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LIGHT SIGNALS FOR VESSELS ENGAGED IN FISHING

The Government of Norway has requested the Secretary-General to inform all Member Governments that the following Regulations concerning Norwegian vessels using purse seine have been issued under the provisions of the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1960, Rule 13(a):

Article 1

In addition to the lights and shapes prescribed in the Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea (1960), Rule 9, vessels engaged in fishing with purse seine and power-block may carry two amber coloured lights on top of the wheelhouse, one vertically above the other. The lower light shall be placed at a height of at least 1.52 metres and the upper at a height of at least 2.44 metres above the sidelights. The lights shall be visible all round the horizon at a distance of at least 2 nautical miles and be flashing intermittently about once in a second.

These lights may only be shown while a vessel has the purse seine in the water.

Article 2

These Regulations shall enter into force on 1 January 1966 at 12.00 Norwegian time.

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