# PRIVACY STATEMENT
## Reception and transmission of denunciations

## WHY AND HOW DO WE PROCESS YOUR DATA?

The European Fisheries Control Agency is committed to respect the right to data protection and it is subject to Regulation (EU) 2018/1725. Individual citizens, civil society organisations or representatives of fisheries or stakeholders interests write to the EFCA denouncing any suspicion of an illegal activity. For this purpose, the EFCA ensures that the European Commission receives the information so the denouncement is handled accordingly.

## DATA CONTROLLER

Your personal data will be under the responsibility of:

**EFCA EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

**EUROPEAN AGENCY FOR FISHERIES CONTROL (EFCA)**

**AVDA. GARCÍA BARBÓN, 4, E-36201 VIGO**

## LEGAL GROUND/S

This activity is carried out by the Agency based on public interest under:

- Article 72(3) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 of 20 November 2009 establishing a Community control system for ensuring compliance with the rules of the common fisheries policy

## WHAT DATA WE COLLECT?

Name, e-mail address of the person doing the denouncement, who does so of his/her own initiative and may use a pseudonym. In this procedure, the information is not assessed but transmitted to the relevant authorities.

## WHO HAS ACCESS TO YOUR DATA?

Designated staff of the EFCA on a need-to-know basis, and the European Commission competent service.

## 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?

3 calendar years.

## 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.

## 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**.

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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
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