

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT
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QUESTION SUBMITTED ON MONDAY 30th OCTOBER 2023
ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 6th NOVEMBER 2023**

Question

“With reference to the response to paragraph (d) of [Written Question 399/2023](#), will the Minister provide a breakdown of the fishing incidents between French and Jersey boats and a comparison with the years 2021 and 2022?”

Answer**2023**

NLB: 44 days; 192.87 hours; 1,833 NM

RIB: 27 days; 92.5 hours

Offence	Number of Incidents	Action	Jersey	France
Bag limits	3	1 x PH; 2 x WL	2	1
No licence	2	1 x VW; 1 x IP	1	1
Inside a prohibited area	3	1 x NFA; 2 x VW	3	0
Out of season	6	5 x IP; 1 x WL	2	4
Gear issue	9	2 x GS; 4 x GL; 3 x WL	7	2
Undersize species	16	4 x IP; 5 x VW; 7 x WL	4	12
Wildlife Law	1	1 x IP	0	1
FEPA infringement	2	1 x IP; 1 x VW	1	1

GL = warning label attached to gear; GS = gear seized; IP = in progress; NFA = no further action; PH = parish hall; WL = warning letter; VW = verbal warning; MC = Magistrates Court

2022

NLB: 70 days; 301 hours; 2,820 NM

RIB: 27 days; 113 hours

Offence	Number of Incidents	Action	Jersey	France
Stowage of gear	2	1 x VW; 1 x WL	0	2
Undersize Species	3	3 x WL	1	2
Inside a prohibited area	4	3x VW; 1 x WL	3	1
Gear issue	4	1 x NFA; 3 x WL	2	2
Breach of Licence Conditions	2	2 x WL	0	2
No Licence	2	2 x MC	0	2
Out of season	4	1 x WL; 3 x IP	0	4

2021

NLB: 57 days; 252 hours; 2,499 NM

RIB: 33 days; 124.7 hours

Offence	Number of Incidents	Action	Jersey	France
Inside a prohibited area	3	2 x PH; 1 x NFA	2	1
No Permit	1	1 x WL	0	1
Breach of Licence Conditions	1	1 x WL	0	1
Wildlife law	2	2 x NFA	2	0
No Licence	2	2 x WL	0	2