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(Preparatory Acts)

COMMISSION

Proposal for a Council Regulation (EC) modifying Regulation EEC No 3928/92 establishing a NAFO pilot observer scheme applicable to Community vessels operating in the Regulatory Area of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organization

(95/C 128/05)

(Text with EEA relevance)

COM(94) 630 final — 94/0306(CNS)

(Submitted by the Commission on 16 December 1994)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, in particular Article 43 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Parliament,

Having regard to the opinion of the Social and Economic Committee,

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 3928/92 [1], as amended by Council Regulation (EC) No 2762/94 [2], implements the NAFO pilot observer scheme adopted by the Fisheries Commission of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organization on 18 September 1992;

Whereas the NAFO Fisheries Commission adopted on 23 September 1994 a proposal to extend the said scheme to 31 December 1995;

Whereas pursuant to Article VI of the NAFO Convention the proposal will, in the absence of objections, become a measure binding upon Contracting Parties with effect from 24 November 1994;

Whereas the modified scheme is acceptable to the Community;

Whereas it is necessary to modify Council Regulation (EEC) No 3928/92,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Regulation (EEC) No 3928/92 is modified as follows:

1. In Article 4, second subparagraph '31 December 1994' is replaced by '31 December 1995'.

2. In point 1 (i) of the Annex '31 December 1994' is replaced by '31 December 1995'.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the seventh day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable to all Member States.

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[1] OJ No L 397, 31. 12. 1992, p. 78.
[2] OJ No L 294, 15. 11. 1994.