



AGENDA

19th meeting of LDAC Working Group 4 Fisheries Bilateral Agreements with Third Countries

**Tuesday 25 October 2016. 09:30h - 13:00h
Hotel Martin's Central Park (Martin's Brussels EU)
Boulevard Charlemagne 80
Schuman. Brussels**

- 1- Welcome and opening of the meeting.**
- 2- Adoption of the minutes of the last WG4 meeting – Brussels, 11 March 2016.**
- 3- Adoption of the agenda.**
- 4- Follow up of outstanding actions - Items and/or documents for discussion:**
 - a. Draft LDAC letter to the European Commission on improving transparency in the use and allocation of sectoral-based support in third countries.
 - b. Draft LDAC Note on FiTI Standards
- 5- Update from DG MARE on negotiations and meetings held by the European Commission in the field of fisheries agreements with third countries.**
 - a. Atlantic Ocean: West African countries
 - b. Indian Ocean
 - c. Pacific Ocean
- 6- Policy Coherence between Fisheries and Cooperation for Development.**
 - a. Initiatives from SWIOPFC.
 - b. SMARFISH Project: Regional Observer Programme in the Indian Ocean
 - c. Work of ECOWAS-UA/IBAR on MSC/IUU in the Gulf of Guinea



7- EC strategy to improve international governance in fisheries management: RFMOs.

8- Collaboration between LDAC and COMHAFAT: Work Plan.

- a. Outcomes of 2nd Seminar on SFPAs (Al Jadida, 2-3 June 2016): next steps
- b. Calendar of Meetings from COMHAFAT
- c. Coordination between EU and COMHAFAT

9- Any other business.

10- Date and venue for next WG4 meeting.

11- Closing.