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Subject: PELRAC recommendation on the Commission's Green Paper on the reform of the CFP

Dear Mr McSween,

I thank you very much for your contribution to the consultation on the Green Paper on the reform of the Common Fisheries Policy. I appreciate your efforts and the interest you have shown in that important issue.

The Commission is in the process of synthesizing and assessing all contributions received, so that the different options for the future can be discussed and developed. This should help the Commission subsequently to define the proposals for the reform. Your contributions will be duly taken into account in this process.

I am counting on your continued contributions and co-operation in the reform discussion, as the Commission plans to continue the dialogue with stakeholders by organising a series of thematic meetings during the first half of 2010.

Yours sincerely,

Fokion Fotiadis