

Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organization



**Report of the STACTIC Working Group on Control of Landing Obligation (WG-LO)
Meeting**

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1. Opening of the Meeting

The Chair (Patrick Moran) opened the meeting at 09:00 (UTC/GMT -3 hours) on Monday, 29 August 2022 via Webex and welcomed representatives from Canada, Denmark (in respect of the Faroe Islands and Greenland), the European Union, Japan, Norway and the United States of America (Annex 1).

2. Appointment of Rapporteur

The NAFO Secretariat (Mikaela Soroka) was appointed as rapporteur.

3. Adoption of Agenda

The agenda was adopted as previously circulated (Annex 2).

4. Draft Terms of Reference

The Working Group noted that following the circulation to STACTIC members, there were no comments to the draft Terms of Reference (STACTIC WP 22-31) (Annex 3), which were considered endorsed. However, it was noted that the language of point 1 of the Terms of Reference could be clarified in this report. The expected role of the Working Group is to provide a draft response for STACTIC's consideration. STACTIC's role is to finalise that response.

5. Discussion on control elements

The Working Group initiated the conversation by presenting STACTIC WP 21-53 and relevant background information of the document. The Working Group performed an extensive review of the document and created the revised document STACTIC WP 22-34 for presentation at the STACTIC 2022 Annual Meeting. During the discussion, Contracting Parties were encouraged to revise and, as appropriate, update the summary of their domestic landing obligations included in the annex of the document, prior to 09 September 2022.

It was **agreed** that:

- **Contracting Parties are encouraged to revise and, as appropriate, update the summary of their domestic landing obligations included in the Annex of STACTIC WP 22-34 prior to 09 September 2022.**
- **The Working Group will forward STACTIC WP 22-34 to STACTIC for consideration at the STACTIC 2022 Annual Meeting.**

6. Recommendations to STACTIC

It was **agreed** that:

- **The Working Group recommends that STACTIC endorse STACTIC WP 22-34.**

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7. Other Business

No other business was discussed.

8. Adoption of the Report

The report was adopted during the meeting.

9. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 11:15 (UTC/GMT -3 hours) on 30 August 2022.

Annex 1. List of Participants

Moran, Patrick (USA)	Chair
Browne, Dion Hickey, Janelle	Canada
Nedergaard, Mads Trolle Radoor, Sanne Rømer	Denmark (in respect of Greenland and Faroe Islands)
Arrhenius, Fredrik Babcionis, Genadijus Dybiec, Leszek Escudeiro, João Ferreira, Carlos Granell, Ignacio Grossmann, Meit Head, Francois Llopis López, Marta Luengo, Gabriel Arevalillo Mattsson, Ylva Näks, Liivika Ogertschnig, Larissa Okas, Reemet Quintans, Miguel Robledo, C. Margarita Mancebo Romaite, Kristina Szumlicz-Dobiesz, Justyna Tubio, Xose Trübner, Björn	European Union
Akiyama, Masahiro Matsunaga, Satoshi Yoshida, Mako	Japan
Myrvang, Runa Ognedal, Hilde	Norway
Jaburek, Shannah Pohl, Katie Provencher, Eric	United States of America
Federizon, Ricardo Kendall, Matt Soroka, Mikaela	NAFO Secretariat

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