



IOTC-2023-CoC20-CR31[E] IOTC Compliance Report for: Liberia Report produced on: 05 April 2023 - 11:29

1. Implementation obligations

Req.	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current timeliness	Current assessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
1.1	Article X Agreement (2022)	Report of Implementation	Session -60d 9/3/2023	-	-	С	С	Received 09.03.2023. All applicable sections completed.	
1.2	Rules of P. (4.1) (2022)	Compliance questionnaire	13/2/2023	-	-	С	С	Received 11.02.2023, All sections completed.	
1.3	SC04 (111) (- 2021)	National Scientific Report	20/11/2022	-	-	L	С	Report received 28.11.2022. IOTC-2022-SC25-NR31	
1.4	Commission (S17, 52) (2022)	Response to Feedback letter	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A		No feedback letter on compliances based on the deliberations of the CoC was issued at the last Compliance Committee of 2022.	

2. Management Standards

Req.	Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
2.1	Res. 19/04 (11.c & 17.c) (2022)	Certificates of registration & valid authorisation to fish/tranship on board	13/2/2023	-	-	С	С	Legal reference: Fisheries and Aquaculture Management and Development Law of 2019, Section 10.8 (4).	
2.2	Res. 19/04 (18) (2022)	Marking of vessels	9/3/2023	-	-	С	С	Legal reference: Fisheries and Aquaculture Management and Development Law of 2019, Section 10.14 (a).	
2.3	Res. 19/04 (19.a & b) (- 2022)	Marking of gears	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Does not have fishing vessel in the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2022.	
2.4	Res. 19/04 (20) (2022)	Fishing logbook on board, bound, consecutive numbered pages, 12 months recording	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Does not have fishing vessel in the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2022.	
2.5	Res. 19/04 (6) (2022)	Official authorisation to fish outside National Jurisdictions (ATF)	13/2/2023 Since 15/02/2014	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessels registered on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels (RAV).	
2.6	Res. 19/04 (3.b & c) (- 2022)	IMO number for eligible vessels	13/2/2023 Since 01/01/2016	-	-	С	С	Has 12 eligible vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels and 12 with IMO numbers.	
2.7	Res. 15/01 (4) (2022)	Official national fishing logbooks	13/2/2023 Since 15/02//2016	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2022, not an IOTC Coastal State.	
2.8	Res. 17/07 (2) / PAK: 12/12 (2) (- 2022)	Ban on large-scale driftnets in IOTC Area	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Does not have fishing vessels in the IOTC Area of Competence and is not a coastal State located in the IOTC area of Com- petence. Large-scale driftnet fishing banned since 26 November 2019. AN ACT TO AMEND THE NATIONAL FISHERIES AND AQUACUL-	

								TURE AUTHORITY LA.W BY ADDING THERE- TO THE FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE MAN- AGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT, Section 4: to Prohibitions relating to driftnet fishing. 1) No person shall in the Fisheries Waters engage support or assist any driftnet fishing activities involving use, intended use or possession of a large-scale driftnet, or use or permit a vessel to be used for such activities. 3) No person shall permit, use or assist a vessel, being registered pursuant to the laws of the republic of Liberia, to participate in or provide support to any drift- net fishing in areas beyond national jurisdiction of the Republic of Liberia.
2.9	Res. 17/07 (6) / PAK: 12/12 (5) (- 2022)	MCS actions related to large-scale driftnets in IOTC Area	9/3/2023	-	-	С	С	Received: 09.03.2023. MCS actions applicable to flag Vessels: Control of flag vessels at licensing, Inspection in port flag vessels.
2.10	Res. 19/02 (21) & 19/04 (19.c) (2022)	Marking of FADs	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2013	-	-	N/A	N/A	In 2022 , no purse seine vessels / supply vessels have used FADs
2.11	Res. 19/02 (12) (2023)	FADs management plan	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2013	-	-	N/A	N/A	For 2023 no purse seine vessels / supply vessels be registered on the IOTC Record of authorised vessels and fishing on Drifting Fish Aggregating Devices.
2.12	Res. 19/02 (16) (2022)	Progress report on implementation of FADs management plan	13/2/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	In 2022 no purse seine vessels / supply vessels on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels and fishing on Drifting Fish Aggregating Devices. No 2022 FADs management plan was implemented & submitted to the IOTC Secretariat.
2.13	Res. 16/07 (1&2) (2022)	Prohibition of surface and sub- merged artificial lights to attract fish	13/2/2023 Since 27/09/2016	-	-	С	С	Banned since 2019. Legal reference National Fisheries Law Section 4.6.
2.14	Res. 16/08 (1) (2022)	Prohibition of aircrafts & unmanned aerial vehicles	13/2/2023 Since 27/09/2016	-	-	С	С	Banned by national legislation since 2019. Legal reference: Fisheries Management and Development Law 2019. Section 4.6 PART 2 - PROHIBITIONS - Use of harmful fishing techniques and gear prohibited - Use, permit to be used or attempt to use explosive, bomb, firearms, lights or other electrical device or poi-

								son or other noxious substance for the purpose of fishing, including stunning, disabling, stupe-fying, destroying, catching or killing fish or in any way rendering fish to be caught more easily.	
2.15	Res. 21/01 (15) (2021)	CPC subject to catch reductions, over-catch: report corrective actions taken to adhere to prescribed catch levels	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not subject to yellowfin catch reduction.	
2.16	Res. 21/01 (12) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (12) / IND: 18/01 (7) (- 2022)	Report methods for achieving YFT catch reductions	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not subject to yellowfin catch reduction.	
2.17	Res. 21/01 (20) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (18) (2023)	Purse seiners served by supply vessel in 2023	Before 1/1/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	No purse seiner (PS) and no supply vessel (SP) on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels.	
2.18	Res. 21/01 (18) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (16) / IND: 18/01 (3c) (- 2022)	Status/Plan reducing the use of supply vessels	9/3/2023			N/A	N/A	No purse seiner (PS) and no supply vessel (SP) on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels.	
2.19	Res. 21/01 (5-15) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (5-15) / IND: 18/01 (3-6) (2021)	Catch limits - Nominal catch of YFT in 2021	9/3/2023 Since 03/10/2017	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not subject to yellowfin catch reduction.	
2.20	Res. 21/01 (21-24) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01	Gillnet - Report level of implementa- tion of paragraphs 21-23	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Received 09.03.2023. No gillnet fishing vessels registered on the IOTC Record of Authorized Vessels in 2022.	

	(20/23) (- 2022)								
2.21	Res. 18/07 (1) (2022)	Report actions taken to implement reporting obligations & improve data collection of catches	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessels operating in the IOTC Area of Competence.	
2.22	Res 11/02 (6) (2022)	Reports observations of damaged data buoys	9/3/2023	-	-	С	С	Nil Report - No report received from flag vessels in 2022	
2.23	Res 11/02 (2) (2022)	Prohibition from intentionally fishing within 1 nautical mile of or interact- ing with data buoy	13/2/2023 Since 2011	-	-	N/A	N/A	Does not have vessel operating in the IOTC Area of Competence.	
2.24	Res 11/02 (3) (2022)	Prohibition from taking on board data buoy	13/2/2023 Since 2011	-	-	N/A	N/A	Does not have vessels operating in the IOTC area of competence.	
2.25	Res. 13/04 (2) (2022)	Prohibition of intentionally setting purse seine net around cetacean	13/2/2023 Since 2013. For PS	-	-	N/A	N/A	Does not have purse seiners operating in the IOTC area of competence.	
2.26	Res. 13/05 (2) (2022)	Prohibition of intentionally setting purse seine net around whale shark	13/2/2023 Since 2013. For PS	-	-	N/A	N/A	No PS vessel operating in the IOTC Area of Competence	
2.27	Res. 19/03 (2) (2022)	Prohibition of intentionnally setting any gear type on mobulid rays	13/2/2023 Since 2019. All gears	-	-	N/A	N/A	No vessel operating in the IOTC Area of Competence in 2022	
2.28	Res. 19/04 (11&12) (- 2022)	Report on review of flag State inter- nal actions & measures, punitive ac- tions and sanctions on flag vessels on the RAV	9/3/2023			N/C	N/C	Received 09.03.2023. No information provided. Nil report - no review of internal actions/measures, punitive actions and sanctions. Has vessels on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels.	

3. Reporting on Vessels

Req.	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
3.1	Res. 10/08 (1) (2022)	List of Active vessels	15/2/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	No vessels fishing for tunas and swordfish in the IOTC area of competence and on the Record of Authorised Vessels.	
3.2	Res. 19/07 (8) (2022)	Particulars of charter agreements, catches, effort, observer coverage (Chartering CP)	28/2/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Has confirmed there is no charter agreement in 2022.	
3.3	Res. 19/07 (4.1) (2022)	Information on the particulars of the charter agreements and detail of vessels (Chartering CP)	13/2/2023 Within 15 days before fishing	-	-	N/A	N/A	Has confirmed there is no charter agreement in 2022.	
3.4	Res. 19/07 (4.2) (2022)	Consent, measures, agreement implementation of IOTC CMMs (Flag CPC)	13/2/2023 Within 15 days before fishing	-	-	N/A	N/A	Has confirmed that as flag CP, there is no vessel charter nor charter agreement in 2022.	
3.5	Res. 19/07 (6) (2022)	Start, suspension, resumption and termination of the fishing operations of chartering agreement	13/2/2023 Since 2018	1	-	N/A	N/A	Has confirmed there is no vessel charter nor charter agreement in 2022.	
3.6	Res. 19/04 (3) (2022)	List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2003	-	-	N/A	N/A	No vessel 24 meters in length overall or more fishing in the IOTC area of competence.	
3.7	Res. 19/04 (3) (2022)	List of Authorized vessels (less than 24m, operating in waters outside EEZ of the flag state)	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2006	-	-	N/A	N/A	No vessel less than 24m, operating in waters outside EEZ of the flag state, fishing in the IOTC area of competence	
3.8	Res. 14/05 (1) (2022)	List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ	15/2/2023 Since 01/07/2006	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not a coastal State located in the IOTC area of competence.	

3	Res. 14/05 (6) (2022)	Foreign vessels denied a licence	15/2/2023 Since 01/07/2006	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not a coastal State located in the IOTC area of competence.	
3	Res. 14/05 (3&5) (2022)	Access Agreement information	13/2/2023 Since 26/02/2015	-	-	N/A	N/A	Received 11.02.2023. Not located in the IOTC area of competence. No CPC-CPC agreement in 2022.	
3	Res. 14/05 (7,8) (2022)	Official coastal State fishing License	13/2/2023 Since 14/01/2014	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not a coastal State located in the IOTC area of competence.	
3	Res. 21/01 (26) (2022)	List of vessels fishing for yellowfin tuna	15/2/2023			С	С	Received 11.02.2023. Nil report - Has reported no vessel fishing for yellowfin tuna in the IOTC area of competence in 2022. Has no fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels and no coastal fishery in 2022.	

4. Vessel Monitoring System

Req n°	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
4.1	(2022)	Adoption VMS for all vessels > 24 m, and for vessels < 24 m fishing outside flag State's EEZ	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2007	-	-	С	С	VMS adopted since 2019. Coverage 100% for 2022. Legal Reference: An act to amend the national fisheries and aquaculture authority law by adding thereto the fisheries and aquaculture management and development - Section 11.27 VMS. 1) The operator of each fishing vessel required to install, maintain and operate equipment pursuant to Subsection (2) shall do so at his/her own expense.	
4.2	Res. 15/03 (12) (2021)	VMS report on implementation & technical failures	30/6/2022	-	-	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided for Carrier Vessels.	
4.3	Res. 15/03 (2) (2021)	VMS implementation plan	13/2/2023 Since 30/04/2016	-	-	N/A	N/A	VMS adopted & coverage is 100% in 2022.	

5.Mandatory statistical requirement – Flag State CPCs

30/6/2022

Req n°	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks			
No	ominal catch											
5.1	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Coastal fisheries	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State.				
5.2	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.				
5.3	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Longline fisheries	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.				
5.4	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Discards	30/6/2022			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State. No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.				

N/A

N/A

Not an IOTC Coastal State. No fishing vessel on

the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.

Catch & Effort

5.5 Res. 15/02 (1

to 7), 18/05

(8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)

Report on zero catches matrix

5.6	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Coastal fisheries	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State.	
5.7	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
5.8	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Longline fisheries	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	

Size frequency

5.9	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Coastal fisheries	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State.	
5.1	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30/6/2022	-		N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
5.1	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Longline fisheries	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	

Fish Aggregating Devices (FAD)

5.1	2 Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Supply vessels	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
5.1	3 Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Days at sea by supply vessels	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
5.1	4 Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	FADs set by type	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
5.1	5 Res. 19/02 (4.24) (2022)	Number of active FAD	Before 1st of month	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2022.	

6.Implementation of mitigation measures and bycatch of non-IOTC species

Req.	Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current con- tent	Official observations	CPC remarks
6.1	Res. 17/05 (6) (2021)	Sharks nominal catch data	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State. No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
6.2	Res. 17/05 (6) (2021)	Sharks catch & effort data	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State. No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
6.3	Res. 17/05 (6) (2021)	Sharks size frequency data	30/6/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State. No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
6.4	Res. 17/05 (3) (2022)	Prohibition on sharks finning	13/2/2023 Since 03/10/2017	-	-	N/A	N/A	Has no fishing vessels in the IOTC area of competence.	
6.5	Res. 12/09 (2) (2022)	Prohibition on thresher sharks - all species of family <i>Alopiidae</i>	13/2/2023 Since 07/07/2010	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel, only SP & CV on IOTC RAV in 2022.	
6.6	Res. 13/06 (3) (2022)	Prohibition on oceanic whitetip sharks (Carcharhinus longimanus)	13/2/2023 Since 14/08/2013	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel, only SP & CV on IOTC RAV in 2022.	
6.7	Res. 19/03 (3) (2022)	Prohibition to retain onboard, tran- ship, land, store mobulid rays	13/2/2023 Since 29/10/2019	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel, only SP & CV on IOTC RAV in 2022.	
6.8	Res. 19/03 (5, Annex 1) (- 2022)	Prohibition to gaff, lift by the gill slits/spiracles, punch holes through the bodies. Obligation to release alive, implementation of live re- lease handling procedures of mob- ulid rays	13/2/2023 Since 29/10/2019	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel, only SP & CV on IOTC RAV in 2022.	

6.9	Res. 12/04 (5) (2022)	Report on progress of implementa- tion of Res. 12/04	9/3/2023 Since 29/10/2019	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2022.	
6.10	Res. 12/04 (3) (2021)	Data on interactions with marine turtles	30/6/2022 Since 29/10/2019	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
6.11	Res. 12/04 (8) (2022)	Longliner carry & employ line cutters & de-hookers on board	13/2/2023 Since 06/08/2009	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel, only SP & CV on IOTC RAV in 2022. No LL operating in the IOTC AoC in 2022. But covered by Fisheries Management and Development Law 2019 Section 4.7.	
6.12	Res. 12/04 (9) (2022)	Purse seiners carry & employ dip nets on board	13/2/2023 Since 06/08/2009	-	-	N/A	N/A	No purse seine vessels authorised to fish species in the IOTC Agreement or active	
6.13	Res. 12/06 (1 & 2) (2021)	Data on seabirds interactions	30/6/2022 Since 06/08/2009	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
6.14	Res. 12/06 (5) (2022)	Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S	13/2/2023 Since 01/11/2010	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC Coastal State and no Fishing Vessels in the IOTC RAV.	
6.15	Res. 13/04 (7) (2021)	Data on interactions with Cetaceans	30/6/2022 (All gears)	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
6.16	Res. 13/04 (8) (2022)	Instances of Cetaceans encircled	9/3/2023 (For PS)	-	-	N/A	N/A	Has no purse seine vessels operating in the IOTC area of competence in 2022.	
6.17	Res 13/05 (7) (2021)	Data on interactions with Whale Sharks	30/6/2022 (All gears)	-	-	N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	
6.18	Res 13/05 (8) (2022)	Instances Whale Sharks encircled	9/3/2023 (For PS)	-	-	N/A	N/A	No PS vessel operating in the IOTC Area of Competence in 2022.	
				-	-				

6.19	Res 18/02 (4) (2021)	Information on actions taken do- mestically to monitor catches of Blue Shark	20/11/2022 (SC)			N/A	N/A	Report received 28.11.2022. No fishing vessels on the IOTC Record of authorised vessels. IOTC-2022-SC25-NR31: 5.1.3. Blue shark: Liberia does not have vessels operating the IOTC area.	
6.20	Res 18/05 (9) (2021)	Information on actions taken do- mestically to monitor catches & manage fisheries of Striped Mar- lin, Black Marlin, Blue Marlin and Indo-pacific Sailfish	20/11/2022 (SC)	-	-	N/A	N/A	Report received 28.11.2022. No fishing vessels on the IOTC Record of authorised vessels. IOTC-2022-SC25-NR31: 6.6. Actions taken to monitor catches & manage fisheries for Striped Marlin, Black Marlin, Blue Marlin and Indo-pacific Sailfish: Liberia does not have vessels operation in the IOTC area.	
6.21	Res 18/05 (5) (2022)	Prohibition to retain on board, tran- ship, land, any Striped Marlin, Black Marlin, Blue Marlin, Indo-pacific Sailfish smaller than 60 cm Lower Jaw Fork Length	13/2/2023 Since 04/10/2018	-	-	N/A	N/A	Has reported: No vessels operating/authorised to fish tuna and tuna-like species in the IOTC area of Competence. No fishing vessel, only SP & CV on IOTC RAV in 2022.	
6.22	Res 19/05 (1) (2022)	Retention of target tuna species (YFT/SKJ/ BET) on board	13/2/2023 Since 29/10/2019 (PS)			N/A	N/A	Has no purse seine vessels operating in the IOTC area of competence in 2022.	
6.23	Res 19/05 (2) (2022)	Retention of non target species on board	13/2/2023 Since 29/10/2019 (PS)			N/A	N/A	Has no purse seine vessels operating in the IOTC area of competence in 2022.	
6.24	Res 19/03 (8) (2021)	Data on interactions with mobulid rays	30/6/2022 (All gears)			N/A	N/A	No fishing vessel on the IOTC Record of authorized vessels in 2021.	

7. Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated (IUU) Vessels

Re	sq. Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current con- tent	Official observations	CPC remarks
7.	Res. 18/03 (5 & 18) (2022)	IUU listing	13/2/2023	-	-	С		IOTC-2022-S26-R & IOTC IUU Vessels List_20220526(E+F): No vessel listed on IOTC IUU list in 2022.	
7.	Res. 07/01 (2) (2022)	Compliance by nationals	13/2/2023	-	-	С		IOTC IUU Vessels List_20220526(E+F): No nationals on board vessels listed on IOTC IUU list in 2022.	

8. Transhipments

Rec nº	. Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
8.1	Res. 22/02 (28) (2021)	At sea transhipments – CPC report	Before 15/9/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Carrier Vessels authorised by third party.	
8.2	Res. 22/02 (Annex 1, p.6) (2022) [Annex 2 p7 MDV]	Transhipments in port report	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Has no LSTVs on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2022.	
8.3	Res. 22/02 (8&9) (2022)	List of Authorised carrier vessels	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2008	-	-	С	С	Last update: 22.11.2022.	
8.4	Res. 22/02 (31) (2022)	Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	15/1/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	Carrier Vessels authorised by third party.	
8.5	Res. 22/02 (Annex 4, p.13) (2022)	Payment ROP fee (Call for fund 03/03/2022)	1/4/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Carrier Vessels authorised by third party.	

9. Observers [NOT TO BE ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 2021 AT THE COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE 20]

Req.	Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
9.1	(2021)	Regional Observer Scheme (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	9/3/2023	-	-	Not assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	
9.2	Res. 11/04 (2) (2021)	5% Mandatory, at sea (All vessels)	13/2/2023 Since 2013	-	-	Not assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	
9.3	Res. 11/04 (4) (2021)	5% Artisanal landings	13/2/2023 Since 2013	-	-	Not assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	
	Res. 11/04 (11) (2021)	Observer reports	13/2/2023 150 days after trip	-	-	Not assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	

10. Statistical document programme

Req.	Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
10.1	Res. 01/06 (5) (2022)	1st Semester report (2022)	1/10/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Received 11.02.2023. Has declared: did not import bigeye tunas during the 1st semester 2022.	
10.2	Res. 01/06 (5) (2021)	2nd Semester report (2021)	1/4/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Did not import bigeye tunas during the 2nd se- mester 2021.	
10.3	Res. 01/06 (6) (2021)	Annual report (2021)	9/3/2023	-	-	N/A	N/A	No LSTLV in the IOTC RAV.	
10.4	. ,	Information on authorised institu- tions and personnel	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	No large scale tuna longline vessels on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2022.	

11. Port inspection

Req.	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
11.1	Res. 05/03 (8) (2021)	Port inspection programme : foreign vessels landings	1/7/2022	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port State.	
11.2	Res. 16/11 (5.1 & 19.1a) (2022)	List of designated ports	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2010	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port and not an IOTC coastal State.	
11.3	Res. 16/11 (5.1 & 19.1c) (2022)	Designated competent Authority	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2010	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port and not an IOTC coastal State.	
11.4	Res. 16/11 (5.1 & 19.1b) (2022)	Prior notification periods	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2010	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port and not an IOTC coastal State.	
11.5	Res. 16/11 (13.1) (2022)	Port inspection reports	13/2/2023 3 days after inspection	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port and not an IOTC coastal State.	
11.6	Res. 16/11 (10.1) (2022)	At least 5% inspection of LAN / TRX	13/2/2023 Since 01/03/2011	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port and not an IOTC coastal State.	
11.7	Res. 16/11 (7.3) (2022)	Denial of entry in port	13/2/2023 Since 01/03/2011	-	-	N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port and not an IOTC coastal State.	
11.8	Res. 16/11 (9.3) (2022)	Denial of use of port	13/2/2023 Since 01/03/2011			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port and not an IOTC coastal State.	
11.9		Withdrawal of denial of use of port	13/2/2023			N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port and not an IOTC coastal State.	

Res. 16/11 (9.4) (2022)		Since 01/03/2011					
(Res. 16/11 (15.1) (2022)	Report vessel engaged in IUU fishing following an inspection	13/2/2023 Since 01/03/2011		N/A	N/A	Not an IOTC port State.	

Current issues on the level of implementation by **Liberia** of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures identified for discussion in the CoC20 in 2023

Having reviewed the 2023 Compliance Report for Liberia, the Chair of the Compliance Committee has identified the following significant non-compliance issues for discussion.

Repeated compliance issues:

e-Maris CR Ref (1)	Compliance Issue	Current	Previous
CR Ref (1)		status (2022)	status (2021)
		-	-
		-	-
		_	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-

	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-

^{1 :} Requirement reference number of the Compliance report and e-MARIS

Non-repeated compliance issues:

e-Maris CR Ref (1)	Compliance Issue	Current status (2022)	Previous status (2021)
2.28	Has not provided the Report on review of flag State internal actions, as required by Resolution 19/04.	N/C	-
4.2	Has not provided the VMS report on implementation and technical failures, as required by Resolution 15/03.	N/C	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-

		_	_	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		_	_	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		_	_	
: Requirement reference number of the Compliance report and e-MARIS				

Repeated compliance issues:	0
Non repeated compliance issues:	2