

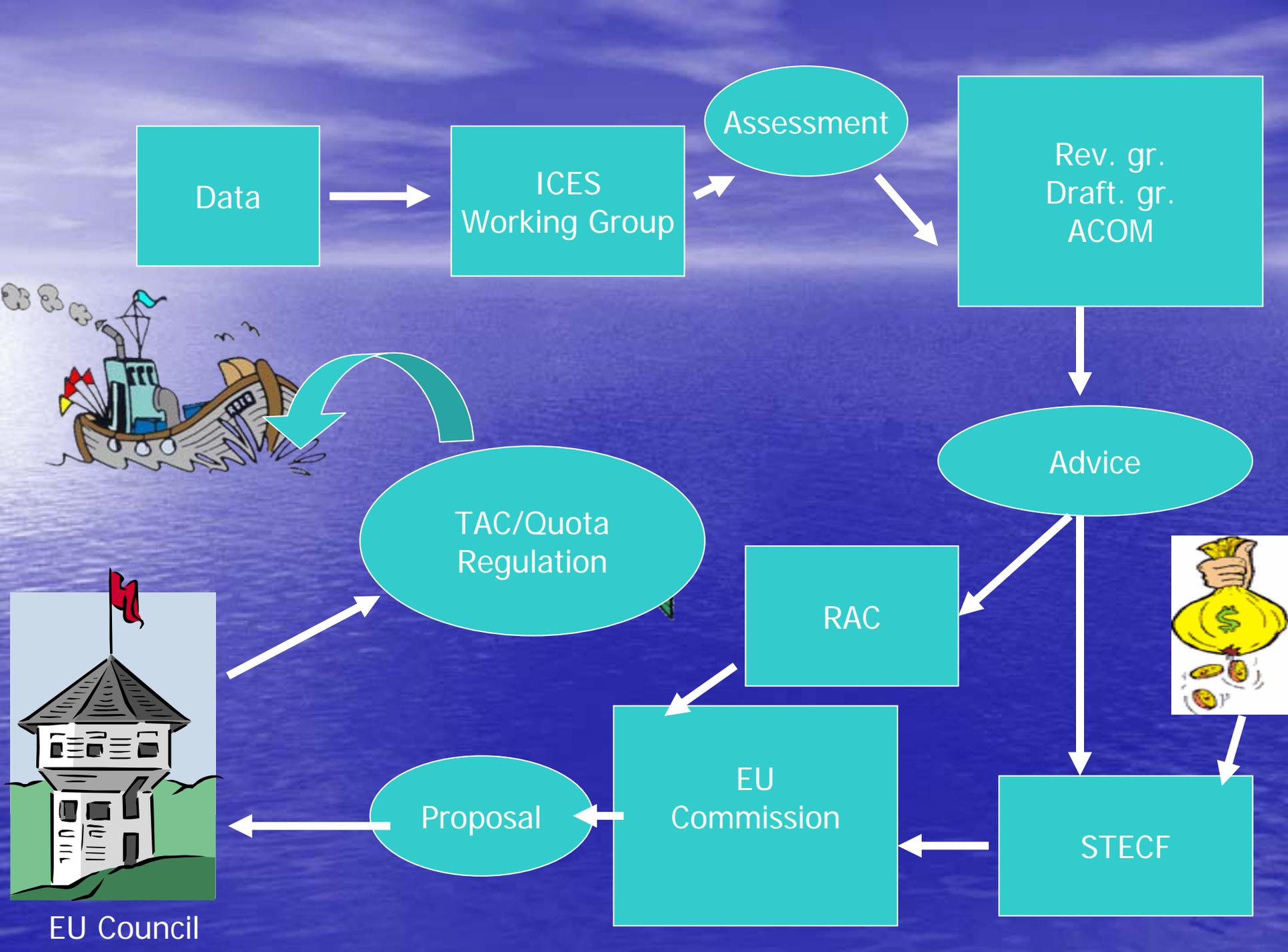
Baltic Sea RAC

LTM Plans – Michael Andersen

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TAC/Quota
Regulation



Status in the Baltic

LTM plan for cod Done

- but not endorsed by ICES

LTM plan for salmon Finalized input No final plan

LTM plan for pelagic species In process

Experiences

Good cooperation with COM, ICES
and between members of the RAC

What is the purpose?

To please managers/politicians

To please "consumers" – stakeholders

To please fishers

To please scientists

To please fish

Lack of knowledge

Undefined purpose

Playing God?

Too focused on biological

No worry – no hurry?

Nothing in nature is natural

If we assume that we can control development in the stocks
we are just being apprentices of the wizard

Plan not performing well

A plan for regulating what we do if....
Not to achieve any particular development