

2. Within areas of fisheries jurisdiction of coastal States, fishing of salmon is prohibited beyond 12 nautical miles from the baselines from which the breadth of the territorial sea is measured, except in the following areas:

- (a) in the West Greenland Commission area, up to 40 nautical miles from the baselines; and
- (b) in the North-East Atlantic Commission area, within the area of fisheries jurisdiction of the Faroe Islands.

3. The Parties shall invite the attention of any State not a Party to this Convention to any matter relating to the activities of the vessels of that State which appears to affect adversely the conservation, restoration, enhancement or rational management of salmon stocks subject to this Convention or the implementation of the Convention.

### ARTICLE 3

1. There is hereby established an international organization that shall be known as the North Atlantic Salmon Conservation Organization, hereinafter referred to as the "Organization".

2. The objective of the Organization shall be to contribute through consultation and co-operation to the conservation, restoration, enhancement and rational management of salmon stocks subject to this Convention, taking into account the best scientific evidence available to it.

3. The Organization shall consist of:

(a) a Council,

(b) three regional Commissions:

- a North American Commission,
- a West Greenland Commission and
- a North-East Atlantic Commission, and

(c) a Secretary.

4. The areas of the Commissions shall be as follows:

- (a) North American Commission: maritime waters within areas of fisheries jurisdiction of coastal States off the east coast of North America;