NWIFCA BYELAW 5 - HEYSHAM BASS NURSERY AREA PROHIBITION OF FISHING.
Byelaw confirmed 07.06.13

Interpretation

In this byelaw the Heysham Bass Nursery Area” means the area defined in respect of Heysham Power Station in the Schedule to the Bass (Specified Areas) (Prohibition of Fishing) Order 1990, SI 1990 No. 1156 as all tidal waters enclosed by a line drawn 085° true from No. 7 buoy (54° 01.22N, 002° 56.28W) to the shore, a line drawn 020° true from No. 7 buoy towards the Dolphin (54° 02.40N, 002° 55.52W), and a line drawn 102° true through the leading lights to Heysham. This joins the following co-ordinates in order:

A - 54° 02’ 03N 02° 56’ 16W
B - 54° 01’ 92N 02° 55’ 23W
C - 54° 01’ 44N 02° 54’ 66W
D - 54° 01’ 22N 02° 56’ 28W

Prohibition

No person shall fish for any sea fish nor shall have in their possession any article that could be used for fishing for sea fish in the Heysham Bass Nursery Area or within 10 metres of the shore boundary of the Heysham Bass Nursery Area unless with the written permission of the Authority.

Explanatory Note This note does not form part of the Byelaw)

The purpose of this Byelaw is to prohibit fishing for sea fish in the area known as the Heysham Bass Nursery Area.

This byelaw prohibits all fishing, by any means, for sea fish, which includes all round and flat fish which live in the sea, in the area known as the Heysham Bass Nursery Area and defined in the byelaw.

Map showing the Bass Nursery area at Heysham in Morecambe Bay