notification time	TI	P	Time when message is sent in UTC (TTMM)

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2. Catch notification.

Weekly catch notification shall first be sent at the latest at the end of the seventh day after entry into the area, or if caught beyond 7 days the vessel shall submit a catch report no later than Monday at 12:00 for catches taken in the area during the last week until midnight Sunday.

The notification shall contain the following information:

Data item:	Code:	Required/ Optional:	Contents:
Type of notification	TM	P	Cat, Catch Message
Notification number	RN	P	Serial number of the notification in the current year
Authentication	AU	P	Agreed authentication code
Radio call signal	RC	P	Ship's radio call signal
Vessel name	NA	V	Name of ship
Registration mark	XR	V	Registration number of the ship in the registration register or IMO number if the ship does not have a registration number
Catch	CA	P	Catches since the previous COE or CAT report divided into fish species in kilos round weight. In pairs indicated.
Number of fishing days	DF	P	Number of fishing days in the area since Fiskestart or last catch report
Fishing area	RA	P ¹	Code of area where the catch has been taken
Date of notification	DA	P	Date the message is sent in UTC (YYYYMMDD)
Notification time	TI	P	Time when message is sent in UTC (TTMM)

¹Required in fisheries where management measures require it

3. Transshipment notification.

Transshipment to vessels from EU, Russia, Faroe Islands, Greenland, Iceland and Norway and vessels from NEAFC countries is permitted.

Vessels intended to deliver the catch shall, not later than 24 hours before the commencement of reloading, send notification of reloading. Vessels that have received catch from other vessels shall, no later than one hour after the individual reloading has been completed, send notification of reloading.

The notification shall contain the following information:

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Data item:	Code:	Required/ Optional:	Explanation:
Type of notification	TM	P	Tra, Reloading Message
Notification number	RN	P	Serial number of the notification in the current year
Authentication	AU	P	Agreed authentication code
Radio call signal	RC	P	Ship's radio call signal
Vessel name	NA	V	Name of ship
Registration mark	XR	V	Registration number of the ship in the registration register or IMO number if the ship does not have a registration number
Quantity to be transmitted	KG	P	Quantity to be transferred into fish variety in kilograms of round weight. In pairs indicated
Transferred from	TF	P ¹	Radio call signal on the ship from which it is transmitted
Transferred to	TT	P ¹	Radio call signal on the vessel to which it is transmitted
Position width	LA	P ²	Assumed position width for reloading
Position length	LO	P ²	Assumed position length of transshipment
Date	PD	P ²	Estimated date of reloading in UTC (YYYYMMDD)
Time	PT	P ²	Estimated time of transshipment in UTC (TTMM)
Date of notification	DA	P	Date the message is sent in UTC (YYYYMMDD)
Notification time	TI	P	Time when message is sent in UTC (TTMM)

¹ As relevant

² Required for catching vessels

4. Port arrival notification.

Vessels which have received catch from another vessel shall send notification of port calls not later than 24 hours before landing.

The notification shall contain the following information:

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Data item:	Code:	Required/ Optional:	Explanation:
Type of notification	TM	P	POR, Port Arrival Message
Notification number	RN	P	Serial number of the notification in the current year
Authentication	AU	P	Agreed authentication code
Radio call signal	RC	P	Ship's radio call signal
Vessel name	NA	V	Name of ship
Registration mark	XR	V	Registration number of the ship in the registration register or IMO number if the ship does not have a registration number
Coastal country	CS	P	Coastal State of Landing Port
Port	PO	P	The name of the port on which it is to be landed
Date	PD	P	Estimated date of port call in UTC (YYYYMMDD)
Time	PT	P	Estimated time of port call in UTC (TTMM)
Quantity to be landed	KG	P	Quantity to be delivered divided into fish variety in kilos round weight. In pairs indicated.
Quantity on board	OB	P	Catching on board by kilograms of round weight. In pairs indicated.
Date of notification	DA	P	Date the message is sent in UTC (YYYYMMDD)
Notification time	TI	P	Time when message is sent in UTC (TTMM)

5. Notification of termination of fishing.

Notification of termination of fishing must be sent no earlier than 8 hours and no later than 2 hours before the vessel leaves the area.

The notification shall contain the following information:

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Data item:	Code:	Required/ Optional:	Explanation:
Type of notification	TM	P	Cox, Message of terminating fishing
Notification number	RN	P	Serial number of the notification in the current year
Authentication	AU	P	Agreed authentication code
Radio call signal	RC	P	Ship's radio call signal
Vessel name	NA	V	Name of ship
Registration mark	XR	V	Registration number of the ship in the registration register or IMO number if the ship does not have a registration number
Catch	CA	P ¹	Catches since the previous COE or CAT report divided into fish species in kilos round weight. In pairs indicated.
Number of fishing days	DF	P ¹	Number of fishing days in the area since Fiskestart or last catch report
Fishing area	RA	P ²	Code of area where the catch has been taken
Date of notification	DA	P	Date the message is sent in UTC (YYYYMMDD)
Notification time	TI	P	Time when message is sent in UTC (TTMM)

¹ The notification must contain catches and the number of fishing days since the last notice of catch or since start of fishing if the vessel has been fishing for less than 1 week.

² Required in fisheries where management measures require it

§ 4 Penalties

Any person who intently or negligently violates provisions of this Regulations is punished in accordance with Sections 62 and 64 of the Act relating to the Management of Wilder Common Marine Resources (Sea Resources Act) of 6 June 2008 No 37. Similarly, complicity and trials shall be punished

§ 5 Implementation

This Regulations enters into force on 1 July 1999.

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ANNEX**ANNEXES TO THE REGULATIONS ON REGISTRATION AND REPORTING FOR FISHING IN WATERS OUTSIDE OF ANY STATE'S PICKURIDIATION**

Registration form must be sent manually to the Directorate of Fisheries either by telefax number 55 23 80 90 or by e-mail address postmottak@fiskeridir.no.

MANUAL REPORTING IN CASE OF MISSTATEMENTS:

If errors occur in the electronic reporting system during fishing, the messages must be sent manually to the Directorate of Fisheries at:

E-mail: fmc@fiskeridir.no or

Fax: 55 23 82 76

The notifications shall be designed in these cases as shown below:

Notification about start of fishing activities:

TM	= COE
RC	= LLXX
NA	= KONTIKI
XR	= M-999-AA
LA	= N6530
LO	= W00732
OB	= KOLMULE 120 000 (or 0 if nothing on board)
DS	= KOLMULE
RA	= 2A
PD	= 20050112
DA	= 20050112
TI	= 0835

Catch notification:

TM	= CAT
RC	= LLXX
NA	= KONTIKI
XR	= M-999-AA8
LA	= N6630
LO	= W00350
CA	= KOLMULE 400 000 (or 0 if no catch has been taken)
DF	= 7
DA	= 20050119
TI	= 0955

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Reloading message:EX1: (When catch is transshipped from another vessel)

TM	= TRA
RC	= LLXX
NA	= KONTIKI
XR	= M-999-AA
KG	= CURRING 120 000
TF	= OXRP
LA	= N6823
LO	= E00124
DA	= 2005 0120
TI	= 2300

EX2: (When catch is to be transshipped to another vessel)

TM	= TRA
RC	= LLXX
NA	= KONTIKI
XR	= M-999-AA
KG	= HERRING 120 000
TT	= OXRP
LA	= N6823
LO	= E00124
PD	= 20050120
PT	= 1800
DA	= 20050119
TI	= 1800

Port arrival notification:

TM	= POR
RC	= LLXX
NA	= KONTIKI
XR	= M-999-AA
LA	= N5900
LO	= E00340
CS	= DENMARK
PO	= HANSTHOLM
PD	= 20050122
PT	= 1430
KG	= KOLMULE 300 000
OB	= KOLMULE 570 000
DA	= 20050121
TI	= 1430

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Notification of termination of fishing:

TM	= COX
RC	= LLXX
NA	= KONTIKI
XR	= M-999-AA
LA	= N6730
LO	= W00430
CA	= COLMULE 50 000
DF	= 1
DA	= 20050120
TI	= 1700