

EU and Cook Islands Fisheries Partnership Agreement

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Regulation

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What is changing and why?

This call for evidence relates to an evaluation of the protocol implementing the EU's Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement (SFPA) with the Cook Islands. The current protocol expires in December 2024. For the EU fleet to continue to fish in waters of the Cook Islands, a new protocol needs to be negotiated as soon as possible after the current protocol expires. This call for evidence is important to ensure that the negotiations on its renewal take into account the views of stakeholders.

Actions

Fisheries authorities, the fishing industry (fishing and processing), and civil society in the Cook Islands are encouraged to respond to this call for evidence.

Timeline

Feedback on this call for evidence can be provided until **20 June 2024** via the European Commission's Have your say webpage: [Fisheries – negotiation mandate for a new protocol for the Cook Islands](#).

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