

## AGENDA

### Seminar "State of Fish Stocks and the Economics of Fishing Fleets"

Van Maerlant Building, rue Van Maerlant, 18, (room VML02) 1040 Etterbeek, Brussels, Belgium,  
26<sup>th</sup> September 2017 – 9h00-13h00

Session moderator: **Hélène Clark**, *European Commission, Director, Fisheries Policy Atlantic, North Sea, Baltic and Outermost Regions*

<b>Registration and welcome coffee (from 8.30 onwards)</b>		
<b>Welcome</b>	Karmenu Vella, European Commissioner for Environment, Maritime Affairs and Fisheries	9-9.20
<b>Comparison of EU and US fisheries management systems</b>	Ernesto Penas Lado, DG MARE Principal Adviser	9.20-9.50
<b>Questions and discussion</b>		9.50-10.00
<b>Economic performance of the EU fishing fleet</b>	Michael Keatinge, STECF, Chair of the STECF WG on Economics	10.00-10.20
<b>Questions and discussion</b>		10.20-10.30
<b>Coffee break</b>		10.30-11.00
<b>Long-term trends with respect to Maximum Sustainable Yield (MSY)</b>	Ernesto Jardim, JRC , Senior Fisheries Scientist	11.00-11.20
<b>Biological status and developments of the main stocks</b>		
- <i>Northeast Atlantic</i>	Eskild Kirkegaard, ICES Advisory Committee Chair	11.20-11.40
- <i>Mediterranean</i>	Clara Ulrich, STECF Chair	11.40-12.10
<b>Questions and discussion</b>		12.10-12.40
<b>Concluding remarks</b>	João Aguiar Machado, DG MARE Director General	12.40
<b>Closing</b>		<b>13.00</b>