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OBSERVERS

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1. For information only, the Commission has agreed that the following countries, intergovernmental organisations, non-government organisations or associations may participate in sessions of the Commission and its subsidiary bodies as Observers consistent with Rule 36 of the Commission's Rules of Procedure:

States:

- Chile
- Democratic Peoples' Republic of Korea
- Ecuador
- Liberia
- Panama
- Russian Federation
- Thailand
- Vietnam

IGOs

- Agreement for the Conservation of Albatross and Petrels
- Commission for the Conservation of Antarctic Living Marine Resources
- Commission for the Conservation of Southern Bluefin Tuna
- Indian Ocean Tuna Commission
- Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission
- International Scientific Committee for Tuna and Tuna-like Species in the North Pacific Ocean
- Pacific Islands Forum Fisheries Agency
- Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat
- Parties to the Nauru Agreement
- Secretariat of the Pacific Community
- Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme
- UN Food and Agriculture Organisation
- University of the South Pacific
- The World Bank

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- American Fishermen's Research Foundation
- Birdlife International
- Blue Ocean Institute
- Constitution of the Centre for Environmental Law and Community Rights Inc.
- Earth Island Institute
- Greenpeace
- Hawaii Longline Association
- International Game Fishing Association
- International Sustainable Sea Food Foundation
- International Union for the Conservation of Nature
- Marine Stewardship Council
- Oceania
- Organisation for the Promotion of Responsible Tuna Fisheries
- Pacific International Maritime Law Association
- Pacific Islands Tuna Industry Association
- Pew Charitable Trust
- Sea Turtle Restoration Project
- Shark Advocates International
- The Humane Society
- World Tuna Purse Seine Organisation
- World Wildlife Fund

¹ To include DPRK as an observer for 2010 and in accordance with their request to become a CNM. Also to include Shark Advocates International whereby there were no objections to their request to become an observer to the Commission circulated on 7 October 2010. This also includes the application and invitations of the Parties to the Nauru Agreement and the World Bank on the Observer list. Finally the new inclusion is the Hawaii Longline Association.