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"Working Together to Manage the Marine Resources of the North Sea Region and Channel" (5.1)

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The North Sea is a very complex and open marine ecosystem. It is also one of the most heavily-used seas. Increasing economic activity in the sea, such as growing shipping traffic and the development of offshore wind farms, is leading to more and more competition between users of the sea, including fisheries. To have an integrated Maritime Policy it is important to bring all users together to continue a dialogue and develop mechanisms for continued engagement.

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Thursday 20, 14:30-16:15

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