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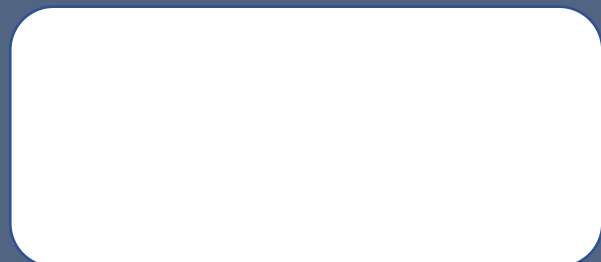
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Correspondence Meeting 23 - 25 November 2020

1. Opening of the meeting

The 13th Annual Meeting of the SEAFO Compliance Committee (CC) was convened via correspondence and opened by the Chairperson, Mr Orlando Fachada (EU) at 8:00 (GMT+2) on 23rd November 2020.

The Chairperson opened the meeting by distributing a letter by email in which he explains how each agenda point will be addressed during the meeting.

Delegations thanked the Chairperson for preparing and conducting the meeting and extended their gratitude to the Secretariat for its excellent work and support provided.

2. Appointment of Rapporteur

The Executive Secretary was confirmed as rapporteur, Delegations thanked the Secretariat for its availability.

3. Adoption of agenda and meeting arrangements

The agenda was reviewed and adopted with no amendments ([Appendix I](#)).

The Chairperson explained that the meeting will be conducted by email exchange, this arrangement was adopted without objections. However, one Delegation despite understanding the difficulties in having a preferred physical CC meeting, due to the unfortunate circumstances, expressed its concern on the mode of conducting this year's SEAFO meetings (correspondence – email) and the lack of consensus amongst Contracting Parties (CP) in reaching a decision which has the support of all the CP's. Moreover, the same Delegation said that more discussions could have been made, including the Annual Compliance Review.

Two Delegations voiced that they expected that the discussions on the 2020 annual compliance review could take place at the next meeting of the CC together with the 2021 annual compliance review.

Two Delegations also uttered its understanding that the 2019 IUU list of vessels remains in force since it does not expire, and it is therefore not necessary a recommendation from the CC to extend its applicability.

4. Introduction of Delegates

The Chairperson informed the delegates of the participants who were registered to attend the meeting. The delegate list ([Appendix II](#)) is accepted by all delegations.

5. Election of new Chair & Vice Chair

The term of the current Chair and Vice-Chairperson came to an end and in terms of the rotational rule, Japan and The Republic of Korea will take over the Chair and Vice-Chairperson positions respectively for the period from 2021 - 2022.

Japan proposed Mr. Hideki Moronuki, Director for Fisheries Negotiations, Fisheries Agency of Japan, as Compliance Committee Chair and the Republic of Korea proposed Ms. Riley Kim as Vice-Chair.

Delegations applauded Japan for taking over the chairing of the CC and supported the appointment of the proposed Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson. Delegations also congratulated Mr. Hideki Moronuki and Ms Riley Kim for their new positions.

6. Adoption of the Compliance Committee Report


The meeting reviewed and adopted the Compliance Committee Report.

7. Closure of meeting

The Chair closed the meeting at 11:00 (GMT+2) on 25th November 2020 and adjourned the meeting in good faith.

APPENDIX I: List of Documents, Agenda and Annotated Agenda of the 13th Compliance Committee Meeting – 2020

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LIST OF DOCUMENTS FOR THE 13TH MEETING OF THE COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE (CC) – 2020

<p>CHAIRPERSON: Mr. Orlando Fachada (EU 2019-2020) VICE-CHAIR: Mr. Hideki Moronuki (Japan 2019-2020)</p>	<p>VENUE: Correspondence Meetings DATE: 23-25 November 2020</p>
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Document Ref. Number	Agenda Item	Document Title	Provider	Availability of Document
DOC/CC/00/2020 v1	All	List of Documents	Secretariat	Available before meeting
DOC/CC/01/2020 v1	All	Provisional Agenda of the 13 th Annual Meeting of Compliance Committee	Secretariat	Available before meeting
DOC/CC/02/2020 v1	All	Provisional Annotated Agenda of the 13 th Annual Compliance Committee Meeting	Secretariat	Available before meeting

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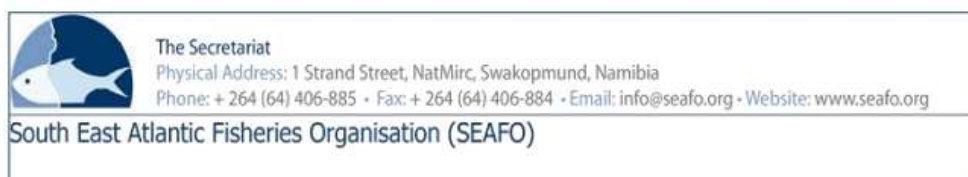
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**PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE 13TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SEAFO
COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE (CC) – 2020**

CHAIRPERSON: Mr. Orlando Fachada (EU 2019-2020)**VENUE:** Correspondence Meetings**VICE-CHAIR:** Mr. Hideki Moronuki (Japan 2019-2020)**DATE:** 23-25 November 2020

Item	Agenda Item	Working Document
1	Opening of Meeting by Chairperson	
2	Appointment of Rapporteur	
3	Adoption of agenda and meeting arrangements	DOC/CC/00/2020 v1 DOC/CC/01/2020 v1 DOC/CC/02/2020 v1
4	Introduction of Delegations	
5	Election of new Chair & Vice Chair	
6	Adoption of the 2020 Compliance Committee Report	
7	Closure of meeting	

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**PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA FOR THE 13TH MEETING OF THE
COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE (CC) - 2020**

CHAIRPERSON: Mr. Orlando Fachada (EU 2019-2020)	VENUE: Correspondence Meeting
VICE-CHAIR: Mr. Hideki Moronuki (Japan 2019-2020)	DATE: 23-25 November 2020

1) Opening of the meeting:

The email you have received from the Secretariat including this document formally opens the meeting at 08:00 (Swakopmund time) on 23rd November.

No comments are expected on this point but delegations are free to react.

2) Appointment of the rapporteur:

The Secretariat is confirmed as rapporteur as per our usual tradition.

No comments are expected on this point but delegations are free to react.

3) Adoption of the agenda and meeting arrangement:

The List of Documents (DOC/CC/00/2020rev), Provisional Agenda (DOC/CC/01/2020rev) and Annotated Agenda (DOC/CC/02/2020rev) have been circulated on the Members Area of the SEAFO website.

No comments are expected on this point but delegations are free to react, notably to confirm their agreement on the agenda and meeting arrangements.

4) Introduction of Delegates:

The Secretariat will inform the meeting of the names of the participants.

5) Election of the Compliance Committee Chair and VC:

In accordance to our list, the honour to preside the meeting of the CC for the period 2021-2022 should be for Japan, while the VC should go to Korea

6) Adoption of the Compliance Committee Report:

The draft meeting report will be sent by email for approval, by the Executive Secretary, to all Delegations at 17:00 (Swakopmund time) on Tuesday 24th November and delegates can add comments until 09:00 (Swakopmund time) on Wednesday 25th November (this deadline could be rearranged to take into account any unforeseeable inconvenience).

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The changes will be made accordingly, and the report adopted by 10:00 (Swakopmund time) Wednesday 25th November to be presented to the Commission.

7) Closure of the meeting

The meeting will be closed just after the meeting report was adopted on the 25th November 2020.

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