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1.	Implementatio	n obligations							
1.1.	Art. X Agreement	Report of Implementation.	Session - 60 ds (16.03.2018)	С	С	С	С	Received 16.03.18	
1.2.		Compliance Questionnaire.	28.02.2018	С	С	С	С	Received 28.02.18	
1.3.	SC	National Scientific Report.	15.11.2017	С	С	С	С	Received 15.11.17	
1.4.	Commission	Feedback letter.	16.03.2018	C	С	С	С	Received 09.08.17	
2.	Management S	Standards							
	Res. 15/04	Documents listed in this resolution on board <sup>2</sup>	16.03.2018	С	С	С	С	Source IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: Included in ATF terms & conditions (Updated on 10.11.17), legally binding under Section 36(5) Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007 and legislation is being reviewed to transpose IOTC CMMs.	
		Marking of vessels <sup>2</sup>		С	С	С	С	Marking of vessels covered by article	
		Marking of gears <sup>2</sup>		С	С	С	С	40 of Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007.	
2.1.		Marking of FADs <sup>2</sup>		С	С	С	С	Source: FAD mgt plan & IOTC-2018- CoC15-CQ16: DFAD identified by serial number.	
		Logbook on board <sup>2</sup>		С	С	С	С	Source IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: logbook onboard covered by Article 41 of Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007.	
		Official authorisation to fish outside National Jurisdictions.	Since 15.02.2014	С	С	С	С	6 <sup>th</sup> update 10.11.17	
		IMO number for eligible vessels.	Since 01.01.2016	С	С	С	С	Has 10 vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels 3 vessels with IMO number. Reported 7 non-eligible vessels	
2.2.	Res. 15/01	Official fishing logbooks.	Since 15.02.2016	С	С	С	С	1 <sup>st</sup> update 22.01.2016	
2.3.		Ban on large-scale driftnets <sup>2</sup>	16.03.2018	С	С	С	С	Source - IOTC-2016-CoC13-IR18: Banned since 1998; provision in article 12d of Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007.	
2.4.	Res. 17/08	FADs management plan.	31.12.2013	C	С	С	P/C	Received 14.03.14	

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

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								Not all topics covered, source IOTC-2018- CoC15-10.	
		Report of progress on implementation of FADs management plan.	16.03.2018	С	С	С	С	Received 16.03.18	
2.5.	Res. 16/07	Prohibition of surface or submerged artificial lights to attract fish.	27.09.2016	С	С	С	С	Source - IOTC-2016-CoC13-IR18: prohibited as per Article 18 (1) of the Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007. Implemented through T&C of ATF (Updated on 10.11.17), source IOTC- 2017-CoC14-IR17, received 09.03.07	
2.6.	Res. 16/08	Prohibition of aircrafts and unmanned aerial vehicles.	27.09.2016	L	С	С	С	Implemented through T&C of ATF, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17 (Updated on 10.11.17), received 09.03.17	
2.7.		Report on methods for achieving the YFT catch reductions.	16.03.2018	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Catch reduction is not applicable to MUS	
2.8.	Res. 17/01	Purse seiners served by supply vessel.	01.01.2018			С	С	Received 29.12.17	
2.9.		Plans for reducing the use of supply vessel.	31.12.2017			N/A	N/A	Has only 1 SP on the Record of Authorised Vessels, not applicable to MUS	
2.10	Res. 16/06	Report actions taken to implement reporting obligations & improve data collection of catches.	16.03.2018	С	С	С	С	Received 16.03.18 Actions are related to: Logbook, Observer, port sampling, cross check logbook/landing.	
3.	Reporting on V								•
3.1.	Res. 10/08	List of Active vessels	15.02	C	С	С	С	Received 15.02.18.	
3.2.	Res. 15/11	Fleet Development Plan (FDP).	By 31.12.2010 (10 years)	С	С	С	С	Submission 22.12.17 (2 <sup>st</sup> update) FDP terminate in 2020.	
		Reference Capacity							
3.3.	Res. 15/11	List of vessels <sup>3</sup> for Tropical Tuna during 2006.	31.12.2009	С	С	C	С	Has reported target species for all	
		List of vessels <sup>3</sup> for SWO and ALB during 2007		C	С	C	С	vessels is SWO/ALB (Source: CAP).	
3.4.		List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	Since 01.07.2003	С	С	С	С	Last Update 27.03.18	
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	С	С	Last Update 27.03.18	
3.6.	Res. 14/05	List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ	15.02	С	С	С	С	Received 15.02.17: has issued 260 license to FFV in 2017.	
3.7.	Kes. 14/03	List of foreign vessels denied a licence	15.02	С	С	С	С	NIL report received 15.02.18: No FFV denied license in 2017.	

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3.8.		Access Agreement information	26.02.2015	С	С	С	С	Has signed agreement with Seychelles & EU. Has provided information on agreement with EU & SYC.	
3.9.		Official coastal State fishing License	14.01.2014	С	С	С	С	Received 09.03.17	
4.	Vessel Monito								
4.1.		Adoption VMS for all vessels > 24 m and < 24 m fishing high seas	Since 01.07.2007	С	С	С	С	VMS adopted in 2005.	
4.2.	Res. 15/03	VMS report on implementation and technical failures	30.06	С	С	С	С	Received 30.06.17	
4.3.		VMS implementation plan	30.04.2016	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	VMS adopted in 2005, and coverage > 50%.	
5.	Mandatory sta	atistical requirement – Flag State CPCs							
		Nominal Catch		1			1		
5.1.		Coastal fisheries	30.06	C	P/C	C	С	Data Received 30.06.17	
5.11		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	C	С	С	C	Data Received 30.06.17	
		Longline fisheries	30.12	С	С	С	С	Data Received 30.06.17	
		Catch & Effort				1	T	1	
5.2.		Coastal fisheries	30.06	С	P/C	C	С	Data Received 30.06.17	
5.2.		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	C	С	C	С	Data Received 30.06.17	
		Longline fisheries	30.12	C	С	С	С	Data Received 30.06.17	
	Dec. 15/02	Size Frequency				1	1	1	
	Res. 15/02 & Res 15/05	Coastal fisheries	30.06	С	P/C	С	P/C	Data Received 30.06.17 No data provided for handline fishery.	No sampling covered by enumerators in 2016. Data will be provided for 2017.
5.3.		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	L	P/C	С	P/C	Data Received 30.06.17 Less than 1 fish per MT.	Action is being taken to increase the no. of samplings.
		• Longline fisheries	30.12	С	С	С	P/C	Data Received 30.06.17. Not by IOTC standard (no grid information/detailed according to logbook spatial information).	Grid specified as 1° x 1° grid area.
		Fish Aggregating Devices (FAD)							
5.4.		Supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No supply vessels on the Record of	
5.4.		Days at sea by supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Authorised Vessels or active in 2016.	
		FADs set by type	30.06	C	С	C	C	Data Received 30.06.17	
6.	Implementation non-IOTC spe	on of mitigation measures and bycatch of cies							
6.1.	Res. 17/05	Submission of data regarding Sharks – Nominal catch	30.06	С	P/C	С	P/C	Data Received 30.06.17. Data provided as discard for PS fleet; Only 1 species of shark reported for semi industrial LL.	For the PS fleet, 2 species of sharks were reported as discards

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		Submission of data regarding Sharks – Catch & effort	30.06	С	P/C	С	P/C	No CE for sharks data for industrial LL;	For the LL fleet fishing outside th EEZ, the Form 1RC has been amended to include the 3 species of sharks namely Shortfin mako, Blue Shark and Hammerhead sharks.
		Submission of data regarding Sharks – Size frequency	30.06	N/C	N/C	С	P/C	Data Received 30.06.17; Size data for shark only reported for 1 species from semi-industrial fleet; No size data for industrial fleet.But reported NC for shark from industial LL	Data for Sharks- Size frequency was subumitted on 30.06.2017 for LL fleet operating in the EEZ. No shark was unloaded for industrial fleet.
6.2.	Res. 12/09	Prohibition on thresher sharks of all the species of the family <i>Alopiidae</i>	Since 07.07.2010	С	С	С	C	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: Included in T&C of ATF (Updated on 10.11.17), legally binding under	
6.3.	Res. 13/06	Prohibition on oceanic whitetip sharks	Since 14.08.2013	L	С	С	С	Section 36(5) Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007 and legislation is being reviewed to transpose IOTC CMMs.	
6.4.		Report on progress of implementation of the FAO Guidelines and this Resolution <sup>2</sup>	16.03.2018	C	С	С	С	Progress on implementation of FAO guideline and R 12/04 received 16.03.17	
6.5.		Data on interactions with marine turtles	30.06	С	С	С	С	Source: IOTC-2017-SC20-NR17 Nil interactions in 2016	
6.6.	Res. 12/04	Carry line cutters and de-hookers on board (Longliners)	Since 06.08.2009	С	С	С	С	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: Included in T&C of ATF ATF	
6.7.		Carry dip nets (Purse seiners)	Since 06.08.2009	С	С	С	С	(Updated on 10.11.17), legally binding under Section 36(5) Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007.	
6.8.	Res. 12/06	Seabirds report <sup>2</sup>	16.03.2018	С	С	С	С	Source: IOTC-2017-SC20-NR17 Nil interactions in 2016. Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: Included in T&C of ATF ATF	
6.9.		Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S	Since 01.11.2010	С	С	С	С	(Updated on 10.11.17), legally binding under Section 36(5) Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007.	
		Data on interactions with Cetaceans	30.06 (All gears)	C	С	С	С	Source: IOTC-2017-SC20-NR17 Nil interactions in 2016	
6.10	Res. 13/04	Instances of Cetaceans encircled <sup>2</sup>	For PS 16.03.2018	С	С	С	С	Source - IOTC-2018-CoC15-IR16: has reported no encirclement reported by PS vessels in 2017; Sections 16 (c) and 17 (1) (d) of the Fisheries and Marine resources Act 2007 prohibits the fishing, landing and selling of any marine mammal.	

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		Data on interactions with Whale Sharks	30.06 (All gears)	С	С	С	С	Source: IOTC-2017-SC20-NR17 Nil interactions in 2016	
6.11	Res 13/05	Instances Whale Sharks encircled <sup>2</sup>	For PS 16.03.2018	С	С	С	С	Source - IOTC-2018-CoC15-IR16: has reported no encirclement reported by PS vessels in 2017.	
7.	Illegal, Unrep	orted and Unregulated (IUU) Vessels				-			·
7.1.	Res. 17/03	IUU listing	Session - 70 ds (06.03.2018)	С	С	С	С	No vessel listed on IOTC IUU list in 2017	
7.2.	Res. 07/01	Compliance by nationals	16.03.2018	С	С	С	С	No nationals on board vessesl listed on IOTC IUU list in 2017.	
8.	Transhipment								
8.1.	-	At sea transhipments – CPC report	Before 15.09	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not participating in the ROP.	
8.2.		Transhipments in port report <sup>2</sup>	16.03.2018	C	С	L	С	Received 16.03.18	
8.3.	Res. 17/06	List of Authorised carrier vessels	Since 01.07.2008	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No carrier vessel in the ROP.	
8.4.		Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	13.02.2018	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not participating in the ROP.	
8.5.		ROP fee (call 08/03/2017)	09.04.2018	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	]	
9.	Observers				-		-		
9.1.		Regional Observer Scheme <sup>2</sup> (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	16.03.2018	С	С	C	P/C	Had 2 PS and 5 LL in 2016; 5 trips on PS only – 35% coverage.	Observer programme on LL is being programmed for 2018
9.2. 9.3.	D 11/04	• 5% Mandatory, at sea (All vessels) <sup>2</sup>	Since 2013	С	С	С	P/C	No coverage for industrial LL fleet	LL will be covered in 2018
9.4.	Res. 11/04	• 5 % Artisanal landings <sup>2</sup>	Since 2013	С	С	C	С	Total enumeration for coastal fisheries	
9.5.		Observer reports	150 days after trip	С	С	С	P/C	5 observer reports provided for PS fishery on 04.12.17	All reports have now been provided. The remaining report was submitted on 22.04.2018 by the Focal point
10.	Statistical doc	ument programme		1		1			-
10.1		1 <sup>st</sup> Semester report (2017)	01.10.2017	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Does no import BET, Source IOTC-2018- CoC15-CQ16	
10.2	Res. 01/06	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester report (2016)	01.04.2017	N/A	N/A	N/C	N/C	Does no import BET, Source IOTC-2018- CoC15-CQ16. TWN, CHN declared having exported 1.8 Mt of BET to MUS in 2016.	Apart from the BET which are imported for processing and canning, BE are landed as by- catch by Taiwanese LL. The 1.8 MT reported by Taiwan may be part of the 6.7 MT of BE landed as by-cactch in 2016. This process does not involve

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									submission of statistical document.
10.3		Annual report <sup>2</sup> (2016)	16.03.2018	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided. JPN imported 4 Mt, EU imported 69 Mt of BET from MUS in 2016. Has indicated corrective actions have been taken in 2017 & data is now available since 2017, source - IOTC–2018–CoC15– IR16.	Data for 2017 has been compiled and will be verified against IOTC data as soon as it will be available
10.4		Information on authorised institutions and personnel	Since 01.07.2002	С	С	С	С	Last update: 10.04.17	
11.	Port inspection	1							
	Res. 05/03	Port inspection programme	01.07	С	C	С	C	Received: 30.06.17	
11.2		List of designated ports	C:	С	C	C	C		
11.3		Designated competent Authority	Since 31.12.10	С	C	С	C	Has designated one port.	
11.4		Prior notification periods	31.12.10	С	С	С	С		
11.5		Inspection report	3 days after inspection	С	С	С	С	Source IOTC-2018-CoC15-CQ16: Call in port: 884 ; Foreign vessel inspected: 690 ; LAN/TRX monitored: 40. PIR submited 305.	
11.6		Res. 16/11 At least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX		С	P/C	P/C	P/C	Received e-PSM: 250 PIR & 47 OLT. LAN/TRX monitoring forms submitted for 18 vessels. Using fully e-PSM application.	40 monitoring sheets were completed in 2017 which were incorporated in the PIR through the e-psm. This will be treated separately as from 2018.
11.7		Denial of entry in port		С	C	C	C	Source Source IOTC-2018-CoC15-CQ16: No vessel denied port entry in 2017.	
12.	Market		•		•		•	· · · ·	
12.1	Res. 10/10	Report on import, landing and transhipment of tuna and tuna-like fish products in ports <sup>2</sup>	16.03.2018	С	С	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided. Has indicated data to be provided by end of March 2018, source IOTC–2018– CoC15–IR16.	Under process. Could not be completed as the backlog of PIRs could not be closed in time mainly because of a problem in the transmission speed. Still facing same problem. We are left with about 8% of the PIRs still to be closed. We will continue working on it and hope to complete all by the time of the Compliance meeting.

## <u>Feedback to Mauritius on the level of implementation of IOTC Conservation and</u> <u>Management Measures identified by the CoC14 in 2017.</u>

**Feedback:** With regards to the level of compliance by Mauritius to the decisions of the Commission, the Compliance Committee noted certain issues that required attention. These concerns were communicated to Mauritius by the Chair of the Commission in a letter dated 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2017.

- Has not reported Nominal catch for the coastal fisheries to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 15/02.
- Has not reported Catch & effort for the coastal fisheries to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 15/02.
- Has not reported Size frequency for the coastal fisheries to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 15/02.
- Has not reported Size frequency for the surface fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02.
- Has not reported Nominal Catch on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 05/05.
- Has not reported Catch and effort on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 05/05.
- Has not reported Size frequency on sharks, as required by Resolution 05/05.
- Has not fully implemented the requirement of at least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX, as required by Resolution 16/11.
- Has not provided the annual report of the Statistical Document Programme, as required by Resolution 01/06.

**Response:** The response to the letter of the Chair of the Commission was provided by Mauritius on 09 August 2018.

## <u>Current issues on the level of implementation by Mauritius of IOTC Conservation and</u> <u>Management Measures identified for discussion in the CoC15 in 2018.</u>

Having reviewed the 2018 Compliance Report for Mauritius, the Chair of the Compliance Committee has identified the following significant non-compliance issues for discussion.

Compliance issues	Current status (2018)	Previous Status (2017)
Repeated compliance issues		
• Has not reported Size frequency for the coastal fisheries to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 15/02.	P/C	P/C
• Has not reported Size frequency for the surface fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02.	P/C	P/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.	P/C	N/C
• Has not fully implemented the requirement of at least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX, as required by Resolution 16/11.	P/C	P/C
• Has not provided the annual report of the Statistical Document Programme, as required by Resolution 01/06.	N/C	N/C
Non-repeated compliance issues		

• Has not provided the FADs management plan to IOTC standard, as required by Resolution 17/08.	P/C	С
• Has not reported Size frequency for the longline fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02.	P/C	С
• Has not fully implemented the Regional Observer Scheme, no coverage for longline gear, as required by Resolution 11/04	P/C	С
• Has not fully implemented the 5% Mandatory coverage at sea (All vessels), as required by Resolution 11/04	P/C	С
• Has not provided observer reports for the logline fleet, as required by Resolution 11/04	P/C	С
• Has not provided the 2nd Semester report of 2016, as required by Resolution 11/04	N/C	N/A
• Has not provided the Report on import, landing and transhipment of tuna and tuna- like fish products in ports, as required by Resolution 10/10	N/C	С