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To whom it may concern

Notification of Real Time Closure in Danish Waters in the Skagerrak.

Please be informed that inspection of a fishing vessel in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) no 2201/2019 of 1. Oktober 2019, has revealed that the amount of Juveniles of Northern Prawn in the catches is found to be too high.

Due to this information, it has been decided to close an area for the period from the 19. of April 2023 to the 2 of May 2023 at midnight.

Straight lines between the following positions limit the closed area:

- 1) 58° 01'7 N 009° 31'4 Ø
- 2) 58° 07'6 N 009° 52'4 Ø
- 3) 58° 04'5 N 009° 56'5 Ø
- 4) 57° 58'6 N 009° 34'8 Ø

The area is closed for fishery except for the following gears:

- Bottom trawlers using the following gear:
- Bottom trawl with a mesh size of at least 32 mm used for fishing for deep-sea prawns and equipped with a net of no more than 19 mm between bars without a fish-retaining device
- Bottom trawl with a mesh size of more than 70 mm, used for fishing for spiny lobster and equipped with a North Sea grid with a maximum of 35 mm between bars without anodizing to retain fish.

Best Regards,

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