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## **DRAFT: ANNOTATED AGENDA FOR THE 11<sup>TH</sup> WORKING PARTY ON NERITIC TUNAS**

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**Date:** 5–9 July 2021

**Location:** Online

**Venue:** NA

**Time:** 12:00 – 16:00 daily (Seychelles time)

**Chair:** Ms Ririk Sulistyaningsih; **Vice-Chair:** Dr Farhad Kaymaram

### **1. OPENING OF THE MEETING (Chair)**

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

- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–01a: Draft: Agenda of the 11th Working Party on Neritic Tunas
- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–01b: Annotated agenda of the 11th Working Party on Neritic Tunas
- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–02: List of documents of the 11th Working Party on Neritic Tunas

### **3. THE IOTC PROCESS: OUTCOMES, UPDATES AND PROGRESS**

#### **3.1 Outcomes of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Session of the Scientific Committee (IOTC Secretariat)**

- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–03: Outcomes of the 23rd Session of the Scientific Committee (IOTC Secretariat)

#### **3.2 Outcomes of the 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> Sessions of the Commission (IOTC Secretariat)**

- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–04: Outcomes of the 24<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission (IOTC Secretariat)

#### **3.3 Review of Conservation and Management Measures relevant to neritic tunas (IOTC Secretariat)**

- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–05: Review of current Conservation and Management Measures relating to neritic tuna species (IOTC Secretariat)

#### **3.4 Progress on the recommendations of WPNT10 (IOTC Secretariat)**

- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–06: Progress made on the recommendations and requests of WPNT10 and SC23 (IOTC Secretariat)

### **4. NEW INFORMATION ON FISHERIES AND ASSOCIATED ENVIRONMENTAL DATA FOR NERITIC TUNAS**

#### **4.1 Review of the statistical data available for neritic tunas (IOTC Secretariat)**

- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–07: Review of the statistical data available for the neritic tuna species (IOTC Secretariat)

#### **4.2 Review new information on fisheries and associated environmental data (general CPC papers)**

- IOTC-2021-WPNT11-09: Fishery and stock status of neritic tunas and allied resources in the Indian coastal waters (Abdussamad E M, Prathibha R, Margaret A M R, Jayasankar J, Mini K G, Ghosh S, Rajesh K M, Anulekshmi C, Surya S, Azeez P A, and Vinodhkumar R)
- IOTC-2021-WPNT11-10: Declining Neritic Tuna Landings in Pakistan–Causes and Impact on Fishing Effort and Marketing (Moazzam M)

### **5. NERITIC TUNA SPECIES – REVIEW OF NEW INFORMATION ON STOCK STATUS**

#### **5.1 Review new information on the biology, stock structure, fisheries and associated environmental data (all)**

- IOTC-2021-WPNT11-14: Length-length and Length-weight relationship of bullet tuna (*Auxis rochei*) and frigate tuna (*Auxis thazard*) from the coastal of west Sumatra, Indonesia (Tampubolon PA, Sulistyaningsih RK, Agustina M)

#### **5.2 Data for input into stock assessments (all)**

### **6. STOCK ASSESSMENT UPDATES**

#### **6.1 Stock Assessments**

- Indo-Pacific king mackerel (*Scomberomorus guttatus*)
  - IOTC-2021-WPNT11-11: Assessment of Indian Ocean Indo-Pacific King Mackerel (*Scomberomorus guttatus*) using data-limited methods (Fu D)
  - Frigate tuna (*Auxis thazard*)
  - IOTC-2021-WPNT11-12: Assessment of Indian Ocean Frigate tuna (*Auxis thazard*) using data-limited methods (Fu D)
  - Bullet tuna (*Auxis rochei*)
  - IOTC-2021-WPNT11-13: Assessment of Indian Ocean Bullet tuna (*Auxis rochei*) using data-limited methods (Fu D)
- 6.2 Capacity Building demonstration on neritic tuna assessments using a data poor method (SC Chair)
- 6.3 Stock status indicators for other neritic tuna species (all)
- 6.4 Development of management advice for neritic tuna species (all)

## **7. PROGRAM OF WORK (RESEARCH AND PRIORITIES)**

- 7.1 Revision of the WPNT Program of Work 2022–2026 (Chair)
- IOTC–2021–WPNT11–08: Revision of the WPNT Program of Work (2022–2026) (IOTC Secretariat)
- 7.2 Development of priorities for an Invited Expert at the next WPNT meeting

## **8. OTHER BUSINESS**

- 8.1 Election of a Chairperson and a Vice-Chairperson of the WPNT for the next biennium (Secretariat)
- 8.2 Review of the draft, and adoption of the Report of the 11<sup>th</sup> Working Party on Neritic Tunas (Chair)