

CSFC BYELAW 9 - SKATE FISHERY. *Byelaw confirmed 16.04.93.*

No person shall take from a Fishery unless the landing obligation under Article 15 of Regulation (EU) 1380/2013 requires the fish to be landed -

- (i) any Skate or Ray that measures less than 45 centimetres between the extreme tips of the wings;
or
- (ii) any wing which measures less than 22 centimetres in its maximum dimensions and which is detached from the body of the Skate or Ray.

This byelaw does not apply where the landing obligation under Article 15 of Regulation (EU) 1380/2013 requires the fish to be landed.

Explanatory Note: *This measure is designed to allow fish to reach maturity in order that they may have the opportunity to breed.*

The byelaw is amended by The Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority (Miscellaneous Byelaw Amendments) (England) Order 2015 dated 30.11.15 with the addition of a new paragraph after (ii).