

CEC MSN Fishing Consultation Responses.

Issue	Reference	Respondent	Comment	MCA Response
MSN Key Points	Key Points Page 1	Derek Cardno Scottish Fishermen's federation	In relation to the key points we agree with them all: .	The MCA acknowledges these comments.
Content of UKLAP 1 Oral Syllabus	Annex 4 Certificate of Equivalent Competency Examination in UK Legal and Administrative Processes (UKLAP) Grade 1 – Skipper Fishing Vessel Information for Candidates and Oral Syllabus.	Derek Cardno Scottish Fishermen's federation	In relation to Annex 4, the oral syllabus should include radio communication for checking competence	The UK Legal and Administrative Processes (UKLAP) exam is designed to test an applicants' knowledge of UK Law and administrative processes. UKLAP is not a test of international Law or of technical competence. Such tests are not allowed under the terms of EU Directive 2008/106EC
Content of UKLAP2 Oral Syllabus	Annex 6 : Certificate of Equivalent Competency in UK and Administrative Processes (UKLAP) Grade 2- Second Hand and Engineer Fishing Vessel Information for Candidates and Oral syllabus.	Derek Cardno Scottish Fishermen's federation	In relation to Annex 6, why are second hand engineers being asked any questions on the OLB or the crew agreement? We believe that time would be better spent checking their engineering knowledge in relation to MARPOL and other specific legislation.	Please see response relating to UKLAP above.

