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See attached letter on behalf of Cahir Anglers,  
Regards,

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## **Proposal to the control of Wild Birds Derogation**

**Submission re:** S.I No. 254/1986

European Communities (Wildlife Act 1976) Amendment Regulations 1986

Control of Certain Wild Bird Species

**Submission by:** Cahir and District Anglers Association

On behalf of the Association, I wish to apply for a licence to cull Cormorants (not shags). Cahir is a Brown Trout Area of Excellence on the Suir as defined by I.F.I. Cormorants do untold damage to our trout stocks and to salmon smolts as they pass Cahir in April on their way to the sea. E.S.R.I said that Irish anglers spent almost €650 million on fishing during the last two years. Tourism in Cahir, a heritage town, will suffer if Cormorants are not controlled. Salmon have not reached their conservation limit for almost every year for the last two decades on the Suir. Something has to be done to rectify this situation.

Yours Faithfully,

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