

[Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development of the Slovak Republic]

Council Regulation (EC) No 199/2008 of 25 February 2008

concerning the establishment of a Community framework for the collection, management and use of data in the fisheries sector and support for scientific advice regarding the Common Fisheries Policy

Commission Regulation (EC) No 665/2008 of 14 July 2008

laying down detailed rules for the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 199/2008

Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/1251 of 12 July 2016

adopting a multiannual Union programme for the collection, management and use of data in the fisheries and aquaculture sectors for the period 2017-2019

[SK] Work Plan for data collection in the aquaculture sectors

2017-2019

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SECTION 1: BIOLOGICAL DATA

Text Box 1E: Anadromous and catadromous species data collection in fresh water

General comment: This Box fulfills paragraph 2 points (b) and (c) of Chapter III of the multi-annual Union programme and Article 2 of this Decision.

The Slovak Republic is a landlocked country without involvement in commercial fisheries. In terms of fisheries policy, it is represented in freshwater aquaculture sector and recreational fishing in the flowing waters. From the biological data group, the Slovak Republic is concerned by the issue of European eel (*Anguilla Anguilla*). Classical catadromous migration of this species is not possible in our territory. The issue of European eel should be managed at the regional level, based on the multiannual Union programme. After creating regional groups, the Member States will make agreement on at least one river basin per eel management unit, from which the data will be collected, and they will determine exactly from which rivers the stocks of European eel will be monitored. From our point of view, the data on the European eel should be monitored from the native populations, which do not occur in Slovakia anymore. Recorded data should be submitted to the European Commission annually.

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SECTION 3: ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DATA

Pilot Study 1: Data on employment by education level and nationality

General comment: This Box fulfills paragraph 5 point (b) and paragraph 6 point (b) of Chapter III of the multi-annual Union programme and Article 2 and Article 3 paragraph (3) point (c) of this Decision. It is intended to specify data to be collected under Table 6 of the multi-annual Union programme.

The Slovak Republic is one of the Member States of the European Union with not a major freshwater aquaculture sector. Total production is less than 1% of the total Union production volume and value. Based on the methodology of the multiannual Union programme, the social data collection is voluntary for the Slovak Republic. In order to strengthen sustainability of the freshwater aquaculture sector of the European Union the Slovak Republic will participate on following data collection:

- employment by education level
- employment by nationality

Collection of this data will be subject of pilot studies in the future. The expected frequency of data collection will be every three years.

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SECTION 3: ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DATA

Text Box 3B: Population segments for collection of economic and social data for aquaculture

General comment: This Box fulfills paragraph 6 points (a) and (b) of Chapter III of the multi-annual Union programme and Article 2, Article 4 paragraphs (1) and (5) and Article 5 paragraph (2) of this Decision. It is intended to specify data to be collected under Tables 6 and 7 of the multi-annual Union programme.

The Slovak Republic is one of the member states of the European Union with not a major freshwater aquaculture sector. Total production is less than 1% of the total Union production volume and value. Based on the methodology of the multiannual Union programme, the economic and social data collection is voluntary for the Slovak Republic. In order to strengthen sustainability of the freshwater aquaculture sector of the European Union the Slovak Republic will participate on following data collection:

SOCIAL DATA:

- employment by gender
- FTE by gender

The Slovak Republic collects above mentioned social data on an annual basis. The frequency of providing these data to the European Commission will be annual. However, the data for 2017 will be available in the second half of 2018. The data for the particular year can be thus provided with at least half a year lapse.

Other types of data, such as:

- unpaid labor by gender
- employment by age

will be subject of pilot studies in the future. The expected frequency of data collection will be every three years.

Types of data such as:

- employment by employment status
- FTE National

will be subject of pilot studies, with an expected annual frequency of data collection.

ECONOMIC DATA:

- total income
- total cost
- personnel costs
- other costs

The Slovak Republic collects above mentioned economic data on an annual basis. The frequency of providing these data to the European Commission shall be annual. However, data for 2017 will be available in the second half of 2018. Generally, the data for the particular year can be provided with at least half a year lapse. Total income and total cost of aquaculture entities operating in the Slovak Republic can be downloaded from administrative data sources, which contain both these economic categories. Other types of data, such as personnel costs and other costs are also part of administrative data sources, but only in entities not applying expenditures on the bases of percentage of income (fixed costs). Some companies keep record of their total income from all activities together and do not separate the amount of income between aquaculture and other activities of the company. Reporting of such data would cause more misunderstandings and uncertainty and therefore to remedy these problems, we will focus our pilot studies to resolve these problems. Other economic data presented in Table 7 of the multiannual Union programme will also be also subject of the future pilot studies.

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SECTION 3: ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DATA

Text Box 3C: Population segments for collection of economic and social data for the processing industry

General comment: This Box fulfills footnote 6 of paragraph 1.1(d) of Chapter III of the multi-annual Union programme, Article 2, Article 4 paragraphs (1) and (5) and Article 5 paragraph (2) of this Decision. It is intended to specify data to be collected under Table 11 of the multi-annual Union programme.

Based on the methodology of the multiannual Union programme, collection of economic and social data for the processing industry is voluntary for the Slovak Republic. In order to strengthen sustainability of the processing sector of the European Union the Slovak Republic will participate in collecting the following data:

ECONOMIC DATA:

- total income
- turnover
- other income
- personnel costs
- other operational costs
- subsidies
- operating subsidies
- subsidies on investments
- capital costs
- capital value
- Investments
- debt
- number of persons employed
- number of hours worked by employees and unpaid workers
- number of enterprises
- weight of raw material

Other economic and social data for the processing industry presented in Table 11 of the multiannual Union programme will subject of the future pilot studies.

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