

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA FOR THE 18TH MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC**

**COMMITTEE (SC) - 2022**

**ACTING CHAIRPERSON:** Paul KAINGE (NAMIBIA) **VENUE:** Hansa Hotel, Swakopmund

**VICE-CHAIR:** (ANGOLA) **DATE:** 22 - 25 November 2022

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| **Item** | **Agenda Item** | **Working Document** |
| 1 | Opening of meeting by Chairperson |  |
| 2 | Appointment of Rapporteur |  |
| 3 | Adoption of Agenda and meeting arrangements | DOC/SC/01/2022  DOC/SC/02/2022 |
| 4 | Introduction & Admission of Observers |  |
| 5 | Introduction of Delegations |  |
| 6 | Review of submitted SEAFO working documents and any related presentations, allocations to the agenda items | DOC/SC/00/2022 |
| 7 | Review of the 2022 Work Program | DOC/SC/15/2022  DOC/SC/16/2022  DOC/SC/17/2022 |
| 8 | Report by the Executive Secretary presenting landing tables updated to the end of August 2022 | DOC/SC/05/2022  DOC/SC/06/2022 |
| 9 | Review spatial and temporal distribution of fishing activity and biological data | DOC/SC/06/2022 |
| 10 | Review the spatial distribution of reported catches of benthic organisms | DOC/SC/06/2022 |
| 11 | Review Stock Status Report  11.1 Patagonian toothfish  11.2 Orange roughy  11.3 Deep-sea crab  11.4 Pelagic armourhead / Southern boarfish  11.5 Alfonsino | DOC/SC/07/2022  DOC/SC/08/2022  DOC/SC/09/2022  DOC/SC/10/2022  DOC/SC/11/2022 |
| 12 | Review research activities in the SEAFO CA since October 2021   * Dr Fridtjof Nansen Surveys 2022 | DOC/SC/03/2022  DOC/SC/04/2022 |
| 13 | Examine, where appropriate, assessments and research done by neighboring States and other organizations |  |
| 14 | Data Request & Research Proposals |  |
| 15 | Any other matters   * Report of the Japanese exploratory fishing by FV Shinsei-maru No. 3 (2019) and No. 8 (2020) * New FAO/ASFIS codes on 4 Chaceon species in the SEAFO CA * Scientific name of Pelagic armourhead – Review * The proposed amendment to Article 8 (b) and (d) on the level of lost and/or abandoned gear by gear type | DOC/SC/12/2022  DOC/SC/13/2022  DOC/SC/14/2022  DOC/SC/18/2022 |
| 16 | Collate advice and recommendations to the Commission on issues emanating from the 2022 meeting |  |
| 17 | 2023 Work Program |  |
| 18 | Budget for 2023 |  |
| 19 | Adoption of the report |  |
| 20 | Date and place of the next meeting |  |
| 21 | Closure of meeting |  |