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SUBJECT: SERAWG4 Revised Provisional Agenda

Dear Heads of Delegation of the Scientific Committee,
Dear Colleagues

According to the rules of procedure 10 para 4, the Executive Secretary will circulate a revised provisional agenda to all Official Contacts and observers referred to in rule 18 at least 40 days before the opening of the ordinary meeting.

The Stock Ecological Risk Assessment Working Group starts on Monday 28th February 2022.

Please find below the SERAWG 04 revised provisional agenda

Don't hesitate to contact the Secretariat for any clarification.

Sincerely yours,

The SIOFA Executive Secretary



Thierry Clot

Provisional Agenda
The 4th Meeting of the Stock and Ecological Risk Assessment Working Group (SERAWG4)

By videoconference
28 February – 04 March 2022
06:00 UTC to 10:00 UTC

Co-Chairs: Dr Tom Nishida (Agenda 1-8 and 11-16)
Dr Sebastian Rodriguez Alfaro (SC Vice Chair and provisional Co-Chair) (Agenda 9-10)

1. Openings

- 1.1 Opening statement
- 1.2 Introduction of participants

2. Administrative arrangements

- 2.1 Adoption of the agenda
- 2.2 Confirmation of meeting documents
- 2.3 Appointment of rapporteur

3. Update on the Fisheries (Secretariat)

4. Orange roughy

- 4.1 Consultant report on the orange roughy age estimation by otolith [project SER2021-02]
- 4.2 Consultant Report on the orange roughy acoustic data processing [project SER2021-01]
- 4.3 New studies and information (Biology, stock analyses and others) (CCP scientists)
- 4.4 Consultant report on the 2021 Stock Assessment [project SER 2021-04]
- 4.5 Advice to SC and Future workplan

5. Patagonian toothfish

- 5.1 Review of the recommendations from the CCAMLR-SIOFA Workshop on the Exchange of Scientific P. toothfish data (WESTD) (SC Chair)
- 5.2 SIOFA tagging process (SC Chair)
- 5.3 New studies and information (Biology, stock analyses and others) (CCP scientists)
- 5.4 Advice to SC and Future work plan

6. Alfonsino

- 6.1 Standardised data collection protocols in relation to CMM 2021/02 (Data Standards)
- 6.2 New studies and information (Biology, stock analyses and others) (CCP scientists)
- 6.3 Advice to SC and Future work plan

7. Other species

- 7.1 Consultant report of the Saya de Malha fisheries (ToR1 scoping study) [Project SER2021-03]
- 7.2 New studies and information (Biology, stock analyses and others) (CCP scientists)
- 7.3 Advice to SC and Future work plan

- 8. Technical work to inform reference points and harvest strategy development**
 - 8.1 Consultant Report (ToR1) to evaluate 3 provisional Harvest Strategies [Project SER2021-05]
 - 8.2 *Development of Roadmap for Formal Harvest Strategy (to be presented in the SC7)*
 - 8.3 Advice to SC and Future work plan

- 9. Ecological risk assessment**
 - 9.1 Deepwater chondrichthyans
 - 9.1.1 Implementation of FAO shark guides (CMM 2019-02, para. 8) and other efforts to improve data collection.
 - 9.1.2 Review of progress against CMM 2019-12 (Sharks), including development of precautionary bycatch limits (CMM 2019-12 para. 4)
 - 9.2 Teleosts and others
 - 9.2.1 Update on progress with teleosts ERA
 - 9.2.2 Priority species for further assessment
 - 9.3 Consultant Report on seabirds, mammals, and other bycatches [Project PAE2021-02]
 - 9.4 New studies and information (CCP scientists)
 - 9.5 Advice to SC and Future work plan

- 10. SIOFA stock assessment framework – implementation, including species categorisation and data characterisation, including refining SIOFA species list (Secretariat)**
 - 10.1 Development of fishery and ecosystem reports (Project SEC2021-07)
 - 10.2 SIOFA species categorisation (Project SEC2021-07)
 - 10.3 Other key target stocks and management units
 - 10.4 Advice to SC and Future work plan

- 11. Consideration of SERAWG work plan and resource requirements**
 - 11.1 Consideration of the EU-grant and other funding allocation
 - 11.2 Future workplan and budget (2022-2024)

- 12. Consolidated advice to Scientific Committee**

- 13. Other business**
 - 13.1 Appointment of a new Co-chair for the ERA part of the SERAWG
 - 13.2 Future meeting arrangements

- 14. Adoption of the meeting report**

- 15. Close of meeting**