The Committee for the Cornwall Sea Fisheries District in exercise of their powers under Section 5 of the Sea Fisheries Regulation Act 1966 hereby make the following new byelaw.

**SPECIFIED FISH SIZES**

1. The byelaw applies to any part of the Cornwall Sea Fisheries District within a line drawn on the seaward side of baselines 6 nautical miles from the baselines from which the breadth of the territorial sea adjacent to the United Kingdom is measured. For the purposes of this paragraph “the baselines” means the baselines as they existed at 25th January 1983 in accordance with the Territorial Waters Order in Council 1964 (1965 III p.6452A) as amended by the Territorial Waters (Amendment) Order in Council 1979 (1979 II p.2866).

2. No person shall remove from a fishery within the Cornwall Sea Fisheries District any fish of the species named in paragraph 3, which measures less than that specified for the species.

3. **Conger Eel** (Conger conger) 58 centimetres
   **Hake** (Merluccius merluccius) 30 centimetres
   **Grey Mullet** (Mugil spp.) 20 centimetres
   **Red Seabream** (Pagellus bogaraveo) 25 centimetres
   **Black Seabream** (Spondylosoma cantharus) 23 centimetres
   **Red Mullet** (Mullus sumuletus) 15 centimetres
   **Witch Flounder** (Glyptocephalus cynoglossus) 28 centimetres
   **Dab** (Limanda limanda) 15 centimetres
   **Lemon Sole** (Microstomus kitt) 25 centimetres
   **Flounder** (Platichthys flesus) 25 centimetres
   **Megrim** (Lepidorhombus spp.) 25 centimetres
   **Brill** (Scophthalmus rhombus) 30 centimetres
   **Turbot** (Psetta maxima) 30 centimetres

4. Provided that this byelaw shall not apply to any person removing any such fish for scientific purposes under the written authority in that behalf of the Local Fisheries Committee signed by their Clerk and in accordance with the conditions contained in that authority.

5. The byelaw shall come into operation on the confirmation hereof by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and may be cited as the Cornwall Sea Fisheries District Specified Fish Sizes Byelaw 2000.