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Designated Salmonid Bye Law Consultation

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To whom it may concern, I would like to record my strong opposition to the potential introduction of a designated Salmonid Bye Law, designed entirely to allow the continued environmental vandalism whereby thousands of indigenous Irish pike are being slaughtered in Gill nets throughout the Great Western Loughs of Ireland.

Inland Fisheries Ireland have themselves produced research that proves that removing pike from these aforementioned loughs has little to no effect on the population of Salmonids present. Rather than simply "kill more pike," i would encourage more progressive actions to try and establish what issues (if any) are ACTUALLY impacting Salmonids in these waters.

