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DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR MARITIME AFFAIRS AND FISHERIES

The Director-General

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Subject: 182_2022 MEDAC recommendation on the COMMUNICATION FROM THE COMMISSION TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND THE COUNCIL “Towards more sustainable fishing in the EU: state of play and orientations for 2023”

Dear Mr Buonfiglio,

Thank you for your letter expressing your opinion on the Commission Communication “Towards more sustainable fishing in the EU: state of play and orientations for 2023”.

I would like to thank the MEDAC for its advice and comments on these very important topics for the management of the Mediterranean fisheries. The Commission is carefully assessing your proposals and we look forward to receiving the final results of the socio-economic analysis you mention in your letter. Your opinion will be taken into account in our discussions within the EU, in the yearly process of setting the fishing opportunities and with our partners in GFCM.

I am looking forward to our continued fruitful cooperation. Should you have any further questions on this reply, please contact Ms Pascale COLSON, coordinator of the Advisory Councils (Pascale.COLSON@ec.europa.eu; +32.2.295.62.73), who will forward them to relevant colleagues.

Yours sincerely,

[e-signed]
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