

DRAFT ANNOTATED AGENDA FOR THE NINTH SESSION OF THE COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE

Updated: 18 April 2012

Date: 18–20 April, 2012

Location: Fremantle, Australia

Time: 0900–1700 daily

Chair: Mr. Roberto Cesari

1. OPENING OF THE SESSION (Chair)

2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION (Chair)

- 2.1. IOTC-2012-CoC09-01a: Draft agenda.
- 2.2. IOTC-2012-CoC09-01b: Draft annotated agenda.
- 2.3. IOTC-2012-CoC09-02: Draft list of documents.

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. OVERVIEW OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF IOTC CONSERVATION OF MANAGEMENT MEASURES (Chair)

- 4.1. IOTC-2012-CoC09-03 Rev2: General review of the implementation of selected CMMs.
- 4.2. IOTC-2012-CoC09-04a: IOTC regional observer programme for at-sea transshipments (Secretariat's report).
- 4.3. IOTC-2012-CoC09-04b: Implementation of the Regional Observer Programme (Contractor's report).
- 4.4. IOTC-2012-CoC09-05: Review of reference fishing capacity and fleet development plans.

5. NATIONAL REPORTS ON THE PROGRESS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT MEASURES (Chair)

In accordance with Article X: 'Implementation' – of the IOTC Agreement:

1. Each Member of the Commission shall ensure that such action is taken, under its national legislation, including the imposition of adequate penalties for violations, as may be necessary to make effective the provisions of this Agreement and to implement conservation and management measures which become binding on it under paragraph 1 of Article IX.

2. Each Member of the Commission shall transmit to the Commission an annual statement of the actions it has taken pursuant to paragraph 1. Such statement shall be sent to the Secretary of the Commission not later than 60 days before the date of the following regular session of the Commission.

6. REVIEW OF THE COUNTRY BASED COMPLIANCE REPORTS - RES.10/09 (Chair)

- 6.1. IOTC-2012-CoC09-CR01 – 32: Review of individual CPC Compliance Status against IOTC Conservation and Management Measures.
- 6.2. Identification of challenges encountered in the implementation of IOTC CMMs; CPC information on its compliance status (reasons, problems, etc.).

- 6.3. Discussion on follow-up on individual compliance status including identifying opportunities to assist in raising the level of implementation of CMMs (inter-sessional process, and 2013 Compliance Committee discussions).

7. REVIEW OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RELATED TO IUU FISHING ACTIVITIES IN THE IOTC AREA OF COMPETENCE (Chair)

- 7.1. IOTC-2012- CoC09-08a: Complementary elements for discussion under item 7 of the agenda for the Compliance Committee.
- 7.2. IOTC-2012- CoC09-08a Add1: - Follow-up actions on the decisions of the 15th Session of the Commission
- 7.3. IOTC-2012- CoC09-08b: A note on IUU Fishing in BIOT waters by fishing vessels flagged in Sri Lanka submitted to the 9th IOTC Compliance Committee Meeting – prepared by the UK.
- 7.4. IOTC-2012- CoC09-08c: Summary report on possible infractions observed under the Regional Observer Programme.
- 7.5. IOTC-2012- CoC09-08c Add1: A note from Japan

8. REVIEW OF THE PROVISIONAL IUU VESSELS LIST AND OF THE INFORMATION SUBMITTED BY CPCs RELATING TO ILLEGAL FISHING ACTIVITIES IN THE IOTC AREA OF COMPETENCE – RES.11/03 (Chair)

- 8.1. IOTC-2012- CoC09-07: Review of the IOTC Provisional IUU Vessels List.

9. UPDATE ON PROGRESS REGARDING THE PERFORMANCE REVIEW (Chair)

- 9.1. IOTC-2012- CoC09-06: Update on progress regarding the Performance Review (Resolution 09/01).

10. REVIEW OF REQUESTS FOR ACCESS TO THE STATUS OF COOPERATING NON-CONTRACTING PARTY

- 10.1. IOTC-2012- CoC09-CNCP01: Request for the status of Cooperating non-Contracting Party by the Democratic Peoples' Republic of Korea.
- 10.2. IOTC-2012- CoC09- CNCP02: Request for the status of Cooperating non-Contracting Party by Senegal.
- 10.3. IOTC-2012- CoC09- CNCP03: Request for the status of Cooperating non-Contracting Party by South Africa.

11. OTHER BUSINESS (Chair)

- 11.1 Date and place of the tenth session of the Compliance Committee.
- 11.2 Election of a Chair and a Vice-chair of the Compliance Committee for the next biennium.

12. REVIEW OF THE DRAFT AND ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE NINTH SESSION OF THE COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE (Chair)