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	Source	Information required	Deadline/ Previous Status ¹			Current Status			
N°			Remark	Timeliness	Content	Timeliness	Content	Observations	CPC Remarks
1. Ir	nplementation	obligations							
1.1.	Art. X Agreement	Report of Implementation	Session - 60 ds (16.03.2016)			С	С	Received 14.03.16.	
1.2.	Rules Of P.	Compliance Questionnaire	29.02.2016			С	С	Received 01.02.16.	
1.3.	SC	National Scientific Report	09.11.2015			N/A	N/A	Become CPC in 2015.	
1.4.	Commission	Feedback letter	16.03.2016			N/A	N/A	No FL issued. Become CPC in 2015.	
2. M	lanagement Sta	indards							
		Documents listed in this resolution on board ²				P/C	С	Has 23 vessels on the record of Authorised vessels. Has indicated documents are on board Source – IOTC-2016-CQ36. Legal reference provided on 08.04.16 by email: Liberia Marine Notice, FTP- 001, page 5 (Owners/Operators/Master Obligations).	
2.1.	Res. 15/04	Marking of vessels ²	16.03.2016			P/C	С	Has indicated vessels are marked Source – IOTC-2016-CQ36. Legal reference provided on 08.04.16 by email: Liberian Maritime Law (RML-107); Section 75 and Liberia Fisheries Regulation (Section 28a).	
		Marking of gears ²				N/A	N/A	No LL/GI on the IOTC record of Authorised vessels.	
		Marking of FADs ²				N/A	N/A	Does not have PS vessel on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	
		Logbook on board ²				N/A	N/A	No fishing vessels on the record of Authorised vessels.	
		Official authorisation to fish outside National Jurisdictions	15.02.2016			N/A	N/A	No fishing vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	
		IMO number for eligible vessels	01.01.2016			С	С	Has 23 eligible vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels. and 23 with IMO numbers.	
2.2.	Res. 15/01	Official fishing logbooks	15.02.2016			N/A	N/A	Does not have PS/LL/GI/BB vessel on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	

 $^{^{1}}$ C = Compliant; N/C= Non-compliant; N/A = Not Applicable; P/C = Partially Comply; L = Late; CAP = Compliance Action Plan; CQ = Compliance Questionnaire. 2 Information is to be provided in the Report of Implementation. 3 24 meters overall length and over, and under 24 meters if they fished outside their EEZ.

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2.3.	Res. 12/12	Ban on large-scale driftnets ²	16.03.2016			N/A	N/A	Does not have PS/LL/GI/BB vessel on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	
		FADs management plan	31.12.2013			N/A	N/A		
2.4.	Res. 15/08	Report of progress on implementation of FADs management plan	16.03.2016			N/A	N/A	Does not have PS vessel on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	
2.5.	Res. 15/07	Prohibition artificial lights for FADs	For PS 10.09.2015			N/A	N/A		
3. F	eporting on Ve	essels							_
3.1.	Res. 10/08	List of Active vessels	15.02			N/A	N/A	Does not have PS/LL/GI/BB vessel on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	
3.2.	Res. 12/11	Fleet Development Plan (FDP)	By 31.12.2010 (10 years)			N/A	N/A	Has onfirmed that it will not engage in any harvesting activities in the IOTC area of competence, Source S19. Paragraph 77	
					Ref	erence Capacit	ty		
3.3.	Res. 12/11	List of vessels ³ for Tropical Tuna during 2006	31.12.2009			N/A	N/A	No active vessels in 2006. Become CPC in 2015.	
		List of vessels ³ for SWO and ALB during 2007	51.12.2009			N/A	N/A	No active vessels in 2007. Become CPC in 2015.	
3.4.		List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	Since 01.07.2003			С	С	Has 23 carrier vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	
3.5.	Res. 15/04	List of Authorized vessels (less than 24m, operating in waters outside EEZ of the flag state)	Since 01.07.2006			N/A	N/A	No vessel < 24 operating outside EEZ. on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	
3.6.		List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ	15.02			N/A	N/A		
3.7.	Res. 14/05	List of foreign vessels denied a licence	15.02			N/A	N/A	Does not license foreign fishing vessel/ not an IOTC Coastal State.	
3.8.		Access Agreement information	26.02.2015			N/A	N/A		
3.9.		Official coastal State fishing License	14.01.2014			N/A	N/A		
4. V	essel Monitori	ng System							
l.1.	Res. 15/03	Adoption VMS for all vessels > 24 m and < 24 m fishing high seas.	Since 01.07.2007			С	С	Has indicated it has an established Vessel Monitoring System requirement for all ships that engage in transshipment activities; Source IOTC- 2016-CoC13-IR36	
4.2.		VMS report on the progress and implementation.	30.06			N/A	N/A	Become CPC in 2015.	
5. N	landatory stati	stical requirement – Flag State CPCs							

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N°	Source			Remark	Timeliness Conte		Content		CPC Remarks
						Nominal Catch	Content	I	
5.1.		Coastal	Coastal fisheries			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State.	
		• Surface	• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN			N/A	N/A	No PS, BB or GN vessel of 24m LOA or more, or less than 24m LOA if they fish for tuna and tuna-like species	
								outside of their EEZ on the Record of Authorised Vessels or activee in 2014	
			Provisional	30.06		N/A	N/A	No LL vessel of 24m LOA or more, or	
		• LL	Final	30.12		N/A	N/A	less than 24m LOA if they fish for tuna and tuna-like species outside of their EEZ on the Record of Authorised Vessels or active in 2014	
						Catch & Effort	-		
		Coastal	fisheries	30.06		N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State.	
5.2.	Res. 15/02	• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN		30.06		N/A	N/A	No PS, BB or GN vessel of 24m LOA or more, or less than 24m LOA if they fish for tuna and tuna-like species outside of their EEZ on the Record of Authorised Vessels or activee in 2014	
			Provisional	30.06		N/A	N/A	No LL vessel of 24m LOA or more, or	
	& Res 15/05	• LL	Final	30.12		N/A	N/A	less than 24m LOA if they fish for tuna and tuna-like species outside of their EEZ on the Record of Authorised Vessels or active in 2014	
						Size Frequency	-		
		Coastal	fisheries	30.06		N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State.	
.3.		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN		30.06		N/A	N/A	No PS, BB or GN vessel of 24m LOA or more, or less than 24m LOA if they fish for tuna and tuna-like species outside of their EEZ on the Record of Authorised Vessels or activee in 2014	
			Provisional	30.06		N/A	N/A	No LL vessel of 24m LOA or more, or	
		• LL	Final	30.12		N/A	N/A	less than 24m LOA if they fish for tuna and tuna-like species outside of their EEZ on the Record of Authorised Vessels or active in 2014	
					Fish Ag	gregating Device	es (FAD)		
		Supply ves	sels	30.06		N/A	N/A		
.4.		Days at sea	a by supply vessels	30.06		N/A	N/A	No supply vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels or active in 2014	
		FADs set b	w type	30.06		N/A	N/A	Autorised vessels of active fil 2014	

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6. N	Andatory stati	stical requirement – Coastal State CF	PCs					•	•		
		Catch & Effort									
6.1.	Res. 15/01	• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06								
0.1.	Kes. 15/01	Provisional	30.06								
		• LL Final	30.12								
7. I	mplementation	of mitigation measures and bycatch of	of non-IOTC spec	ies					-		
		Submission of data regarding Sharks – Nominal catch	30.06			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State and no			
7.1.	Res. 05/05	Submission of data regarding Sharks – Catch & effort	30.06			N/A	N/A	vessel in the Record of Authorised			
		Submission of data regarding Sharks – Size frequency	30.06			N/A	N/A	Vessels or active in 2014			
7.2.	Res. 12/09	Prohibition on thresher sharks of all the species of the family <i>Alopiidae</i>	Since 07.07.2010			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State and no PS/LL/GI/BB vessels in the Record of			
7.3.	Res. 13/06	Prohibition on oceanic whitetip sharks	Since 14.08.2013			N/A	N/A	Authorised Vessels or active in 2014			
7.4.		Sea turtles report ²	16.03.2016	- - 		N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State and no PS/LL/GI/BB vessels in the Record of Authorised Vessels or active in 2014			
7.5.	Res. 12/04	Carry line cutters and de-hookers on board (Longliners)	Since 06.08.2009			N/A	N/A	No LL operating in the Indian Ocean.			
7.6.		Carry dip nets (Purse seiners)	Since 06.08.2009			N/A	N/A	No PS operating in the Indian Ocean.			
7.7.		Seabirds report ²	16.03.2016			N/A	N/A				
7.8.	Res. 12/06	Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S	Since 01.11.2010			N/A	N/A	No LL operating in the Indian Ocean.			
7.0	Dec. 12/04	Data on interactions with Cetaceans	30.06 (All gears)			N/A	N/A	No PS/LL/GI/BB vessels operating in the Indian Ocean.			
7.9.	Res. 13/04	Instances of Cetaceans encircled ²	For PS 16.03.2016			N/A	N/A	No PS operating in the Indian Ocean.			
7.10.	Res 13/05	Data on interactions with Whale Sharks	30.06 (All gears)			N/A	N/A	No PS/LL/GI/BB vessels operating in the Indian Ocean.			
		Instances Whale Sharks encircled ²	For PS 16.03.2016			N/A	N/A	No PS operating in the Indian Ocean.			
8. I	llegal, Unrepor	ted and Unregulated (IUU) Vessels									
8.1.	Res. 11/03	IUU listing	Session - 70 ds (07.03.2016)			С	С	No vessel listed on IOTC IUU list in 2015			
8.2.	Res. 07/01	Compliance by nationals	16.03.2016			С	С	No nationals on board vessesl listed on IOTC IUU list in 2015			

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. Т	ranshipments			1 I					
.1.		At sea transhipments – CPC report	Before 15.09			N/A	N/A	Not participating in the IOTC ROP.	
9.2.	Res. 14/06	Transhipments in port report ²	16.03.2016			N/A	N/A	Does not have PS/LL/GI/BB vessel on the Record of Authorised Vessels or active in 2015.	
.3.	Kes. 14/00	List of Authorised carrier vessels	Since 01.07.2008			N/A	N/A	Vessels authorised by third party.	
9.4.		Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	26.02.2016			N/A	N/A	Not participating in the IOTC ROP.	
.5.		ROP fee	17.08.2015			N/A	N/A	Not participating in the IOTC ROP.	
0. C	bservers			_			-		
0.1.		Regional Observer Scheme ² (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	16.03.2016			N/A	N/A	No PS/LL/GI/BB vessels in the Record	
10.2.		• 5% Mandatory, at sea (> 24m) ²	Since 01.07.2010			N/A	N/A	of Authorised Vessels or active in 2014.	
0.3.	Res. 11/04	• 5% Phasing in, at sea (< 24m)	2013			N/A	N/A		
0.4.		• 5 % Phasing in Artisanal landings ²	16.03.2016			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC coastal State.	
10.5.		Observer reports	150 days after trip			N/A	N/A	No PS/LL/GI/BB vessels in the Record of Authorised Vessels or active in 2014.	
11. S	tatistical docun	nent programme					-		
1.1.		1 st Semester report	01.10			N/A	N/A	Does not import BET.	
1.2.		2 nd Semester report	01.04			N/A	N/A	Does not import BET.	
1.3.	Res. 01/06	Annual report ²	16.03.2016			N/A	N/A		
11.4.		Information on authorised institutions and personnel	Since 01.07.2002			N/A	N/A	No authorised or active LSTLV in 2014	
12. P	ort inspection								
2.1.	Res. 05/03	Port inspection programme	01.07			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC coastal State	
12.2.	4	List of designated ports	Since			N/A	N/A		
12.3.		Designated competent Authority	31.12.10			N/A	N/A		L
12.4.		Prior notification periods				N/A	N/A		
12.5.	Res. 10/11	Inspection report	3 days after inspection			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port State	
12.6.		At least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX	Since			N/A	N/A		
12.7.		Denial of entry in port	01/03/2011			N/A	N/A		

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19			Remark	Timeliness	Content	Timeliness	Content	Observations	UT U KEIHATKS		
13. M	13. Market										
13.1.	Res. 10/10	Report on import, landing and transhipment of tuna and tuna-like fish products in ports ²	16.03.2016			С	С	Source IOTC-2016-CoC13-IR36: Has indicated no landing/transhipment by FFV in national ports.			

<u>Current issues on the level of implementation by Liberia of IOTC Conservation and</u> <u>Management Measures identified for discussion in the CoC13 in 2016.</u>

Having reviewed the 2016 Compliance Report for Liberia, the Chair of the Compliance Committee has not identified significant non-compliance issues for discussion.