



Department for Environment,
Food & Rural Affairs

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Correction to the response from the Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Fisheries of Denmark regarding the consultation on Spatial Management Measures for Industrial Sandeel Fishing

The Danish Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Fisheries has identified an error in annex II of the written response to the consultation on Spatial Management Measures for Industrial Sandeel Fishing in English waters of the North Sea of May 26th 2023 to the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs.

The error concerns the value of Danish sandeel catches in Scottish waters. The value of Danish sandeel catches in Scottish waters in area 4 in 2017 and 2018 should be 222,740 DKK (£25,930) and 47.9 million DKK (£5.6 million).

Consequently, the average amount of Danish sandeel catches in Scottish waters during the 6-year period from 2017-2022 is corrected to 20.8 million DKK (£2.42 million). Please find enclosed an amended annex II with an overview of the total amount of catches and catch value is enclosed.

I apologise for the inconvenience.

Kind regards,

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Fisheries Director