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1. Implementation obligations									
1.1.	Art. X Agreement	Report of Implementation	Session - 60 ds (26.02.2015)	C	C	C	C	Received 04.02.15	
1.2.	Res. 10/09	Compliance Questionnaire	09.02.2015	C	C	C	C	Received 04.02.15	
1.3.	SC	National Scientific Report	23.11.2014	L	C	C	C	Received 23.11.14	
1.4.	Commission	Feedback letter	26.02.2015	N/C	N/C	C	C	Received 21.08.14	
2. Management Standards									
2.1.	Res. 14/04	Documents listed in this resolution on board ²	26.02.2015	C	C	C	C	Has reported requirement in Article 9 (4) of the Licensing Regulation (available in local language), enacted under article 3 of the Fisheries Law of the Maldives 5/87.	
		Marking of vessels ²		C	C	C	C	Source – CQ 2015: has reported vessels are marked and requirement in Article 2 of Maritime Act; Article 3.2 of Maritime Regulation; Article 20 of longline Regulation for IRCS.	
		Marking of gears ²		C	C	C	C	Source – CQ 2015: has reported gears are made with the licensing number of the vessel (Article 18 of the Longline Fishery Regulation.	
		Marking of FADs ²		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.	
		Logbook on board ²		C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2014-CoC11-IR17: has reported vessels required to carry a paper bound log book on board at all times. No legal reference provided.	
		Official authorisation to fish outside National Jurisdictions		15.02.2014	C	C	C	C	Received 10.02.15
2.2.	Res. 13/03	Official fishing logbooks	15.02.2014	C	C	C	C	Has submitted HL, PoL and LL logbooks (Received 11.02.14).	
2.3.	Res. 12/12	Ban on large-scale driftnets ²	26.02.2015	C	P/C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2014-CoC11-IR17: ban in Maldives under alinea 13.2 of Fisheries Act 5/87.	

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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2.4.	Res. 13/08	FADs management plan	31.12.2013	L	C	L	C	Received 17.03.14	
3. Reporting on Vessels									
3.1.	Res. 10/08	List of Active vessels	15.02	C	C	C	C	Received: 09.02.15	
3.2.	Res. 12/11	Fleet Development Plan (FDP)	By 31.12.2010 (10 years)	C	C	C	C	Submission 15.03.11 (Initial)	
Reference Capacity									
3.3.	Res. 12/11	List of vessels ³ for Tropical Tuna during 2006	31.12.2009	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Source CQ 2015: List not provided. Source - Response to feedback letter 2014: Has reported the list will be communicated to the Commission in due course	
		List of vessels ³ for SWO and ALB during 2007		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No vessel targeting SWO and ALB.	
3.4.	Res. 14/04	List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	Since 01.07.2003	C	P/C	C	C		
3.5.		List of Authorized vessels (less than 24m, operating in waters outside EEZ of the flag state)	Since 01.07.2006	C	P/C	C	C		
3.6.	Res. 14/05	List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ	15.02	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Source - IOTC-2014-CoC11-IR17: does not issue fishing licenses to foreign fleets and does not have any access agreements.	
3.7.		List of foreign vessels denied a licence	15.02	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
3.8.		Access Agreement information	26.02.2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
3.9.		Official coastal State fishing License	14.01.2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
4. Vessel Monitoring System									
4.1.	Res. 06/03	Adoption VMS for all vessels greater than 15 metres in length overall.	Since 01.07.2007	C	P/C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2014-SC17-NR17: has reported 50 vessels equipped with VLDs and 238 vessels have applied to install VLDs, expects all vessels equipped with VLDs by June 2015.	
4.2.		VMS report on the progress and implementation	30.06 Vessels > 15 m	N/A	N/A	P/C	P/C	Mandatory report not provided. Has reported Maldivian vessels were allowed to fish on the high seas from July of 2014; there was no VMS report for vessels fishing in the high seas for 2013 mandated in Resolution 06/03.	
5. Mandatory statistical requirement – Flag State CPCs									
5.1.	Res. 10/02	Nominal Catch							
		• Coastal fisheries	30.06	C	C	C	C		

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5.2.		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	C	C	C	C				
		• LL	Provisional	30.06	L	P/C	C	C			
			Final	30.12	L	P/C	C	C			
		Catch & Effort									
		• Coastal fisheries	30.06	C	C	C	C				
		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	C	C	C	C				
• LL	Provisional	30.06	L	P/C	C	C					
	Final	30.12	L	P/C	C	C					
5.3.		Size Frequency									
		• Coastal fisheries	30.06	L	C	C	C				
		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	L	C	C	C				
		• LL	Provisional	30.06	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not submitted.	No observer programme, hence data is not collected	
			Final	30.12	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C			
5.4.		Fish Aggregating Devices (FAD)									
		Supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No supply vessel.			
		Days at sea by supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
		FADs set by type	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
6. Mandatory statistical requirement – Coastal State CPCs											
6.1.	Res. 10/02	Catch & Effort									
		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Source - IOTC-2014-CoC11-IR17: does not issue fishing licenses to foreign fleets and does not have any access agreements.			
		• LL	Provisional	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		
			Final	30.12	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		
7. Implementation of mitigation measures and bycatch of non-IOTC species											
7.1.	Res. 05/05	Submission of data regarding Sharks – Nominal catch	30.06	N/C	N/C	P/C	P/C	Sharks data only provided for longline fishery.			
		Submission of data regarding Sharks – Catch & effort	30.06	N/C	N/C	P/C	P/C				
		Submission of data regarding Sharks – Size frequency	30.06	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No size data provided for Sharks species.	No observer programme, hence data is not collected		
7.2.	Res. 12/09	Prohibition on thresher sharks of all the species of the family <i>Alopiidae</i>	Since 07.07.2010	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2014-SC17-NR17: all sharks species are protected in the Maldives under the Fisheries Law no. 5/87 since March 2010.			
7.3.	Res. 13/06	Prohibition on oceanic whitetip sharks	Since 14.08.2013	C	C	C	C				
7.4.	Res. 12/04	Sea turtles report ²	26.02.2015	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2014-SC17-NR17: has reported a second 10-year Turtle Moratorium is in force from 2006-			

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								2016 that includes banning of hunting, taking, harming turtles; has reported Nil interaction.	
7.5.		Carry line cutters and de-hookers on board (Longliners)	Since 06.08.2009	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2014-SC17-NR17: longliners obliged to carry line cutters and de-hookers under " <i>Large yellowfin tuna fishery and export regulation</i> " (Article 20(c)).	
7.6.		Carry dip nets (Purse seiners)	Since 06.08.2009	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.	
7.7.		Seabirds report ²	26.02.2015	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2014-SC17-NR17: has reported Nil interaction	
7.8.	Res. 12/06	Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S	Since 01.11.2010	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR17: has reported " <i>Large yellowfin tuna fishery and export regulation</i> " (Article 20(c)) specifies sea bird mitigation measures Source - IOTC-2014-SC17-NR17: has reported Nil interaction. Has reported Maldivian vessels do not fish beyond 25 degrees South.	
7.9.	Res. 13/04	Instances of Cetaceans encircled ²	For PS 26.02.2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.	
7.10.	Res 13/05	Instances Whale Sharks encircled ²	For PS 26.02.2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
8. Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated (IUU) Vessels									
8.1.	Res. 11/03	IUU listing	Session - 70 ds (16.02.2015)	C	C	C	C	No vessel or national identified in IUU fishing activities.	
8.2.	Res. 07/01	Compliance by nationals	26.02.2015	C	C	C	C		
9. Transshipments									
9.1.		At sea transshipments – CPC report	Before 15.09	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not participating in the ROP.	
9.2.	Res. 14/06	Transshipments in port report ²	26.02.2015	N/A	N/A	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided. Port of Galle, Colombo, Sri Lanka: 5 counts of TRX by Maldives LSTLVs reported by IOTC observers (Deployments 238 & 246).	Will be reported in due course
9.3.		List of Authorised carrier vessels	Since 01.07.2008	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR17: licensing regulation bans at sea transshipments for large scale fishing vessels. The vessels have to report to a port for transshipment activities.	
9.4.		Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	19.02.2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9.5.		ROP fee	16.08.2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10. Observers									

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10.1.	Res. 11/04	Regional Observer Scheme ² (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	26.02.2015	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR17: ROS has not been implemented due to financial constraints; has obtained funds to employ 2 observers in 2015	
10.2.		• 5% Mandatory, at sea (> 24m) ²	Since 01.07.2010	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C		
10.3.		• 5% Phasing in, at sea (< 24m)	2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Vessels operate only in the EEZ.	
10.4.		• 5% Phasing in Artisanal landings ²	26.02.2015	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Source - IOTC-2014-SC17-NR17: port sampling programme is not in place yet.	
10.5.		Observer reports	150 days after trip	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No observer scheme.	
11. Statistical document programme									
11.1.	Res. 01/06	1 st Semester report (2014)	01.10.14	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Does not import BET.	
11.2.		2 nd Semester report (2013)	01.04.14	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
11.3.		Annual report ² (2013)	26.02.2015	N/A	N/A	L	C	Received: 19.03.15; JPN imported 122 Mt of BET from Maldives.	
11.4.		Information on authorised institutions and personnel	Since 01.07.2002	C	C	C	C	Last update: 13.04.14	
12. Port inspection									
12.1.	Res. 05/03	Port inspection programme	01.07	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No designated port in 2013.	
12.2.	Res. 10/11	List of designated ports	Since 31.12.10	L	C	L	C	Received 17.03.14. Has designated one port.	
12.3.		Designated competent Authority		L	C	L	C		
12.4.		Prior notification periods		L	C	L	C		
12.5.		Inspection report	3 days after inspection	N/A	N/A	C	C	Source – CQ 2015: Call in port: 0 ; Foreign vessel inspected: 0 ; LAN/TRX monitored: 0.	
12.6.	At least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX Inspection report	Since 01/03/2011	N/A	N/A	C	C			
12.7.	Denial of entry in port		N/A	N/A	C	C			
13. Market									
13.1.	Res. 10/10	Report on import, landing and transshipment of tuna and tuna-like fish products in ports ²	26.02.2015	N/A	N/A	C	C	Source – CQ 2015: has reported call in port: NIL in 2014.	

Feedback to Maldives on the level of implementation of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures identified by the CoC11 in 2014.

Feedback: With regards to the level of compliance by Maldives to the decisions of the Commission, the Compliance Committee noted certain issues that required attention. These concerns were communicated to Maldives by the Chair of the Commission in a letter dated 5th June, 2014.

• Has not provided a response to the letter of feedback, as required by S17.
• Has not reported the list of vessels for Tropical Tuna during 2006, as required by Resolution 12/11.
• Has not provided data on length frequency for coastal, surface and longline fisheries, as required by Resolution 10/02.
• Has not provided data on sharks, as required by Res 05/05.
• Has not implemented the observer scheme for vessel above 24m LOA and artisanal landing, and has not provided observer reports, as required by Resolution 11/04.

Response: The response to the letter of the Chair of the Commission was provided by Maldives on 21 August 2014.

Current issues on the level of implementation by Maldives of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures identified for discussion in the CoC12 in 2015.

Having reviewed the 2015 Compliance Report for Maldives, the Chair of the Compliance Committee has identified the following significant non-compliance issues for discussion.

Compliance issues	Current status (2014)	Previous Status (2013)
Repeated compliance issues		
• Has not reported the list of vessels for Tropical Tuna during 2006, as required by Resolution 12/11.	N/C	N/C
• Has not reported size frequency for the longline fisheries, as required by Resolution 10/02.	N/C	N/C
• Has not reported Nominal catch on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 05/05.	P/C	P/C
• Has not reported Catch and effort on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 05/05.	P/C	P/C
• Has not reported Size frequency on sharks, as required by Resolution 05/05.	N/C	N/C
• Has not implemented the observer scheme, no deployment, as required by Resolution 11/04.	N/C	N/C
• Has not implemented the observer scheme, no observer coverage at sea for vessel > 24m, as required by Resolution 11/04.	N/C	N/C
• Has not implemented the observer scheme for artisanal landing, as required by Resolution 11/04.	N/C	N/C
• Has not provided observer report, as required by Resolution 11/04.	N/C	N/C
Non-repeated compliance issues		
• Has not provided the VMS report on the progress and implementation, as required by Resolution 06/03.	P/C	N/A
• Has not provided the report for transshipment of flagged vessels in foreign ports which is contradictory with reports of IOTC observer under the ROP, as required by Resolution 14/06.	N/C	N/A