PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA: SECOND MEETING OF THE WORKING PARTY ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT MEASURES

V3 January 2019

Date: 13–15 February 2019

Location: Mozambique

Venue: Hotel Avenida, Maputo

Time: 0900–1700 daily

Chair: Mr. Roy Clarisse (Seychelles)   **Vice chair:** Mr. Benedict Kiilu (Kenya)

1. **OPENING OF THE SESSION** (Chair)

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

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-01a
Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-01b

3. **ADMISSION OF OBSERVERS** (Chair)

4. **IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WPICMM WORKPLAN** (All)

4.1   **Progress report on the implementation of the WPICMM work plan and on the recommendations of the WPICMM01** (Secretariat)

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-03

4.2   **Use of CPCs compliance assessment results to determine common challenges and difficulties with compliance [component 1, sub-component 1.2 of WP]** (all)

- *Use CPCs Compliance Assessment results to determine common challenges and difficulties with compliance*
- *Follow up with interviews with CPCs to gather more detail*
- *Recommend a plan to improve compliance could include; specific training events, amendments to reporting requirements, data analysis assistance*

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-04

4.3   **Improve IOTC MCS scheme [component 2, sub-component 2.1 of WP]** (all)

- VMS study - review of VMS report to make recommendations on the report for the compliance committee
  Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-05a
- MCS study - review of MCS report to make recommendations on the report for the compliance committee
  Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-05b
- CDS study – review of CDS report to make recommendations on the report for the compliance committee
  Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-05c

4.4   **Review reporting requirements in all conservation and management measures (CMMs) in order to harmonize and streamline [component 3, sub-component 3.1 of WP]** (all)

- *Assess and compare reporting requirements for all CMMs in other relevant RFMOs and harmonize.*
- *Undertake an assessment of existing IOTC reporting requirement in order to streamline the reporting by CPCs*
  Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-06
- *Comments on the proposal to amend the IOTC Rules of Procedure relating to Compliance (Circular 2018-48)*

4.5 Develop a methodology for the assessment of implementation by Members and Non-Contracting Cooperating Parties (CPCs), for producing the Country Compliance Reports provided annually to the Compliance Committee and flag States [component 4, sub-component 4.1 of WP] (all)

- *Determine significance of each CMM using a ranking measure.*
- *Rank the reporting requirements of CMMs by priority (i.e. which are most critical to report upon).*
- *Attribute a co-efficient to determine rank importance.*

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-07

4.6 Development of minimum regional standards for implementation of CMMs [component 7, sub-component 7.2 of WP] (all)

- *Identify CMMs where IOTC standards have not been introduced and propose recommendation for inclusion of IOTC standard for CMMs to allow the WPICMM to provide recommendations to the Compliance Committee (CoC) on Resolution(s) to amend.*

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-08

4.7 Establish a baseline for IUU fishing activities based on International recommendations [component 8 of WP] (all)

- *Compare and contrast the definitions of illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing activities in International instruments & IPOA IUU definitions with the definitions provided in IOTC Resolution 17/03*

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-09

4.8 Provide recommendations to the Compliance Committee to assist CPCs in the design and implementation of national MCS systems [component 11 of WP] (all)

- *Provide comments on the template of the national MCS programs report*

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-10
Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-10a

4.9 Review of the glossary of definitions and key terms used in IOTC Resolutions [component 17, sub-component 17.1 of WP] (all)

- *CPCs to review the terms and definitions and provide comments on each definition*
- *Secretariat to produce a consolidated list or comments received by CPCs on the Glossary*
- *WPICMM to provide a draft final glossary*
- *Submission of the recommendations to the Compliance Committee regarding the Glossary*

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-11
Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-11a
Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-11b

4.10 Legal scrub of IOTC Resolutions [component 17, sub-component 17.2 of WP] (all)

- *WPICMM to finalise the ToR for the purpose to conduct a legal scrubbing of the IOTC Resolutions*

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-12

4.11 Review compliance requirements to identify reporting and implementation obligations that should be included in the Compliance Assessment Process [component 18, sub-component 18.1 of WP] (all)

- *EU to provide a draft list of compliance requirements not included in the compliance assessment process*
- *Review of the list by the WPICMM*
- *Submission of the recommendations to the Compliance Committee to include additional reporting and implementation obligations in the Compliance Assessment Process*

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-13

4.12 Review and update of the WPICMM Work Plan (all)

5. REVIEW OF THE ASSESSMENT CRITERIA FOR THE 2019 CPCs' COMPLIANCE REPORT (All)

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-14
Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-14a
Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-14b

6. AN ASSESSMENT OF SHARK FINNING IN INDIAN OCEAN TUNA COMMISSION FISHERIES (All)

Paper IOTC-2019-WPICMM02-15

7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS (Chair**)**

6.1. Election of a Chairperson and a Vice-Chairperson for the next biennium (Chair/CPCs)
6.2. Date and place of the 3rd and 4th Sessions of the WPICMM (Chair/CPCs)
6.3. Review of the draft, and adoption of the Report of the Second Session of the WPICMM (Chair)