





## Blue Platform Workshop - Alignment of Aquaculture Legislation -Draft Agenda

6 – 7 February 2020

Think corner, Yliopistonkatu 4, 00100, Helsinki, Finland

## Thursday 6 February 2020

Time	Agenda item
10:00 - 10:20	Welcome
10:20 - 10:40	Introduction to <b>position paper</b> and Swedish workshop on Aquaculture Legislation - Izabela Alias, Swedish Board of Agriculture
10:40 - 11:40	Presentations State of Play: aquaculture and its legislation in different countries:         -       Denmark         -       Estonia: Rene Reisner, Ministry of the Environment         -       Lithuania         -       Germany: Stefan Meyer, Manager of Cluster 'Bioeconomy at Marine Sites' BaMS         -       Finland: Jussi Airaksinen, Gaia         -       Sweden
11:40 - 12:00	Presentation ' <b>Ecological impact of aquaculture, monitoring and models'</b> – Harri Kuosa, SYKE
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
13:00 - 13:30	Presentation: 'Development of Best Available Techniques with respect to pollution by nutrients for sustainable aquaculture operations'
13:30 - 15:00	Group work Round 1: 4 tables discussing further input and adaptations to the position paper
	<ul> <li>Comparison of aquaculture legislation and licensing – EU recommendations and national legislation. Host: Antti Belinskij, SYKE</li> <li>Compensation issues</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>- Compensation issues</li> <li>- Ecological impacts and their measurement – what should be achieved and how? Host: Harri Kuosa, SYKE</li> <li>- Recirculating Aquaculture Systems - legislation, best available techniques</li> </ul>





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15:00 - 15:20	Coffee break
15:20 - 17:00	Group work Round 2
17:00 - 17:30	Wrap-up of Day 1
	Joint dinner (at own costs; location tbc)

## Friday 7 February 2020

Time	Agenda item
9:00 - 9:10	Welcome
9:10 - 9:30	Notes from Day 1
9:30 - 10:20	Group Work Round 3
10:20 - 10:40	Coffee break
10:40 - 11.30	Group Work Round 4
11.30 - 12.30	Workshop results and plenary discussion
	Results from group work table discussions         -       How could/should EU recommendations be turned into national regulations?         -       How could/should compensation work?         -       How could/should environmental issues be considered?         -       How to make Recirculating Aquatic Systems work and how to make them profitable?
	<ul> <li>Discussion <ul> <li>What the key recommendations per topic?</li> <li>Where are there still disagreements?</li> <li>What are the key barriers and challenges?</li> <li>What is the aim of the position paper?</li> <li>How to further develop the position paper?</li> <li>How to disseminate the position paper + target audiences</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
12.30 - 13:00	Wrap-up, information about next Blue Platform and aquaculture events