

<u>AGENDA</u>

35th meeting of LDAC Working Group 1 Highly Migratory (Tuna and Tuna-like) Stocks and its RFMOs

Tuesday 11th March 2025, 14:30-17:30h CET / GMT+1 Venue: Hotel Martin's Brussels EU – *Blvd. Charlemagne 80, 1000 Brussels*

14:30h

- 1. Welcome by the Chair.
- 2. Adoption of the minutes from the last WG1 meeting Brussels, 15 October 2024.
- 3. Adoption of the agenda.

WORK ON TUNA RFMOs

14:45h

4. IOTC – Indian Ocean Tuna Commission.

- 4.1. Update from DG MARE on state of play of negotiations for IOTC 29th Annual session (La Réunion, 13-17 April 2025)
- 4.2. Overview of IOTC advice
- 4.3. Way forward next steps.

15:30h

5. WCPFC- Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission.

5.1. DG MARE report on outcomes of the 21st Regular Session Commission (Fiji, 28 November-3 December 2024).

- 5.2. Overview of WCPFC advice submitted in November 2024.
- 5.3. Way forward identification of key actions and work priorities for 2025.

16:00h

6. ICCAT – Atlantic Ocean.

6.1. DG MARE Report on outcomes of ICCAT 24th Special Meeting of the Commission (Limassol, November 2024) and work priorities to 2025

- 6.2. Overview of LDAC advice submitted in September 2024.
- 6.3. Update on Inter AC work cooperation for 2025: actions agreed at joint LDAC-MEDAC-
- CCS-CCRUP coordination mtg (Zoom, 7th February 2025).
- 6.4. Way forward identification of key actions and work priorities for 2025.

HEALTH BREAK 16:30-16:45h

HORIZONTAL TOPICS ON RFMOs

16:45h

7. Cross RFMO possible position (jointly with working group 2) on level-playing field

- 7.1. Presentation from WG1 and WG2 Chairs (Anne-France Mattlet/Emil Remisz)
- 7.2. Q&A/discussions from the members.

17:10h

8. Transversal work on CMMs for sharks on tuna RFMOs

- 8.1. Update on actions agreed at last WG1 and work plan for 2025.
- 8.2. Q&A / exchange of views from the floor.

CLOSING OF THE MEETING (17:30h)