

## Resolutions and Recommendations Sheets

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### Recommendation 161. Protecting the Critically Endangered Balearic Shearwater in the Ebro Delta, Spain



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Year	Congress
2012	
Sponsoring entity	Co-sponsoring entities
	WWF Spain, Foundation for the Conservation of the Bearded Vulture, Balearic Ornithological Group, Foundation Nature and Man.
Petition	
It asks the Spanish administrations that the experimental mario wind project guarantees the protection of the Balearic shearwater and the search for alternatives for the location of the project. Urges the governments of Spain, France, Portugal, and the United Kingdom not to accept projects that affect the Balearic Shearwater.	

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State	Fulfilment in Spain
Archived	In process
Summary of actions carried out with effect in Spain	
<p><a href="#">Balearic Shearwater Conservation Plan</a> (2011).  <a href="#">Strategy for the conservation of the Balearic Shearwater in Spain</a>  <a href="#">Environmental impact study of public lighting in the natural park of the Ebro Delta</a> (2015)                      Participation in the conference: European Conference on Illegal Killing of Birds</p> <p><b>UPDATE 2022</b>  <a href="#">Project Life PanPuffinus! 2020-2025.</a> (2020).  <a href="#">PUFMED project 2020-2021.</a> (2020). One of its objectives is to explore the connectivity between sea and land of the Balearic and Mediterranean shearwaters.  <a href="#">Report on the state of Natural Heritage and Biodiversity in Spain to 2020.</a> (2020). Identify protection strategies for the Balearic shearwater.  <a href="#">ZEPAMAR: Fishermen and birds, allies in the management of the sea and the Natura 2000 Network.</a> (2020).  <a href="#">ZEPAMAR II - Fishermen, birds and the Natura 2000 Network: strengthening ties.</a> (2021).  <a href="#">PARDELES project 2021-2022.</a> (2021).  <a href="#">Red Book of Birds of Spain 2021.</a> (2021). He proposes conservation strategies for the Balearic shearwater (page 114).  <a href="#">ZEPAPESCA project.</a> (2021). Availability of trophic resources, fishing and seabirds: a historical analysis focused on the management of the ZEPAs of the Mediterranean.  <a href="#">Maritime Space Management Plans. III. Diagnosis. The maritime sectors: current situation and forecasts of future or potential development D. Levantino-Balearic Marina Demarcation.</a> (2021). Protection of seabirds, such as the Balearic shearwater.  <a href="#">Strategy for the conservation of the Balearic shearwater.</a> (2021). Monitoring programs and conservation measures for the Balearic shearwater.  <a href="#">Spanish Congress of Ornithology. Minorca. Science for conservation.</a> (2022). There is talk about the Balearic shearwater.  <a href="#">ZEPAMAR III - Fishermen and birds: advancing towards good management of the sea and the Natura 2000 Network.</a> (2022).</p> <p>Legislation:  <a href="#">BOE-A-2011-3582</a>: Royal Decree 139/2011 (List of Wild Species under Special Protection and the Spanish Catalogue of Threatened Species), BOE-A-2014-10780: Resolution of 14 October 2014 (environmental impact of the project Seismic acquisition of the Casablanca area), Law 8/2019 (on waste and contaminated soil in the Balearic Islands), <a href="#">Order AAA/1260/2014</a> (Special Protection Areas for Birds in Spanish marine waters are declared).  <a href="#">Resolution of June 22, 2022</a>, of the General Directorate of Quality and Environmental Assessment, formulating a strategic environmental report of the Master Plan of the Network of Marine Protected Areas of Spain. Protection of the Balearic shearwater.  <a href="#">Resolution of February 10, 2022</a>, jointly of the General Directorate of Biodiversity, Forests and Desertification and of the General Directorate of Sustainable Fisheries, by which the Agreement of the</p>	

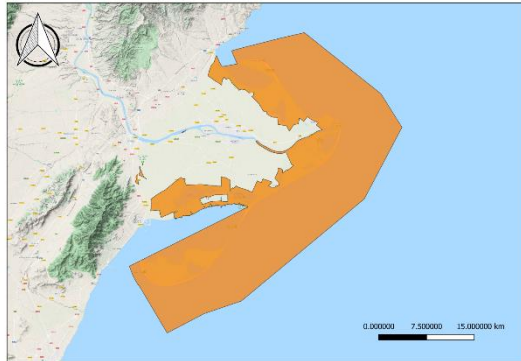
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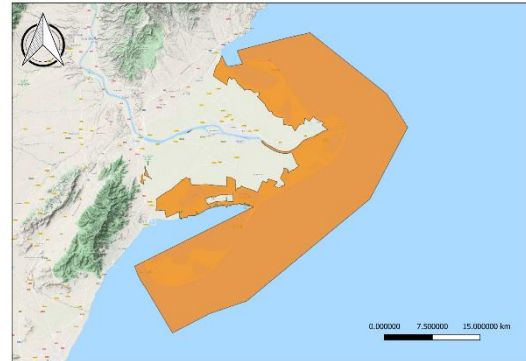
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Council of Ministers of January 11, 2022 is published, by which adopts the National Plan for the reduction of accidental captures in the fishing activity. It deals with the capture of the Balearic shearwater and protection strategies.

### Estimated geographical scope



### Geographical scope achieved



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