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## **amending Implementing Decision C(2018) 8395 of 13 December 2018 on the financing of the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund and the adoption of the work programme for 2019**

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

to Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012<sup>1</sup>, and in particular Article 110 thereof,

Having regard to the Regulation (EU) No 508/2014 of the European Parliament and Council of 15 May 2014 on the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 2328/2003, (EC) No 861/2006, (EC) No 1198/2006, (EC) No 791/2007, Regulation No 1255/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>2</sup>, and in particular Article 23 thereof,

Having regard to the Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 of the European Parliament and Council of 11 December 2013 on the Common Fisheries Policy, amending Council Regulations (EC) No 1954/2003 and (EC) No 1224/2009 and repealing Council Regulations (EC) No 2371/2002 and (EC) No 639/2004 and Council Decision 2004/585/EC<sup>3</sup>, and in particular Article 45 (3) thereof,

Having regard to the Regulation (EU) No 1379/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 on the common organisation of the markets in fishery and aquaculture products, amending Council Regulations (EC) No 1184/2006 and (EC) No 1224/2009 and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 104/2000<sup>4</sup>, and in particular Article 42 thereof,

Having regard to the Commission Decision 2005/629/EC establishing a Scientific, Technical and Economic Committee for Fisheries<sup>5</sup>, in particular Article 9 thereof,

After consulting the Committee established by Article 127 of Regulation (EU) No 508/2014 on the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund,

Whereas:

- (1) The work programme for 2019 and the financing decision for the implementation of the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund was adopted by Implementing Decision C(2018) 8395 of 13 December 2018.

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p.1.

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 149, 20.05.2014, p. 1.

<sup>3</sup> OJ L 354, 28.12.2013, p. 22.

<sup>4</sup> OJ L 354, 28.12.2013, p. 1.

<sup>5</sup> OJ L 225, 31.8.2005, p. 18.

- (2) Following a review of the actions required, a revision of the Annex to Implementing Decision C(2018) 8395 of 13 December 2018 has become necessary.
- (3) As a consequence, some existing actions and in the domain of the Integrated Maritime Policy and Voluntary Contributions to the Regional Fisheries Management Organisations have been modified. A new action consisting in the digitalisation of the North Atlantic Fisheries Organisation's (NAFO) observer reports as well as two studies in the domain of the Integrated Maritime Policy have been added.
- (4) Implementing Decision C(2018) 8395 of 13 December 2018 should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (5) The measures provided for in this Implementing Decision are in accordance with the opinion of the Committee established by Article 127 of Regulation (EU) No 508/2014 on the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Sole Article*

The Implementing Decision C (2018) 8395 of 13 December 2018 is amended in accordance with the Annex to this Implementing Decision.

Done at Brussels, 9.10.2019

*For the Commission*  
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