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Abstract	
There were no Korean flagged vessels fishing in the Convention Area from 2014 to 2022. No updates to the national report submitted in 2021, which includes the Korean history of fisheries in the Convention Area, catch and effort data and others, were made.	

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Recommendations

- It is recommended that the SC **notes** the national report provided by Korea.

Description of Fisheries

There were no Korean flagged vessels fishing in the SIOFA Convention Area from 2014 to 2022. Bottom longline fishing vessels had targeted Patagonian toothfish (*Dissostichus eleginoides*) and hapuka (*Polyprion* spp, Family *Polyprionidae*) and a trawl vessel targeting splendid alfonsino (*Beryx splendens*) and pelagic armorhead (*Pseudopentaceros richardsoni*) operated in the SIOFA Area until 2013. Catch and effort data, including fleet composition, CPUE summaries, biological data, and other data of interest, for those seasons fished (reference SC-06-19 as its national report in 2021) were previously submitted to the SIOFA Secretariat