STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 1215

SEA FISHERIES

BOATS AND METHODS OF FISHING

The Herring (North Yorkshire Coast) (Prohibition of Fishing) Order 1974

Made - - -	18*th July* 1974
Laid before Parliament	29*th July* 1974
Coming into Operation	20*th August* 1974

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretaries of State respectively concerned with the sea fishing industry in Scotland and Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by sections 5(1) and (2) and 15 of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967(**a**) as the latter section is amended by section 22(1) of, and paragraph 38 of Part II of Schedule 1 to, the Sea Fisheries Act 1968(**b**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Herring (North Yorkshire Coast) (Prohibition of Fishing) Order 1974 and shall come into operation on 20th August 1974.

Interpretation

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(**c**) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Prohibition

3. During the period 20th August 1974 to 30th September 1974, both dates inclusive, fishing for herring (*Clupea harengus*) within the area of sea specified in the Schedule to this Order is hereby prohibited.

4. In accordance with section 5(3) of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967, it is hereby declared that this Order is not made for the sole purpose of giving effect to such convention or agreement as is mentioned in section 5(1) of that Act.

(**a**) 1967 c. 84. (**b**) 1968 c. 77. (**c**) 1889 c. 63.

Enforcement

5. For the purpose of the enforcement of this Order, there are hereby conferred on every British sea-fishery officer the powers of a British sea-fishery officer under section 8(2) to (4) of the Sea Fisheries Act 1968.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 18th July 1974.

(L.S.)

Frederick Peart,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

William Ross,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

15th July 1974.

Merlyn Rees,
Secretary of State for Northern Ireland.

16th July 1974.

SCHEDULE

The area of sea adjacent to England within the fishery limits of the British Islands which lies between a line drawn in a north-east (true) direction from The Heugh Lighthouse and a line drawn in an east (true) direction from The Flamborough Head Lighthouse.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order prohibits fishing for herring in an area of sea adjacent to the North Yorkshire coast within the fishery limits of the British Islands for the period 20th August 1974 to 30th September 1974, both dates inclusive.

By virtue of section 5(8) of the Act the Order applies to all fishing boats including foreign vessels.

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