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# Draft Decree concerning the labelling of certain sea and fresh-water products

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#### 4. Notification Number

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#### 5. Title

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## 6. Products Concerned

Sea products (fish, aquatic crustaceans and molluscs)

# 7. Notification Under Another Act

Directive 79/112 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to the labelling, presentation and advertising of foodstuffs for sale to the ultimate consumer.

#### 8. Main Content

In order to distinguish fished products from fish-farmed

products, the sales designation must be supplemented by a statement indicating that the foodstuff has been fish-farmed.

### 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The distinction between fished and fish-farmed products makes

it possible to improve consumer information and the transparency of the market.

- **10. Reference Documents Basic Texts** Consumer Code articles L 214-1, R-112-1 ff.
- **11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure** No
- 12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

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14. Fiscal measures

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