NAFO STACTIC Working Group on Control of Landing Obligation (WG-LO) meeting

29–30 August 2022 via Webex

Provisional Agenda

1. Opening of the meeting by the Chair, Patrick Moran (United States of America).

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- 2. Appointment of Rapporteur
- 3. Adoption of Agenda
- 4. Draft Terms of Reference

The WG-LO will review and finalize the draft Terms of Reference for the group (STACTIC WP 22-31) for presentation to STACTIC at the 2022 Annual Meeting.

5. Discussion on control elements

The WG-LO will continue their discussion on control elements necessary for NAFO to adopt a landing obligation policy (STACTIC WP 21-53) and finalizing the draft response to the request from the NAFO Commission:

- a. identification of mandatory discards provisions in the NAFO CEM and which would need revision if NAFO were to adopt a landing obligation policy,
- b. updated mapping of existing domestic landing obligations policies,
- c. overview of the possible scopes of a potential landing obligation in NAFO and their impact on the controllability of the policy,
- d. consideration of measures to reduce bycatches and discards when introducing a landing obligation policy,
- e. possible control measures to monitor compliance with a landing obligation policy,
- f. any other elements that the Working Group members consider relevant for the response
- 6. Recommendations to STACTIC
- 7. Other business
- 8. Adoption of the Report
- 9. Adjournment

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Tentative Timetable*

Monday, 29 August 2022		
09:00 - 13:00 hours	Meeting	
Tuesday, 30 August 2022		
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^{*}times subject to change at decision of meeting