

AGENDA

Seminar "State of Fish Stocks and the Economics of Fishing Fleets"

Van Maerlant Building, rue Van Maerlant, 2-18, (room VML02) 1040 Etterbeek, Brussels, Belgium,
26th September 2017 – 9h15-13h00

Session moderator: **Hélène Clark**, *European Commission, Director, Fisheries Policy Atlantic, North Sea, Baltic and Outermost Regions*

Registration and welcome coffee (from 8.30 onwards)		
Welcome	João Aguiar Machado, DG MARE Director General	9.15-9.30
Comparison of EU and US fisheries management systems	Ernesto Penas Lado, DG MARE Principal Adviser	9.30-10.00
Questions and discussion		10.00-10.15
Economic performance of the EU fishing fleet	Michael Keatinge, STECF, Chair of the STECF WG on Economics	10.15-10.35
Questions and discussion		10.35-10.45
Coffee break		10.45-11.15
Long-term trends with respect to Maximum Sustainable Yield (MSY)	Ernesto Jardim, JRC , Senior Fisheries Scientist	11.15-11.35
Biological status and developments of the main stocks		
- <i>Northeast Atlantic</i>	Eskild Kirkegaard, ICES Advisory Committee Chair	11.35-11.50
- <i>Mediterranean</i>	Clara Ulrich, STECF Chair	11.50-12.10
Questions and discussion		12.10-12.40
Concluding remarks	Karmenu Vella, European Commissioner for Environment, Maritime Affairs and Fisheries	12.40
Closing		13.00