

**8th Meeting of the Catch Documentation Scheme Working Group
(CDSWG)**

13 February 2023

6th Meeting of the Vessel Monitoring System Working Group (VMSWG)

14 February 2023

**6th IOTC Working Party on the Implementation of Conservation and
Management Measures (WPICMM)**

15-17 February 2023

Nairobi, Kenya



1. VENUE

The 6th IOTC Working Party on the Implementation of Conservation and Management Measures (WPICMM), the 6th Meeting of the Vessel Monitoring System Working Group (VMSWG) and the 8th Meeting of the Catch Documentation Scheme Working Group (CDSWG) will be held back-to-back from 13-17 February 2023 from 0900 to 1700 daily, in Nairobi, Kenya.

The venue of the meetings will be:

SAFARI PARK HOTEL & CASINO

<https://www.safaripark-hotel.com/>

2. CONTACTS

The main contacts at the IOTC Secretariat are:

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3. ARRIVAL AND ENTRY FORMALITIES (VISA)

Travelers are required to:

- Possess a valid passport that is valid for at least 6 months upon the date of entry to Kenya.
- Have at least one blank page in their passport.
- Provide evidence of an outward journey or return ticket.
- Proof of hotel confirmation.
- Sufficient funds.
- Print of eVisa confirmation.

Visa Requirements for Kenya - Kenya eVisa

<https://www.kenyanevisa.com/requirements/>

4. HEALTH ENTRY AND STAY CONDITIONS FOR TRAVELLERS



THIS NOTICE IS ISSUED WITH EFFECT FROM 09th Sept 2022.

GENERAL TRAVEL REQUIREMENT

1. All travelers above the age of 12 years arriving into the country through any point of entry will be required to show proof of either COVID-19 vaccination or a negative COVID-19 PCR test conducted not more than 72 hours before departure.
NB: Vaccination means having received the prescribed doses of specific vaccine latest shot at least fourteen (14) days before arrival (not including the day of vaccination).
2. Travelers below the age of twelve (12) years shall be exempt from the requirements of a vaccination certificate or Pre departure PCR test.
3. Any traveler above the age of twelve (12) arriving at any point of entry with no proof of vaccination or a PCR test or those with flu-like symptoms shall be subjected to a rapid antigen test at their own cost of 30 USD. Any person who tests positive on antigen RDT will be subjected to entry PCR test at their own further cost of 50 USD and self-isolate as per MOH guidance on isolation.
4. Any traveler arriving at any port of entry into Kenya with flu-like symptoms will be required to fill the passenger locator form on the 'jitenge' platform: https://ears.health.go.ke/airline_registration/ and to undergo rapid antigen test at own cost regardless of age or vaccination status. If positive on antigen test they will be required to undergo a COVID-19 PCR test own cost.
5. Passengers traveling out of the country, will be required to abide by the particular travel, health and COVID-19 related requirements of the transit and destination country
6. Pre-departure RDT or PCR testing may be considered at the discretion of any of the airlines departing from or terminating in Kenya.

5. ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

Participants are **advised to make their own reservations in the hotel of their choice as early as possible.**

6. DOCUMENTS

It is advised for participants to download all the documents available from the IOTC website prior to arriving, as the meetings are paperless.

7. ELECTRICITY

For Kenya the associated plug type is G, which is the plug that has three rectangular pins in a triangular pattern. Kenya operates on a 240V supply voltage and 50Hz.



8. INTERNET

Wi-Fi will be available in the conference area.

9. TOURISM

Information on tourism and other information can also be found [\[here\]](#).