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I, DAVID ANDREWS, Minister for the Marine, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 223A (inserted by section 9 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1978 (No. 18 of 1978), and amended by section 4 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act, 1983 (No. 27 of 1983)) of the Fisheries (Consolidation) Act, 1959 (No. 14 of 1959), and the Fisheries (Transfer of Departmental Administration and Ministerial Functions) Order, 1977 (S.I. No. 30 of 1977) (as adapted by the Tourism, Fisheries and Forestry (Alteration of Name of Department and Title of Minister) Order, 1987 (S.I. No. 82 of 1987)), hereby order as follows:

1. This Order may be cited as the Plaice (Control of Fishing in ICES Divisions (VIIf) and (VIlg)) Order, 1993.
2. This Order shall come into operation on the 1st day of January, 1994.
3. (1) In this Order—

"the specified areas" means the parts of the sea described in the Annex to the Communication and therein referred to as ICES Divisions VIIf) and (VIlg);

"plaice" means *Pleuronectes platessa*

- (2) In this Article—

"the Communication" means the Communication of the European Communities on the description of the ICES sub-areas and divisions used for the purpose of fishing statistics and regulations in the north-east Atlantic;⁽¹⁾

"ICES" means the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea.

- (3) In any proceedings in which a contravention of this Order is alleged *prima facie* evidence of the Communication may be given by the production of a copy of the Official Journal purporting to contain the Communication.