CONSERVATION MEASURE 89/XIV New Fishery in Statistical Division 58.5.2 in the 1995/96 Season for Deep-water Species

The Commission,

- Welcoming the notification of Australia of its intention to conduct a new fishery in the 1995/96 season in Statistical Division 58.5.2 for deep-water species, not covered by Conservation Measure 78/XIV,
- Noting that no other Member has notified the Commission of the intent to establish a new fishery for these species in this Statistical Division,

adopts the following Conservation Measure in accordance with Conservation Measure 31/X:

- 1. The new fishery by Australia for deep-water species, not covered by Conservation Measure 78/XIV, shall be limited to 50 tonnes for each species. This fishery shall be conducted by bottom trawling only.
- 2. For the purposes of this new fishery, the fishing season is defined as the period from 4 November 1995 to 30 June 1996.
- 3. If, in any haul, the by-catch of any of the species *Lepidonotothen squamifrons*, *Notothenia rossii*, *Channichthys rhinoceratus* or *Bathyraja* spp. exceeds 5%, the fishing vessel shall move to another location not closer than 5 n miles distant¹. The fishing vessel shall not fish within 5 n miles of the location in which the by-catch exceeded 5%, for a period of at least five days².
- 4. The Ten-day Catch and Effort Reporting System, as set out in Conservation Measure 61/XII shall apply.
- 5. Monthly effort and biological data shall be reported in accordance with Conservation Measure 52/XI.
 - ¹ This provision is adopted pending the adoption of a more appropriate definition of a fishing ground by the Commission.
 - ² The specified period is adopted in accordance with the reporting period specified in Conservation Measure 51/XII, pending the adoption of a more appropriate period by the Commission.