

# Provisional Agenda

## The Southern Indian Ocean Fisheries Agreement (SIOFA) 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting of the Compliance Committee

23-25 June 2017

Aanari Hotel & Spa, Flic and Flac, Mauritius

Chair: *to be determined*

Registration opens Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 20:00 followed by Head of Delegation meeting

### 1. Opening of the session

- 1.1 Appointment of Chairperson and Vice Chairperson
- 1.2 Opening statement from the Chair
- 1.3 Opening statement from the SIOFA Executive Secretary

### 2. Presentation of Contracting Parties Delegations (Chair)

*Heads of Delegation will make their opening statements, if any, and may introduce members of their delegations*

### 3. Admissions of Observers (Chair)

### 4. Administrative arrangements (Chair/ES)

- 4.1. Adoption of the agenda
- 4.2. Confirmation of meeting documents
- 4.3. Appointment of rapporteurs
- 4.4. Practical arrangements for the meeting

### 5. Report on the implementation of CMM 2016/05 regarding the use of large-scale pelagic driftnets and deepwater gillnets in the Agreement Area (CPs, CNCPs & PFEs).

*Standing agenda item until a Compliance Monitoring Scheme is adopted by the meeting of parties in accordance with CMM 2016/05 para 4.*

### 6. Development of a System of Monitoring, Control and Surveillance (MCS)

*Led by EU delegation. Building on the draft system compiled by EU and taking into consideration content of CMMs adopted by the 3rd MoP in 2016, the Compliance Committee to develop either a combined system or a series of individual CMMs covering the following MCS elements;*

#### 6.1. Cooperation and Contact Points

*Designation of CP, CNCP and PFE contact points for the exchange of information.*

**6.2. Prohibition of Transshipments in the Agreement Area**

*Prohibition of transshipment at sea*

**6.3. Vessel Requirements**

*Documents vessels must carry at sea and vessel marking standards*

**6.4. Marking of fixed/static gears**

*Minimum specifications for marking of gear*

**6.5. Retrieval of lost or abandoned gear**

*Requirements and procedures for retrieval of gear*

**6.6. Labelling of frozen products of fisheries resources**

*Minimum requirements for labelling of catch*

**6.7. Information of fishing activities**

*Logbook standards – consult with CMM2016/02*

**6.8. Communication of Catches**

*Entry, catch and exit reports*

**6.9. Monitoring transshipments in Port**

*Minimum standards for monitoring transshipments in port*

**6.10. At Sea Inspection**

*Procedures for at sea inspections*

**6.11. Port State Control**

*A system for effective port state control*

**6.12. Sightings and identification of non CP, CNCP and PFE vessels.**

*information on any possible fishing and fishing related activities by vessels flying the flag of a non- CP, CNCP and PFE in the Area. Consideration to be given whether provisions provided in CMM 2106/04 para 5 and CMM 2016/07 para 8 are sufficient.*

**6.13. Summary of reporting obligations**

*Measure instructing Secretariat to compile and maintain list of reporting obligation*

**7. Future Agenda Items for the Compliance Committee**

*Committee to consider if more appropriate for the Secretariat to present the draft IUU list (CMM 2016/06 1) and sightings of vessels suspected to be without nationality (CMM 2016/04 5) to the Compliance Committee for the purpose of making recommendation to the MoP.*

**8. Future Meeting Arrangements**

*Future meeting dates and venues for 2018 and 2019.*

**9. Any Other Business**

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**10. Adoption of the report (Chair)**

*Review and adoption of the report prepared by the rapporteur.*

**11. Close of the meeting (Chair)**