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Subject: **Prohibition to use ports by transport vessels in accordance with Article 5(2) of Regulation (EU) No 793/2013 of 2013 establishing measures in respect of the Faeroes Islands to ensure the conservation of the Atlanto-Scandian herring stock.**

Message:

Further to our fax of 23 August, please see in the annex to this fax an indicative list of transport vessels that have been licenced by FO to transport Atlanto-Scandian herring. Please note this is an indicative and non-exhaustive list that does not exempt Member States' authorities from the need to do verifications and ascertain that these vessels transport or have transported herring after 28 August, date of entry into force of the regulation. This is particularly the case for vessels Kai Shun, An Xing Hai and Kai Yu, which are known to have transported herring before 2013 but which at present are operating in Greenlandic waters.

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Indicative list of Faroese vessels licensed for buying mackerel and herring from Faroese fishing vessels operating in the Faroese EEZ

(Situation on 20th September 2013)

External Identification	Vessel name	IRSC + Flag State	Remark
V4QV2 Atlantic Orion	Atlantic Orion	V4QV2 ST. Kitts Nevis	Buying fish from small Faroese trawlers. Place: Faroe Islands in port Fluglafjordur
V3FQ Gloria	Gloria	V3FQ BELIZE	Buying fish from small Faroese trawlers. Place: Faroe Islands in port Fluglafjordur
V3BNZ Victoria	Victoria	V3BNZ BELIZE	Buying fish from small Faroese trawlers. Place: Faroe Islands in port Fluglafjordur
BIWZ KAI SHUN	KAI SHUN	BIWZ CHINA	Operating in Greenlandic EEZ (Strait of Denmark). Before 2013, buying fish from smaller Faroese trawlers in Faroe Island EEZ (see report MSCFF Working Group Bergen 2013)
BALE AN XING HAI	AN XING HAI	BALE CHINA	Operating in Greenlandic EEZ (Strait of Denmark). Before 2013, buying fish from smaller Faroese trawlers in Faroe Island EEZ (see report MSCFF Working Group Bergen 2013)
BIWU KAI YU	KAI YU	BIWU CHINA	Operating in Greenlandic EEZ (Strait of Denmark). Before 2013, buying fish from smaller Faroese trawlers in Faroe Island EEZ (see report MSCFF Working Group Bergen 2013)