

PROGRESS REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WPICMM WORK PLAN AND ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE WPICMM01

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PURPOSE

To provide participants at the WPICMM02 with an update on the progress made during the 2018/19 intersessional period on:

- 1) implementing the work plan of the Working Party on Implementation of Conservation and Management Measures (WPICMM) since its adoption at the previous meeting and to provide recommendations for update of activities and implementation time lines,
- 2) the recommendations of the WPICMM01, which were endorsed by the Compliance Committee (CoC15).

BACKGROUND

At the 1st Session of the WPICMM, participants agreed on a series of actions to be taken by CPCs and the IOTC Secretariat on a range of issues which were captured in the Work Plan.

The WPICMM01 made 14 recommendations for the consideration of the Compliance Committee (CoC15).

DISCUSSION

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WORK PLAN OF THE WPICMM

The column on the right present the status of implementation of each activity until 15 January 2019.

1	Examine all aspects of CPCs technical implementation of CMMs and recommending ways to enhance the level of implementation	
1.1	Produce dashboard of compliance with CMMs for all CPCs and have this online	
1.1.1	Create dashboard showing compliance with CMMs from national reports and put on secured part of the IOTC website so it is visible to all CPCs	[Pending] To be implemented under e-MARIS Recruitment of 2 IT experts by SWIOFISH/IOC ongoing
1.1.2	CPCs to add information to dashboard by reporting deadlines	[Pending] To be implemented under e-MARIS Recruitment of 2 IT experts by SWIOFISH/IOC ongoing
1.1.3	Rank the CMMs/reporting requirements by priority (i.e which are most critical to report upon)	[On going] Considered under consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
1.1.4	Define a weighting scheme to the P/C assessment of the reporting requirements	[On going] Considered under consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
1.2	Prioritise CMMs with lowest implementation levels to determine common issues with compliance	
1.2.1	Use CPCs Compliance Assessment results to determine common challenges and difficulties with compliance	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-04 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
1.2.2	Follow up with interviews with CPCs to gather more detail	[On going] CPCs to provide more details during WPICMM02
1.2.3	Recommend a plan to improve compliance could include; specific training events, amendments to reporting requirements, data analysis assistance	[On going] WPICMM02 to make recommendations

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2	Examine Monitoring, Control and Surveillance (MCS) technical matters in order to provide the Compliance Committee with options for strengthening MCS	
2.1	<i>Improve IOTC MCS scheme</i>	
2.1.1	Review CPCs national MCS scheme and current MCS practices	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-05 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-VMS study & IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-MCS study.
2.1.2	Review existing IOTC MCS tools	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-05 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-VMS study & IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-MCS study.
2.1.3	Review upcoming MCS reports comprising of reports on VMS and CDS	[On going] Report to be presented at WPICMM02 for review
2.1.4	Recommendation that the VMS and CDS study reports are submitted to the WPICMM	[On going] Report to be presented at WPICMM02 for review
2.1.4	Make recommendations on these reports for the Compliance Committee	[On going] WPICMM02 to make recommendations
3	Review the reporting requirements contained within CMMs in order to harmonize and streamline	
3.1	<i>Review reporting requirements in all CMMs</i>	
3.1.1	Assess and compare reporting requirements for all CMMs in other relevant RFMOs and harmonize	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-06 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
3.1.2	Undertake an assessment of existing IOTC reporting requirement in order to streamline the reporting by CPCs	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-06 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
3.1.3	Consider the report at WPICMM	[On going] Consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review to be reviewed by WPICMM02
3.1.4	Provide recommendation to harmonize and streamline reporting requirements	[On going] WPICMM02 to make recommendations
4	Develop a methodology for the assessment of implementation by CPCs, for producing the Country Compliance Reports provided annually to the Compliance Committee and flag States	
4.1	<i>Determine significance of each CMM using a ranking measure</i>	
4.1.1	Rank the reporting requirements of CMMs by priority (i.e which are most critical to report upon)	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-07 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
4.1.2	Attribute a co-efficient to determine rank importance	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-07 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
4.1.2	WPICMM consider the report of the Secretariat to provide recommendations to the Compliance Committee	[On going] WPICMM02 to make recommendations
5	Review and assess the effectiveness and practical aspects of implementation of CMMs adopted by the Commission in order to identify deficiencies and implementation constraints faced by CPCs, and to recommend options for amendments	
5.1	<i>Determine which CMMs are over due on assessment or no longer valid</i>	
5.1.1	Secretariat provides paper on validity of CMMs to the WPICMM	[Pending] Paper for WPICMM03
5.1.2	Provide recommendations to the Compliance Committee	Same as above
5.2	<i>Conduct reviews</i>	
5.2.1	Review each CMM using dashboard and reports	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-06 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
5.2.2	Use CPCs compliance reports from part 1 to identify constraints	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-06 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.

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5.2.3	Analyse baseline data compared to current data to review effectiveness.	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-06 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
5.2.4	Provide recommendations to the Compliance Committee	[On going] WPICMM02 to make recommendations
6	Propose actions to address deficiencies in implementation	
6.1	<i>Capacity building</i>	
6.1.1	Identify weakness of CPCs in capacity and ability to comply with reporting requirements	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
6.1.2	Recommend training events by IOTC compliance officers to CPCs with most need (should be regular)	[On going] SWIOFISH 2 WB and WWF (VMS study) and EU Grant 304 and tuna ABNJ project Provide paper to WPICMM02
6.1.3	Recommend exchange programmes to increase skills in CPCs	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
6.1.4	Recommend the establishment of a permanent capacity building mechanism	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
6.1.5	Recommend outreach to fishing captains/masters to educate on CMMs and to gather information on problems with implementation	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
6.2	<i>Increase funding opportunities of CPCs</i>	
6.1.2	Identify funding sources from potential donors to facilitate opportunities for funding capacity building	[On going] SWIOFISH 2 WB and WWF (VMS study) and EU Grant 304 and tuna ABNJ project Provide paper to WPICMM02
7	Development of minimum regional standards for implementation of CMMs	
7.1	<i>Asses CPCs implementation capacity for CMMs</i>	
7.1.1	Develop a tool and collect data from CPCs on their current implementation (status/procedures and capacity) of CMMs	[Pending] To be implemented under e-MARIS Recruitment of 2 IT experts by SWIOFISH/IOC ongoing
7.1.2	Analyze data and produce reporting requirements from all CPCs for implementation of CMMs	[Pending] To be implemented under e-MARIS Recruitment of 2 IT experts by SWIOFISH/IOC ongoing
7.2	<i>Prepare the minimum IOTC standards</i>	
7.2.1	Identify CMMs where IOTC standards have not been introduced and propose recommendation for inclusion of IOTC standard for CMMs	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-08 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
7.2.2	Provide recommendation to the Compliance Committee (CoC) on Resolution(s) to amend	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-08 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
7.2.3	Develop minimum regional standards for implementation of CMMs	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-08 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
7.2.4	Request clarification to the Compliance on the develop minimum regional standards for implementation of CMMs	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-08 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
8	Develop a harmonized assessment criteria to identify vessels presumed to have engaged in illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing activities	
8.1.1	Establish a baseline for IUU fishing activities based on International recommendations	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-09 and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-Compliance review.
8.1.2	Gather information from CPCs on their National legislation on how IUU - fishing vessels determined against the Resolution 17/03	[Pending] Defer to 2019 (Priority medium)
8.1.3	Review the assessment criteria for identifying vessel presumed to have engaged in IUU fishing activities	[Pending] Defer to 2019 (Priority medium)
8.1.4	Request clarification to the Compliance on the Development a harmonized assessment criteria for identifying vessel presumed to have engaged in IUU fishing activities	[Pending] Request to be submitted to CoC16

9	Monitor the development of, and recommend further actions for the IOTC list of vessels presumed to have engaged in illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing activities, including where requested by the Compliance Committee or involved CPCs, a review of the evidence to be presented, where such evidence can be made available to the WPICMM	
9.1	<i>Actions for the IOTC list of vessels presumed to have engaged in illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU)</i>	
9.1.1	Review of the evidence to be presented, where such evidence can be made available to the WPICMM	[Pending] Timing issue between the WPICMM and availability of draft IUU list
9.1.2	Recommend actions for the CoC on the list of vessels presumed to have engaged in IUU fishing activities, including where requested by the Compliance Committee or involved CPCs,	[Pending] Timing issue between the WPICMM and availability of draft IUU list
9.1.3	Monitor the development of recommended actions on the vessels that have been committed IUU	[Pending] Timing issue between the WPICMM and availability of draft IUU list
10	Monitor the development of, and recommend actions for the list of Large Scale Tuna Longline Vessels (LSTLVs)/carrier vessels presumed to have committed infractions of IOTC CMMs, as recorded by observers deployed under the at-sea transshipment programme	
10.1	<i>List of possible infractions under the ROP</i>	
10.1.1	Review of the evidence to be presented on vessels presumed to have committed the infractions	[Pending] Timing issue between the WPICMM and availability of list of vessels presumed to have committed infractions
10.1.2	Request for further evidence from the CPCs on the list of vessels presumed to have committed infractions	[Pending] Timing issue between the WPICMM and availability of list of vessels presumed to have committed infractions
10.1.3	Recommend actions for the CoC on the list of vessels presumed to have committed infractions	[Pending] Timing issue between the WPICMM and availability of list of vessels presumed to have committed infractions
10.1.4	Monitor the development of recommended actions on the vessels that have committed infractions	[Pending] Timing issue between the WPICMM and availability of list of vessels presumed to have committed infractions
10.1.5	Recommend that the list of possible infraction under the ROP is presented to the WPICMM	[Pending] Timing issue between the WPICMM and availability of list of vessels presumed to have committed infractions
11	Provide recommendations to the Compliance Committee to assist CPCs in the design and implementation of national MCS systems	
11.1	<i>Design and implementation of national MCS systems</i>	
11.1.1	Define minimum MCS requirement for relevant CMMs	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-05a and b and consultant report IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-VMS, MCS, CDS study
11.1.2	CPCs to provide a report/paper on their national MCS programs	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-10
11.1.3	Evaluation of CPCs national MCS programs against the minimum requirement for CMMs	[Pending] CPCs to complete national MCS report for WPICMM03
11.1.4	Provide recommendations to the Compliance Committee to assist CPCs in the design and implementation of national MCS systems based on their capacity and need	[Pending] WPICMM03 to make recommendations
12	Provide recommendations to the Compliance Committee to assist CPCs in the design and implementation of enforcement actions to ensure compliance with IOTC CMMs	
12.1	<i>Assist CPCs in the design and implementation of enforcement actions</i>	
12.1.1	Develop ToRs for assessment study of CPCs capacities on design and implementation of enforcement actions by the WPICMM	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
12.1.2	Conduct baseline capacity assessment of CPCs on design and implementation of enforcement actions	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
12.1.3	Assessment of the report by the WPICMM	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
12.1.4	Submission of recommendations to the Compliance Committee (CoC)	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
13	Development of regional capacity building mechanisms to assist CPCs to meet the regional minimum terms and conditions or standards for implementation of the CMMs	

13.1	<i>Regional capacity building mechanisms</i>	
13.1.1	Development of the Minimum Terms and Conditions/ Standards by the WPICMM	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
13.1.2	Submission of the Draft Minimum Terms and Conditions to the Compliance Committee	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
13.1.3	Draft the terms of reference for the regional capacity building mechanism	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
13.1.4	Submission of the ToRs to the Compliance Committee	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
14	Provide recommendations for the strengthening of the implementation of CMMs and capacity building activities, including compliance support missions, regional/national training courses and workshops, to be funded under the special fund for capacity building or extra budgetary contributions	
14.1	<i>Strengthening of the implementation of CMMs and capacity building activities</i>	
14.1.1	Develop ToRs for the assessment of CPCs on performance and capacity on implementation of CMMs and capacity building activities	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
14.1.2	Conduct baseline assessment of CPCs on performance and capacity on implementation of CMMs and capacity building activities	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
14.1.3	Assessment of the report by the WPICMM	Bring to the attention of WPICMM02 that timeline incorrect and need to be change and in line with 14.1.1
14.1.4	Submission of recommendations to the Compliance Committee	Bring to the attention of WPICMM02 that timeline incorrect and need to be change and in line with 14.1.1
14.1.5	Recommendation for Capacity building and training interventions based on needs and gaps identified by Secretariat from the previous country mission reports	Bring to the attention of WPICMM02 that timeline incorrect and need to be change and in line with 14.1.1
15	Develop recommendations and guidelines for a schedule of sanctions for non-compliance with IOTC CMMs for consideration by the CPCs and the Commission	
15.1	<i>Schedule of sanctions for non-compliance with IOTC CMMs</i>	
15.1.1	Develop ToRs for a Comparative assessment of existing sanctioning systems in other organizations	[Pending] Under WPICMM03
15.1.2	Conduct assessment of existing sanctioning systems in other organizations	[Pending] Under WPICMM03
15.1.3	Assessment of the report and provision of recommendations by the WPICMM	[Pending] Under WPICMM03
15.1.4	Submission of the report to the Compliance Committee	[Pending] Under WPICMM03
16	Review compliance with data reporting obligations by CPCs and recommend actions for implementation	
16.1	<i>Data reporting obligations by CPCs</i>	
16.1.1	Preparation of report by the Secretariat on levels of compliance with data reporting obligations	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
16.1.2	Assessment of the report and provision of recommendations by the WPICMM	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
16.1.3	Submission of the recommendations to the Compliance Committee	[Pending] Postponed to WPICMM03
17	Review of the glossary of definitions and key terms used in IOTC Resolutions	
17.1	<i>Glossary of definitions and terms</i>	
17.1.1	CPCs to review the terms and definitions and provide comments on each definition	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-11
17.1.2	Secretariat to produce a consolidated list or comments received by CPCs on the Glossary	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-11
17.1.3	WPICMM to provide a draft final glossary	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-11
17.1.4	Submission of the recommendations to the Compliance Committee regarding the Glossary	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-11
17.2	<i>Legal scrubbing of IOTC active Resolutions</i>	

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17.2.1	Submission of the recommendations to the Compliance Committee to conduct a Legal scrubbing of IOTC active Resolutions and draft a ToR	[Implemented] Submitted to CoC15, endorsed by Commission
17.2.2	WPICMM to finalise the ToR for the purpose to conduct a legal scrubbing of the IOTC Resolutions	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-12
18	Review compliance requirements to identify reporting and implementation obligations that should be included in the Compliance Assessment Process	
18.1	<i>identify reporting and implementation obligations</i>	
18.1.1	EU to provide a draft list of compliance requirements not included in the compliance assessment process	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-13
18.1.2	Review of the list by the WPICMM	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-13
18.1.3	Submission of the recommendations to the Compliance Committee to include additional reporting and implementation obligations in the Compliance Assessment Process	[On going] Considered under paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-13

IMPLEMENTATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE WPICMM01

The CoC15 has reviewed the Recommendations of the WPICMM01:

Paragraph 108: The CoC **CONSIDERED** the 14 recommendations of the WPICMM01.

Paragraph 109: The CoC took the following actions on the 14 recommendations:

- a. **ADOPTED:** WPICMM01.05, WPICMM01.09 and WPICMM01.10,
- b. **NOTED:** WPICMM01.01, WPICMM01.02, WPICMM01.03, WPICMM01.04, WPICMM01.06, WPICMM01.08, WPICMM01.11, WPICMM01.12, WPICMM01.13, and WPICMM01.14,
- c. **REFERED** to the Commission: WPICMM01.07.

<p>Decisions of the Commission related to the work of the Compliance Committee</p> <p>WPICMM01.01 (Para. 12) : The WPICMM RECOMMENDED that as part of its work plan, the WPICMM identify the compliance issues that it should address and priorities set.</p>	<p>WPICMM01.01 [On going]. Component 1 of work plan Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02- 04 produced for WPICMM02</p>
<p>Use of terms and definitions in IOTC CMMs</p> <p>WPICMM01.02 (Para. 16): The WPICMM RECOMMENDED that the Compliance Committee (CoC15) consider revising the list of active IOTC CMMs to improve its legal soundness based, on terms of reference to be developed by the WPICMM to harmonise terms and definitions and to use terms of legal art.</p>	<p>WPICMM01.02 [On going]. Component 17 of work plan Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02- 11 (Glossary) and paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02- 12 (Legal scrubbing) produced for WPICMM02 ToR legal scrubbing to be endorsed by WPICMM02 and Secretariat to recruit consultant to conduct the legal scrubbing.</p>
<p>Review of the glossary of terms and definitions</p> <p>WPICMM01.03 (Para. 18): The WPICMM NOTED the significance of this document and ACKNOWLEDGED that due to the late availability of the document the WPICMM did not have sufficient time to review the document and RECOMMENDED that CPCs be allowed six months from the close of WPICMM01 to provide comments and observations on each of the definitions listed in paper IOTC-2018-WPICMM-04,</p>	<p>WPICMM01.03 [On going]. Component 17 of work plan Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02- 11 (Glossary) and paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02- 12 (legal scrubbing) produced for WPICMM02 Glossary to be reviewed by WPICMM02.</p>

<p>and that the glossary be discussed again at the next meeting of the WPICMM.</p> <p>WPICMM01.04 (Para. 19): The WPICMM RECOMMENDED that the Compliance Committee (CoC15) reaffirms the intended use of the glossary of terms and definitions (para. 71 of CoC11).</p>	<p>WPICMM01.04 [Implemented] CoC15 discussed the purpose of the glossary</p>
<p>Work Plan for the WPICMM for the next five years</p> <p>WPICMM01.05 (Para. 26) : The WPICMM RECOMMENDED that the Compliance Committee (CoC15) consider and endorse the WPICMM work plan (2018–2023), as provided in Appendix VI.</p>	<p>WPICMM01.05 [Implemented]. Work Plan adopted by CoC15</p>
<p>Review of assessment criteria</p> <p>WPICMM01.06 (Para. 29): The WPICMM ADOPTED the assessment criteria in Appendix VII and RECOMMENDED that the IOTC Secretariat compile the Compliance Reports for the CoC15 with the assessment criteria endorsed by the WPICMM01.</p> <p>WPICMM01.07 (Para. 30): The WPICMM RECOMMENDED that the Compliance Committee (CoC15) should consider assessing CPCs for compliance with Article XIII of the IOTC Agreement.</p> <p>WPICMM01.08 (Para. 31): The WPICMM RECOMMENDED that the partially compliance assessment status be given a weight to distinguish between the level of compliance achieved by CPCs.</p> <p>WPICMM01.09 (Para. 32): The WPICMM RECOMMENDED a complete review of the list of active CMs at its next session to identify reporting requirements and implementation obligations that are not currently being assessed and submit its recommendations to the Compliance Committee in 2019.</p>	<p>WPICMM01.06 [Implemented]. Assessment criteria used by Secretariat to compile country compliance reports for CoC15.</p> <p>WPICMM01.07 [Implemented]. WPICMM01.07. was referred to the Commission S22; Paragraph 18 (S22): The Commission RECOGNIZED compliance as a critical component to the effective and efficient functioning of the IOTC but some CPCs indicated that the proposal to include compliance with Article XIII in the IOTC Agreement as a compliance assessment criteria and some of the proposed remedies for non-compliance, such as suspension of fishing rights and/or suspension of participation in the Commission needs more consideration. Those CPCs stated that such an approach does not take into account the varying level of development and capacity of the CPCs and such an approach of applying uniform remedies to all CPCs would be unfair.</p> <p>WPICMM01.08 [On going]. Components 3, 4, 7 of work plan Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02- 06 and 07 and 08 produced for WPICMM02</p> <p>WPICMM01.09 [On going]. Component 18 of work plan Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02- 13 produced for WPICMM02 List of requirements to be reviewed by WPICMM02</p>
<p>Review of Resolution 15/04</p> <p>WPICMM01.10 (Para. 38): The WPICMM RECOMMENDED that the CoC consider the new texts to amend Resolution 15/04, as provided in Appendix VIII, and that the CoC recommend that the Commission (S22) consider the amendment.</p>	<p>WPICMM01.10 [Implemented]. WPICMM01.10 adopted by CoC15 New texts to amend Resolution 15/04 was not discussed at S22.</p>

<p>Review of Resolution 15/11</p> <p>WPICMM01.11 (Para. 44): For these reasons and until alternative measures are in place to manage capacities in the two fisheries, the WPICMM RECOMMENDED that the Commission extends the applicability of Resolution 15/11, noting that the extension of this resolution should not be seen as a means to maintain the status quo.</p>	<p>WPICMM01.11 [Implemented].</p> <p>Paragraph 110 – CoC15 report: <i>One CPC did not support extending of Resolution 15/11 as it did not give full consideration to the concerns raised at IOTC21 in 2017, but it acknowledged that if a new proposal was put forward for consideration it would consider the merits of that proposal.</i></p>
<p>Other business</p> <p>WPICMM01.12 (Para. 48): The WPICMM NOTED the low attendance rate of CPCs to this meeting (14 CPCs) and RECOMMENDED that the Compliance Committee URGE CPCs to participate in the work of the WPICMM.</p> <p>WPICMM01.13 (Para. 50): The WPICMM NOTED the large number of items in its agenda and RECOMMENDED on the need to avoid excessive strain on the number of items in its agenda of future meetings to allow for effective discussions.</p>	<p>WPICMM01.12 was noted by CoC15</p> <p>WPICMM01.13 was noted by CoC15</p>

RECOMMENDATION

That the WPICMM **NOTE** the progress made in implementing the work plan and recommendations of the 1st WPICMM.