IFDM Recommendation 100 of 24-09-2020

on the FLUX Vessel Implementation Document in the EU

(Vessel data)

The Fisheries Control Experts Group – ERS (Electronic Recording and reporting System) and Data Management Working group,

Taking into account that:

- (1) the document FLUX_P1000-2_Vessel_domain_EU_Implementation_v2_3_3 for the exchanges of vessel data has been agreed by MS and posted on MDR¹.
- (2) changes have been proposed to clarify the requirements and the implementation:
 - a. The NT (net tonnage), NRT (net registered tonnage), CART (carrying tonnage), LRE (registered length) and LOTH (other length) data of non-fishing vessels were wrongly identified as extended data (VED) in the document while they are core data.
 - b. The description of the submission procedure has been detailed, in particular for extended data (VED) where all available data should be transmitted in a SUB-VED message addressed to MARE and not just the new values.
 - c. The name of the code list used for the implementation of two business rules has been added to the description of the rules.
 - d. The attribute for the Unit_Value element in the Vessel Storage Characteristics entity has been corrected from ListID to UnitCode.
 - e. The presentation of the data elements in the Vessel Historical Characteristics entity has been modified for a better understanding but without changing the way to declare them in messages.
- (3) the improved implementation of the exchange of vessel data cannot be achieved without an agreement on the changes in the implementation document mentioned in point (1).

Recommends:

1. to accept the proposed changes and to make a new version of the Implementation Document called FLUX_P1000-2_Vessel_domain_EU_Implementation_v2_3_4.

2. to publish the new version of the document (v2.3.4) on MDR.

¹ MDR (https://ec.europa.eu/fisheries/cfp/control/codes en): P1000-2: Vessel domain

3.	to exchange vessel data according to the information given in the document v2.3.4 as soon as the document is published on MDR.