



TECHNICAL AND COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE

Tenth Regular Session

25 - 30 September 2014

Pohnpei, Federated States of Micronesia

MEETING NOTICE

WCPFC-TCC10-2014-01

1 July 2014

In accordance with the Commission Rules of Procedure, Members, Cooperating Non-Members and Participating Territories (CCMs) are invited to attend the Tenth Regular Session of the Technical and Compliance Committee (TCC10) of the Commission for the Conservation and Management of Highly Migratory Fish Stocks in the Western and Central Pacific Ocean.

The TCC10 meeting will take place at Pohnpei, Federated States of Micronesia commencing with a Heads of Delegations Meeting on 24 September at 4.30pm at the WCPFC building, and the meeting will be from Thursday 25 September to Tuesday 30 September 2014, with Sunday 28 September tentatively designated as a 'free' day. The meeting venue will be the College of Micronesia Gymnasium, Palikir, Pohnpei State, Federated States of Micronesia.

The **Catch Documentation Scheme Intersessional Working Group (CDS-IWG)** is scheduled to meet on Wednesday 24th September. The meeting venue and meeting times for CDS-IWG will be advised in due course.

Agenda

The following documents are posted on the TCC10 website with this Notice and will be updated accordingly:

- Provisional agenda (WCPFC-TCC10-2014/02);
- Provisional annotated agenda (WCPFC-TCC10-2014/03).

The inclusion of any supplementary items in the agenda, accompanied by a written explanation, may be requested at least thirty days before the meeting. This is by 28th August 2014.

Registration

To assist with organizing meeting arrangements all intending participants need to register online at <http://www.wcpfc.int/meetings/10th-regular-session-technical-and-compliance-committee>.

Further to assist us with checking registration lists for larger delegations, it would assist us if a complete delegation list (names and positions) could also be emailed to Lucille Martinez at Lucille.Martinez@wcpfc.int.

Observers

In accordance with Rules 6 and 36 of the Rules of Procedure for the Commission Members, Cooperating Non-Members, Participating Territories, Observers and others desiring to participate in TCC10 are respectfully requested to advise the Secretariat of contact details for official contacts, designated representatives, alternate representatives and advisers at the earliest opportunity.

All related enquiries about the TCC10 meeting should be addressed to the Compliance Manager, Lara Manarangi-Trott: lara.manarangi-trott@wcpfc.int.

Preparatory Meeting for Head of Delegation

A Preparatory Meeting for the Heads of Delegation will be held at the PNG Room, Secretariat on Wednesday, 24 September 2013 at 16:30 hours, convened by the TCC Chair.

TCC10 Meeting Documents

Every effort will be made to post all meeting documents on the WCPFC website by 30 August 2014. All participants will be individually responsible for downloading their meeting papers and printing them, as required.

Submission of Annual Report – Part 1 and Part 2

As at 26 June 2014, some CCMs had already submitted Annual Report Part 2 and/or Annual Report Part 1 reports. Reiterating the deadlines for Part 1 and Part 2 reports:

Annual Report Part 2 covering 2013 activities	CCMs to complete using online interface developed by the WCPFC Secretariat	1 July 2014 (as decided at WCPFC10)
Annual Report Part 1, covering 2013 activities	To be prepared using the template provided on the WCPFC website.	7 July 2014 (one-month prior to the annual regular session of the Scientific Committee)

To assist the Secretariat with keeping track of CCM submissions of Annual Report Part 1, Annual Report Part 2 as well as draft CMR reports, the Secretariat has dedicated email address that we ask CCMs to use for formal submissions and related correspondence: contact.AR@wcpfc.int with cc. to the Assistant Compliance Manager, Ms 'Ana Taholo (ana.taholo@wcpfc.int), and for annual Report Part 1 submissions please cc. tony.beeching@wcpfc.int

Funding for Developing Countries and Participating Territories

The Commission will fund the participation (a daily allowance and most direct economical airfare) of one representative from each developing country and participating territory that is a member of the Commission. Formal nominations for participants to receive this support should be submitted to the Secretariat (Lucille.Martinez@wcpfc.int) under the signature of their WCPFC Official Contact for qualifying developing countries and participating territories as early as possible but no later than 20 August 2014.

Could we ask that countries make every effort to advise the WCPFC Secretariat as soon as it is known who will be attending as the earlier we can book airfares we can achieve better rates. Late

changes to booking are unlikely to be able to be accommodated as they add significantly to the cost of bookings.

Visa to visit the Federated States of Micronesia

Most participants visiting Federated States of Micronesia should pass through either Honolulu or Guam airport, where they are required to have a US transit visa.

Visitors to the Federated States of Micronesia do not require an entry permit for stays up to 30 days; however you must have an onward ticket and a passport valid for at least 120 days. An entry permit is required for visits longer than 30 days, extendable up to one year.

Airlines and airport Transfers

United Airlines depart either Guam or Honolulu every other day to stop by Pohnpei (Guam-Chuuk-Pohnpei-Kosrae-Kwajalein-Majuro-Honolulu). The flights are often fully booked, an early reservation is highly recommended. Please refer to the United Airlines website below for more details.

<http://www.united.com/web/en-US/default.aspx?root=1>

Transport from the Pohnpei Airport to the hotels in Pohnpei is available by hotel airport transport. Please contact your hotels for transportation arrangement.

Currency in FSM

The currency used in the Federated States of Micronesia is the U.S. dollar. ATM cash machines are available in Pohnpei (Bank of Guam, Bank of Federated States of Micronesia and Palm Terrace Supermarket).

Pohnpei, Federated States of Micronesia

Background information about Pohnpei, including city maps and weather details, is available at many websites, including <http://www.visit-micronesia.fm/index.html>

Accommodation

Available accommodation is listed in **Table 1** below. Those participants needing accommodation should book directly with the hotel of their choice as soon as possible. All rates noted below are tax inclusive. Some alternative accommodation options may also be available.

Table 1. Accommodation in Pohnpei

Hotel	Room Rates (tax included)	Amenities	No. of Rooms
Cliff Rainbow Hotel reservations@cliffrainbow.com Ph: (691) 320-2415 / 320-5939/320-5834	Single: Standard \$ 42.40 Deluxe \$102.82/\$100.70 Double: Deluxe \$129.32/\$111.30 Triple: Deluxe \$155.82 Double \$111.30 Suite: \$143.10	Air-conditioned rooms, cable TV, free internet, direct dial telephones, refrigerators, free airport shuttle pick-up and drop- off. Restaurant onsite.	36 rooms
South Park Hotel southparkhotel@mail.fm www.southparkhotel.net Ph: (691) 320-3230	Old Wing Single \$53.00 Double \$63.60 New Wing Single \$106.00 Double \$127.20 Triple \$159.00	Each room equipped with air-conditioner, refrigerator, internet. The rooms also have a nice view of Sokehs Bay harbor. Complimentary airport transfer . Restaurant onsite. (No TV and Telephone)	17 Rooms
Sea Breeze Hotel seabreeze@mail.fm reservations@seabreezehotel.fm Ph: (691) 320-2065/320-2066	Single: \$70.85 Double: \$81.75 Triple: \$92.65	Air-condition, telephone, refrigerator, cable TV, Free internet, Shuttle bus for airport transfers, Restaurant onsite.	23 Rooms
Yvonne Hotel yvonnehotel@hotmail.com Ph: (691) 320-5130/1248	Single \$65.00 Deluxe \$75.00 Double \$85.00 (\$20 for additional person on above rooms)	Located in Town. Rooms equipped with air- conditioner, refrigerator, cable TV, laundry facilities, and telephone. Five of the rooms have cooking facilities. Restaurant and meeting facility; Available conference room and private meeting room.	29 rooms
Oceanview Hotel – East Wing Oceanview_plaza@yahoo.com Ph: (691) 320-5075	Single: Mountain view \$75.00 Ocean view \$85.00 2bedroom w/kitchenette Mountain view \$850.00 Ocean view \$1,000.00	Air conditioned rooms, TV, Refrigerator, Phone, Internet, free airport pickup	9 Rooms
Oceanview Hotel – West Wing rumorsinc@mail.fm www.fm/oceanview Ph: (691) 320-7978/ 320-7049 320-3486	Single: Ocean View \$ 89.68 Mountain View \$79.50 Double: Ocean View \$132.50 Mountain View \$121.90	Air conditioned rooms, telephone, refrigerator, TV, internet, restaurant on site, airport pickup or drop off; View overlooking Sokehs Rock	9 Rooms 4 Cottages

	Cottages: \$65.00		
China Star Hotel cr1_lan@yahoo.com Ph: (691) 320-1788	2nd Floor Rooms Single \$ 60.00 Double \$ 78.00 3rd Floor Rooms Single \$ 68.00 Double \$ 78.00 2 Suites \$ 98.00	Air-conditioned rooms, refrigerator, telephone, internet and TV. Close to airport. Free airport transfer available. Restaurant on site	28 Rooms
7 Star Inn 7starsinn@mail.fm www.7starsinn.fm (691)320-6383/320-6147/ 320-6198	Single \$ 78.75 Double \$ 89.25 Deluxe \$ 99.75 Studio \$120.75 Suite \$ 136.50	Air conditioned, Cable TV, Internet, airport shuttle, Restaurant and Bar/Lounge onsite.	19 Rooms
Joy Hotel Joy_ponape@mail.fm Ph: (691)320-2477/2447	Single \$ 79.50 Double \$ 100.70	Air conditioned, TV, Telephone, internet, airport shuttle, restaurant on site	10 Rooms
PCR Hotel pcr_pohnpei@mail.fm Ph: (691) 320-4482/924-3928	Single \$ 75.00 Double \$ 85.00	Air-conditioned rooms, Wi-Fi internet; refrigerator, Complimentary airport transfers, Restaurant on site	9 Rooms
C-Star Apartments C_star2011@hotmail.com Ph: (691) 320-5823/924-8566	<u>Note:</u> Security Deposit of \$100 is requested on arrival. 2 bedroom unites \$ 66 (2 persons); additional persons \$15 3 bedroom units \$ 99 (3 persons); additional persons \$15	Apartment type: 2 to 3 bedroom units, air conditioned, kitchenette, internet	7 Rooms
Pacific Skylight Hotel Pacificskylite@mail.fm (691) 320-3708/925-0022	Single \$ 66.00 Double \$ 89.25 Triple \$108.00	Air condition, TV, Telephone, wifi internet, Refrigerator; Free airport pickup and drop off	18 Rooms
Mangrove Bay Hotel mangrovebayhotel@gmail.com Ph: (691) 320-5454/925-3672	Single/Double \$120.00	Air conditioned, TV, telephone, Wifi internet, refrigerator, coffee maker, airport shuttle; Scenic view and Oceanfront bar	7 Rooms
Ferny Perman Hotel fperman@mail.fm Ph: (691) 320-5175	Single \$70.00 Twin \$85.00	Pillow-top mattresses and bedding, free high speed internet, jewelry save box, refrigerator	6 Rooms