

## **Recommendations on WCPFC IUU List**

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### Paper prepared by the Secretariat

1. The Seventh Regular Session of the Commission (WCPFC7) adopted Conservation and Management Measure 2010-06 (CMM 2010-06) 'Conservation and Management Measure to Establish a List of Vessels Presumed to Have Carried Out Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing Activities in the WCPO' (which replaced CMM 2007-03). At its annual meeting the Commission shall review the Provisional IUU Vessel List ... and any recommendations to amend the currently WCPFC IUU Vessel List made pursuant to paragraph 18 of CMM 2010-06, and adopt a new WCPFC IUU Vessel List.

#### Provisional IUU Vessel List

2. TCC8 noted that there are no vessels proposed for the Provisional Vessel List for 2013.

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3. On 20<sup>th</sup> September 2012 the Executive Director re-circulated the current WCPFC IUU Vessel List (**Attachment 1**). On 25<sup>th</sup> September 2012 the Executive Director received a letter from Federated States of Micronesia and from Chinese Taipei regarding the WCPFC IUU listed vessel Jeng Feng Tsair No. 1. These letters are provided to CCMs on the dedicated WCPFC IUU page on the secure side of the WCPFC website http://www.wcpfc.int/ccm/illegal-unreported-and-unregulated-iuu-vessels.

4. TCC8 agreed to recommend to WCPFC9 the removal of the Jinn Feng Tsair No.1 from the WCPFC IUU Vessel List. TCC8 agreed to recommend to WCPFC9 that the Neptune, the Fu Lien No. 1 and the Yu Fong 168 should remain on the WCPFC IUU Vessel List.

5. At the time of writing the WCPFC Secretariat has not received any other correspondence in relation to vessels on the WCPFC IUU Vessel List.

#### Recommendation

6. Pursuant to CMM 2010-06, WCPFC9 is invited to:

- a. consider the recommendations from TCC8 to remove Jinn Feng Tsair No.1 from the WCPFC IUU Vessel List and to maintain the Neptune, the Fu Lien No.1 and the Yu Fong 168 on the WCPFC IUU Vessel List
- b. adopt a new WCPFC IUU Vessel List.

# Attachment 1 (WCPFC8 Summary Report Attachment M) WCPFC IUU VESSEL LIST FOR 2012 As at 30 March 2012 (effective from 30 May 2012, 60 days after WCPFC8)

**Note:** Information provided in this list is in accordance with CMM 2010-06 para 19

Current name of vessel (previous names)	Current flag (previous flags)	Date first included on WCPFC IUU Vessel List	Flag State Registration Number/ IMO Number	Call Sign (previous call signs)	Owner/beneficial owners (previous owners)	Notifying CCM	IUU activities
Neptune	Georgia	10 Dec. 2010	C-00545	4LOG	Space Energy Enterprises Co. Ltd.	France	Fishing on the high seas of the WCPF Convention Area without being on the WCPFC Record of Fishing Vessels (CMM 2007-03-para 3a)
Fu Lien No 1	Georgia	10 Dec. 2010	IMO No 7355662	4LIN2	Fu Lien Fishery Co., Georgia	United States	Is without nationality and harvested species covered by the WCPF Convention in the Convention Area (CMM 2007-03, para 3h)
Jinn Feng Tsair No.1 <sup>1</sup>	Chinese Taipei	7 Dec. 2007	CT4-2444	BJ4444	Hung Ching Chin, Pingtung, Chinese Taipei	Federated States of Micronesia	Fishing in the Exclusive Economic Zone of the Federated States of Micronesia without permission and in contravention of Federated States of Micronesia's laws and regulations. (CMM 2007-03, para 3b)
Yu Fong 168	Chinese Taipei	11 Dec. 2009		BJ4786	Chang Lin Pao- Chun, 161 Sanmin Rd., Liouciuo Township, Pingtung County 929, Chinese Taipei	Marshall Islands	Fishing in the Exclusive Economic Zone of the Republic of the Marshall Islands without permission and in contravention of Republic of the Marshall Islands's laws and regulations. (CMM 2007-03, para 3b)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Chinese Taipei requested at WCPFC8 that it be noted that this vessels fishing license was revoked and this vessel has been detained in port for over three years.