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Iceland

Change the closed area at Isfjorden, within the Fishery Protection Zone around Svalbard, for shrimp fisheries with trawl

Please be informed that a Norwegian investigation has revealed that the amount of shrimp in the catches has been found to be at an unacceptable level in an area by the Isfjorden, within the Fish Protection Zone around Svalbard, for shrimp fishing with trawls. Due to the results of the survey, the Directorate of Fisheries has decided to change the closed area.

The decision is given force as of **27. September 2023**.

The area closed for shrimp fisheries with trawl at Isfjorden, within the Fishery Protection Zone around Svalbard, is limited by straight lines between the following positions:

1. N 78° 12,6' E 014° 05,0'
 2. N 78° 24,7' E 015° 05,8'
 3. N 78° 26,7' E 015° 45,1'
 4. N 78° 11,0' E 015° 50,0'
- then to position no 1.

Yours sincerely

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Higher Executive Officer

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