Reply by the Baltic Marine Environment Protection Commission (HELCOM) to the request by the UN Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea regarding information on recent developments concerning the Resolution 66/68 on Sustainable fisheries

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Russia and Sweden.HELCOM is the governing body of the "Convention on the Protection of the Marine Environment of the Baltic Sea Area" - more usually known as the Helsinki Convention.

Development of policy and management measures addressing commercial fisheries in the Balticin the Baltic Seais performed within the frame of the European Common Fisheries Policy. Coordination of fisheries policy with the only HELCOM non-EU country – Russia, is done by the EU on abilateral basis.

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