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## **PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA FOR THE EIGHTEENTH SESSION OF THE COMMISSION**

Updated: 2 May 2014

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**Date:** 1–5 June, 2014

**Location:** Bandaranaike Memorial International Conference Hall (BMICH)  
Colombo, Sri Lanka

**Time:** 09:00 – 17:00 daily

**Chair:** Mr. Mauree Daroomalingum (Mauritius); **Vice-Chairs:** Dr Ahmed Mohammed Al-Mazroui (Oman) and Mr Jeongseok Park (Rep. of Korea)

1. **OPENING OF THE SESSION** (Host & Chair)
2. **ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION** (Chair)
  - IOTC-2014-S18-01a: Provisional agenda for the 18<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission
  - IOTC-2014-S18-01b: Provisional annotated agenda for the 18<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission
  - IOTC-2014-S18-02: Draft list of documents for the 18<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission
  - IOTC-2014-S18-03: Draft indicative schedule for the 18<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission
  - IOTC-2014-S18-04: Draft list of participants for the 18<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission
3. **ADMISSION OF OBSERVERS** (Chair)

*In accordance with Article VII: 'Observers' of the IOTC Agreement, and Rule XIII: 'Participation by observers' of the IOTC Rules of Procedure, the list of Observers present from FAO Members and Associate Members of FAO, intergovernmental organisations, non-governmental organisations, consultants and experts, will be presented by the Chair.*
4. **UPDATE ON ACTIONS FROM THE 17<sup>th</sup> SESSION** (Chair & Secretariat)
  - IOTC-2014-S18-05: Actions arising from the previous Session of the Commission (S17)
5. **REPORT OF THE 16<sup>TH</sup> SESSION OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE** (SC Chair)
  - IOTC-2013-SC16-R: Report of the 16<sup>th</sup> Session of the IOTC Scientific Committee
6. **REPORT OF THE 11<sup>TH</sup> SESSION OF THE COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE** (CoC Chair)
  - IOTC-2014-CoC11-R: Report of the 11<sup>th</sup> Session of the IOTC Compliance Committee
7. **REPORT OF THE 11<sup>TH</sup> SESSION OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE** (SCAF Chair)
  - IOTC-2014-SCAF11-R: Report of the 11<sup>th</sup> Session of the IOTC Standing Committee on Administration and Finance
8. **PROPOSAL TO REVISE THE IOTC RULES OF PROCEDURE** (Australia)
  - IOTC-2014-S18-06: Proposal to revise the IOTC Rules of Procedure, based on the recommendation from the compendium working group
9. **PERFORMANCE REVIEW OF IOTC**
  - 9.1 *Progress on the implementation of the recommendations of the Performance Review Panel (Resolution 09/01 on the performance review follow-up)* (Chair & Secretariat)
    - IOTC-2014-S18-07: Update on progress regarding Resolution 09/01 – on the performance review follow-up
  - 9.2 *Terms of reference for the second performance review of the IOTC* (Chair & Secretariat)
    - IOTC-2014-S18-08: Terms of reference for the second performance review of the IOTC

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**10. REFORM OF THE INDIAN OCEAN TUNA COMMISSION** (Chair & Members)**11. CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT MEASURES** (Chair & Members)

Noting that in 2012, *the Commission reiterated its previous AGREEMENT that the 30 day rule shall be strictly applied for all future Sessions unless otherwise agreed. Specifically, no proposals for new or revised Conservation or Management Measures shall be accepted by the Secretariat for the Commission's consideration, if received after the 30 day deadline. (para 88, S16 report).*

**11.1 Current Conservation and Management Measures that require action by the Commission in 2014 and 2015** (Chair)

- IOTC–2014–S18–09: Conservation and management measures requiring action by the Commission in 2014

**11.2 Review of objections received under Article IX.5 of the IOTC Agreement** (Chair)

- IOTC–2014–S18–10: Review of objections received under Article IX.5 of the IOTC Agreement

**11.3 Proposals for Conservation and Management Measures** (Members)

- IOTC–2014–S18–PropA to PropQ: Members proposals for new or revised Conservation and Management Measures

**12. OTHER BUSINESS** (Chair)

- IOTC–2014–S18–11: Statement of the IOTC plenary on piracy in the western part of the IOTC area of competence – 2014

**13. DATE AND PLACE OF THE COMMISSION IN 2015 AND OF ITS SUBSIDIARY BODIES FOR 2014 AND TENTATIVELY FOR 2015** (Chair)**14. REVIEW OF THE DRAFT AND ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE 18<sup>th</sup> SESSION OF THE COMMISSION** (Chair)