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**Clyde Fisheries Development Project
Clyde *Nephrops* Trawl and Creel Fisheries
Marine Stewardship Council Certification**

Certification Body: Moody Marine Ltd

Confirmation of Assessment Team Members

Based on the technical expertise required to carry out the main assessment of this fishery, Moody Marine is pleased to confirm the assessment team membership. Team members are to be **Jim Andrews, Colin Chapman** and **Stephen Lockwood**. Lead assessor will be **Andrew Hough**, Moody Marine, UK.

Date: 21 December 2007

Team members (in alphabetical order):

Dr Jim Andrews. Jim is Director of AWJ Ltd, a specialist marine fisheries and environmental consultancy. His previous experience includes running the North Western and North Wales Sea Fisheries Committee as its Chief Executive from 2001 to 2005, and previously working for several years as the Sea Fishery Committee's Marine Environment Liaison Officer. These roles have given him an extensive practical knowledge of the UK's fisheries management regime. Jim has been involved in the review of several MSC certification assessments including the South-West Mackerel Handline Fishery, Loch Torridon Nephrops, Burry Inlet Cockles, North Sea Herring and South Georgia Patagonian Toothfish.

Dr Colin Chapman. Dr Chapman graduated in 1962 with a B.Sc. in Zoology from the University of Nottingham and in 1977 with a BA in Mathematics from the Open University and was awarded a D.Sc. by the University of Nottingham in 1997. He joined the Marine Laboratory, Aberdeen in 1962 and initially worked on fish behaviour in relation to fishing gear. In 1972, transferred to the Shellfish Resources Section at Aberdeen and worked with this group, from 1988 as Section Head, until taking early retirement in 1997. In 1966, established a field research station at Upper Loch Torridon and carried out research there for many years, particularly on the ecology, behaviour and general biology of the Norway lobster (*Nephrops norvegicus*). Has published many scientific papers and research reports on this species, also on other shellfish and fish species and on the efficiency and selectivity of fishing gears. In 1987, was appointed by the Buckland Foundation to give the Buckland lecture series on Nephrops biology and

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fisheries. An active member on several ICES working groups including the ICES Nephrops Study Group and the Stock Assessment Working Group, from 1977-96. Appointed an Honorary Senior Lecturer by Aberdeen University in 1992. Since retirement has been involved in projects on *Nephrops*, European lobsters, cockles, mussels, crab species and scallops as well as various teaching roles and part-time consultancy work.

Stephen Lockwood. Stephen is an independent marine environment consultant and chairman of the Welsh Minister's fishing industry consultation group. Until 1999 he was Head of the UK Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food laboratory at Conwy, which undertook research and development work in the fields of fish and shellfish cultivation, and the environmental effects of fishing. At a personal level, he was responsible for providing advice to MAFF policy divisions, and through them to ministers, across the broad field of coastal zone management. Previously, he led research and providing scientific advice on the conservation of fish stocks and the management of fisheries, including the Western mackerel stock, Celtic Sea and Bay of Biscay Demersal fisheries, Pilchard (*Sardina pilchardus*) stocks and Western English Channel herring and sprats. He has published on stock assessment, fishery management and coastal development issues.

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