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First name: John Family name: Casey  Expert group/sub-group: STECF EWG 20-04 Landing Obligation
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**1 EMPLOYMENT CONSULTANCY AND LEGAL REPRESENTATION**

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<b>1c</b>	<b>Non-remunerated post</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>1d</b>	<b>Legal representation</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Employee	1984-2014	Cefas (UK)	Fisheries Scientist and Advisor
Employee	June 2014 – June 2016	Joint Research Centre, Maritime Affairs Unit	Senior Research Fellow
Employee	October 2016 – 31 July 2018	Joint Research Centre, Water and Marine Resources Unit – D2	Contract Agent

## 2 MEMBERSHIP OF MANAGING BODY, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BODY OR EQUIVALENT STRUCTURE

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2a	Participation in a decision-making process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2b	Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body	X	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Member and Chair of the STECF	1997-2014	Scientific, Technical and Economic Committee for Fisheries	Provision of scientific advice on Fisheries Management to the European Commission

## 3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

	<i>Within the past 5 years, have you, or the research entity to which you belong, received any support from a legal entity or other body with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group in question?</i>	Yes X	no
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<b>Research on marine fisheries management under the CFP</b>	<b>June 2014-June 2016 and</b>	<b>Joint Research Centre, Maritime Affairs unit.</b>	<b>Research under an administrative arrangement with DG MARE</b>
	<b>October 2016 – present</b>	<b>Joint Research Centre, Water and Marine Resources Unit – D2</b>	

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**7 INTERESTS OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS**

yes

no

<b>7a</b>	<b>To your knowledge, are there any interests of your immediate family members which could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	X
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Interests	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description

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**8 OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION**

yes

no

<b>8a</b>	<b>Are there any other elements that could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	X
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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Providing commercial fisheries science advice to the UK Government	10/2005 - ongoing	Cefas (Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture Science)	An Executive Agency of the UK Government Environment Dept.aq (Defra), Cefas is a scientific research and advisory center for fisheries management, environmental protection and aquaculture.

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Fisheries science research	2005-current	UK Govt.	Public funding of UK fisheries Science by UK Govt.
Fisheries science research	2008 – 2010	European Fisheries Fund (EFF)	European Structural Funds
Fisheries science research (DiscardLess)	2015-2019	H2020 funding programme	European Structural Funds
Fisheries science research	2016- 2019	Funding Fish	Charitable Foundation
Fisheries science research	2014-2015	Youngs Seafood	Fish producers; private company
Fisheries science research	2014-2015	EU Commission	Ad hoc contracts and competitive calls for research from EU Com.
Fisheries science research (SMARTFISH)	2018-2022	H2020 funding programme	European Structural Funds

<b>UK Seafood Innovation Fund</b>	<b>2019-2022</b>	<b>UK Gov funding</b>	<b>UK funding (role on Exec Board and Steering Group)</b>
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Science advisor to UK Govt. assisting in assessing EU fisheries policy	2010-current	UK Govt.	Providing fisheries policy advice from science perspective to UK Govt.
Member of various Expert Working Groups at STECF	2008- current	STECF (EU Commission)	Providing expert assessment and advice on EU fisheries policy
Chair of ICES Working Group	2013-current	ICES	Chairing group of international scientists to answer terms of reference on fisheries science

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First name: Fabio Family name: Grati  Expert group/sub-group: EWG 20-04
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Researcher	2002 – to date	CNR-IRBIM	Fishery related research

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3a	Research support, including grants, rents, sponsorships, fellowships, non-monetary support	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Research support	2018	Italian Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Forestry (MIPAAFT)	Survivability of common sole

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 Family name: JUNG

Expert group/sub-group/ STECF 20-04

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Research action	Since 2010	DRDH	Research and Conservation for Fisheries and Marine Spatial Planning

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Biological Status Advises	Since 2008	ICES WGEF	Advices
Red List Assessment	Since 2009	IUCN	Red List Assessments
Management /Derogation to protected species	Since 2017	CNPN (French Council for Nature Protection)	Statement on derogation
Ocean and Littoral Directory	Since 2016	France Nature Environnement (FNE)	Statement and policy on coastal and marine protection issues
Sustainable Fisheries Group	Since 2019	Scapmarée	Improvement of the species selection and the sale process

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<b>Research in deep sea sharks (velvet belly)</b>	<b>Ended in 20</b>	<b>Scapeche</b>	<b>Grant</b>

#### **4 FINANCIAL INTERESTS**

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<b>4a</b>	<b>Shares</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>4b</b>	<b>Other stock</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Investment</b>	<b>Name of legal entity</b>	<b>Description</b>
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#### **5 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

	<i>Do you have any intellectual property rights that might be affected by the outcome of the work carried out by the expert group?</i>	<b>yes</b>	<b>No</b> <b>X</b>
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<b>5a</b>	<b>Patent, trademarks, or copyrights</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>5b</b>	<b>Others</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Intellectual property</b>	<b>Description</b>

## **6 PUBLIC STATEMENTS AND POSITIONS**

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<b>6a</b>	<b>For a legal entity or other body as part of a regulatory, legislative or judicial process</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>6b</b>	<b>Represented interests or defended an opinion</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Time period (from... until month/year)</b>	<b>Name of legal entity or body</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Interviews to Journalists</b>	<b>Since 2010</b>	<b>DRDH</b>	<b>Opinions on fisheries management &amp; marine environment</b>
<b>Posts on blogs</b>	<b>Since 2017</b>	<b>France Nature Environment (FNE)</b>	

7 INTERESTS OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS		yes	no
7a	To your knowledge, are there any interests of your immediate family members which could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Interests	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
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8 OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION		yes	no
8a	Are there any other elements that could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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Date: 18/05/2020 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
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First name: JOSEP Family name: LLORET  Expert group/sub-group: STECF EWG 20 04
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**1 EMPLOYMENT CONSULTANCY AND LEGAL REPRESENTATION**

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<b>1a</b>	<b>Employment</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>1b</b>	<b>Consultancy, including services as an advisor</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>1c</b>	<b>Non-remunerated post</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>1d</b>	<b>Legal representation</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Research and teaching	From September 2006 till present	University of Girona (public university) (employment)	Research: Oceans & Human health topic; fisheries biology and fisheries management  Teaching: PhD, Msc, Bsc in Biology and Environmental Sciences
Research and transfer of knowledge	From 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2018 till present	Director of the Oceans and Human Health Chair ( <u>non-remunerated post; legal representation</u> )	The Chair promotes research and transfer of knowledge in the field Oceans and Human Health. It is supported by the Town Council of Roses, the Roses prud'homie (confraria) and the Catalan Fishmonger Association

## 2 MEMBERSHIP OF MANAGING BODY, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BODY OR EQUIVALENT STRUCTURE

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2a	Participation in a decision-making process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2b	Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body	<input type="checkbox"/>	x

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description

## 3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

<i>Within the past 5 years, have you, or the research entity to which you belong, received any support from a legal entity or other body with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group in question?</i>	yes	no
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<b>3a</b>	<b>Research support, including grants, rents, sponsorships, fellowships, non-monetary support</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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<b>Activity</b>	<b>Time period (from... until month/year)</b>	<b>Name of legal entity or body</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Research projects</b>	<b>2012-2020</b>	<b>DG Mare, Regional Government of Catalonia, Spanish Government, Interreg</b>	<b>Several research projects on fish biology and fisheries ecology, fisheries management, oceans and human health</b>
<b>Research contracts</b>	<b>2012-2015</b>	<b>Spanish Government</b>	<b>Research contract “Ramón Cajal”. Fisheries biology</b>

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<b>Investment</b>	<b>Name of legal entity</b>	<b>Description</b>

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## 5 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

	<i>Do you have any intellectual property rights that might be affected by the outcome of the work carried out by the expert group?</i>	<b>yes</b>	<b>no</b>
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7 INTERESTS OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS		yes	no
7a	To your knowledge, are there any interests of your immediate family members which could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Interests	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description

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8 OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION		yes	no
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First name: João Family name: Pereira  Expert group/sub-group: EWG 20-04
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<b>1d</b>	<b>Legal representation</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Head of the Internal Resources Division	Sep-2016 present until	Directorate-General for Natural Resources, Safety and Maritime Services	Dealing with the needs of the Landing Obligation

## 2 MEMBERSHIP OF MANAGING BODY, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BODY OR EQUIVALENT STRUCTURE

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<b>2a</b>	<b>Participation in a decision-making process</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>2b</b>	<b>Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Head of the Internal Resources Division	Sep-2016 present until	Directorate-General for Natural Resources, Safety and Maritime Services	Managing the relationship between administration and fishers in regard of the LO
Researcher	until Aug-2016	Portuguese Institute for Ocean and Atmospheric Research	Hake fisheries assessment; Portuguese trawler by-catches and the LO

## 3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

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<b>Activity</b>	<b>Time period (from... until month/year)</b>	<b>Name of legal entity or body</b>	<b>Description</b>
Research support	until Aug-2016	Portuguese Institute for Ocean and Atmospheric Research	Financial support for research

#### 4 FINANCIAL INTERESTS

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#### 5 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

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Intellectual property	Description

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First name: Dominic Family name: Rihan  Expert group/sub-group: STECF EWG 20-04
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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Expert Advice	2016- current	Bord Iasciagh Mhara  European Commission	Technical Support to Irish Government (NWW JRs  Participation in STECF meetings and Expert Working Groups. Provision of support to STECF through ad hoc contracts on the Landing Obligation

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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Expert Advice	2016 - current	STECF  International Council for the exploration of the Sea (ICES)	Participation in STECF Plenary and EWG meetings. Provision of advice through ad hoc contracts. Participation in ICES Working

			<b>Groups and advice review.</b>
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### 3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
<b>Funding for R&amp;D projects</b>	<b>2016-current</b>	<b>Bord Iascaigh Mhara</b>	<b>BIM is the intermediary body that administer Ireland's funding under the EMFF. I am involved in the evaluation and participate involvement in R&amp;D projects funded under the EMFF.</b>

### 4 FINANCIAL INTERESTS

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Investment	Name of legal entity	Description
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<b>Activity</b>	<b>Time period (from... until month/year)</b>	<b>Name of legal entity or body</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Expert advice</b>	<b>2016 - current</b>	<b>Bord Iascaigh Mhara</b>	<b>Provision of expert advice on</b>

			<b>EU Fisheries Regulations to the Irish Government including on the Landing Obligation.</b>
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**7 INTERESTS OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS**

yes no

<b>7a</b>	<b>To your knowledge, are there any interests of your immediate family members which could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Date: 19<sup>th</sup> May 2020

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First name: Esther Family name: Savina  Expert group/sub-group: STECF EWG 20-04 / high survival
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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Employee as postdoc and researcher	2017-ongoing	DTU-Aqua	Research project on discard survival and advisory tasks to the Danish Ministry regarding high survival exemption

## 2 MEMBERSHIP OF MANAGING BODY, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BODY OR EQUIVALENT STRUCTURE

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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Invited expert	08/2019	STECF	STECF EWG 19-08
Member of ICES working group	2016-2019	ICES	Working group on discard survival (WGMEDS)

## 3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

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Research grant	2016-2018	EMFF (Denmark)	Research project on discard survival

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Intellectual property	Description

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<b>8 OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION</b>		<b>yes</b>	<b>no</b>
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First name: Sven Sebastian Family name: Uhlmann  Expert group/sub-group: STECF-EWG-20-04-LO
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<b>1a</b>	<b>Employment</b>	✓	□
<b>1b</b>	<b>Consultancy, including services as an advisor</b>	□	□
<b>1c</b>	<b>Non-remunerated post</b>	✓	□
<b>1d</b>	<b>Legal representation</b>	□	□

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Senior Fisheries Research Scientist	01-03-2014 until today	Flanders Research Institute for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food	Research on unwanted bycatch and discard in commercial fisheries
Co-chair	1/11/2017-31/10/2020	International Council for the Exploration of the Seas (ICES)	Nominated co-chair of the Working Group on Methods for Estimating Discard Survival (WGMEDS)

## 2 MEMBERSHIP OF MANAGING BODY, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BODY OR EQUIVALENT STRUCTURE

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2a	Participation in a decision-making process	<input type="checkbox"/> ✓	<input type="checkbox"/>
2b	Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> ✓

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Providing scientific input and evidence for negotiations of Joint Recommendations	01-2015 until today	Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, Government of Flanders	Applied research

## 3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

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<b>3a</b>	<b>Research support, including grants, rents, sponsorships, fellowships, non-monetary support</b>	✓	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
<b>European Maritime and Fisheries Funds</b>	<b>03/2014-12/2016;</b>	<b>Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, Government of Flanders</b>	<b>European subsidy grants</b>
	<b>01/06/2017 - 31/1/2019</b>		
	<b>01/05/2017-30/04/2018</b>		
	<b>01/01/2019-30/06/2021</b>		

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## 5 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Scientist	2011/07- current	Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU)	Scientific and advisory work (to national agency)

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2a	Participation in a decision-making process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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3a	Research support, including grants, rents, sponsorships, fellowships, non-monetary support	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Activity	Time period	Name of legal entity	Description
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	<b>(from... until month/year)</b>	<b>or body</b>	
Science and monitoring	2011/07- current	Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU)	Funding for applied research monitoring and scientific advice to SLU from the Swedish agency for Marine management (SwAM)

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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Scientific advice to joint recommendations	2015/05 - 2020/05	Swedish agency for Marine management (SwAM) - under the Swedish ministry of enterprise	Provided scientific advice and data for North Sea and Baltic LO-JRs and to the proposal for Skagerrak technical measures

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First name: Willy  
 Family name: VANHEE

Expert group/sub-group: STECF EWG 20-04 Evaluation of Landings Obligation Joint recommendations VIRTUAL MEETING

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Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of entity or body	Description
Research	From 02/1977 until 02/2015	ILVO	Stock assessment / Fisheries Advice

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2a	Participation in a decision-making process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2b	Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Activity	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description
Member	From 02/1992 until 02/2015	ICES - WGNSSK	Stock assessment
Member	From 02/1994 until 02/2015	ICES - WGCSE	Stock assessment
Member	From 02/1994 until 02/2015	ICES - Advice drafting Group North Sea	Advice drafting

## 3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

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<b>3a</b>	<b>Research support, including grants, rents, sponsorships, fellowships, non-monetary support</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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#### 5 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

	<i>Do you have any intellectual property rights that might be affected by the outcome of the work carried out by the expert group?</i>	<b>yes</b>	<b>no</b>
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**7 INTERESTS OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS** yes      no

<b>7a</b>	To your knowledge, are there any interests of your immediate family members which could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Interests	Time period (from... until month/year)	Name of legal entity or body	Description

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**8 OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION** yes      no

<b>8a</b>	Are there any other elements that could be seen as undermining your independence when providing advice to the Commission in the field of activity of the expert group/sub-group in question	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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## DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Definitions:

"**Conflict of interest**" means any situation where an expert has an interest that may compromise or be reasonably perceived to compromise the expert's capacity to act independently and in the public interest when providing advice to the Commission in relation to the subject of the work performed by the expert group or sub-group in question.

"**Immediate family member**" means the expert's spouse, children and parents. "Spouse" includes a partner with whom the expert has a registered non marital regime. "Children" means the child(ren) the expert and the spouse have in common, the own child(ren) of the expert and the own child(ren) of the spouse."

"**Legal entity**" means any commercial business, industry association, consultancy, research institution or other enterprise whose funding is significantly derived from commercial sources. It also includes independent own commercial businesses, law offices, consultancies or similar.

"**Body**" means a governmental, international or non-profit organization.

"**Meeting**" includes a series or cycle of meetings.

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**Please answer each of the questions below. If the answer to any of the questions is "yes", please briefly describe relevant interests and circumstances, as appropriate.**

**If you do not describe relevant interests, your DOI form will be considered incomplete and, therefore, you shall be excluded from the expert group or sub-group.**

First name: Claudio Family name: Viva  Expert group/sub-group: STECF-EWG-20-04
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**1 EMPLOYMENT CONSULTANCY AND LEGAL REPRESENTATION**

<i>Within the past 5 years, were you employed or have you had any other professional relationship with, or held any non-remunerated post in a natural or legal entity or other body with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group in question?</i>	yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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<b>1a</b>	<b>Employment</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>1b</b>	<b>Consultancy, including services as an advisor</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>1c</b>	<b>Non-remunerated post</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>1d</b>	<b>Legal representation</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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## 2 MEMBERSHIP OF MANAGING BODY, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BODY OR EQUIVALENT STRUCTURE

	<i>Within the past 5 years, have you participated in the internal decision-making of a legal entity or other body with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group in question or have you participated in the works of a Scientific Advisory Body with voting rights on the outputs of that entity?</i>	yes	<del>no</del>
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2a	Participation in a decision-making process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2b	Participation in the work of a Scientific Advisory Body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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## 3 RESEARCH SUPPORT

	<i>Within the past 5 years, have you, or the research entity to which you belong, received any support from a legal entity or other body with an interest in the field of activity of the expert group in question?</i>	yes	no
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3a	Research support, including grants, rents, sponsorships, fellowships, non-monetary support	X	<input type="checkbox"/>
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EU DCF in GSA09	2015- onwards	Italian Ministry (MiPAAF) – European Commission	data collection programme in support of the assessment of fisheries in the FAO-GFCM GSA09
H2020 Project “Science, Technology, and Society Initiative to minimize Unwanted Catches in European Fisheries” (MINOUW)	2015-2019	European Commission	minimizing unwanted catches through the adoption of fishing technologies and practices that reduce pre-harvest mortality and post-harvest discards, while avoiding damage to sensitive marine species and habitats
Strengthening regional cooperation in the Area of fisheries biological data collection in the Mediterranean and Black Sea (STREAM)	2017- 2019	European Commission	providing support to the Commission and MSs to build up experience in new areas of regional cooperation in the Mediterranean and Black Sea for the realization of the Regional Sampling Plans
Improving the selectivity of trawl gears in the Mediterranean Sea to advance the sustainable exploitation pattern of trawl fisheries (IMPLEMED)	2019-onwards	European Commission	The main objective of the study is to test selectivity devices (with particular focus on the T90 and sorting grids), aimed at improving the exploitation pattern and

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