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Alejandro Anganuzzi  
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Dear Sir

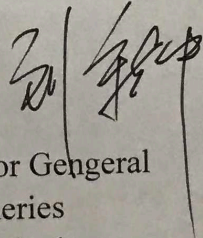
## Subject: Revised Fleet Development Plan of China

China had submitted its fleet development plan in the end of 2009. However, affected by the piracy and tough fishing situation in IOTC since 2009, China was not able to develop its tuna fleet in IOTC. As the same reason, nearly all Chinese vessels operating in IOTC transferred to other fishing grounds in 2011 and China could not submit our sustained fleet development for the forthcoming 10 years in IOTC timely in accordance with IOTC Resolution 12/11 and our FDP submitted in 2009 only contains the fleet development project from 2009 to 2010. Thus according to IOTC resolution 15/11, China would like to submit its additional Fleet Development Plan from 2011 to 2020. A summary of the expected China tuna fleet during the ten years is as follow:

Year	Longliners targeting albacore (Num.)
2011-2020	30

We would appreciate if you acknowledge receipt of this letter and thank you very much for your kind cooperation!

Best regards,

  
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Deputy Director General  
Bureau of Fisheries  
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## Resolution 15/11 On the Implementation of a Limitation of Fishing Capacity of CPCs

### Submitting/updating the Fleet Development Plan for albacore and swordfish

<b>Reporting deadline:</b>	<b>31st December, 2009</b>
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**Date of reporting:**

9th, MAY, 2017
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**Reporting country:**

<b>CHINA</b>
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**Note:** Codes to be used in the table below are provided under the last tab

Entry #	Year of planned introduction into fishery	Number of vessels to be added (units)	Vessel type Code	Vessel Origin Code	Total estimated GT for row
1	2017	5	Longliners	Convert / exisiting	1,500
2	2018	5	Longliners	Convert / exisiting	1,500
	2018	5	Longliners	New construction	1,500
3	2019	5	Longliners	Convert / exisiting	1,500
	2019	5	Longliners	New construction	1,500
4	2020	5	Longliners	New construction	1,500