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Designated Salmon Waters Bye-Law

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Dear Minter Ryan,

I am opposing this bye-law. The current western lakes are already protected under the EU Habitats Directive SAC. . I do not want this proposed bye-law as it takes away the rights of local clubs and IFI to manage the fishery, which they have done for years.

I do not want the western lakes to be managed as a mixed fishery, as the minister could do under section 7 of this proposed bye-law. They are wild salmonid lakes and always will be.

I fish in a local club out of Galway with over 300 active members and they also oppose this proposed byelaw.

Kind Regards,