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## BY EMAIL ONLY

Dear James,

## Monitoring and Control Plan Update for Hartland Point to Tintagel MCZ

Thank you for sending the updated version of the Monitoring and Control Plan for Hartland Point to Tintagel MCZ received by email on 24th January 2025.

Natural England has considered the changes to the M&CP to increase the monitoring frequency considering Devon and Severn IFCA will no longer be able to access the IVMS-based alert system.

We are content that D&S IFCA have the means to monitor fishing effort within the site, and that an appropriate trigger point for MCZ assessment review has been updated accordingly in this M&CP. We agree with the next steps, namely that D&S IFCA will contact NE to discuss further action if any mobile gear fishing activity is identified within the site through weekly review of IVMS data.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Yours sincerely,

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