**PRIVACY STATEMENT IN THE CONTEXT OF THE PREPARATION AND CONDUCT OF ON-THE-SPOT EVALUATION MISSIONS IN THIRD COUNTRIES**

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<th>WHY AND HOW DO WE PROCESS YOUR DATA?</th>
<th>The European Fisheries Control Agency is committed to respect the right to data protection being subject to Regulation (EU) 2018/1725. To properly carry out the task of providing assistance to Member States, the Commission and upon request to third countries – here in form of technical expertise, capacity building and training material, we collect and further process information and data received from the Commission (DG Mare) for the cooperation in the preparation and conduct of on-the-spot evaluation missions in third countries.</th>
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<td>DATA CONTROLLER</td>
<td>Your personal data will be under the responsibility of: HEAD OF UNIT 3 EUROPEAN AGENCY FOR FISHERIES CONTROL (EFCA) AVDA. GARCÍA BARBÓN, 4, E-36201 VIGO</td>
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| LEGAL GROUND/S | This activity is carried out by the Agency based on public interest under:  
- article 20(4)(c) of the IUU regulation (EC) no 1005/2008  
- article 1(b) of Commission Decision of 18 December 2009 for the cooperation in the preparation and conduct of on-the-spot evaluation missions in third countries  
| WHAT DATA WE COLLECT? | The information and data received from the Commission and / or the Member States in the context of the IUU Regulation may cover the following operations e.g. landings/transhipments, import denials, inspection/sighting/investigation reports, own investigations.  
Such operations may include individual information including names and contact details of natural persons working in Member States/third countries competent authorities, or natural persons in the fishing sector (e.g. consigners, consignees, beneficiaries, owners, ship masters/mates, etc.). |
| WHO HAS ACCESS TO YOUR DATA? | EFCA Unit 3 staff authorised by EFCA Head of Uni 3. Processed data is transferred to the Commission (DG Mare), in the framework of Article 1(b) of Commission Decision 2009/988/EU of 19 December 2009. |

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1 Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data.
## HOW DO WE PROTECT YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION?

A number of technical and organisational measures have been put in place by the Agency. Technical measures include appropriate actions to address online security, risk of data loss, alteration of data or unauthorised access according to the EFCA Information Security Policy. Organisational measures include restricting access to the personal data solely to authorised persons with a legitimate need to know for the purposes of this processing operation.

## HOW LONG DO WE KEEP YOUR DATA?

Personal data is eliminated from databases by default within one year after the last action in relation to the request, or upon the data subject's request within 15 working days after the last action in relation to the request.

## YOUR RIGHTS AS DATA SUBJECT

You have the right to access all your personal data, including the supporting documents, and may request them to be updated and rectified, blocked or erased.

In accordance with Article 25(1)(c) of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 the rights mentioned in Articles 14 to 22, 35 and 36, as well as Article 4 of the same Regulation could be restricted because the full exercise of those rights could jeopardise monitoring, inspection or regulatory functions in relation to the effective implementation of Union’s common fisheries policy, in particular the Union rules to prevent, deter and eliminate IUU fishing. This could include inter alia restrictions on provision of information to data subjects in order to protect the entire course of analyses and procedures with regard to IUU fishing.

Restrictions are regulated insofar by the EFCA internal rules adopted by the EFCA Administrative Board on 22 April 2020 and published in the Official Journal of the European Union on 3 August 2020\(^\text{2}\).

In all cases, the right of access is already given to the operators who provide the information and the competent authority/official who validate the information.

## CONTACT INFORMATION AND RECOURSE

For any questions or concerns, if you would like to exercise your rights or submit a complaint, you may address the Data Controller orally, by email or by paper.

You may also contact the EFCA Data Protection Officer (DPO): EFCA-DPO@efca.europa.eu

If you consider that your rights under Regulation 2018/1725 have been infringed as a result of the processing, you are entitled to have recourse at any time to the European Data Protection Supervisor (EDPS): EDPS@edps.europa.eu