

- (b) Notwithstanding the above prohibition of treatment during a closed season, the treatment of whales which have been taken during the open season may be completed after the end of the open season.
8. (a) The number of baleen whales taken during the open season caught in any waters south of 40° South Latitude by whale catchers attached to factory ships under the jurisdiction of the Contracting Governments shall not exceed sixteen thousand blue-whale units.
- (b) For the purposes of subparagraph (a) of this paragraph, blue-whale units shall be calculated on the basis that one blue whale equals:
- (1) two fin whales or
 - (2) two and a half humpback whales or
 - (3) six sei whales.
- (c) Notification shall be given in accordance with the provisions of Article VII of the Convention, within two days after the end of each calendar week, of data on the number of blue-whale units taken in any waters south of 40° South Latitude by all whale catchers attached to factory ships under the jurisdiction of each Contracting Government.
- (d) If it should appear that the maximum catch of whales permitted by subparagraph (a) of this paragraph may be reached before April 1 of any year, the Commission,
- (b) Uanset ovenstående forbud mod behandling i fredningstiden kan behandling af hvaler, der er taget i fangstperioden, tilendebringes efter udløbet af fangstperioden.
8. (a) Antallet af bardehvaler, der er fanget uden for fredningstiden i farvandene sønden for 40° sydlig bredde af hvalfangere knyttet til flydende hvalkogerier under de kontraherende regerings jurisdiktioner, må ikke overstige 16 000 blåvalenheder.
- (b) Ved beregningen af blåvalenheder i henhold til stk. 8 a skal een blåhval sættes lig med:
- (1) 2 finhvaler eller
 - (2) 2½ knølhval eller
 - (3) 6 sejhvaler.
- (c) I overensstemmelse med bestemmelserne i konventionens artikel VII skal der inden 2 dage efter afslutningen af hver kalenderuge gives meddelelse om antallet af blåvalenheder, der i farvandene sønden for 40° sydlig bredde er fanget af samtlige hvalfangere, der er knyttet til de under hver enkelt af de kontraherende regerings jurisdiktion hørende flydende hvalkogerier.
- (d) Såfremt det skulle vise sig, at den i stk. 8 a tilladte maksimalfangst af hvaler måtte blive nået før 1. april i hvilket som helst år, skal kommissionen eller et af