

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS, COOPERATING NON-MEMBERS, PARTICIPATING TERRITORIES AND OBSERVERS

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Notice for the FAD Management Options Intersessional Working Group Activities (FADMO-IWG)

Dear All,

Further to Circular 2020/78 dated 31 July 2020, I wish to advise that the Chair of the FAD Management Options Intersessional Working Group (FADMO-IWG), Mr Jamel James, has decided after extensive consultations with Members, Cooperating Non-Members and Participating Territories (CCMs) that the FADMO-IWG will not have an online meeting, instead it will progress its work by email communication according to the schedule in <u>Attachment 1</u> to this circular. All the relevant documents to the work of the FADMO-IWG will be posted on the FADMO-IWG-4 website (https://www.wcpfc.int/meetings/fadmo-iwg4) and also distributed by email communications.

In order to ensure that email communications are send to the appropriate officials, the Chair of the FADMO-IWG has requested that CCMs and Observers who wish to participate in the work of the working group to please submit the name, affiliation and contact details of their representatives to the Secretariat (elaine.garvilles@wcpfc.int) as soon as possible but no later than Tuesday, 22 September 2020.

Should you have any query on this circular or the proposed schedule for the work of the FADMO-IWG please direct them to the Chair Mr Jamel James at <u>jamel.james@norma.fm</u> and copied to the Secretariat's Assistant Science Manager Ms Elaine Garvilles at <u>elaine.garvilles@wcpfc.int</u>.

Yours sincerely,

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Attachment 1. Schedule for the Work of the FADMO-IWG

Date	Activity
16 – 22 September	Circular will be out to gather contacts for additional participants for the
2020	FADMO-IWG
1 – 15 October 2020	Email Communication 1: Two draft documents will be distributed by
	email for comments/suggestions due by 15 October
19 -30 October 2020	Email Communication 2: Revised draft documents will be distributed by
	email for further comments/suggestions due by 30 October
2-9 November 2020	Email Communication 3: Draft Summary Report of FADMO-IWG,
	attached with the updated two documents will be distributed by email for
	final comments/suggestions due by 9 November
11-13 November 2020	Final draft Summary Report will be emailed to all participants for
	adoption
17 November 2020	Final Summary Report will be submitted to the Commission (posted on
	the website) for its consideration at WCPFC17