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Draft IUU Vessel List and Current WCPFC IUU Vessel List

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Purpose

1. This paper presents the draft IUU Vessel List for 2027 and supporting documentation, and the 2026 WCPFC IUU Vessel List for the consideration and decision of the Technical and Compliance Committee at TCC22.

Background

2. The Conservation and Management Measure to Establish a List of Vessels Presumed to Have Carried Out Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing Activities in the WCPO ([CMM 2019-07](#)) requires Members, Cooperating Non-Members and Participating Territories (CCMs), at least 70 days before the annual meeting of the Technical and Compliance Committee (TCC), to transmit to the Executive Director their lists of vessels presumed to have carried out IUU fishing activities in the Convention Area during the current or previous year, accompanied by suitably documented information concerning the presumed IUU activities.
3. In addition, CMM 2019-07 requires the Executive Director to transmit the draft IUU Vessel List, together with all the supporting information provided, to all CCMs, as well as to non-CCMs with vessels on the list, at least 55 days before the annual meeting of TCC.
4. The [current WCPFC IUU Vessel List](#) for 2026 is available on the WCPFC website.

Vessels presumed to have carried out IUU fishing activities: Draft IUU Vessel List for 2027

5. The Secretariat received a submission from Australia on 15 July 2026 regarding vessels flagged to Indonesia that were presumed to have carried out IUU fishing activities for inclusion on the draft IUU Vessel List for 2027. Australia confirmed that, in accordance with the requirements of CMM 2019-07, it had notified Indonesia as the relevant flag State of the presumed IUU vessels, and that Indonesia confirmed receipt of the notification from Australia. The Secretariat circulated Australia's notification and supporting information on 30 July in [Circular 2026/71](#). The information submitted by Australia

¹ This version replaces the 8 August 2026 version of WCPFC-TCC22-2026-04. Paragraphs 7 and 10 have been updated to reflect additional information received concerning vessels on the draft 2027 and current 2026 WCPFC IUU Vessel Lists.

alleges that twenty-five (25) fishing vessels flagged to Indonesia are presumed to have carried out IUU fishing activities in the Convention Area during 2025 and 2026.

6. Accordingly, the draft IUU Vessel List for 2027 is provided in **Annex 1**. Documented information relating to the vessels on the draft IUU Vessel List for 2027 and the current WCPFC IUU Vessel List is available for authorized CCM users on the WCPFC [secure CCM IUU webpage](#).
7. On 11 and 22 September 2026, the Secretariat received additional information from Indonesia and Australia, respectively, relating to vessels included on the draft IUU Vessel List for 2027. This information is available on the [secure CCM IUU webpage](#).

Current WCPFC IUU Vessel List (2026)

8. The Commission adopted the WCPFC IUU Vessel List for 2026 at WCPFC22. The list, provided in **Annex 2²**, consists of four fishing vessels: NEPTUNE, FU LIEN No. 1, YU FONG 168, and KUDA LAUT 03.
9. On 21 January 2026, the Executive Director wrote to relevant RFMOs to request information about the vessels on the current WCPFC IUU Vessel List. No new information was received in response to these letters. Several RFMOs with cross-listing procedures have included vessels from the WCPFC IUU Vessel List on their respective IUU vessel lists.
10. On 21 September 2026, the Secretariat received additional information from the Philippines relating to a vessel included on the current WCPFC IUU Vessel List for 2026. This information is available on the [secure CCM IUU webpage](#).

Recommendations

11. TCC22 is invited to:
 - a) recommend a Provisional 2027 IUU Vessel List to the Commission for its consideration at WCPFC23.
 - b) recommend, as appropriate, any proposed changes to the current WCPFC IUU Vessel List for 2026, or make other relevant recommendations.

² Attachment 33, WCPFC22 Summary Report, page 421



DRAFT WCPFC IUU VESSEL LIST FOR 2027

Note: Information provided in this list is in accordance with CMM 2019-07 paragraph 19 and WCPFC13 decisions.

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)	Vessel Master (nationality)	Owner/ beneficial owners (previous owners)	Notifying CCM	IUU activity
Afiqah 99	Indonesia	Not previously listed	GT.15 No. 1194 / MMq	Unknown	Dacar	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05 07-09, 14).
Andil Samudra 8	Indonesia	Not previously listed	GT.135/A00946 6/718.J3/KPGN	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)).
Basmalah 01	Indonesia	Not previously listed	GT.24No.614/ MMD	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area;

								- conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05 07-09, 14).
Basmalah 03	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05 07-09, 14).
Bulan Purnama 07	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05 07-09, 14).
Bulan Purnama 10	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and

								- engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Bulan Purnama 11	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Bulan Purnama 15	Indonesia	Not previously listed	GT.28/BB1001835/714.718-32/KP LH	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Bulan Purnama 17	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).

Bulan Purnama 21	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Bulan Purnama 28	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Bulan Purnama 30	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Bulan Purnama 32	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).

Bulan Purnam 37	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Jabal Uhud	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Lintas Batas 01	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Meki Jaya	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).

MM-4	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Nur Aisah	Indonesia	Not previously listed	GT.30 No.1095 MMd	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
Nur Aisyah 541	Indonesia	Not previously listed	GT24-No.1105/MMd	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).

Pasifik 2	Indonesia	Not previously listed	GT.130/A001422/718.J3/KP.GN	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1))
Polly 4	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1))
Rysky Jaya 03	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1)); and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05 07-09, 14).
Tri Aji 3AJARING	Indonesia	Not previously listed	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - conducted fishing activities in waters under the jurisdiction of Australia without permission (Article 24 (1))

Wawan 01	Indonesia	Not previously listed	03391714.718-J2/KP-LH (partial)	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Australia	The vessel is presumed to have: - harvested species covered by the WCPFC Convention in the Convention Area; and - engaged in fishing activities that undermine the provisions of the WCPF Convention and WCPFC conservation and management measures. (2024-05-07-09, 14).
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WCPFC IUU VESSEL LIST FOR 2026

(Effective from 3 February 2026)

Note: Information provided in this list is in accordance with CMM 2019-07 paragraph 19 and WCPFC13 decisions

Current name of vessel (previous names)	Current flag (previous flags)	Date first included on WCPFC IUU Vessel List ¹	Flag State Registration Number/ IMO Number	Call Sign (previous call signs)	Vessel Master (nationality)	Owner/beneficial owners (previous owners)	Notifying CCM	IUU activities
Neptune	<i>unknown</i> (Georgia)	10 Dec. 2010	M-00545	<i>unknown</i> (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	<i>unknown</i> (Georgia)	10 Dec. 2010	M-01432 IMO No 7355662	<i>unknown</i> (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)
Yu Fong 168	<i>unknown</i> (Chinese Taipei)	11 Dec. 2009		BJ4786	Mr Jang Faa Sheng (Chinese Taipei)	Chang Lin Pao-Chun, 161 Sanmin Rd., Liouciu 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' laws and regulations. (CMM 2007-03, para 3b)
Kuda Laut 03	Philippines	08 Dec 2023	Registry No. 120001812	DUM-4015	Alex L Cerina, Filipino	Tuna Explorers Incorporated	New Zealand	Fishing on the high seas of the WCPF Convention Area (High Seas Pocket One) without being on the WCPFC Record of Fishing Vessels (CMM 2019-07-para 3a)

¹ **Supplementary note:** In October 2015, the Executive Director wrote to: Chinese Taipei and Georgia requesting information on their vessel/s on the WCPFC IUU list, and to other RFMOs (CCAMLR, CCSBT, IATTC, ICCAT, IOTC, NPAFC & SPRFMO) to seek their cooperation with locating the vessels on the list. Georgia confirmed that the vessels **Neptune** and **Fu Lien No 1** were no longer flying the Georgia flag. Chinese Taipei confirmed the **Yu Fong 168** license was revoked in 2009 and the vessel owner financially penalized for violating the rules of not returning to port. Chinese Taipei further advised information was received from Thailand's notification to IOTC that the vessel landed their catches in the port of Phuket in the year 2013. On 17 November 2017, Chinese Taipei informed WCPFC that the **Yu Fong 168** had been deregistered by Chinese Taipei. On 29 April 2020, WCPFC received further information from Chinese Taipei identifying the master of the **Yu Fong 168** at the time of the IUU fishing activity who had been sanctioned.