NAFO Working Group on Improving Efficiency of NAFO Working Group Process (E-WG)

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Draft Provisional Agenda

- 1. Opening by the Chair, Fred Kingston (NAFO Secretariat)
- 2. Appointment of Rapporteur
- 3. Adoption of Agenda
- 4. Finalize schedule for upcoming Joint COM-SC Working Groups scheduled for 2019 (COM-SC WP 19-02)

As agreed at the last Annual Meeting of NAFO in September, three (3) two-week periods were set aside during the NAFO year for possible intersessional meetings. These three (3) two-week periods are the following:

- 25 February– 08 March;
- 29 April-10 May; and
- 08–19 July.

NAFO is not obliged to hold meetings only during these two-week periods, but the setting aside of these periods may help in the scheduling of intersessional meetings.

In this context, the Working Group will discuss the scheduling of possible meetings during these twoweek periods or outside these periods.

- 5. Identify mechanisms to improve efficiencies, maximize meeting opportunities and share best practices
- 6. Other matters
- 7. Adjournment