



Circular Design of Fishing Gear

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Highlights in Circular Economy standardization – Circular Design of Fishing Gear – Koen van Goethem





Introduction

- CEN/TC 466 Circularity and Recyclability of Fishing Gear and Aquaculture Equipment
- Standardization Request M574
- In the frame of
 - Single Use Plastics
 - Extended Producer Responsibility
 - Port Reception Facilities



Team



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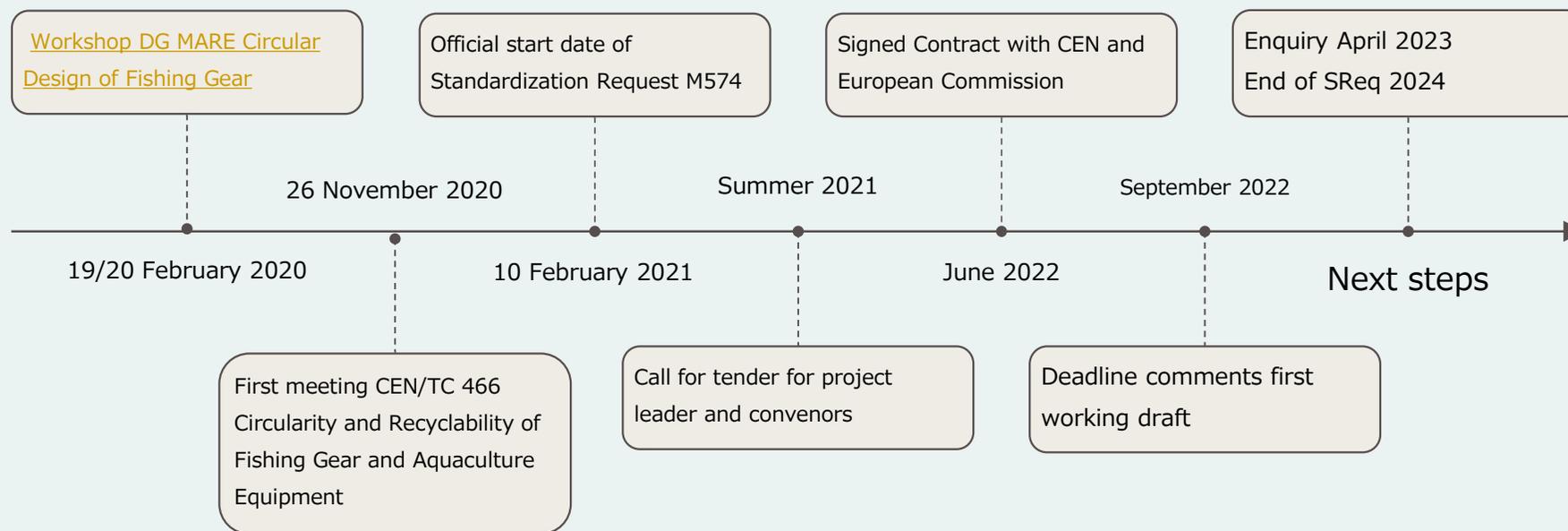
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Timeline



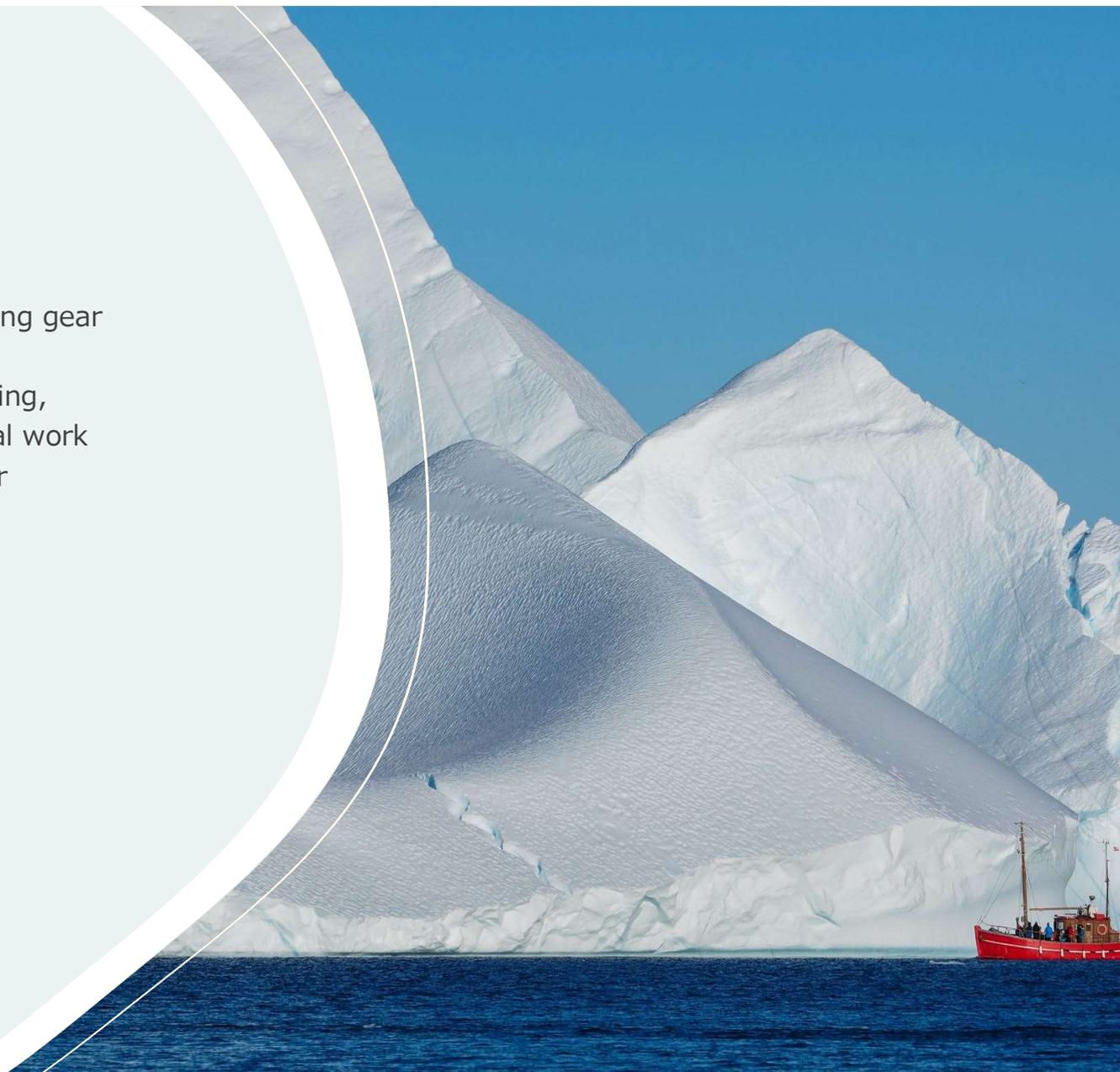
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Scope

Standardization in the field of circularity and recyclability of plastic-based materials in fishing gear and aquaculture equipment. Excluded is standardization work concerning fish processing, fish packaging, fish food products and general work on materials and equipment covered by other CEN/TCs.

Liaisons

- Eurocord
- GGGI
- Plastic Recycling Europe
- ECOS
- Cordage Institute



Working Groups

WG 1 TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS OF CDFG

- Convenor David Feary
- 1 workitem
- France | UK | Germany | Portugal | Belgium | Netherlands | Ireland | Sweden | Slovenia | Norway | Italy
- Liaison – ECOS

WG 2 ENVIRONMENTAL AND CIRCULAR REQUIREMENTS FOR FISHING GEAR AND AQUACULTURE EQUIPMENT

- Convenor Karin Eufinger
- 2 workitems
- France | UK | Germany | Portugal | Belgium | Netherlands | Ireland | Sweden | Slovenia | Norway | Italy
- Liaison – ECOS

WG 3 GUIDANCE ON IMPLEMENTING CDFG

- Convenor Zoltan Patkai
- 3 workitems
- France | UK | Germany | Portugal | Belgium | Ireland | Sweden | Slovenia | Norway | Italy
- Liaison – ECOS



Standards under development

prEN XXX-1 (WI=00466006) Circular design of fishing gear and aquaculture equipment – Part 1: general requirements and guidance

prEN XXX-2 (WI=00466004) Circular design of fishing gear and aquaculture equipment – Part 2: User manual and labelling

prEN XXX-3 (WI=00466008) Circular design of fishing gear and aquaculture equipment - Part 3: Technical requirements

prEN XXX-4 (WI=00466009) Circular design of fishing gear and aquaculture equipment - Part 4: Environmental and circularity requirements and guidelines

prEN XXX-5 (WI=00466005) Circular design of fishing gear and aquaculture equipment - Part 5: Circular business model

prEN XXX-6 (WI=00466007) Circular design of fishing gear and aquaculture equipment - Part 6: Digitalization of gear and components

(WI=00466010) Circular Design of Fishing Gear – Terms and Definitions



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MAIN PROVISIONS

- 1. Member States to set up national minimum annual collection targets of waste fishing gear for recycling – 31/12/2024
- 2. “Separate” collection of waste fishing gear
- 3. COM to request the European standardisation organisation to develop standards relating to circular design of fishing gear – by May 2024
- 4. Member States to monitor and report to the Commission on the fishing gear – mid-2024
- 5. Member States shall set up Extended producer responsibility schemes for producers of fishing gear containing plastic – 31/12/2024

POLICIES IN PLACE

- Single Use Plastic Directive
- Extended Producer Responsibility
- Port Reception Facilities
- European Green Deal
- Circular Economy Action Plan

Thank you

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