**JOINT IATTC AND WCPFC-NC WORKING GROUP**

**CATCH DOCUMENTATION SCHEME (CDS) TECHNICAL MEETING**

ELECTRONIC MEETING

09:00 – 11:00, Japan Standard Time

12 July 2022

**MEETING NOTICE AND PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

**IATTC-NC-CDS03-2022/01**

**MEETING NOTICE**

The 6th Joint IATTC and WCPFC-NC Working Group Meeting (JWG) held in the virtual format on 27-29 July 2021, agreed to hold CDS Working Group in conjunction with 7th JWG and encouraged Japan to begin preparations with interested parties for further consideration on the draft concept of Catch Documentation Scheme for WCPFC and IATTC.

The 2nd CDS Technical Meeting was held in Portland on 2 September 2019, discussed a paper submitted by Japan (IATTC-NC-CDS02-2019/02) and concluded outline on major elements to be included in the draft WCPFC CMM for Pacific bluefin tuna CDS (Appendix 2, Chair’s Summary of the 2nd Catch Documentation Scheme (CDS) Technical Meeting Joint IATTC and WCPFC-NC Working Group Meeting on the Management of Pacific Bluefin Tuna).

The 3rd CDS Technical Meeting is expected to further the discussion on these elements in detail towards the development of a draft conservation and management measure/Resolution of a PBF CDS for consideration by WCPFC and IATTC. The meeting will be held as an Electronic Meeting at 09:00-11:00 Japan Standard time on Tuesday, 12 July 2022.

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

1. **Opening of Meeting**
   1. Welcome
   2. Appointment of rapporteur

The rapporteur will be appointed.

* 1. Adoption of the agenda

The agenda will be adopted.

* 1. Meeting arrangements

The Chair will explain meeting arrangements.

1. **Development of a Catch Documentation Scheme for Pacific Bluefin Tuna**

2.1 Review of the 2nd CDS Technical Meeting and intersessional work

The Chair will briefly review the discussion at the 2nd CDS Technical Meeting and intersessional work.

2.2 Discussion on the draft CMM

The Meeting will discuss each element contained in the draft CMM submitted to the 2nd CDS Technical Meeting for further refinement.

1. **Next Meeting**

The meeting will discuss and agree, as necessary, to the date and place of the 4th CDS Technical Meeting.

1. **Other Business**

The meeting will discuss any other business and/or remaining issues.

1. **Report to the Joint WG**

The meeting will develop a brief summary on the progress of the 3rd Technical Meeting for reporting to the 7th Joint WG.

1. **Close of the Meeting**