



## This is to certify that the:

### **FFA Finland Baltic Herring & Sprat Fishery**

# Has been certified as compliant with the Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) Fisheries Standard

The client for the fishery is:

Finland Fishermen's Association / Suomen Ammattikalastajaliitto R.Y.

Jordaksentie 124

FIN-07840

Lindkoski

**Finland** 

This certified fishery, as defined in attached schedule, has the right to claim that it is a "Well Managed and Sustainable Fishery" in accordance with the MSC's Principles and Criteria for Sustainable Fishing

Authorising signatory:

FFA Finland Baltic Herring & Sprat Fishery

Managing Director, Acoura Marine

Fishery name: FFA Finland Baltic Herri
Valid certificate number: F - ACO - 0123
Certificate valid from: 25/JUN/2018

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### **Certificate schedule**

#### **UNITS OF CERTIFICATION**

Definition: Target stock(s) combined with the fishing method/gear and practice (including vessel type/s) pursuing that stock, and any fleets, or groups of vessels, or individual fishing operators that are covered by the MSC fishery certificate. Note that other eligible fishers may also be included in some Units of Assessment but not initially certified (until covered by a certificate sharing arrangement).

#### UoC 1

Species:	European sprat (Sprattus sprattus)				
Stock:	Baltic Sea (ICES Subdivisions 22-32)				
Geographical area:	ICES Subdivisions 22-32				
Harvest method:	Pelagic trawl				
Client Group:	Finland Fishermen's Association / Suomen Ammattikalastajaliitto R.Y.				

#### **UoCs 2-6**

Species:	Herring (Clupea harengus)						
Stock:	Bothnian Bay (ICES Subdivision 31).		Bothnian Sea (ICES Subdivision 30).		Central Baltic (ICES Subdivisions 25, 26, 27, 28.2, 29, 32).		
Geographical area:	Bothnian Bay		Bothnian Sea		Central Baltic		
Unit of Assessment	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Harvest method:	Pelagic trawl	Fish trap	Pelagic trawl	Fish trap	Pelagic trawl	Fish trap	
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## THE POINT(S) AT WHICH FISH AND FISH PRODUCTS MAY ENTER A CHAIN OF CUSTODY

The point at which ownership of the product changes is the point of first sale. Chain of custody should therefore begin at the point of first sale.

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# THE PARTIES, OR CATEGORIES OF PARTIES, THAT ARE ENTITLED TO USE THIS CERTIFICATE TO ENTER FISH FROM THE CERTIFIED FISHERY INTO CERTIFIED CHAINS OF CUSTODY

- An up to date vessel list for both trawl and trap fisheries can be found by contacting Acoura Marine as per details below.
- Other eligible fishers are trawl operators in the Baltic Sea not included in the UoC(s) above. This is based on a certificate sharing arrangement which includes an agreement of code of conduct and contribution to costs (this is available to view on the MSC website or by contacting Acoura Marine).

#### **ACOURA MARINE**

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