

**SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE**

**EIGHTH REGULAR SESSION**

Busan, Republic of Korea

7-15 August 2012

**INDICATIVE SCHEDULE**

**WCPFC-SC8-2012/04 Rev 1**

**Notes**

The duration of each theme session was allocated by the decision made at SC6 (Para 526).

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| * Morning break: 10:00-10:30 | * Lunch break: 12:00-13:30 |
| * Afternoon break: 15:00-15:30 | * Night sessions to be arranged |

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| DATE | TIME | **AGENDA ITEM** |
| Monday  6 August | 16:00-17:00 | Head of Delegation Meeting and Registration |
| Tuesday  7 August | 08:00-08:30 | Registration |
| 08:30-10:00 | 1. OPENING OF THE MEETING |
| 10:30-11:30 | 11.2 Peer Review of Bigeye 2011 Stock Assessment |
| 11:30-12:00 | 2. REVIEW OF FISHERIES |
| 13:30-15:00 | 2. REVIEW OF FISHERIES |
| 15:30-18:30 | 3. DATA AND STATISTICA THEME |
| Wednesday  8 August | 08:30-10:00 | 3. DATA AND STATISTICS THEME |
| 10:30-17:30 | 4. STOCK ASSESSMENT THEME |
| Thursday  9 August | 08:30-17:30 | 4. STOCK ASSESSMENT THEME |
| 17:30-18:30 | JTF Steering Committee Meeting |
| 19:00-20:30 | DINNER RECEPTION |
| Friday  10 August | 08:30-12:00 | 4. STOCK ASSESSMENT THEME |
| 13:30-17:30 | 5. MANAGEMENT ISSUES THEME |
| 17:30-18:30 | PTTP Steering Committee Meeting |
| Saturday  11 August | 08:30-12:00 | 6. ECOSYSTEM AND BYCATCH THEME |
| 13:30-16:00 | WPEA OFM Steering Committee Meeting |
| Sunday  12 August | No meeting | |
| Monday  13 August | 08:30-10:00 | 4. STOCK ASSESSMENT THEME |
| 10:30-12:00 | 6. ECOSYSTEM AND BYCATCH THEME |
| 13:30-15:00 | 7. OTHER RESEARCH PROJECTS  8. COOPERATION WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS  9. SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS  10. WORK PROGRAMME AND BUDGET |
| 15:30-17:30 | 11. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS |
| Tuesday  14 August | 08:30-10:00 | 5. MANAGEMENT ISSUES THEME |
| 10:30-12:00 | 6. ECOSYSTEM AND BYCATCH THEME |
| 13:30-15:00 | 10. WORK PROGRAMME AND BUDGET  12. OTHER MATTERS |
| 15:30-17:30 | Outstanding agenda item – to be assigned |
| TBD | FAREWELL RECEPTION |
| Wednesday  15 August | 08:30-17:00 | 13. ADOPTION OF REPORT  14. CLOSE OF MEETING |

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| Monday  6 August | 16:00-17:00 | Head of Delegation Meeting and Registration |
| Tuesday  7 August | 08:00-08:30 | Registration |
| 08:30-10:00 | 1.1 Welcome address (30 min)  1.2 Meeting arrangements (10 min)  1.3 Issues arising from the Commission (20 min)  1.4 Adoption of agenda (10 min)  1.5 Reporting arrangements (10 min)  1.6 Intersessional activities of the SC (10 min) |
| 10:30-11:30 | 11.2 Peer Review of Bigeye 2011 Stock Assessment |
| 11:30-12:00  13:30-14:30 | 2.1 Overview of WCPO fisheries (60 min)  2.2 Overview of EPO fisheries (30 min) |
| 14:30-15:00 | 2.3 Annual Report (Part 1) from CCMs (20 min)  2.4 Reports from RFBs and other organizations (10 min) |
| 15:30-18:30 | 3.1 Data gaps  3.2 Requests from CMM 2008-01  3.3 Regional Observer Programme |
| Wednesday  8 August | 08:30-10:00 | 3.0 ST Recommendations - Adoption |
| 10:30-12:00 | 4.1 WCPO bigeye tuna |
| 13:30-15:00 | 4.2 WCPO yellowfin tuna  4.3 WCPO skipjack tuna |
| 15:30-16:30 | 4.4 South Pacific albacore tuna |
| 16:30-17:30 | 4.5 South Pacific swordfish |
| Thursday  9 August | 08:30-10:00 | 4.6 Southwest Pacific striped marlin  4.7 North Pacific striped marlin |
| 10:30-12:00 | 4.7 North Pacific striped marlin  4.8.1 North Pacific albacore tuna (CMM 2005-03)  4.8.2 Pacific bluefin tuna (CMM 2010-04)  4.8.3 North Pacific swordfish |
| 13:30-15:00 | 4.9.1 Oceanic whitetip shark |
| 15:30-17:30 | 4.9.2 Silky shark |
| 17:30-18:30 | JTF Steering Committee Meeting |
| 19:00-20:30 | DINNER RECEPTION |
| Friday  10 August | 08:30-10:00 | 4.0 SA Recommendations - Adoption |
| 10:30-12:00 | 4.0 SA Recommendations - Adoption |
| 13:30-15:00 | 5.1 Terms of Reference  5.2 Limit reference points for the WCPFC  5.3 Target reference pints for the WCPFC |
| 15:30-17:30 | 5.4 Harvest Control Rules  5.5 Requests from CMM 2008-01 |
| 17:30-18:30 | PTTP Steering Committee Meeting |
| Saturday  11 August | 08:30-10:00 | 6.1 Ecosystem effects of fishing  6.2 Sharks |
| 10:30-12:00 | 6.3 Seabirds  6.4 Sea turtles  6.5 Other species and issues |
| 13:30-16:00 | WPEA OFM Steering Committee Meeting |

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| Monday  13 August | 08:30-10:00 | 4.0 SA Recommendations - Adoption |
| 10:30-12:00 | 6.5 Other species and issues  6.0 EB Recommendations - Adoption |
| 13:30-15:00 | 7.1 WPEA OFM Project  7.2 Pacific Tuna Tagging Project  8.0 Cooperation with other organizations  9.0 Special requirements of developing states  10.1 Review of the SC Work Programme  10.2 Work programme and budget 2013-2015 |
| 15:30-17:30 | 11.1 Rules of Procedure  11.2 Peer review of stock assessments  11.3 Future operation of the SC  11.4 Election of the SC Chair  11.5 Next meeting |
| Tuesday  14 August | 08:30-10:00 | 5.0 MI Recommendations - Adoption |
| 10:30-12:00 | 6.0 EB Recommendations - Adoption |
| 13:30-15:00 | 10.2 Work programme and budget 2013-2015  12.0 Other matters |
| 15:30-17:30 | Outstanding agenda item – to be assigned |
| TBD | FAREWELL DINNER |
| Wednesday  15 August | 08:30-17:00 | 13.0 Adoption of SC8 Report  14.0 Close of meeting |

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| **Time** | **Sun** | **Mon** | **Tue, 7** | **Wed, 8** | **Thu, 9** | **Fri, 10** | **Sat, 11** |
| **0830-1000** |  |  | 1.1-1.6 | ST(3): ST-Rec. | SA(4): 4.6-4.7 | SA(8): SA-Rec. | EB(1): 6.1-6.2 |
| **1000-1030** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **1030-1200** |  |  | 11.2 PR - 2.1-2.2 | SA(1): 4.1 | SA(5): 4.7-4.8 | SA(9): SA-Rec. | EB(2): 6.2-6.4 |
| **1200-1330** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **1330-1500** |  |  | 2.3-2.4;  ST(1): 3.1 | SA(2): 4.2-4.3 | SA(6): 4.9.1 | MI(1): 5.1-5.2 | WPEA meeting |
| **1500-1530** |  | Registration |  |  |  |  |  |
| **1530-1730** |  | HOD Meeting | ST(2): 3.1-3.3 | SA(3): 4.4-4.5 | SA(7): 4.9.2 | MI(2): 5.3-5.5 | Outstanding issues |
| **1730-1900** |  |  |  |  | JTF meeting | PTTP meeting |  |

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| **0830-1000** |  | SA(10): SA-Rec. | MI(3): MI-Rec. | 13. Adoption |  |  |  |
| **1000-1030** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **1030-1200** |  | EB(3): 6.5  EB-Rec. | EB(4): EB-Rec. | 13. Adoption |  |  |  |
| **1200-1330** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **1330-1500** |  | 7, 8, 9, 10 | 10.2, 12 | 13. Adoption |  |  |  |
| **1500-1530** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **1530-1730** |  | 11.1-11.5 | Outstanding issues | 13. Adoption  14. Close |  |  |  |
| **1730-1900** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |