



Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission

REGIONAL OBSERVER PROGRAMME INTERSESSIONAL WORKING GROUP

Eighth Meeting

1 April 2026

Electronic Meeting

Proposed ROP-IWG08 Agenda

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Agenda item	Topic
1	Opening of Meeting
2	Introduction and opening
3	Review and discuss the developed standardized solution to use ROP data in the CCFS and CMS process and potential CMM infringements obligations:
	3.1 Revisit working draft proposal on CCFS process flow (ROP-IWG08-2026-02). <i>(Includes consideration of US proposals)</i>
	3.2 Review the draft proposal of CMMs monitored for potential infringements for CCFS (ROP-IWG08-2026-03) <i>(Includes consideration of US proposals)</i>
4	Review of the proposed MSDF for the ROP Non-catch transfer monitoring (ROP-IWG08-2026-04)
5	Open discussions on other taskings
	5.1 Progressing Priority tasking 4: Consideration related to emerging technologies – work closely with ER/EM - IWG for common understanding on the usage of MSDF
	5.2 Review of Minimum Data Fields for Observer Transshipment Monitoring - 2023
	5.3 Consideration of joint IWG work resulting from ERandEM-IWG and ROP-IWG
	5.4 Shark species and reporting data gaps enhancements
	5.5 Possible additional reporting requirements for Sea Turtles (CMM 2018-04)
	5.6 Consideration of any other proposals from CCMs
6	Summary and close of meeting