## <u>Claims</u>

- A compound for use in masking the odor of a fish semiochemical in water,
  wherein the attraction between a parasite and a fish in water is reduced,
  characterized in that a compound is added to said water or is administered to a fish in said water, wherein said compound is selected from;
  - i) a compound of formula (I);

$$R^1 - S - S - R^1 \tag{I}$$

- wherein each R¹ independently of each other is C₁-C₄ alkyl or C₂-C₃ alkenyl or C₂-C₃ alkynyl, wherein said compound is diallyl disulfide, and wherein said fish semiochemical is isophorone.
- A compound according to claim 1, wherein said fish is a Salmonidae,
  preferably selected from the group consisting of Atlantic salmon, Coho salmon,
  Chinook, rainbow trout, Arctic char and other farmed salmon species .
  - 3. A compound according to claim 1, wherein said parasite is an ectoparasite, and preferably sea lice (*Lepeophtheirus salmonis, Caligus* sp.).