



CCSBT-EC/2010/15

Activities with Other Organisations

Purpose

To receive reports from meetings of other RFMOs, agree on the CCSBT observers to attend meetings of other RFMOs during 2021 and to consider any other relevant activities with other organisations.

CCSBT Observers at non-CCSBT meetings

CCSBT Members act as the CCSBT observer at RFMO meetings of interest (e.g. tuna RFMOs and CCAMLR¹), and the observing Member provides a report back to the CCSBT on matters of relevance in order to improve coordination with other RFMO's. The following Members were nominated at CCSBT 26 to observe the next series of RFMO's annual meetings:

- Korea to observe meetings of WCPFC²;
- New Zealand to observe meetings of CCAMLR;
- Indonesia to observe meetings of IOTC³;
- Japan to observe meetings of ICCAT⁴; and
- Taiwan to observe meetings of IATTC⁵.

These CCSBT observers may have matters of relevance to report back to the CCSBT.

The EC should confirm which Members will act as CCSBT observers to the next series of RFMO annual meetings.

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¹ Commission for the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources.

² Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission.

³ Indian Ocean Tuna Commission.

⁴ International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic Tunas.

⁵ Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission.