Report of the Thirty-second Session of the

COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES

Rome, 11–15 July 2016
Report of the Thirty-second Session of the
COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES

Rome, 11–15 July 2016
This is the final version of the report as approved by the Thirty-second Session of the Committee on Fisheries, held in Rome from 11 to 15 July 2016.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ABSTRACT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>The Thirty-second Session of the Committee on Fisheries (COFI) was held in Rome, Italy, from 11 to 15 July 2016. The Committee:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>a) commended FAO for the 2016 State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture (SOFIA) publication, expressed concern about the state of fish stocks globally and highlighted the threat of Illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing to the sustainability of marine resources;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>b) welcomed the improvement in the 2015 questionnaire on the implementation of the FAO Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries (the Code), agreed that the data submitted through the questionnaire could be used by Members for reporting on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) indicators and Aichi Biodiversity Targets, and recognized the need for capacity development in developing countries in implementation of the Code;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>c) endorsed the reports of the Fifteenth Session of the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade and the Eighth Session of the Sub-Committee on Aquaculture. The Committee authorized the Technical Consultation on Voluntary Guidelines for Catch Documentation Schemes (TC: CDS) to resume its session, finalize the Guidelines and submit the Guidelines to the FAO Conference in July 2017 for final adoption;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>d) welcomed the entry into force of the 2009 FAO Agreement on Port State Measures to Prevent, Deter and Eliminate IUU Fishing (PSMA) and encouraged Parties to convene an inception meeting as well as establish the ad hoc working group under Article 21 by noting the requirement for capacity development;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>e) voiced strong support for the Global Record of Fishing Vessels, Refrigerated Transport Vessel and Supply Vessels (Global Record);</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>f) endorsed the proposal to declare an International Day for the Fight against IUU Fishing;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>g) reaffirmed its commitment to follow up on the Second International Conference on Nutrition (ICN2) by highlighting the valuable contribution of fish and fish products to meet nutrition requirements, diversity diets, and provide important health benefits. The Committee endorsed the key areas of work identified for ICN2 follow-up in the fisheries and aquaculture sector;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>h) reconfirmed the multi-dimensional function of small-scale fisheries (SSF) in poverty reduction and food security, etc. and stressed the importance of the Voluntary Guidelines for Securing Sustainable Small-scale Fisheries in the Context of Food Security and Poverty Eradication (SSF Guidelines). The Committee welcomed the development of a FAO SSF Umbrella Assistance Programme and agreed on the need for a complementary mechanism in the form of an SSF Guidelines Global Strategic Framework (SSF-GSF);</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>i) welcomed the outcome of the 2015 Global Conference on Inland Fisheries and the Ten Steps to Responsible Inland Fisheries;</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>j) commended FAO for the global forum on rights-based approaches for fisheries and welcomed the Global Work Programme (GWP);</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>k) endorsed the proposal for the Declaration of the International Year of Artisanal Fisheries and Aquaculture;</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
l) commended the role FAO plays in UN fora and processes devoted to fisheries and aquaculture, climate change, SDGs and biodiversity and requested FAO to further enhance its participation and contribution;

m) appreciated the role of the Regional Fishery Body Secretariats Network (RSN), the establishment of new Regional Fishery Bodies (RFBs) and emphasized the importance of performance reviews of RFBs;

n) welcomed the proposed FAO corporate Climate Change Strategy and Action Plan and the FAO draft Strategy for Fisheries, Aquaculture and Climate Change for 2017-2020;

o) welcomed the work of FAO with respect to the issue of abandoned, lost or otherwise discarded fishing gear (ALDFG) and the recommendations from the Expert Consultation on the Marking of Fishing Gear;

p) endorsed the priority areas of work for 2016-2017 by reiterating its support for the Blue Growth Initiative (BGI) and emphasized the importance of the work to address IUU fishing, implementation of PSMA, fish losses and waste, regional aquaculture network, implementation of SSF Guidelines, development of inland fisheries and the FAO Corporate Climate Change Strategy;

q) took note of the statements by the FAO Secretariat and the Republic of Korea on the revised proposal for the establishment of a World Fisheries University and encouraged agreement on a roadmap for a step-by-step approach;

r) approved the progress report of the Multi-year Programme of Work of the Committee (MYPOW) 2014-2017 and the MYPOW 2016-2019;

s) elected the Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons of the 33rd Session of COFI.
CONTENTS

GLOBAL POLICY AND REGULATORY MATTERS FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE CONFERENCE vii

PROGRAMME AND BUDGETARY MATTERS FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE COUNCIL viii

Paragraphs

OPENING OF THE SESSION 1–4

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION 5

DESIGNATION OF THE DRAFTING COMMITTEE 6

STATE OF WORLD FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE AND PROGRESS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR RESPONSIBLE FISHERIES AND RELATED INSTRUMENTS 7–21


DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EIGHTH SESSION OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON AQUACULTURE, BRASILIA, BRAZIL, 5–9 OCTOBER 2015 52–65

COMBATTING ILLEGAL, UNREPORTED AND UNREGULATED (IUU) FISHING 66–79

ROLE OF FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE IN FOOD SECURITY AND THE SECOND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON NUTRITION (ICN2) FOLLOW-UP: NUTRITION-RELATED IMPLICATIONS FOR FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE, INCLUDING LOSS AND WASTE OF FOOD 80–91

SECURING SUSTAINABLE SMALL-SCALE FISHERIES 92–126

GLOBAL AND REGIONAL PROCESSES 127–149

FAO’S PROGRAMME OF WORK IN FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE UNDER THE FAO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK 150–157
### APPENDIXES

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Appendix</th>
<th>Title</th>
<th>Page</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>A</td>
<td>Agenda</td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>B</td>
<td>List of delegates and observers</td>
<td>18</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>C</td>
<td>List of documents</td>
<td>56</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>D</td>
<td>Opening statement by Mr José Graziano da Silva, Director-General of FAO</td>
<td>59</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>E</td>
<td>Multi-year Programme of Work (MYPOW) of the Committee on Fisheries 2016–2019</td>
<td>62</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
GLOBAL POLICY AND REGULATORY MATTERS
FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE CONFERENCE

i) The Committee supported and encouraged the close collaboration between FAO and other relevant international and regional organizations such as the International Labour Organization (ILO), the International Maritime Organization (IMO), CITES, the World Trade Organization (WTO), the World Customs Organization (WCO), the United Nation Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), the United Nations Organization for Education, Science and Culture (UNESCO), particularly the Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission (IOC), the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) and RFBs including Regional Fisheries Management Organizations (RFMOs) (para. 20, 33, 34, 37, 39, 40, 62, 75, 76, 128, 136, 155).

ii) State of world fisheries and aquaculture and progress in the implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries and related instruments (para. 12).

iii) Catch Documentation Schemes (para. 48).

iv) Combating illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing (para. 66, 67 and 74).

v) Role of fisheries and aquaculture in food security and the Second International Conference on Nutrition (ICN2) Follow-up: Nutrition-related implications for fisheries and aquaculture, including loss and waste of food (para. 87, 91).

vi) Securing sustainable small-scale fisheries (para. 93, 97).

vii) International year of artisanal fisheries and aquaculture (para. 126).

viii) United Nations (UN) related matters (para. 128).
vi) Outcome of and follow-up to the Global Conference on Inland Fisheries (para. 113 and 114).

ix) International year of artisanal fisheries and aquaculture (para. 126).

x) Climate change and other environment related matters (para. 18, 144, 148).

xi) FAO’s programme of work in fisheries and aquaculture under the FAO Strategic Framework (para. 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 156 and 157).

xii) Proposal of the Republic of Korea for the establishment of an FAO World Fisheries University (para. 160).

xiii) Multi-year Programme of Work (MYPOW) of the Committee (para. 161).
OPENING OF THE SESSION

1. The Committee on Fisheries (COFI) held its Thirty-second Session in Rome from 11 to 15 July 2016. The session was attended by 113 Members of the Committee and one Associated Member, by observers from nine other FAO Member Nations, the Holy See and Palestine, by representatives from nine specialized agencies of the United Nations and by observers from 39 intergovernmental and 25 international non-governmental organizations. A list of delegates and observers is attached as Appendix B.

2. Mr Fabio Hazin, Chairperson, Thirty-second Session of COFI, opened the session and welcomed the participants.

3. Mr José Graziano da Silva, Director-General of FAO, inaugurated the session and delivered a statement. The text of his statement is attached in Appendix D.

4. The Chairperson gave an administrative report on the intersessional work by the Bureau, including nine sessions of the Bureau meeting and three sessions of open meetings for other COFI Members.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION

5. The Committee adopted the Agenda and Timetable for the session, with the following two changes: i) the addition of sub-item 9.3: International year of artisanal fisheries and aquaculture; and ii) a change in the timing of Agenda item 12 from Thursday 14 July to the afternoon of Tuesday 12 July, immediately after Agenda item 7. The Agenda is attached as Appendix A to this Report. The list of documents which were placed before the Committee is shown in Appendix C.

DESIGNATION OF THE DRAFTING COMMITTEE

6. The following Members were elected to the Drafting Committee: Argentina, Bangladesh, Brazil, Canada, Congo, Egypt, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Morocco, New Zealand, Norway, Oman, Republic of Korea, Slovakia and Spain. Norway chaired the Drafting Committee.

STATE OF WORLD FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE AND PROGRESS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR RESPONSIBLE FISHERIES AND RELATED INSTRUMENTS

7. The Committee commended FAO for the 2016 State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture (SOFIA) publication which constituted a global reference for fisheries and aquaculture data, statistics and information. It called upon Members to strengthen national data collection systems in order to support the scientific and decision making processes in responsible fisheries and aquaculture management.

8. The Committee expressed concern about the state of fish stocks globally, noting that the proportion of overfished stocks had increased. The threat of illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing to the sustainability of marine resources was highlighted. Several Members called for better management of fishing capacity in order for it to be commensurate with the availability of fisheries resources.
9. The Committee underlined that in order for FAO to fulfil its mandate as the lead global agency for fisheries and aquaculture, it was necessary that the Organization maintained and strengthened its technical capacity in these fields.

10. The importance of aquaculture in the provision of livelihoods and fish as food was underscored as the sector now provided more than half of all fish for human consumption.

11. The important linkages between fish and nutrition were also addressed, particularly in light of recommendations by the Second International Conference on Nutrition (ICN2).

12. The need for the development of international guidelines on post-harvest losses was stressed by some Members and FAO was urged to continue its work in this field.

13. The Committee welcomed the improvements in the 2015 questionnaire on the implementation of the FAO Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries (the Code) and noted the all-time record in response rate. It requested FAO to continue improving the web-based questionnaire and related information systems and encouraged Members to maintain their commitment in reporting.

14. The Committee agreed that the data and information submitted through the Code questionnaire could be used by Members for reporting on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) indicators and Aichi Biodiversity Targets, for which supplementary questions could be added, as necessary. In using the data for ad hoc reports and assessments, the Committee called upon FAO to consider confidentiality aspects in consultation with the Members concerned, as appropriate.

15. The Committee recognized the challenges faced by developing countries in implementing the Code and the need for capacity development.

16. The role of regional fisheries management organizations (RFMOs) and other regional processes for the management of common fisheries resources, through effective management and governance frameworks, was highlighted.

17. The Committee recognized the importance of the small-scale fisheries sector and the role of the FAO Blue Growth Initiative (BGI) in improving the sustainability of capture fisheries and aquaculture.

18. The Committee requested FAO to draw up efficient climate change adaptation and mitigation strategies for the fisheries and aquaculture sectors.

19. Some Members reiterated their request for mistakes concerning the assessment of certain species in SOFIA to be corrected, and other Members asked FAO to avoid using the previous SOFIA categories on stock status in their communications.

20. The Committee highlighted the importance of safety at sea in the fisheries sector and expressed its satisfaction with the close collaboration between FAO and the International Labour Organization (ILO) and the International Maritime Organization (IMO).

21. The Committee welcomed the offer of the United States of America to fund an expert workshop to review the findings of recent international marine mammal bycatch workshop.

22. The Committee endorsed the Report of the Fifteenth Session of the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade, held in Agadir, Morocco (22–26 February 2016), and thanked the Government of the Kingdom of Morocco for hosting the session.

23. The Committee underlined the important function of the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade as a forum for Members on technical and policy-related trade issues, and some Members also highlighted the importance of the technical expertise of FAO in support of the Sub-Committee’s work.

24. The Committee expressed support for the capacity-building activities of FAO on post-harvest and market access issues, in particular for small-scale producers and processors in developing countries.

25. The Committee highlighted the role of fisheries and aquaculture in food security and nutrition and welcomed the efforts of FAO to better integrate fisheries and aquaculture in food security and nutrition strategies and programmes.

26. The Committee welcomed the increased cooperation between the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade and the Sub-Committee on Aquaculture and called for further strengthening this cooperation.

27. The Committee welcomed the inclusion of a number of new items on the Sub-Committee of Fish Trade agenda, ensuring the continued relevance of the Sub-Committee’s recommendations.

28. It was noted that the Sub-Committee expressed its support to the proposal of the Republic of Korea to create and host the FAO World Fisheries University, noting that it would be further discussed at the Thirty-second Session of COFI.

29. The Committee underlined the importance of trade in fisheries services and welcomed the work of FAO on conducting a literature review on the subject, including on aquaculture services.

30. The Committee noted the importance of including social and labour conditions into the agenda of the Sub-Committee.

31. The Committee highlighted the importance of reducing food waste and losses, in particular in the post-harvest value chain, and welcomed further work in this area.

32. The Committee emphasized the importance of resilience throughout the seafood value chain, especially for the small-scale sector and vulnerable coastal States and Small Island Developing States (SIDS) in the face of natural disasters and climate change.

33. The Committee reiterated its support for the work of FAO on commercially-exploited aquatic species of interest to the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES), and underlined the useful and important role of the FAO Expert Advisory Panel (the Panel) in reviewing CITES listing proposals for those species.
34. The Committee requested FAO to continue its collaboration with CITES in order to support implementation of CITES requirements.

35. Once again, some Members recommended that the work of the Panel be funded by the FAO Regular Programme. Some Members also supported the exploration of alternatives for the possible funding mechanism of the Panel to ensure an equitable contribution from a diversity of FAO Members to the Panel.

36. Some Members encouraged FAO to conduct comprehensive reviews on the impacts caused by CITES listings on conservation and management of fishery resources, as well as on socio-economics of regional communities. However, this was opposed by some Members and there was no overall consensus.

37. The Committee expressed support for the collaboration of FAO with other international organizations and arrangements, including CITES, Codex Alimentarius Commission (CAC) and World Trade Organization (WTO) on trade issues in general, and on fisheries subsidies in particular.

38. The Committee recognized that fish trade was of importance to fisheries development. Many Members expressed concern on unilateral measures and requirements, including private, national and regional standards, which could not be consistent with international law and represent WTO inconsistent technical barriers to trade.

39. The Committee commended the work of FAO in improving the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (Harmonized System) for fish products in collaboration with the World Customs Organization (WCO) and encouraged FAO to continue this activity with a focus on refining harmonized tariff schedules for endangered species which require improved monitoring in trade, and on a possible distinction between farmed and wild species.

40. Many Members underlined the fundamental role of RFMOs in fisheries management and encouraged FAO to continue to collaborate with them, including on trade-related matters.

41. The Committee welcomed the kind invitation of the Republic of Korea to host the Sixteenth Session of the Sub-Committee.

**Catch Documentation Schemes**

42. The Committee reiterated the critical role that Catch Documentation Schemes (CDS) could play in combating IUU fishing. The Committee agreed that the Voluntary Guidelines for CDS (the Guidelines) could serve as a fundamental guiding document for Members and the international community, and specifically benefit working groups of RFMOs.

43. The Committee expressed appreciation to the Chair of the Technical Consultation on the Guidelines and commended him and FAO on the great efforts made in supporting Members’ efforts in developing the Guidelines.

44. The Committee noted that after two sessions of the Technical Consultation and two informal meetings, an agreement had not been reached on two outstanding paragraphs. The Committee agreed that the Technical Consultation should resume briefly, to allow Members to table new proposals aimed at solving the two outstanding paragraphs. The Committee expressed strong support for the Technical Consultation to continue the work and called for greater flexibility and cooperation amongst Members to finalize the Guidelines.
45. Some Members stressed that the Committee should seek consensus during its Thirty-second Session since the majority of the text has been agreed upon. Members expressed a strong reservation on deferring this item to the Thirty-third Session of COFI in 2018. Members also expressed concern over the limited availability of financial resources that would be necessary in order to reconvene another technical consultation session for the two pending paragraphs.

46. Some Members underscored that more time was needed to finalize the Guidelines and stressed that different fishery situations and responsibilities along the supply chain should be considered. Members also expressed concerns on the procedure adopted to develop the Guidelines which did not enable the participation of many Members, in particular developing countries and SIDS. Some Members suggested submitting the Guidelines to the next Sub-Committee on Fish Trade in 2017 and seeking adoption at the Thirty-third Session of COFI.

47. Some Members reiterated the importance of capacity building and technical assistance in implementing the Guidelines for developing countries and small-scale fisheries.

48. The Committee authorized the Technical Consultation to: i) resume its session again as soon as possible and address and resolve the two outstanding paragraphs; ii) finalize the Guidelines; and iii) submit the Guidelines to the FAO Conference at its Fortieth Session in July 2017 for final adoption.

49. Members highlighted the need to be informed of the next meeting of the Technical Consultation and to receive the working documents translated in all FAO official languages well in advance in order to allow the necessary analysis and preparation by the country representatives.

50. Some Members noted that it would be extremely difficult to attend the Technical Consultation during the rest of 2016.

51. The Committee invited Members to offer financial support to resume the Technical Consultation and called for cooperation amongst all Members to finalize the Guidelines as soon as possible. Some Members highlighted the need to access the Assistance Fund under Part VII of the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks (UNFSA).

DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EIGHTH SESSION OF THE COFI SUB-COMMITTEE ON AQUACULTURE, BRASILIA, BRAZIL, 5–9 OCTOBER 2015

52. The Committee endorsed the Report of the Eighth session of the Sub-Committee on Aquaculture, held in Brasilia, Brazil (5–9 October 2015), and thanked the Government of Brazil for hosting the session.

53. The Committee recalled the importance of aquaculture for food security, nutrition, poverty alleviation, income generation, employment and trade, and noted the need to improve the contribution of small-scale aquaculture towards these benefits.

54. The Committee also highlighted the need to ensure that continued growth of aquaculture production was done in a sustainable manner, noting that aquaculture could have a positive impact on the environment.
55. The Committee appreciated the work and endorsed the proposed work plan of the Advisory Working Group on Aquatic Genetic Resources and Technologies (WG-AqGR). Some Members stressed that Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOs) should not be a part of its work.

56. The Committee also expressed the need for close collaboration between the WG-AqGR and the Commission on Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture (CGRFA).

57. The Committee welcomed the increased cooperation between the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade and the Sub-Committee on Aquaculture and called for further strengthening of this cooperation.

58. The Committee supported the Sub-Committee’s strategic framework and priority areas for future work.

59. The Committee stressed the need for improving aquaculture production efficiency and requested the assistance of FAO in establishing sustainable aquaculture development, particularly in SIDS.

60. The Committee underlined the need for enhancing youth and women employment, capacity development in aquaculture, farmer networks, access to markets, biosecurity, addressing occupation and safety hazards, and requested the assistance of FAO in these areas.

61. The Committee highlighted inadequate data on aquaculture production and its effects on employment and poverty alleviation, and called upon Members to improve such data collection and reporting.

62. The Committee called for enhanced collaboration between FAO and relevant international and regional organizations, such as regional fishery bodies (RFBs), to facilitate better data collection, information and knowledge dissemination, and to avoid duplication.

63. Many Members requested the assistance of FAO to provide guidance on the production of good quality, environmentally-friendly and economically-sustainable fish feeds.

64. Many Members called for the implementation of the FAO Technical Guidelines for Aquaculture Certification and requested the assistance of FAO in implementing these guidelines.

65. The Committee welcomed the kind invitation of the Islamic Republic of Iran to host the Ninth session of the Sub-Committee on Aquaculture in Tehran, from 23 to 26 October 2017.

**COMBATTING ILLEGAL, UNREPORTED AND UNREGULATED (IUU) FISHING**

66. The Committee welcomed the entry into force of the 2009 FAO Agreement on Port State Measures to Prevent, Deter and Eliminate Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing (PSMA) and encouraged the non-Parties to join the Agreement. Several Members informed that they had initiated or were completing their internal processes to become a Party.

67. The Committee encouraged Parties to the PSMA to convene an inception meeting as soon as possible, to address various aspects of the implementation of the PSMA and to establish the ad hoc working group under Article 21, and called on FAO to establish points of contact for reporting and electronic exchange of information.
68. The Committee noted that both Parties and non-Parties to the PSMA required capacity development assistance. In this regard, the Committee called for support to the global capacity development umbrella programme of FAO on the PSMA and related international instruments to combat IUU fishing. The Republic of Korea offered to contribute financially to this programme.

69. The Committee noted that the implementation of the PSMA would not eliminate IUU fishing on its own, and highlighted the importance of addressing IUU fishing through all appropriate means, including strengthened flag State performance, coastal State responsibilities and market measures. In this regard, the Committee was informed of the results of ITLOS Case 21 and of the increase in number of IUU fishing vessels in the North Pacific. The firm commitment and coordination at national, subregional and regional levels to combat IUU fishing was also underscored, including the need to address the demand for illegal products in the market.

70. The Committee voiced strong support for the Global Record of Fishing Vessels, Refrigerated Transport Vessels and Supply Vessels (Global Record) and its continued development, and recognized that it could play an important role as a tool in combatting IUU fishing and supporting the implementation of the PSMA and other related international instruments.

71. The Committee commended the progress made on the Global Record, in particular the establishment and work of the Global Record Informal Open-Ended Technical and Advisory Working Group (GRWG), specialized core working groups and pilot project, and urged broader participation, including in the provision of data by Members. Some Members encouraged the use of IMO numbers for the purpose of the Global Record.

72. Some Members expressed the need for collaboration with existing vessel record initiatives, particularly the ones provided under the FAO Compliance Agreement and those of RFMOs, in order to avoid duplication.

73. Some Members underscored the need for an in-depth cost-benefit analysis and agreement on a stable financing programme before further progressing with the Global Record’s long-term operation.

74. The Committee endorsed the proposal to declare an International Day for the Fight against IUU Fishing.

75. The Committee broadly welcomed the work of the Joint FAO/IMO Ad Hoc Working Group on IUU Fishing and Related Matters (JWG) and recommended that meetings should be more frequent and that the ILO formally joins the JWG.

76. Some Members noted that transnational organized criminal networks are also frequently associated with IUU fishing, but recognized that the mandates of FAO and the United Nation Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) complemented and supplemented each other, and efforts should thus be coordinated and not duplicated.

77. Some Members considered that there should be a clear distinction between IUU fishing and transnational organized crimes.
Some Members referred to specific challenges that inland fisheries face with IUU fishing and that these should be urgently addressed.

The Committee supported the development of technical guidelines on methodologies and indicators by FAO for the estimation of the magnitude and impact of IUU fishing. It also called for the reliable periodic estimates of IUU fishing, including at the regional level.

ROLE OF FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE IN FOOD SECURITY AND THE SECOND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON NUTRITION (ICN2) FOLLOW-UP: NUTRITION-RELATED IMPLICATIONS FOR FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE, INCLUDING LOSS AND WASTE OF FOOD

The Committee reaffirmed its commitment to follow up on ICN2, its Rome Declaration on Nutrition, and the Framework for Action.

Members highlighted the valuable contributions of fish and fish products to meet nutritional requirements, diversify diets, and provide important health benefits.

Members also reported on efforts undertaken to prioritize fish consumption and increase the contribution of fisheries and aquaculture to healthy diets, livelihoods and improved nutrition.

The Committee unanimously endorsed the key areas of work identified for ICN2 follow-up in the fisheries and aquaculture sector.

The Committee recommended developing policies and field programmes that allowed countries to invest in nutrition-focused fish and aquaculture value chain development, giving particular attention to the role of small- and medium-scale enterprises.

The Committee further pointed to the need to give adequate consideration to policies and interventions that make the nutritional benefits of increased fish consumption available to all.

The Committee underscored the importance of adopting sustainable practices and food safety measures in fisheries and aquaculture.

In order to promote nutrition sensitive food production, the Committee encouraged cooperation across departments within FAO, among Rome-based agencies and among state and non-state actors, including the private sector and civil society.

The Committee recognized the benefits of close collaboration between COFI and the Committee on World Food Security (CFS) to maximize and sustain the focus on food security, and the nutrition-focus of fisheries and aquaculture.

The Committee supported the development of an FAO technical guideline addressing the causes of and remedies to food losses and waste, and noted Norway's offer to contribute financially towards this.

The Committee recognized the important role of FAO in coordinating existing databases on the nutritional composition of fish and fish products and in addressing information gaps and research needs related to the contribution of fish and seafood to improved nutrition.
91. The Committee also acknowledged opportunities provided by the United Nations Decade of Action on Nutrition and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development to reinforce the nutrition-focus of fisheries and aquaculture development.

SECURING SUSTAINABLE SMALL-SCALE FISHERIES

92. The Committee reconfirmed the multi-dimensional function of small-scale fisheries in poverty reduction, food security, nutrition, social cohesion, stability and development, cultural values, income and employment generation and livelihoods.

93. The Committee stressed the importance of the Voluntary Guidelines for Securing Sustainable Small-Scale Fisheries in the Context of Food Security and Poverty Eradication (SSF Guidelines) as a tool for achieving sustainable small-scale fisheries in developing and developed countries.

94. The Committee commended FAO for the SSF Guidelines implementation activities and encouraged the continuation of these, in close collaboration with all appropriate stakeholders.

95. The Committee called for guidance on ecolabelling, market access, benefit distribution and competitiveness in the context of the SSF Guidelines implementation.

96. The Committee noted the progress by Members in support of the SSF Guidelines implementation, in particular the involvement of small-scale fisheries stakeholders in decision-making processes.

97. The Committee strongly welcomed the inclusion of the SSF Guidelines in regional and national policies and strategies and related implementation activities, including beyond the fisheries sector, and encouraged FAO to continue these mainstreaming efforts, including the involvement of FAO regional offices and regional organizations.

98. The Committee suggested that small-scale fisheries be included as a key component in the BGI and other FAO strategic plans.

99. The Committee welcomed the development of an FAO SSF Umbrella Assistance Programme and agreed on the need for a complementary mechanism in the form of an SSF Guidelines Global Strategic Framework (SSF-GSF) to be developed with the full and effective participation of all regions and in consultation with all small-scale fisheries stakeholders.

100. The Committee invited FAO to further spell out the purpose, role and structure of the SSF-GSF, stressing its function in relation to information and experience-sharing, and in promoting an inclusive and holistic approach.

101. The Committee confirmed the need for further funding and welcomed the FAO SSF Umbrella Programme as a mechanism to mobilize extra-budgetary resources and encouraged Members to join Norway in supporting projects under this Programme.

102. The Committee appreciated the commitment by some Members in supporting regional processes and the collaboration between FAO, IFAD and the civil society organizations (CSOs).

103. The proposal for an International Year of Artisanal Fisheries and Aquaculture was noted as an opportunity to further consolidate efforts to improve small-scale fisheries.
104. Some Members called on FAO to support the implementation of the SSF Guidelines, including through awareness raising and capacity development.

105. The Committee stressed the prominent role of governments in securing sustainable small-scale fisheries.

106. The Committee also suggested exploring the role of the SSF-GSF in relation to monitoring the progress of achieving the relevant SDG targets, while recognizing that the responsibility of SDG reporting lies with the countries.

**Outcome of and follow-up to the Global Conference on Inland Fisheries**

107. The Committee welcomed the outcomes of the 2015 Global Conference on Inland Fisheries and the Ten Steps to Responsible Inland Fisheries, highlighting the linkages to the SSF Guidelines and the Voluntary Guidelines on the Responsible Governance of Tenure of Land, Fisheries and Forests (VGGT) in the context of national food security.

108. The Committee emphasized the importance of inland fisheries for food security, livelihoods and economic development, noting that they are particularly important for inland rural communities and landlocked countries.

109. The Committee further observed that inland fisheries have not been granted adequate attention in the past, and that their contribution and value is often underestimated.

110. The Committee took note of the Ten Steps to Responsible Inland Fisheries and requested FAO to develop a plan for their implementation.

111. With respect to Step 6 of the Ten Steps, the Committee noted that the management of inland fisheries in transboundary water resources was the competence of riparian countries and, where appropriate, competent regional arrangements.

112. The Committee noted the importance of recreational fisheries, especially in relation to tourism.

113. The Committee requested FAO to provide best practice guidance on the management of inland fisheries, particularly within broader planning frameworks.

114. The Committee noted the difficulties faced in accurately measuring inland fisheries production and recommended the development of an effective methodology to monitor and assess the status of inland fisheries, to underpin their value, to give them appropriate recognition and to support their management. It requested that FAO develop this assessment methodology, including broader ecosystem considerations that impact inland fisheries.

115. The Committee further recommended regional quantitative assessment, possibly through pilot studies and workshops. It agreed that this would also contribute in monitoring the progress of achieving the SDGs and the Aichi Biodiversity Targets.

116. The Committee requested the inclusion of inland fisheries in subsequent sessions of COFI.
Outcome of and follow-up to the Tenure and Fishing Rights 2015: A global forum on rights-based approaches for fisheries

117. The Committee commended FAO for the global forum on rights-based approaches for fisheries hosted by Cambodia in collaboration with FAO and other partners and welcomed the initiative of FAO on the complex topic of rights-based approaches for fisheries.

118. The Committee noted that there was no one-size-fits-all form of tenure or rights-based approach and that rights’ frameworks needed to be adapted to local contexts, through the use of inclusive, consultative and co-management approaches.

119. The Committee welcomed the Global Work Programme (GWP) and underlined that FAO was the appropriate forum and should serve as the neutral platform for advancing knowledge on rights-based approaches.

120. Many Members provided regional experience and expressed appreciation of the global forum. They also welcomed the follow-up activities and highlighted that the Policy Framework and Reform Strategy for Fisheries and Aquaculture in Africa (PFRS) already supported the promotion of rights-based approaches.

121. The Committee underlined the important role of FAO in providing knowledge, institutional support and assistance for developing rights-based fisheries management systems.

122. It was recommended that the title of thematic area 5 be changed to “Fisheries rights in the context of transboundary resources”.

123. Members recommended the creation of a database for existing rights-based management systems.

124. The Committee noted that the term “governance” was broad and general and that it was not defined in any international agreements and other instruments relevant to the work of this Committee.

125. Some Members suggested that GWP should be integrated into SSF-GSF and the VGGT.

International year of artisanal fisheries and aquaculture

126. The Committee endorsed the proposal for the Declaration of the International Year of Artisanal Fisheries and Aquaculture, taking into account the existing FAO policy on the proclamation and implementation of international years, and acknowledging that this proposal needed to be further considered by all relevant FAO Governing Bodies.

GLOBAL AND REGIONAL PROCESSES

United Nations (UN) related matters

127. The Committee noted the delay in making available the relevant working documents for this agenda item.

128. The Committee commended the role FAO played in UN fora and processes devoted to fisheries and aquaculture, climate change, SDGs and biodiversity. The Committee advised FAO to increase its leadership role in these processes, as well as its coordination and cooperation with other relevant bodies. In this context, it was suggested that FAO increase its
129. Some Members noted the increase in the past decades of global instruments and processes focusing on fisheries, and highlighted that the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) should be the cornerstone of such international instruments.

130. The Committee welcomed the outcomes of the resumed Review Conference on UNFSA held in May 2016 and called on Members to contribute to the Assistance Fund under Part VII of UNFSA.

131. The Committee recognized the need to enhance the participation of FAO to provide technical expertise in the biodiversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction (BBNJ) negotiating process.

132. Many Members noted that the BBNJ process should not undermine existing relevant legal instruments and frameworks and relevant global, regional and sectorial bodies, as agreed in UN resolution document 69/292 paragraph 3.

133. The Committee welcomed the submission of the FAO Secretariat document on the work of FAO relating to the elements of the draft BBNJ text.

134. The Committee highlighted the importance of the ongoing processes related to Agenda 2030 on SDGs and took note of the upcoming UN Conference to support the implementation of SDG 14 to be held in Fiji in June 2017. The Committee encouraged FAO to continue to support the preparatory process and also to support Members in the preparation of national reports on the relevant SDG targets.

135. The Committee requested that FAO contribute to the upcoming review at the United Nations of the actions taken by States and RFMOs/RFBs to address the impacts of bottom fishing on vulnerable marine ecosystems in order to inform on the progress achieved in this regard.

136. The Committee welcomed the outcomes and recommendations of the joint expert meeting on Aichi target 6, and invited FAO to strengthen cooperation with the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) and recommended that FAO make available suitable indicators for monitoring progress towards achieving relevant Aichi targets.

137. The Committee welcomed the initiative of CBD, FAO and United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), and expressed its appreciation to the Republic of Korea for organizing a meeting on Sustainable Ocean Initiative Global Dialogue with Regional Seas Organizations (RSOs) and RFBs in September 2016 in Seoul.

138. Some Members raised a concern on the preparation process of the International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN) Red List. It was suggested that FAO cooperate with IUCN regarding the listing of fisheries species on the IUCN Red List.

Regional fishery bodies (RFB) related matters

139. Many Members highlighted the crucial role played by RFMOs/RFBs and noted the expansion of the RFBs network. Members called upon FAO and RFMOs/RFBs to publicize the achievements of these bodies, while recognizing that challenges remain.
140. The Committee expressed appreciation for the role of the Regional Fishery Body Secretariats Network (RSN) in promoting cooperation within the RFMOs/RFBs community and praised the support of FAO. Members recognized the cooperation between RFMOs/RFBs and the Regional Seas Conventions and Action Plans (RSCAP).

141. The Committee appreciated the establishment of new RFMOs/RFBs, such as the Southern Indian Ocean Fisheries Agreement (SIOFA) and the North Pacific Fisheries Commission (NPFC). The Committee reiterated the calls for support to the Red Sea and Gulf of Aden, the Caspian Sea and the Fishery Committee for the Eastern Central Atlantic (CECAF) and the Western Central Atlantic Fishery Commission (WECAFC) regions.

142. Several Members expressed concern with regard to the selection process of the Indian Ocean Tuna Commission (IOTC) Executive Secretary and its consistency with the established IOTC rules of procedure and called for an urgent solution that respects the legitimate rules and procedures of IOTC.

143. The Committee emphasized the importance of regular and transparent performance reviews of RFMOs/RFBs and implementation of their relevant recommendations in a timely and effective manner.

**Climate change and other environment related matters**

144. The Committee welcomed the proposed FAO corporate Climate Change Strategy and Action Plan and the FAO draft Strategy for Fisheries, Aquaculture and Climate Change for 2017–2020. The Committee recognized the important role of the Ocean on climate change and the impacts of climate change on the Ocean, fisheries and aquaculture. The Committee requested that FAO provide guidance, including a more detailed roadmap and technical guidelines on adaptive management measures in response to the impacts of climate change on fisheries resources.

145. Members welcomed the inclusion of the Ocean and ocean-dependent communities in the global climate change discussions and looked forward to keeping momentum for the forthcoming Twenty-second Session of the Conference of the Parties (COP22) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) in Marrakech. The specific role of coral reefs and their vulnerability to climate change was noted.

146. The Committee supported FAO’s definition of resilience with particular reference to climate change, and expressed appreciation for the work of FAO on resilience and called on FAO to continue to support capacity development programmes aimed at strengthening resilience and disaster relief.

147. The Committee expressed concern for the increasing problem of marine litter and microplastics.

148. The Committee welcomed the work of FAO with respect to the issue of abandoned, lost or otherwise discarded fishing gear (ALDFG), as well as the recommendations from the Expert Consultation on the Marking of Fishing Gear, noting that gear marking could be a critical tool for reducing ALDFG and IUU fishing. The Committee supported the proposed technical consultation to further develop the guidelines on marking of fishing gear. Members encouraged FAO to conduct pilot projects to avoid ghost fishing by retrieving ALDFG and on fishing gear marking in developing countries in order to facilitate the implementation of these guidelines.
149. The Committee noted concern over threats to marine life and ecosystems originating from oil spills, shipping and offshore oil platforms, as well as the lack of applicable effective international instruments to address this issue.

**FAO’S PROGRAMME OF WORK IN FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE UNDER THE FAO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK**

150. The Committee considered FAO’s programme of work in fisheries and aquaculture under the FAO Strategic Framework and appreciated the achievements in 2014–2015, which contributed to the accomplishment of the FAO Strategic Objectives.

151. The Committee reiterated its support for the BGI, with its four streams of work, as the mean to focus the work of FAO on fisheries and aquaculture in support of food security and nutrition, poverty reduction, sustainable management of living aquatic resources and resilience in the context of the SDGs.

152. The Committee endorsed the priority areas of work for 2016–2017 and emphasized the importance of the work of FAO to address IUU fishing and implementation of the PSMA, fish losses and waste in fisheries and aquaculture, strengthening regional aquaculture networks, promotion of the implementation of the SSF Guidelines, support to Members towards the development of inland fisheries, as well as the FAO corporate Climate Change Strategy.

153. The Committee underlined the critical importance of the work of FAO in collecting, analysing and disseminating statistics on fisheries and aquaculture, and expressed interest in having FAO provide guidance on catch monitoring and reporting in support of evidence-based decision-making.

154. The Committee requested the FAO Secretariat to take into account global and sector-specific developments and trends and the recommendations of the FAO Regional Conferences concerning fisheries and aquaculture in the preparation of the Medium Term Plan 2018–21.

155. The Committee encouraged FAO to work with other international organizations, RFBs and RFMOs to advocate the positive contribution of fisheries and aquaculture to sustainable development.

156. The Committee emphasized the value of the technical competence of FAO on fisheries and aquaculture, stressed the importance of maintaining and further strengthening that capacity, and awaited the outcome of the independent assessment of FAO’s technical capacity.

157. Many Members requested FAO for an equal emphasis on field level activities in the current biennium, including field level demonstration activities and capacity building for sustainable fisheries and aquaculture, in addition to its normative work that has been the focus in the 2014–2015 biennium.
PROPOSAL BY THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN FAO WORLD FISHERIES UNIVERSITY

158. The Committee took note of the statements delivered by the FAO Secretariat and the Republic of Korea on the revised proposal. The Committee also noted that no working document was provided for discussion under this agenda item.

159. The Committee welcomed the initiative and thanked the Republic of Korea for the proposal.

160. The Committee encouraged the Republic of Korea and the FAO Secretariat to cooperate and work together to agree on a roadmap for a step-by-step approach and to finalize it based on the evaluation of the results of the pilot partnership programme by the relevant FAO Governing Bodies.

MULTIYEAR PROGRAMME OF WORK (MYPOW) OF THE COMMITTEE

161. The Committee approved the progress report of the MYPOW 2014–2017 and the MYPOW 2016–2019 as attached in Appendix E.

ELECTION OF THE CHAIRPERSON AND VICE-CHAIRPERSONS OF THE THIRTY-THIRD SESSION OF COFI

162. The Committee elected Mr William Gibbons-Fly (United States of America) as Chairperson and Mr André Loua (Guinea) as First Vice-Chairperson. Egypt, Palau, Peru, Republic of Korea and Spain were elected as Vice-Chairpersons.

OTHER MATTERS

Developments in fora of importance for the mandate of COFI: for information

163. The Dominican Republic, on behalf of the Central America Fisheries and Aquaculture Organization (OSPESCA), suggested that synergies and collaboration be strengthened between various bodies at national, regional and global levels, including RFBs and RFMOs.

Any other matters

164. The United States of America suggested a proposal for FAO to work on transshipments and IUU fishing, covering: i) a review of current regulations and at sea transshipment practices, and consider which, if any, at sea transshipment activities should be authorized; ii) guidance on specific control mechanisms where transshipments are authorized and regulated; iii) review at sea transshipment authorization and notification procedures, reporting and transparency requirements and other tools used to provide independent monitoring and control over transshipment.

165. Many Members affirmed that their legislation prohibits transshipments in waters under their national jurisdiction. The Committee noted the United States of America proposal and provided additional suggestions regarding control mechanisms, the use of the Global Record and collaboration with RFMOs, and encouraged FAO to initiate work on transshipments.
166. Mexico invited Members and other interested parties to join the 13th Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity, held in Cancun, Mexico (4–17 December 2016), emphasizing that this meeting would also focus on the integration of biodiversity issues in fisheries and aquaculture.

**DATE AND PLACE OF THE NEXT SESSION**

167. The Committee agreed that the Thirty-third Session of COFI will be held in Rome during the second or third quarter of 2018. The exact dates would be determined by the Director-General in consultation with the COFI Bureau, for presentation to the next FAO Council in December 2016 and the Fortieth FAO Conference in 2017.

**ADOPTION OF THE REPORT**

168. The report of the Thirty-second Session of COFI was adopted, after incorporating all changes agreed upon by consensus on 15 July 2016.
APPENDIX A

Agenda

1. Opening of the Session
2. Adoption of the Agenda and arrangements for the Session
3. Designation of the Drafting Committee
4. State of world fisheries and aquaculture and progress in the implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries and related instruments
5. Decisions and recommendations of the Fifteenth Session of the COFI Sub-Committee on Fish Trade, Agadir, Morocco, 22–26 February 2016
   5.1 Catch Documentation Schemes
6. Decisions and recommendations of the Eighth Session of the COFI Sub-Committee on Aquaculture, Brasilia, Brazil, 5–9 October 2015
7. Combatting illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing
8. Role of fisheries and aquaculture in food security and the Second International Conference on Nutrition (ICN2) Follow-up: Nutrition-related implications for fisheries and aquaculture, including loss and waste of food
9. Securing sustainable small-scale fisheries
   9.1 Outcome of and follow-up to the Global Conference on Inland Fisheries
   9.2 Outcome of and follow-up to the Tenure and Fishing Rights 2015: A global forum on rights-based approaches for fisheries
   9.3 International year of artisanal fisheries and aquaculture
10. Global and regional processes
   10.1 United Nations (UN) related matters
   10.2 Regional Fishery Bodies (RFB) related matters
   10.3 Climate change and other environment related matters
11. FAO's Programme of Work in fisheries and aquaculture under the FAO Strategic Framework
12. Proposal of the Republic of Korea for the establishment of an FAO World Fisheries University
13. Multiyear Programme of Work (MYPOW) of the Committee
14. Election of the Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons of the Thirty-third Session of COFI
15. Other matters
   15.1 Developments in fora of importance for the mandate of COFI: for information
   15.2 Any other matters
16. Date and place of the next session
17. Adoption of the report
# APPENDIX B

List of delegates and observers

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Members of the Committee/Membres du Comité/Miembros del Comité</th>
<th>Afghanistan/Afghanistán</th>
<th>Algeria/Algérie/Argelia</th>
<th>Angola</th>
<th>Argentina/Argentine</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Abdul Razak AYAZI</strong>&lt;br&gt;Agriculture Attaché&lt;br&gt;Embassy of Afghanistan&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italy&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 8611 009&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 86322939&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:arayazi@hotmail.com">arayazi@hotmail.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Carlos Alberto AMARAL</strong>&lt;br&gt;Ministre Conseiller&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d'Afghanistan&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: +39 06 54233017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:carlosamaral2@gmail.com">carlosamaral2@gmail.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Claudio J. ROZENCWAIG</strong>&lt;br&gt;Embajador&lt;br&gt;Representante Permanente ante la FAO&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 48073345&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 4890 6984&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:emfao@mrecic.gov.ar">emfao@mrecic.gov.ar</a></td>
<td><strong>Nazareno C. MONTANI CAZABAT</strong>&lt;br&gt;Representante Permanente alterno ante la FAO&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 4807 3345&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 4890 6984&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:emfao@mrecic.gov.ar">emfao@mrecic.gov.ar</a></td>
<td><strong>Joaquim Catinha CHIHENGOS António José DA SILVA</strong>&lt;br&gt;Directeur national de l’aquaculture&lt;br&gt;Diélobaka NDOMELE&lt;br&gt;Directeur de relations internationales&lt;br&gt;<strong>Ángelo do Rosário RAFAEL</strong>&lt;br&gt;Conseiller&lt;br&gt;Représentant permanent de la FAO&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d’Angola&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 5423 3017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:repfao@embangola.com">repfao@embangola.com</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Kamel NEGHLI</strong>&lt;br&gt;Chef de Cabinet&lt;br&gt;Ministère algérien de l'agriculture, du développement rural et de la pêche&lt;br&gt;Alger&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+213) 661 56 0280</td>
<td><strong>Kamal AMARAL</strong>&lt;br&gt;Ministre Conseiller&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d’Afghanistan&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: +39 06 54233017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:carlosamaral2@gmail.com">carlosamaral2@gmail.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Nazareno C. MONTANI CAZABAT</strong>&lt;br&gt;Representante Permanente alterno ante la FAO&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 4807 3345&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 4890 6984&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:emfao@mrecic.gov.ar">emfao@mrecic.gov.ar</a></td>
<td><strong>Joaquim Catinha CHIHENGOS António José DA SILVA</strong>&lt;br&gt;Directeur national de l’aquaculture&lt;br&gt;Diélobaka NDOMELE&lt;br&gt;Directeur de relations internationales&lt;br&gt;<strong>Ángelo do Rosário RAFAEL</strong>&lt;br&gt;Conseiller&lt;br&gt;Représentant permanent de la FAO&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d’Angola&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 5423 3017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:repfao@embangola.com">repfao@embangola.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Elisa CALVO</strong>&lt;br&gt;Subsecretaria de Pesca y Acuicultura&lt;br&gt;Ministerio de Agroindustria&lt;br&gt;Buenos Aires&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+54) 11 4349 2476&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:elical@magyp.gob.ar">elical@magyp.gob.ar</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Karima IDJER</strong>&lt;br&gt;Conseillère&lt;br&gt;Ministère algérien de l'agriculture, du développement rural et de la pêche&lt;br&gt;Alger&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+213) 661 56 0280</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Carlos Alberto AMARAL</strong>&lt;br&gt;Ministre Conseiller&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d’Afghanistan&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: +39 06 54233017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:carlosamaral2@gmail.com">carlosamaral2@gmail.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Carlos Alberto AMARAL</strong>&lt;br&gt;Ministre Conseiller&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d’Afghanistan&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: +39 06 54233017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:carlosamaral2@gmail.com">carlosamaral2@gmail.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Nazareno C. MONTANI CAZABAT</strong>&lt;br&gt;Representante Permanente alterno ante la FAO&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 4807 3345&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 4890 6984&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:emfao@mrecic.gov.ar">emfao@mrecic.gov.ar</a></td>
<td><strong>Joaquim Catinha CHIHENGOS António José DA SILVA</strong>&lt;br&gt;Directeur national de l’aquaculture&lt;br&gt;Diélobaka NDOMELE&lt;br&gt;Directeur de relations internationales&lt;br&gt;<strong>Ángelo do Rosário RAFAEL</strong>&lt;br&gt;Conseiller&lt;br&gt;Représentant permanent de la FAO&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d’Angola&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 5423 3017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:repfao@embangola.com">repfao@embangola.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Elisa CALVO</strong>&lt;br&gt;Subsecretaria de Pesca y Acuicultura&lt;br&gt;Ministerio de Agroindustria&lt;br&gt;Buenos Aires&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+54) 11 4349 2476&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:elical@magyp.gob.ar">elical@magyp.gob.ar</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Vitória DE BARROS NETO</strong>&lt;br&gt;Ministre des pêches de la République de l’Angola&lt;br&gt;Luanda&lt;br&gt;Florence DE ALMEIDA&lt;br&gt;Ambassadeur&lt;br&gt;Représentant permanent auprès de la FAO&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d’Angola&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 5423 3017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:repfao@embangola.com">repfao@embangola.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Tomás GERPE</strong>&lt;br&gt;Subsecretario de Pesca y Acuicultura&lt;br&gt;Ministerio de Agricultura, Ganadería y Pesca&lt;br&gt;Buenos Aires&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+54) 11 4363 67 42&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:ssy@magyp.gob.ar">ssy@magyp.gob.ar</a></td>
<td><strong>Joaquim Catinha CHIHENGOS António José DA SILVA</strong>&lt;br&gt;Directeur national de l’aquaculture&lt;br&gt;Diélobaka NDOMELE&lt;br&gt;Directeur de relations internationales&lt;br&gt;<strong>Ángelo do Rosário RAFAEL</strong>&lt;br&gt;Conseiller&lt;br&gt;Représentant permanent de la FAO&lt;br&gt;Embassade de la République d’Angola&lt;br&gt;Rome, Italie&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+39) 06 5423 3004&lt;br&gt;Fax: (+39) 06 5423 3017&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:repfao@embangola.com">repfao@embangola.com</a></td>
<td><strong>Elisa CALVO</strong>&lt;br&gt;Subsecretaria de Pesca y Acuicultura&lt;br&gt;Ministerio de Agroindustria&lt;br&gt;Buenos Aires&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+54) 11 4349 2476&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:elical@magyp.gob.ar">elical@magyp.gob.ar</a></td>
<td><strong>Alejandro LUPPINO</strong>&lt;br&gt;Secretario&lt;br&gt;Dirección de Consejería Legal&lt;br&gt;Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores y Culto&lt;br&gt;Buenos Aires&lt;br&gt;Phone: (+54) 11 4819 8008&lt;br&gt;E-mail: <a href="mailto:ahl@mrecic.gov.ar">ahl@mrecic.gov.ar</a></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

---

1 Based on the membership of COFI as at the time of the session. The current membership is available: www.fao.org/unfao/govbodies/gsbhome/committee-fi/en/
Reina Y.J. SOTILLO
Ministra
Dirección de Asuntos Económicos Multilaterales
Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores y Culto
Buenos Aires
Phone: (+54) 11 4819 7210
E-mail: rys@mrecic.gov.ar

AUSTRALIA/AUTRALIE
Greg FRENCH
Ambassador
Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of Australia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 852 721
Fax: (+39) 06 8527 2300
E-mail: faorep@dfat.gov.au

AZERBAIJAN/AZERBAİDŞAN/AZERBAİYÁN
Rauf HAJIYEV
Deputy Minister of Ecology and Natural Resources of the Republic of Azerbaijan
Baku
Phone: (+994) 12538 8513
Fax: (+994) 125925907
E-mail: emin.garabaghli@gmail.com

Mammad AHMADZADA
Permanent Representative to the UN Agencies in Rome
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 0 68535 7615
E-mail: rome@mission.gov.az

Mehman AKHUNDOV
Director of Fisheries
Research Institute of the Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources
Baku
Phone: (+994) 50 3245562
E-mail: azfiri@azeurotel.com

Zaur GADIMALIYEV
Second Secretary
Deputy Permanent to the UN Agencies in Rome
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 0 68535 7615
E-mail: z_gadimaliyev@mfa.gov.az

BANGLADESH
Mafizur RAHMAN
Counsellor
Embassy of the People’s Republic of Bangladesh
Rome, Italy
Tel: (+39) 06 8078 541
Fax: (+39) 06 8084 853
E-mail: embangrm@mclink.it

BOLIVIA (PLURINATIONAL STATE OF)/BOLIVIE (ÉTAT PLURINATIONAL DE)/BOLIVIA (ESTADO PLURINACIONAL DE)
Luis SÁNCHEZ-GÓMEZ
Encargado de Negocios a.i. del Estado Plurinacional de Bolivia en Italia
Embajada del Estado Plurinacional de Bolivia
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 884 1001
E-mail: infobolit@yahoo.it

ROXANA OLLER CATOIRA
Representante Alterno ante la FAO
Embajectada del Estado Plurinacional de Bolivia
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 8841 001
E-mail: roxoller@yahoo.com

MÁRIA EUGENIA GAZAUI
Asistente del Encargado de Negocios a.i.
Embajada del Estado Plurinacional de Bolivia
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 8841 001
E-mail: mariaeugeniagazaui@gmail.com

BAHAMAS
Edison DELEVEAUX
Deputy Director of Fisheries
Department of Marine Resources
Nassau
E-mail: edisondeleveaux@bahamas.gov.bs

Nicola SMITH
Ph.D. Candidate
Earth to Oceans Research Group
Department of Biological Sciences
Simon Fraser University

BRAZIL/BRÉSIL/BRASIL
Maria Laura DA ROCHA
Ambassador
Permanent Representative to FAO
Permanent Representation to FAO
Phone: (+39) 06 6830 7576
Fax: (+39) 06 6839 8802
E-mail: rebrasfao@itamaraty.gov.br
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Country</th>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Title/Position</th>
<th>Contact Information</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Cameroon</td>
<td>Emma BELAL</td>
<td>Directeur des pêches, de l’aquaculture et des industries halieutiques</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Ministère de l’élevage, des pêches et des industries animales</td>
<td>Yaounde</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Canada</td>
<td>Nadia BOUFFARD</td>
<td>Director General</td>
<td>Fisheries and Oceans Canada Ottawa</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>External Relations</td>
<td>Phone: (+1) 613 9983 111</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Andrew MCMASTER</td>
<td>Assistant Director</td>
<td>Global and Northern Affairs Bureau Fisheries and Oceans Canada Ottawa</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Phone: (+1) 613 9910 493</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Eric ROBINSON</td>
<td>Counsellor (Agriculture)</td>
<td>Embassy of Canada</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Phone: (+39) 06 85444 3603</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chile/Chile</td>
<td>Raúl SUNICO GALDAMES</td>
<td>Subsecretario de Pesca</td>
<td>Subsecretaría de Pesca Santiago de Chile</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>E-mail: <a href="mailto:rsunico@subpesca.cl">rsunico@subpesca.cl</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Fernando AYALA</td>
<td>Embajador</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>China/China</td>
<td>Lifeng CUI</td>
<td>Deputy Director of Bureau of Fisheries</td>
<td>Ministry of Agriculture Beijing</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Jianmin XIE</td>
<td>Counsellor</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Colombia</td>
<td>Felipe STEINER FRASER</td>
<td>Deputy Secretary</td>
<td>Embassy of Colombia Roma, Italy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Phone: (+39) 06 320 2405</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
**CONGO**

Henri DIOMBO  
Ministre d'État  
Ministère de l'agriculture de l'élevage et de la pêche  
Brazzaville  
Phone: (+242) 055517662  
Fax: +242 222811929  
E-mail: mboundourigobert@yahoo.fr

Mamadou KAMARA DEKAMO  
Ambassadeur  
Représentant permanent auprès de la FAO  
Ambassade de la République du Congo  
Rome, Italie  
Phone: (+39) 06 8417 422  
Fax: (+39) 06 8417 422  
E-Mail: ambacorome@gmail.com

Irène Marie Cécile MBOUKOU KIMBATSA  
Conseiller du Président de la République  
Chef du Département de l'agriculture, de l'élevage, de la pêche et de l'aquaculture  
Brazzaville  
Phone: (+242) 0669 25773  
E-mail: irenemboukou@hotmail.com

Marc MANKOUSSOU  
Conseiller  
Ambassade de la République du Congo  
Représentant Permanent Suppléant auprès de la FAO  
Rome, Italie  
Phone: (+39) 06 8417 422  
Fax: (+39) 06 8417 422

**CÔTE D'IVOIRE**

Kobenan Kouassi ADJOUMANI  
Ministre des ressources animales et halieutiques  
Abidjan  
Phone: (+225) 2022 9927  
Fax: (+225) 2022 991942  
E-mail: mirahcabo@yahoo.fr

Janine TAGLIANTI-SARACINO  
Ambassadeur auprès de la République italienne  
Ambassade de Côte d'Ivoire à Rome  
Rome, Italie  
Phone: (+39) 06 4423 1129  
Fax: (+39) 06 4411 8542  
E-mail: cotedivoirerep@yahoo.com

---

**COOK ISLANDS/ÎLES COOK/ISLAS COOK**

Tim COSTELLOE  
Director  
Offshore Division  
Ministry of Marine Resources  
Rarotonga  
E-mail: t.costelloe@mmr.gov.ck

Pablo J. INNECKEN Z.  
Representante Permanente Alterno ante la FAO  
Embajada de la República de Costa Rica ante la Santa Sede y Representación Permanente ante la FAO  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
Fax: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
E-mail: miscr-fao@rree.go.cr

Maria José SANSALONE  
Intern  
Embajada de la República de Costa Rica ante la Santa Sede y Representación Permanente ante la FAO  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
Fax: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
E-mail: miscr-fao@rree.go.cr

Lorenzo DANIELE  
Intern  
Embajada de la República de Costa Rica ante la Santa Sede y Representación Permanente ante la FAO  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
Fax: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
E-mail: miscr-fao@rree.go.cr

**COSTA RICA**

Gustavo MENÉSES CASTRO  
Presidente Ejecutivo  
Instituto Costarricense de Pesca y Acuicultura (INCOPESCA)  
Puntarenas  
E-mail: gmeneses@incopesca.go.cr

Marco Vinicio VARGAS PEREIRA  
Embajador  
Representante Permanente ante la FAO  
Embajada de la República de Costa Rica ante la Santa Sede y Representación Permanente ante la FAO  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
Fax: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
E-mail: miscr-fao@rree.go.cr

Antonio PORRAS PORRAS  
Director General Técnico  
Instituto Costarricense de Pesca y Acuicultura (INCOPESCA)  
Puntarenas  
E-mail: porrasantonio1@yahoo.com

Miguel Ángel OBREGÓN LÓPEZ  
Representante Permanente Adjunto ante la FAO  
Embajada de la República de Costa Rica ante la Santa Sede y Representación Permanente ante la FAO  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
Fax: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
E-mail: miscr-fao@rree.go.cr

Luis Fernando CECILIANO  
Representante Permanente Alterno ante la FAO  
Embajada de la República de Costa Rica ante la Santa Sede y Representación Permanente ante la FAO  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
Fax: (+39) 06 8066 0390  
E-mail: miscr-fao@rree.go.cr

**COOK ISLANDS/ÎLES COOK/ISLAS COOK**

Tim COSTELLOE  
Director  
Offshore Division  
Ministry of Marine Resources  
Rarotonga  
E-mail: t.costelloe@mmr.gov.ck
Kouame KANGA
Représentant permanent adjoint
Ambassade de Côte d'Ivoire à Rome
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 4425 8249
Fax: (+39) 06 4411 8542
E-mail: cotedivoirerep@yahoo.com

Chelom Niho GAGO
Conseiller technique du Ministre des ressources animales et halieutiques
Abidjan
Phone: (+225) 0778 3068
E-mail: gagoniho@yahoo.fr

Wroly Danielle SEPE NEE SERY
Représentant permanent suppléant
Ambassade du Côte d'Ivoire à Rome
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 4425 8249
Fax: (+39) 06 4411 8542
E-mail: cotedivoirerep@yahoo.com

Helguiè SHEP
Directeur de l'aquaculture et des pêches
Ministère des ressources animales et halieutiques
Abidjan
Phone: (+225) 0761 9221
E-mail: shelguile@yahoo.fr

CROATIA/CROATIE/CROACIA
Marcelja GABRIELLA
Technical Assistant to the Office of the Permanent Representation
Embassy of the Republic of Croatia to Italy and UN Agencies in Rome
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3630 6526
E-mail: vrhrim@mvep.hr

CUBA
Nora YONG MENA
Jefe de Delegación
Directora de Coordinación
Relaciones Internacionales y Comunicación
Ministerio de la Industria
Alimentaria de Cuba
La Habana
E-mail: nora.yong@minal.cu

Elisa GARCIA RODRIGUEZ
Directora de Regulaciones Pesqueras y ciencias
Ministerio de la Industria
Alimentaria de Cuba
La Habana
E-mail: elisa.garcia@minal.cu

Rebeca CUTIÉ CANCINO
Representante Adjunta ante Organismos Internacionales
Embajada de la República de Cuba a Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 5717 3704
Fax: (+39) 06 5745 445
E-mail: embajada@ecuitalia.it

Roger LOPEZ GARCIA
Encargado de Negocios a.i.
Embajada de la República de Cuba a Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 5745 445
E-mail: embajada@ecuitalia.it

CYPUS/CHYPRE/CHIPRE
George POULIDES
Ambassadour
Permanent Representative to the UN Agencies
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 686 5758
Fax: (+39) 06 6880 3756
E-mail: faoprcyp@tin.it

Spyridon ELLINAS
Alternate Permanent Representative to the UN Agencies
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 686 5758
Fax: (+39) 06 6880 3756
E-mail: saellinas@hotmail.com

CZECH REPUBLIC/RÉPUBLIQUE TCHÈQUE/REPÚBLICA CHECA
Petr CHALUPA
Officer
Fisheries Department
Ministry of Agriculture
Phone: (+420) 725 068 941
E-mail: petr.chalupa@mze.cz

DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA/RÉPUBLIQUE POPULAIRE DEMOCRÁTICA DE COREA
Song Chol RIM
Deputy Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 5422 0749/5924 034
Fax: (+39) 06 5421 0090
E-mail: ekodpri@alice.it

Jong Hyok KIM
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 5422 0749; 06 5924034
Fax: (+39) 06 5421 0090
E-mail: ekodpri@alice.it

Kouakou André KOUASSI
Agent du Ministère des ressources animales et halieutiques
Abidjan
Phone: (+39) 06 4425 8249
Fax: (+39) 06 4411 8542
E-mail: cotedivoirerep@yahoo.com

Kouadio Jean Desire ADOU
Agent du Ministère des ressources animales et halieutiques
Abidjan
Phone: (+39) 06 4425 8249
Fax: (+39) 06 4411 8542
E-mail: cotedivoirerep@yahoo.com
DENMARK/DANEMARK/ DINAMARCA
Lars Bjarne Famme POULSEN
Special Consultant
Ministry of Environment and Food
The Danish AgriFish Agency Centre for Fisheries
Copenhagen
Phone: (+45) 4193 2302
E-mail: labfpo@naturerhverv.dk

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC/ RÉPUBLIQUE DOMINICAINE/ REPÚBLICA DOMINICANA
Mario ARVELO
Embajador ante la FAO
Representación Permanente ante la FAO
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 380 2504006
E-mail: mario@marioarvelo.com
Julia VICIOSO
Ministra Consejera
Representante Alterna ante la FAO
Representación Permanente ante la FAO
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 338 9899634
E-mail: juliavicioso@gmail.com
Diana INFANTE QUINONES
Consejera
Representante Alterna ante la FAO
Representación Permanente ante la FAO
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 380 2504006
E-mail: mario@marioarvelo.com
María Cristina LAUREANO
Primera Secretaria
Representante Alterna ante la FAO
Representación Permanente ante la FAO
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 340 9028230
E-mail: marialaureano313@gmail.com

ECUADOR/ÉQUATEUR
Javier PONCE CEVALLOS
Ministro de Agricultura, Ganadería, Acuacultura y Pesca
Ministerio de Agricultura, Ganadería, Acuacultura y Pesca
Quito
Phone: (+593) 2396-0100
E-mail: ministro@magap.gob.ec
Pilar PROAÑO
Viceministra de Pesca y Acuicultura
Ministerio de Agricultura, Ganadería, Acuacultura y Pesca
Quito
Phone: (+593) 2396-0100
Juan Fernando HOLGUIN FLORES
Embajador
Representante Permanente ante la FAO
Embajada de la República del Ecuador
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 8967 2820
Fax: (+39) 06 8967 2821
E-mail: mecuroma@ecuador.it
José Antonio CARRANZA BARONA
Representante Permanente Alterno ante la FAO
Embajada de la República del Ecuador
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 8967 2820
Fax: (+39) 06 8967 2821
E-mail: mecuroma@ecuador.it
David TROYA ESQUIVEL
Representante Permanente Alterno ante la FAO
Embajada de la República del Ecuador
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 8967 2820
Fax: (+39) 06 8967 2821
E-mail: mecuroma@ecuador.it
Monica MALDONADO
Directora Ejecutiva
Cámara Ecuatoriana de Industriales y Procesadores Atuneros (CEIPA)
Manta
Phone: (+593) 052 620 584
E-mail: ceipa@ceipa.com.ec

EGYPT/ÉGYPTE/EGIPTO
Madani Mahmoud MADANI ALI
Head
Central Department of General Authority for Fish Resources Development
Phone: (+201) 12087 2682
Fax: (+202) 2262 0117
E-mail: madani_gafrd@yahoo.com
Khaled EL TAWEEL
First Secretary
Permanent Representative to the UN Agencies in Rome
Embassy of the Arab Republic of Egypt
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8440 191
Fax: (+39) 06 8554 424
E-mail: khaled.eltaweel@mfa.gov.eg

EL SALVADOR
Gustavo Antonio PORTILLO PORTILLO
Director General
Centro de Desarrollo de la Pesca y Acuicultura (CENDEPESCA)
Ministerio de Agricultura y Ganadería
San Salvador
Phone: (+503) 2210 1760
E-mail: gustavo.portillo@mag.gob.sv
EQUATORIAL GUINEA/ GUINÉE ÉQUATORIALE/ GUINEA ECUATORIAL

Estanislao MALAVO
Ministro de Pesca y Recursos Hídricos
Ministerio de Pesca y Recursos Hídricos
Malabo
Phone: (+240) 09 3408 2119
E-mail: mateonsogo@gmail.com

Cecilia Obono NDONG NCHAMA
Embajadora
Representante Permanente ante la FAO
Embajada de la República de Guinea Ecuatorial
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 8845 575
Fax: (+39) 06 8408 0788
E-mail: mateonsogo@gmail.com

Andrés NDONG MICHA
Director General de Pesca Artesanal y Acuicultura
Ministerio de Pesca y Recursos Hídricos
Malabo
Phone: (+240) 222 2 742 15
E-mail: andresndongmicha@yahoo.es

Carlos Jerónimo OSA NSANG
Director General de Gabinete del Ministro de Pesca y Recursos Hídricos
Ministerio de Pesca y Recursos Hídricos
Malabo
Phone: (+240) 222 68 70 10
E-mail: jeromeosaosa@hotmail.com

Mercedes SERICHE WIABUA
Segunda Secretaria de la Misión Permanente ante la FAO
Embajada de la República de Guinea Ecuatorial
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 8845 575
Fax: (+39) 06 8408 0788
E-mail: mercedes.seriche@gmail.com

ESTONIA/ESTONIE

Hannes ULMAS
Head of Bureau of Market Regulation and Trade
Ministry of Rural Affairs
Department of Fisheries Economics
Tallinn
Phone: (+372) 626 2802
E-mail: hannes.ulmas@agri.ee

ETHIOPIA/ÉTHIOPIE/ETIOPÍA

Tarekegn Tsegie HAILE
Minister Counsellor
Permanent Representation to FAO
Embassy of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 388 7854173
Email: taretsegie@gmail.com

EUROPEAN UNION (MEMBER ORGANIZATION)/UNION EUROPÉENNE (ORGANISATION MEMBRE)/UNIÓN EUROPEA (ORGANIZACIÓN MIEMBRO)

Veronika VEITS
Head of Unit
Directorate General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries
DG MARE B1
European Commission
Brussels, Belgium
E-mail: veronika.veits@ec.europa.eu

João AGUIAR MACHADO
Director General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries
Directorate General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries
gd mare
European Commission
Brussels, Belgium
E-mail: joao.aguiar-machado@ec.europa.eu

Belinda BERGAMASCHI
Assistant for UN/Press Affairs
EU Delegation
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 696 69 314
E-mail: Belinda.bergamaschi@eeas.europa.eu

Florence BUCHHOLZER
Minister Counsellor
EU Delegation
Rome, Italy
E-mail: Florence.buchholzer@eeas.europa.eu

Rosa CAGGIANO
Observer
Executive Secretary
Mediterranean Advisory Council
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4891 3624
E-mail: r.caggiano@med-ac.eu

Roberto CESARI
Head of Unit
Directorate General for Fisheries
DG MARE B3
European Commission
Brussels, Belgium
E-mail: roberto.cesari@ec.europa.eu

Arianna CIOCCA
Intern
EU Delegation
Rome, Italy
E-mail: arianna.ciocca@eeas.europa.eu

Stefaan DEYPERE
Director
International Affairs and Markets
Directorate General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries
DG MARE
European Commission
Brussels, Belgium
E-mail: stefaan.deypere@ec.europa.eu
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Position/Role</th>
<th>Organization/Location</th>
<th>Contact Information</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Fabrizio DONATELLA</td>
<td>Head of Unit</td>
<td>Directorate General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries DG MARE A1 European Commission Brussels, Belgium</td>
<td>E-mail: <a href="mailto:fabrizio.donatella@ec.europa.eu">fabrizio.donatella@ec.europa.eu</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ramon VAN BARNEVELD</td>
<td>International Relations Officer</td>
<td>Directorate General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries DG MARE B1 European Commission Brussels, Belgium</td>
<td>E-mail: <a href="mailto:ramon.van-barneveld@ec.europa.eu">ramon.van-barneveld@ec.europa.eu</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pierre VELGE</td>
<td>Secrétariat général des affaires européennes</td>
<td>Comité interministériel de l'agriculture et de l'alimentation Paris</td>
<td>Phone: (+33) 1 4487 1602 E-mail: <a href="mailto:prie.velge@sgaa.gouv.fr">prie.velge@sgaa.gouv.fr</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FIJI/FIDJI</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>George MADDEN</td>
<td>Acting Director Fisheries</td>
<td>Ministry of Fisheries and Forests Suva</td>
<td>Phone: (+679) 3301 611 Fax: (+679) 3318 962 E-mail: <a href="mailto:georgemadden10@yahoo.com">georgemadden10@yahoo.com</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Deo SARAN</td>
<td>Ambassador</td>
<td>Permanent Representative to FAO Embassy of the Republic of Fiji Brussels, Belgium</td>
<td>Phone: (+32) 02 7369 050 Fax: (+32) 02 7361 458 E-mail: <a href="mailto:dsaran@fijibassy.be">dsaran@fijibassy.be</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FRANCE/FRANCIA</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Benoit ARCHAMBAULT</td>
<td>Bureau des affaires européennes et internationales</td>
<td>Direction des pêches maritimes et de l’aquaculture Ministère de l’environnement, de l’énergie et de la mer Paris</td>
<td>Phone: (+33) 1 4081 8936 Fax: (+33) 1 4081 8656 E-mail: <a href="mailto:benoit.archambault@developpement-durable.gouv.fr">benoit.archambault@developpement-durable.gouv.fr</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ségolène HALLEY DES FONTAINES</td>
<td>Conseillère agricole</td>
<td>Représentation permanente auprès de la FAO Rome, Italie</td>
<td>Phone: (+39) 06 6840 5230 Fax: (+39) 06 6840 5215</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GERMANY/ALLEMAGNE/ALEMANIA</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Richarda SIEGERT-CLEMENS</td>
<td>Deputy Head of Division</td>
<td>Fisheries Structure and Market Policy, Marine Protection Federal Ministry of Food and Agriculture Bonn</td>
<td>Phone: (+49) 228 99 529 4128 E-mail: <a href="mailto:richarda.siegert-clemens@bmel.bund.de">richarda.siegert-clemens@bmel.bund.de</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GABON/GABÓN</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Charles ESSONGHE</td>
<td>Ambassadeur</td>
<td>Représentant permanent auprès de la FAO Ambassade de la République gabonaise Rome, Italie</td>
<td>Phone: (+39) 06 8535 8970 Fax: (+39) 06 8417 278 E-mail: <a href="mailto:cab.cdm@ambagabonrome.it">cab.cdm@ambagabonrome.it</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sosthène MASSOUS MA</td>
<td>MOUNGUENGUI</td>
<td>Directeur de Cabinet du Ministre d’Etat Ministère de la pêche et de l’élevage Libreville</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Georges MBA ASSEKO</td>
<td>Directeur Général</td>
<td>Agence nationale des pêches et de l’aquaculture Libreville</td>
<td>E-mail: <a href="mailto:gmbaasseko@anpagabon.org">gmbaasseko@anpagabon.org</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GUYLÈNE MARCELLE NKOANE</td>
<td>NDOUTOUME</td>
<td>Point focal chargée de la coopération ANPA Libreville</td>
<td>E-mail: <a href="mailto:gynkoandoutoume@anpagabon.org">gynkoandoutoume@anpagabon.org</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>JACOPO VALENTINI</td>
<td>Intern</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>JURATE SMALSKYTE</td>
<td>International Relations Officer</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SÉGOLÈNE HALLEY DES FONTAINES</td>
<td>Conseillère agricole</td>
<td>Représentation permanente auprès de la FAO Rome, Italie</td>
<td>Phone: (+39) 06 6840 5230 Fax: (+39) 06 6840 5215</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Reinhold HANEL
Director
Thünen Institute of Fisheries Ecology
Hamburg
Phone: (+49) 4038 905 290
E-mail: reinhold.hanel@thuenen.de

Mark PREIN
Head of Project
Sustainable Fisheries and Aquaculture
German International Cooperation
Eschborn
Phone: (+49) 6196 79 14 71
E-mail: mark.prein@giz.de

GHANA
Hanny-Sherry AYITTEY
Minister for Fisheries and Aquaculture Development
Ministry of Fisheries and Aquaculture Development
Accra
Phone: (+233) 2791 87421
E-mail: sayite@gmail.com

Molly ANIM-ADDO
Ambassador
Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of Ghana
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 86219307
E-mail: ambassador@ghanambassy.it

Samuel QUAATEY
Director of Fisheries
Fisheries Commission
Ministry of Fisheries and Aquaculture Development
Accra
Phone: (+233) 2081 63412
E-mail: samquaatey@yahoo.com

Nii QUAYE-KUMAH
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO
Permanent Representation in Rome
Embassy of the Republic of Ghana
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 3890 16533
E-mail: nii.quaye.kumah@gmail.com

Matilda QUIST
Head
Marine Fisheries Management
Fisheries Commission
Ministry of Fisheries and Aquaculture Development
Accra
Phone: (+233) 2081 12230
E-mail: matildaquist@yahoo.co.uk

AXE YAO SARBAH
Regional Director (Region)
Fisheries Commission
Ministry of Fisheries and Aquaculture Development
Accra
Phone: (+233) 2072 55931
E-mail: alexsabah66@yahoo.com

GREECE/GRÈCE/GRECIA
Dimitra SAVVOPOULOU
Director
Directorate for Fisheries Policy and Fisheries Resources
Ministry of Rural Development and Food of Greece
Athens
Phone: (+302) 1092 87182
E-mail: syg022@minagric.gr

GUATEMALA
Sylvia WOHLERS DE MEIE
Ministro Consejero
Representante Permanente Adjunto
Representante Permanente ante la FAO
Embajada de la República de Guatemala
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 3638 1143; 06 3629 9091
E-mail: swohlers@minex.gob.gt

Carlos Francisco MARIN ARRIOLA
Director
Normatividad de Pesca y Acuicultura
Ministerio de Agricultura, Ganadería y Alimentación
Ciudad de Guatemala
E-mail: cfmarin105@gmail.com

GUINEA/GUINÉE
Andre LOUA
Ministre des pêches, de l'aquaculture et de l'économie maritime
Ministère des pêches, de l'aquaculture et de l'économie maritime
Conakry
Phone: (+224) 666 444 416; 622 79555
Fax: (+39) 06 8077 588
E-mail: andreloua2013@gmail.com

Ansoumane FOFANA
Ministre-Conseiller à la Présidence de la République
Conakry
Phone: (+224) 6211 64079

Mohamed Cherif DIALLO
Ambassadeur
Représentant Permanent auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de Guinée
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 8078 989
Fax: (+39) 06 8077 588
E-mail: ambaguineerome1@virgilio.it

Abdoulaye TRAORE
Représentant Permanent Adjoint auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de Guinée
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 8078 989
Fax: (+39) 06 8077 588
E-mail: ambaguineerome1@virgilio.it

Mohamed Nassir CAMARA
Représentant permanent suppléant auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de la République de Guinée
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 8078 989
Fax: (+39) 06 8077 588
E-mail: ambaguineerome1@virgilio.it
HUNGARY/HONGRIE/HUNGRÍA

Péter LENGYEL
Head of Aquaculture Development Unit
Ministry of Agriculture
Department of Angling and Fisheries Management
Aquaculture Development Unit
Budapest
Phone: (+36) 1795 6294
E-mail: peter.lengyel@fm.gov.hu

ICELAND/ISLANDE/ISLANDIA

Johann GUDMUNDSSON
Director General Fisheries and Aquaculture
Ministry of Industries and Innovation
Reykjavík
Phone: (+354) 545 9700
E-mail: johann.gudmundsson@anr.is

INDIA/INDE

Devendra CHAUDHRY
Secretary
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries
New Delhi
Phone: (+91) 1123 382608
Fax: (+91) 11 23388006
E-mail: secyahd@nic.in

Aditya Kumar JOSHI
Joint Secretary
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries
New Delhi
Phone: (+91) 11 23381994
Fax: (+91) 11 23070370
E-mail: jsfy@nic.in

INDONESIA/INDONÉSIE

Susi PUDJIASTUTI
Minister of Marine Affairs and Fisheries
Ministry of Marine Affairs and Fisheries
Jakarta
Phone: (+62) 21 351 9070

Suseno SUKOYONO
Senior Advisor to the Minister of Marine Affairs and Fisheries
Ministry of Marine Affairs and Fisheries
Jakarta
Phone: (+62) 21 351 9070

Fika FAZWIA
Special Staff to the Minister of Marine Affairs and Fisheries
Ministry of Marine Affairs and Fisheries
Jakarta
Phone: (+62) 21 351 9070
Fax: (+62) 21 386 4293
E-mail: brokeramas@kkp.go.id

Vivi FERIANY VIVI
Second Secretary
Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4200 911
Fax: (+39) 06 4880 280
E-mail: indorom@uni.net

Arief Rachmat HIDAYAT
Head of Section for Food Commodity and Plantation
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Jakarta
E-mail: arief.rachmat@kemlu.go.id

August PARENGKUAN
Ambassador
Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4200911
Fax: (+39) 06 4880280/06 48904010
E-mail: indorom@uni.net; indorom@indonesianembassy.it

Basilio Dias ARAUJO
Assistant Deputy for Maritime Security and Resilience
Coordinating Ministry for Maritime Affairs
Jakarta
E-mail: indorom@uni.net

Grace Gabriella BINOWO
Legal Counsel for the Presidential Task Force to Combat Illegal Fishing
Jakarta
Phone: (+62) 2135 19070
Fax: (+62) 2138 64293
E-mail: brokeramas@kkp.go.id

Hrund HAFSTEINSDOTTIR
Counsellor/Legal Advisor
Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs
Directorate for International and Security Affairs
Ministry for Foreign Affairs
Reykjavík

Jon Erlingur JONASSON
Minister Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative to FAO, WFP and IFAD
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 97 748 336
E-mail: jej@mf.is
Firman PRIAMBODO
Head of Section
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Jakarta
E-mail: firman.priambodo@kemlu.go.id

Toni RUCHIMAT
Director for Fishery Resources Management
Directorate General of Capture Fisheries
Ministry of Marine Affairs and Fisheries
Jakarta
Phone: (+62) 2135 19070
Fax: (+62) 2138 64293
E-mail: birokeramas@kkp.go.id

Mas Achmad SANTOSA
Special Staff Coordinator of the Task Force to Combat Illegal Fishing
Jakarta
E-mail: indorom@uni.net

Agus SUHERMAN
Director for Fisheries Port
Jakarta
E-mail: indorom@uni.net

Yusral TAHIR
Agriculture Attaché
Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4200 911
Fax: (+39) 06 4880 280
E-mail: indorom@uni.net

Royhan Nevy WAHAB
First Secretary and Alternate Permanent Representative
Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4200 911
Fax: (+39) 06 4880 280
E-mail: indorom@uni.net

Desri YANTI
Assistant Deputy Director for the United Nations Bureau for Marine and Fisheries Cooperation and Public Relations Ministry of Marine Affairs and Fisheries
Jakarta

Tinus ZAINAL
Second Secretary
Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4200 911
Fax: (+39) 06 4880 280
E-mail: indorom@uni.net

Aisyah MURTINA ALLAMANDA
Third Secretary
Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4200 911
Fax: (+39) 06 4880 280
E-mail: indorom@uni.net

IRELAND/IRLANDE/IRLANDA

Damien KELLY
Deputy Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of Ireland Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 5754 493
Fax: (+39) 06 5747 636
E-mail: damien.kelly@dfa.ie

ITALY/ITALIE/ITALIA

Riccardo RIGILLO
Director General for Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies Rome
Phone: (+39) 06 466 52800
E-mail: pemacodirettore@politicheagricole.it

Cristiana CARLETTI
University Roma Tre Rome
Phone: (+39) 06 573 35335
E-mail: cristiana.carletti@uniroma3.it
Stefano CATAUDELLA  
Alternate Professor of Ecology  
Department of Biology, Ecology, Fisheries and Aquaculture  
University of Tor Vergata  
Rome  
E-mail: stefano.cataudella@uniroma2.it

Mauro COLAROSSI  
Alternate  
Directorate General for Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture  
Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies  
Rome  
Phone: (+39) 06 466 528 19  
Email: m.colarossi@politicheagrarie.it

Nicoletta DE VIRGILIO  
Technical Assistant  
Directorate General for Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture  
Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies  
Rome  
Phone: (+39) 06 466 52 861  
E-mail: nicoletta.de-virgilio@it.ey.com

Ilaria FERRARO  
Technical Assistant  
Directorate General for Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture  
Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies  
Rome  
Phone: (+39) 338 976 7156  
Email: i.ferraro@agricontsulting.it

Jessyama FORLINI  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation – DGCS Multilateral Office  
Rome  
Phone: +39 06 3691 3106  
Email: jessyama.forlini@esteri.it

Vittorio GIOVANNONE  
Directorate General for Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture  
Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies  
Rome  
E-mail: v.giovannone@politicheagrarie.it

Alessandro IANNITTI  
Directorate General for Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture  
Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies  
Rome  
E-mail: a.ianitti@politicheagrarie.it

Maria PENTIMALLI  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation – DGCS Multilateral Office  
Rome  
Phone: (+39) 06 3691 4120  
E-mail: maria.pentimalli@esteri.it

Massimo RUGGIERO  
Directorate General for Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture  
Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies  
Rome  
Phone: (+39) 06 466 52 830  
E-mail: ma.ruggiero@politicheagrarie.it

Pietro Verna  
Reparto Pesca Marittima  
Directorate General for Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture  
Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies  
Rome  
Phone: (+39) 06 466 52 896  
E-mail: repartopesca@politicheagrarie.it

JAPAN/JAPON/JAPÓN

Hideki MORONUKI  
Senior Fisheries Negotiator  
International Affairs Division  
Resources Management Department  
Fisheris Agency of Japan  
Tokyo  
Phone: (+81) 3350 22443  
E-mail: hideki_moronuki600@maff.go.jp

Chiaki MIZUGAKI  
Assistant Director  
International Affairs Division  
Resources Management Department  
Fisheris Agency of Japan  
Tokyo  
Phone: (+81) 33591 1086  
E-mail: chiaki_mizugaki400@maff.go.jp

Kohei ITO  
Technical Officer  
International Affairs Division  
Resources Management Department  
Fisheris Agency of Japan  
Tokyo  
Phone: (+81) 33502 2443  
E-mail: kohei_ito710@maff.go.jp

Osamu KUBOTA  
Minister Counsellor  
Deputy Permanent Representative to the UN Agencies for Agriculture in Rome  
Embassy of Japan  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 487991  
Fax: (+39) 06 4885109; 06 4873316  
E-mail: fao@ro.mofa.go.jp

Takaaki UMEDA  
First Secretary  
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of Japan  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 48799415/0/1/2; (dir) (+39) 06 487991  
Fax: (+39) 06 4885109; 06 4873316  
E-mail: fao@ro.mofa.go.jp

KENYA

Micheni J. NTIBA  
Principal Secretary  
State Department of Fisheries and Blue Economy  
Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries  
Nairobi  
Susan IMENDE  
Director  
State Department of Fisheries and Blue Economy  
Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries  
Nairobi  
Kahoro KINARO  
First Secretary  
Embassy of the Republic of Kenya  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 8082714; 06 8082717/8  
Fax: (+39) 06 8082707  
E-mail: kenroma@rdn.it
Raphael LETIMALO
Member of Parliament

Angeline Naserian LOTUAI
Clerk Assistant

Fabian Sumba MUYA
Alternate Permanent Representative
Embassy of the Republic of Kenya
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8082714; 06 8082717/8
Fax: (+39) 06 8082707
E-mail: kenroma@rdn.it

Harriet M. NDUMA
Chargé d’Affaires a.i.
Embassy of Kenya in Rome
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8082714; 06 8082717/8
Fax: (+39) 06 8082707
E-mail: kenroma@rdn.it

Millie ODHIAMBO
Member of Parliament

June Rollex RUTO
Second Counsellor
Embassy of the Republic of Kenya
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8082714; 06 8082717/8
Fax: (+39) 06 8082707
E-mail: kenroma@rdn.it

Silas TIREN
Member of Parliament

Ferdinand WANYONYI
Member of Parliament

KUWAIT/KOWEIT

Yousef JHAIL
Permanent Representative to FAO
Permanent Representation to FAO
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 5754 598
Fax: (+39) 06 5730 2384
E-mail: juhail@hotmail.com; Kuwait_FAO@tiscali.it

LITHUANIA/LITUANIE/LITUANIA

Manar AL SABAH
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO
Permanent Representation to FAO
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 5754 598
Fax: (+39) 06 5730 2384
E-mail: juhail@hotmail.com; Kuwait_FAO@tiscali.it

Salah AL BAZZAZ
Technical Advisor
Permanent Representation to FAO
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 5754598
Fax: (+39) 06 57302384
E-mail: me8975@mclink.it; Kuwait_FAO@tiscali.it

LATVIA/LETTONIE/LETONIA

Normunds RIEKSTINS
Director of Fisheries Department
Ministry of Agriculture
Riga
Phone: (+371) 6702 7660
E-mail: Normunds.Riekstins@zm.gov.lv

LIBERIA

Mohammed S. SHERIFF
Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of Liberia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3545 3399
Fax: (+39) 06 3534 4729
E-mail: liberiaembassy@hotmail.com

A. Haruna-Rashid KROMAH
Secretary
Embassy of the Republic of Liberia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3545 3399
Fax: (+39) 06 3534 4729
E-mail: liberiaembassy@hotmail.com

MALAYSIA/MALAISIE/MALASIA

Zulkafli ABD RASHID
Deputy Director-General (Development)
Department of Fisheries Malaysia
Putrajaya
Phone: (+603) 8870 4003

MALAGASY

Suzelin RATOHIARIAONA
Conseiller
Représentant permanent adjoint auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de la République de Madagascar
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 344 2385089
E-mail: ambamad@hotmail.com; r_suzelin@yahoo.fr

MADAGASCAR

Suzelin RATOHIARIAONA
Conseiller
Représentant permanent adjoint auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de la République de Madagascar
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 344 2385089
E-mail: ambamad@hotmail.com; r_suzelin@yahoo.fr

MADAGASCAR

Zulkafli ABD RASHID
Deputy Director-General (Development)
Department of Fisheries Malaysia
Putrajaya
Phone: (+603) 8870 4003

Nur Fadhilina Chan MAHADIE
Chan
Fisheries Officer (International)
Department of Fisheries Malaysia
Putrajaya
Phone: (+603) 8870 4321

MALAYSIA/MALAISIE/MALASIA

Zulkafli ABD RASHID
Deputy Director-General (Development)
Department of Fisheries Malaysia
Putrajaya
Phone: (+603) 8870 4003

MALAYSIA/MALAISIE/MALASIA

Zulkafli ABD RASHID
Deputy Director-General (Development)
Department of Fisheries Malaysia
Putrajaya
Phone: (+603) 8870 4003

MALAYSIA/MALAISIE/MALASIA

Zulkafli ABD RASHID
Deputy Director-General (Development)
Department of Fisheries Malaysia
Putrajaya
Phone: (+603) 8870 4003

Nur Fadhilina Chan MAHADIE
Chan
Fisheries Officer (International)
Department of Fisheries Malaysia
Putrajaya
Phone: (+603) 8870 4321

PAOLA TRIPODO
Secretary
Embassy of the Republic of Liberia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3545 3399
Fax: (+39) 06 3534 4729
E-mail: liberiaembassy@hotmail.com

Mahamad Nazrain NORDIN
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of Malaysia
Rome, Italy
E-mail: aa.rome@ambasciatamalaysia.it
MALDIVES/MALDIVAS
Hussain SINAN
Director
Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture
Male
E-mail: Hussain.sinan@fishagri.gov.mv

MALI/MALÍ
Bruno MAIGA
Ambassadeur
Représentant permanent auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de la République du Mali
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 4425 4068
Fax: (+39) 06 4425 4029
E-mail: amb.malirome@tiscali.it

MAMADOU SOGODOGO
Deuxième Conseiller
Ambassade de la République du Mali
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 44254068;
3884272072
Fax: (+39) 06 44254029
E-mail: amb.malirome@tiscali.it

MALTA/MALTE
Andreina FENECH FARRUGIA
Director General
Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture
Ministry for Sustainable Development the Environment and Climate Change
Valletta
E-mail: andreina.fenech-farrugia@gov.mt

Randall CARUANA
Director
Fisheries Directorate
Ministry for Sustainable Development the Environment and Climate Change
Valletta
E-mail: randall.caruana@gov.mt

MAURITANIA/MAURITANIE
Mohamed Teyib DIYE
Deuxième Conseiller
Représentant permanent suppléant auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de la République islamique de Mauritanie
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 8535 1530
Fax: (+39) 06 8535 1441
E-mail: teyibdiye@yahoo.fr

MEXICO/MEXIQUE/MÉXICO
Mario AGUILAR SANCHEZ
Comisionado Nacional de Acuacultura y Pesca
Secretaria de Agricultura, Ganadería, Desarrollo Rural, Pesca y Alimentación
Mexico City
Phone: (+52) 669 915 69 01;
6699156901
E-mail: mario.aguilar@conapesca.gob.mx

Perla CARVALHO
Encargada de Negocios a.i.
Representante Permanente Alterno ante la FAO
Embajada de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 4416 061;
06 4416 06204
Fax: (+39) 06 44292703
E-mail: ofna.fao@emexitalia.it

Hesiquio BENITEZ DIAZ
Director General de Cooperación Internacional e Implementación Autoridad Científica CITES
Mexico City
Phone: (+55) 5004 5025
Fax: (+55) 5004 4985
E-mail: hbenitez@conabio.gob.mx

Benito JIMENEZ SAUMA
Segundo Secretario
Embajada de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 4416061;
06 44160 6220
Fax: (+39) 06 44292703
E-mail: ofna.fao@emexitalia.it

Martha Aurea ESTRADA
Executive Director
National Oceanic Resource Management Authority
Palikir
Phone: (+691) 320 2700
Fax: (+691) 320 2383
E-mail: fsmfish@mail.fm

Eugene PANGELINAN
Deputy Director General
Pacific Islands Forum Fisheries Agency
Honiar, Solomon Islands
Phone +677 21124 (ext 203)
E-mail: wez.norris@ffa.int

Wez NORRIS
Deputy Director General
Pacific Islands Forum Fisheries Agency
Honiar, Solomon Islands
Phone +677 21124 (ext 203)
E-mail: wez.norris@ffa.int
MOROCCO/MAROC/ MARRUECOS

Hassan ABOUYOUB
Ambassadeur
Représentant permanent auprès de la FAO
Ambassade du Royaume du Maroc
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 8550 8001
Fax: (+39) 06 4402695
E-mail:
ambmaroccoroma@maec.gov.ma

Moustapha NAHI
Représentant permanent adjoint auprès de la FAO
Ambassade du Royaume du Maroc
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 8550 8001
Fax: (+39) 06 4402695
E-mail:
ambmaroccoroma@maec.gov.ma

Mohammed BENBARI
Directeur du contrôle des activités de la pêche maritime
Département de la pêche maritime (DPM)
Ministère de l'agriculture et de la pêche maritime
Rabat
Phone: (+212) 53768 8210
E-mail: benbari@mpm.gov.ma

Youssef OUATI
Chef de la division de la coopération, à la direction de la stratégie et de la coopération
Département de la Pêche Maritime
Rabat
Phone: (+212) 5377 11665
E-mail: y.ouati@mpm.gov.ma

Saadia EL ABASSI
Chef de service de la promotion et du suivi des investissements
Rabat

Zohra Fatima HASSOUNI
Chef de division de la durabilité et de l'aménagement des ressources halieutiques
DPM
Rabat

Ahmed JOUKER
Chef de la division de la gestion technique des accords et conventions de pêche
Ministère de l'agriculture et de la pêche maritime
Rabat

Mohamed MALOULI IDRISSI
Chef du Département des ressources halieutiques à l'INRH
Casablanca

Abdellah MOUSTATIR
Chef de la division des structures de la pêche au DPM

Hammad NAAMA
Directeur adjoint de la Chambre des pêches maritimes de l'Atlantique Sud Dakhla

Mustafa AMZOUGH
Chef de Service de l’appui aux investisseurs à l’Agence nationale pour le développement de l’Aquaculture
Rabat
Phone: (+212) 6601 8917
E-mail: amzough@gmail.com

MOZAMBIQUE

Henriques BONGECE
Deputy Minister of the Sea, Inland Waters and Fisheries
Ministry of the Sea, Inland Waters and Fisheries
Maputo
Phone: (+258) 21 431266

Graca De Jesus BAULETH D’ALMEIDA
Director Resource Management
Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources
Windhoek
Phone: (+264) 61 2053009
E-mail: gadalmeida@mfmr.gov.na

Moses MAURHUNGIRIRE
Permanent Secretary
Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources
Windhoek
Phone: (+264) 61 205 3011
E-mail: moses.maurhungirire@mfmr.gov.na
Olivia Ndapewa SHOOYA  
Personal Assistant to the Permanent Secretary  
Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources  
Windhoek  
Phone: (+264) 61 205 3011  
E-mail: olivia.shooya@mfmr.gov.na

Rudolph Raymond CLOETE  
Deputy Director  
Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources  
Windhoek  
E-mail: rudi.cloete@mfmr.gov.na

Anna Ndinelao ERASTUS  
Director of Policy, Planning and Economics  
Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources  
Windhoek

NICARAGUA

Monica ROBELO RAFFONE  
Embajadora ante la FAO  
Embajada de la República de Nicaragua  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 3211 0020  
Fax: (+39) 06 3203 041  
E-mail: monica.robelo@libero.it

Junior ESCOBAR FONSECA  
Embajada de la República de Nicaragua  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 3211 0020  
Fax: (+39) 06 3203 041  
E-mail: jescobar@cancilleria.gob.ni

NORWAY/NORVÈGE/NUEVA ZELANDIA

William EMERSON  
Principal Advisor  
International Fisheries Management  
Ministry for Primary Industries  
Wellington

Matthew B. HOOPER  
Counsellor  
Deputy Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of New Zealand  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 8537 501  
Fax: (+39) 06 4402 984  
E-mail: rome.nzembassy.it; nzembassyrome@gmail.com

Alexandra MACDONALD  
Senior Policy Analyst  
International Fisheries Management  
Ministry for Primary Industries  
Wellington  
Phone: (+64) 4819 4691  
E-mail: Alexandra.Macdonald@mpi.govt.nz

Aksel EIKEMO  
Director  
Directorate of Fisheries  
Bergen  
E-mail: aksel.eikemo@fiskeridir.no

Marie HILLOY SOLHEIM  
Advisor  
E-mail: marie-hilloy.solheim@nfd.dep.no

Terje LØBACH  
Specialist Director  
Directorate of Fisheries  
Bergen  
E-mail: terje.lobach@fiskeridir.no

Thord MONSEN  
Head of Section for Control  
Directorate of Fisheries  
Bergen  
E-mail: thord.monsen@fiskeridir.no

Terje LØBACH  
Specialist Director  
Ministry of Trade, Industry and Fisheries  
Oslo  
E-mail: Rune.Dragset@nfd.dep.no

Ellen Kristine VIKEN  
Senior Adviser  
The Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation  
Oslo  
E-mail: ellen.kristine.viken@norad.no

Inge NORDANG  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representative to FAO  
Royal Norwegian Embassy  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 4523 8100  
Fax: (+39) 06 4523 8199  
E-mail: inge.nordang@mfa.no

Silje REM  
Senior Adviser  
Ministry of Trade, Industry and Fisheries  
Oslo  
E-mail: Silje.Rem@nfd.dep.no

Yngve TORGERSSEN  
Deputy Director General  
Ministry of Trade, Industry and Fisheries  
Oslo  
E-mail: Yngve.Torgersen@nfd.dep.no

Ellen Kristine VIKEN  
Senior Adviser  
The Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation  
Oslo  
E-mail: ellen.kristine.viken@norad.no
Johán H. WILLIAMS
Specialist Director
Ministry of Trade, Industry and Fisheries
Oslo
E-mail: Johan-H.Williams@nfd.dep.no

OMAN/OMÁN
Fuaad Ja'afar AL-SAJWANI
Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries
Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries
Muscat
E-mail: fuuadsajwani@gmail.com

Ahmed Mohammed AL-MAZROUI
Director General
Fisheries Resources Development Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries
Muscat
E-mail: ahmed almazrui20@gmail.com

Salim A. SALIM AL-RASBI
Director General of Marketing and Fishery Investment Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries
Muscat
E-mail: salem Al Rasbi@yahoo.com

PALAU/PALAOS
Fleming SENGEBAU
Minister of Natural Resources, Environment and Tourism
Government of the Republic of Palau
Ngedikes OLAI ULUDONG
Ambassador, Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Palau to EU and on Climate Change
Permanent Representative to FAO Government of the Republic of Palau
Phone: (+808) 927 3489
E-mail: nuludong@icloud.com; nuludong@gmail.com

Raymond QIN
Personal Assistant
E-mail: rqinn@gmail.com

PAKISTAN/PAKISTÁN
Qurban ALI
Khalid MEHBOOB
Adviser
Alternate Permanente Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3630 4736
Fax: (+39) 06 36301936
E-mail: agriwings@gmail.com

Zuleika S. PINZÓN M.
Administradora General de la Autoridad de los Recursos Acuáticos de Panamá
E-mail: zpinzon@arap.gob.pa

Gina VERGARA
Abogada
Autoridad Marítima de Panamá
E-mail: gvergarab@amp.gob.pa

ANGÉLICA M. JÁCOME DAZA
Representante Permanente ante la FAO
Embajada de la República de Panamá en Italia
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 44265429; 06 44252173
Fax: (+39) 06 44252332
E-mail: ajacome@mire.gob.pa

PARAGUAY
Mirko SOTO SAPRIZA
Consejero
Representante Permanente Alterno ante la FAO
Embajada de la República del Paraguay
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 06 474 1715
Fax: (+39) 06 474 5473
E-mail: msotosapriz@mre.gov.py

PERU/PÉROU/PERÚ
Juan Carlos REQUEJO ALEMÁN
Viceministro de Pesca y Acuicultura
Ministerio de la Producción Lima
Phone: (+51) 6162 222 4002
E-mail: jrequejo@produce.gob.pe

Eda Adriana RIVAS FRANCHINI
Representante Permanente ante la FAO
Embajada de la República del Perú Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 6806 91510
E-mail: erivas@ambasciataperu.com

Jesus Eloy BARRIENTOS RUIZ
Director General de Supervisión y Fiscalización
Viceministerio de Pesca y Acuicultura Lima
E-mail: jbarrientos@produce.gob.pe

Stella CHIRINOS LLERENA
Representante Permanente Alterna ante la FAO
Embajada de la República del Perú Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 6806 91510
E-mail: schirinos@rree.gob.pe

Andrea FLORIÁN ALVA
Tercera Secretaria
Representante Permanente Alterna ante la FAO
Embajada de la República del Perú Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 6806 91510
E-mail: aflorian@rree.gob.pe

Pedro Roberto REATEGUI
GAMARRA
Ministro
Representante Permanente Alterna ante la FAO
Embajada de la República del Perú
Roma, Italia
Phone: (+39) 6806 91510

PHILIPPINES/FILIPINAS
Candy CYPRES
Third Secretary
Embassy of the Republic of the Philippines
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3974 6621
Fax: (+39) 06 39740872
E-mail: rome.pe@dfa.gov.ph

Candy CYPRES
Third Secretary
Embassy of the Republic of the Philippines
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3974 6621
Fax: (+39) 06 39740872
E-mail: rome.pe@dfa.gov.ph

Lupiño LAZARO Jr.
Agricultural Attaché
Embassy of the Republic of the Philippines
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3974 6621
Fax: (+39) 06 39740872
E-mail: rome.pe@dfa.gov.ph

Marion REYES
Attaché
Embassy of the Republic of the Philippines
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3974 6621
Fax: (+39) 06 39740872
E-mail: rome.pe@dfa.gov.ph

PORTUGAL/PORTUGAL
Luis CAIANO
Attaché for Agriculture, Fishing and Food Affairs
Embassy of the Portuguese Republic
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8448 0219; 06 8448 0200
E-mail: luis.caiano@mne.pt

REPUBLIC OF KOREA/ RÉPUBLIQUE DE CORÉE/ REPÚBLICA DE COREA
Young Suk KIM
Minister for Oceans and Fisheries
Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries
Seoul
Phone: (+82) 44 200 5002
Fax: (+82) 44 200 5009

Sangho JOO
Deputy Director for the International Cooperation Division
Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries
Seoul
Phone: (+82) 44 200 5002
Fax: (+82) 44 200 5009
E-mail: shju310@korea.kr

Leszek DYBIEC
Counsellor to the Minister
Fisheries Department
Ministry of Maritime Policy and Inland Waterways
Warsaw
Phone: (+48) 508 255 295
E-mail: Leszek.Dybiec@minrol.gov.pl

POLAND/POLOGNE/POLOWIA
Andrzej HALASIEWICZ
Minister Counsellor
Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of Poland
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3620 4200; 06 3620 4289
Fax: (+39) 06 3217 895
E-mail: Andrzej.Halasiwicz@msz.gov.pl

Leszek DYBIEC
Counsellor to the Minister
Fisheries Department
Ministry of Maritime Policy and Inland Waterways
Warsaw
Phone: (+48) 508 255 295
E-mail: Leszek.Dybiec@minrol.gov.pl

Andrzej HALASIEWICZ
Minister Counsellor
Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of Poland
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3620 4200; 06 3620 4289
Fax: (+39) 06 3217 895
E-mail: Andrzej.Halasiwicz@msz.gov.pl

Young Suk KIM
Minister for Oceans and Fisheries
Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries
Seoul
Phone: (+82) 44 200 5002
Fax: (+82) 44 200 5009

Sang go LEE
Professor
Pukyong National University

Gilsu HONG
Assistant Director for International Cooperation Division
Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries
Seoul
Phone: (+82) 44 200 5002
Fax: (+82) 44 200 5009

Hyesuk PARK
Assistant Director for International Cooperation Division
Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries
Seoul
Phone: (+82) 44 200 5002
Fax: (+82) 44 200 5009
E-mail: wellbeing@korea.kr

Sangho JOO
Deputy Director for the International Cooperation Division
Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries
Seoul
Phone: (+82) 44 200 5002
Fax: (+82) 44 200 5009
E-mail: wellbeing@korea.kr

JaeYoung SHIN
Deputy Director for the Fishery Products Processing and Trading Division
Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries
Seoul
Phone: (+82) 44 200 5002
Fax: (+82) 44 200 5009
E-mail: redwood1203@gmail.com
Sanglin YUN
Director for the International Cooperation Division
Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries
Seoul
Phone: (+82) 44 200 5002
Fax: (+82) 44 200 5009
E-mail: policyyun@korea.kr

ROMANIA/ROUMANIE/ RUMANIA

Vlad MUSTACIOSU
Counsellor
Permanent Representation to FAO
Embassy of Romania
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8073 082; 06 8078 807
Fax: (+39) 06 8084 995
E-mail: roma@mae.ro

RUSSIAN FEDERATION/ FÉDÉRATION DE RUSSIE/ FEDERACIÓN DE RUSIA

Alexander OKHANOV
Counselor
Permanent Mission to FAO
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 9023 5744
Fax: (+39) 06 9023 5730
E-mail: rusfishfao@mail.ru

Damir BEKYASHEV
Senior Specialist
Division of International Fisheries Law
All-Russian Federal Research Institute for Fisheries and Oceanography (VNIRO)
Moscow
Phone: (+7) 499 264 9498
Fax: (+7) 499 264 9187
E-mail: dambek@yandex.ru

SAMOA

Giovanni CAFFARELLI PAPALII
Honorary Consul General in Italy
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8837 2060
E-mail: samoaroma@gmail.com

SAN MARINO/SAINT-MARIN

SAN MARINO/SAINT-MARIN

Daniela ROTONDARO
Ambassador
Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of San Marino
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8072 511
Fax: (+39) 06 8070 072
E-mail: ambmsmarinofao@ambrsm.it; asmarino@ambrsm.it

Marco CIAMBOTTA
Permanent Representation to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of San Marino
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8072 511
Fax: (+39) 06 8070 072
E-mail: ambmsmarinofao@ambrsm.it; asmarino@ambrsm.it

Marina EMILIANI
Counsellor
Permanent Representation to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of San Marino
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8072 511
Fax: (+39) 06 8070 072
E-mail: ambmsmarinofao@ambrsm.it; asmarino@ambrsm.it

SAUDI ARABIA/ARABIE SAOUDITE/ARABIA SAUDITA

Hussain Hajji AL NAZRI
Director-General
Marine Fisheries Department
Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture
Riyadh
E-mail: alnazry@hotmail.com; fishtrp@moa.gov.sa

Saleh bin Abdel Aziz EL SHEIKH
Officer
Fisheries Department
Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture
Riyadh

SENEGAL/SÉNÉGAL

Ndèye Ticket NDIAYE DIOP
Secrétaire Général du Ministère de la pêche et de l'économie maritime
Dakar
E-mail: ticke.ndiaye@gmail.com

Mamadou Saliou DIOUF
Ambassadeur
Représentant permanent auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de la République du Sénégal
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 6872 353; 06 6865 212
Fax: (+39) 06 6821 9294
E-mail: ambasenequiri@tiscali.it

Fatoumata Diène GUEYE
Premier Conseiller
Représentant permanent auprès de la FAO
Ambassade de la République du Sénégal
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 6872 353; 06 6865 212
Fax: (+39) 06 6821 9294
E-mail: ambasenequiri@tiscali.it

Gaoussou GUEYE
Secrétaire Général de la Confédération des organisations professionnelles de la pêche artisanale (CAOPA)
Dakar
E-mail: gaoussoug@gmail.com; caopa.peche@gmail.com

Mohamed Bassirou NIANG
Premier Secrétaire
Ambassade de la République du Sénégal
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 687 2353; 06 686 5212
Fax: (+39) 06 6821 9294
E-mail: ambasenequiri@tiscali.it
Andrew Gordon READ  
Fisheries Team Leader  
E-mail: andy.reed@sogeel.org

Mohamed Ali Hajji ABDULLAHI  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representation to FAO  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 030 2780483  
E-mail: somrepfao@gmail.com

**SOUTH AFRICA/AFRIQUE DU SUD/SUDÁFRICA**

Belemane SEMOLI  
Chief Director Aquaculture and Economic Development  
Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries  
Cape Town  
Phone: (+272) 1402 3534  
E-mail: belemanes@daff.gov.za

Bernard LIEDEMANN  
Acting Director  
Directorate Monitoring and Surveillance  
Chief Directorate Monitoring Control and Surveillance  
Department of Agriculture Forestry and Fisheries  
Cape Town  
Phone: (+272) 1402 3535  
Fax: (+272) 1402 3073  
E-mail: BernardL@daff.gov.za

Mandisile MQQOQI  
Acting Director  
Offshore and High Seas Fisheries Management  
Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries  
Cape Town  
Phone: (+272) 1402 3342  
Fax: (+278) 666 19505  
E-mail: MandisileM@daff.gov.za

Moshibudi P. RAMPEDI  
Alternate Permanent Representative to the UN Agencies  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 8525 4239  
Fax: (+39) 06 8530 0373  
E-mail: agriculture@sudfrica.it

**SPAIN/ESPAGNE/ESPAÑA**

Carlos LARRAÑAGA  
Director General de Recursos Pesqueros  
Secretaría General de Pesca  
Ministerio de Agricultura, Alimentación y Medio Ambiente  
Madrid  
E-mail: clarrana@magrama.es

Francisco de Borja CARMONA  
Jefe de Área  
Subdirección General de Economía Pesquera  
Dirección General de Ordenación Pesquera  
Secretaría General de Pesca  
Ministerio de Agricultura, Alimentación y Medio Ambiente  
Madrid  
E-mail: FCarmona@magrama.es

Mónica CORRALES RODRIGÁÑEZ  
Subdirectora General de Asuntos Jurídicos  
Secretaría General de Pesca  
Ministerio de Agricultura, Alimentación y Medio Ambiente  
Madrid  
Phone: (+34) 91 347 6025  
E-mail: mcorrales@magrama.es

Antonio LIZCANO PALOMARES  
Representación Permanente de ante la FAO  
Embajada de España  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 6869 539  
E-mail: ALizcano@magrama.es

Amparo RAMBLA GIL  
Representante Permanente Alterna ante la FAO  
Embajada de España  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 6878 762  
E-mail: ARambla@magrama.es

Silvia RODRÍGUEZ VILLAR  
Asistente  
Representación Permanente ante la FAO  
Embajada de España  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 6869 539  
E-mail: sivrillar@gmail.com

Katarina SIPIC  
Directora de la Oficina de Bruselas CONXEMAR  
Brussels, Belgium  
Phone: (+32) 2 234 69 31  
E-mail: brussels@conxemar.com

Borja ALONSO

**SRI LANKA**

Mangalika ADIKARI  
Secretary  
Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development  
Colombo  
Phone: (+94) 11 23 27060  
Fax: (+94) 2541 184  
E-mail: secfisherieslk@gmail.com

Dolugala JINADASA  
Deputy Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of Sri Lanka  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 8554 560  
E-mail: embassy@srilankaembassyrome.org

Poshitha PERERA  
Minister Counsellor  
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 8554 560  
Fax: (+39) 06 8424 1670  
E-mail: embassy@srilankaembassyrome.org

**SUDAN/SOUDAN/SUDÁN**

Musa TIBIN MUSA ADAM  
Federal Minister for Animal Resources  
Ministry of Animal Resources  
Republic of the Sudan  
Khartoum  
Phone: (+249) 1556 60700  
E-mail: musatibin@yahoo.com

Jaffar Ahmed ABDELLA  
State Minister  
Ministry of Animal Resources  
Republic of the Sudan  
Khartoum
Amira Daoud Hassan GORNASS
Ambassador
Permanent Representative to UN Agencies based in Rome
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 33222138
Email: permreppoffice_sudanembassyrome@yahoo.it

Abla Malik Osman MALIK
Agricultural Counsellor
Alternate Permanent Representative to UN Agencies based in Rome
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3322 2138
Email: permreppoffice_sudanembassyrome@yahoo.it

Gaafar AHMED ABDALLA OMER
SWEDEN/SUÈDE/SUECIA
Johanna CHRISTOFFERSON
Deputy Director
Ministry of Enterprise and Innovation
Stockholm
E-mail: johanna.christoffersson@新冠病毒

Gunilla GREIG
Senior Analyst
International Unit
Science Affairs Department
Swedish Agency for Marine and Water Management
Göteborg
E-mail: gunilla.greig@havochvatten.se

Annelie ROSELL
Fisheries Policy Analyst
Swedish Board of Agriculture
Jönköping
E-mail: Annelie.Rosell@jordbruksverket.se

Fredrik ALFER
Minister Counsellor
Swedish Deputy Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of Sweden
Rome, Italy
E-mail: fredrik.alfert@新冠病毒

SWITZERLAND/SUISSE/SUIZA
Mirjam WALKER
Responsable du Secteur contrôles, affaires internationales
Office fédéral de la sécurité alimentaire et des affaires vétérinaires
Berne
Phone: (+41) 58 462 25 41
E-mail: mirjam.walker@blv.admin.ch

François PYTHOUD
Ambassadeur et Représentant permanent
Représentation permanente auprès de la FAO, du FIDA et du PAM
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 8958 151
E-mail: francois.pythoud@eda.admin.ch

Jérôme DUPERRUT
Directeur associé
SICPA SA
Affaires publiques et des relations gouvernementales
Phone: (+41) 21 627 6394
E-mail: jerome.duperrut@sicpa.com

THAILAND/THAÏLANDE/TAILANDIA
Chumnarn PONGSRI
Director
Fisheries Foreign Affairs Division
Department of Fisheries
Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives
Bangkok
E-mail: chumnarnp@gmail.com

Suttinee LIMTHAMMACHISORN
Fisheries Biologist
Senior Professional Level
Fisheries Foreign Affairs Division
Department of Fisheries
Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives
Bangkok

Sompong NIMCHUAR
Permanent Representative to FAO
Office of Agricultural Affairs
Royal Thai Embassy
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3036 3687
Fax: (+39) 06 3031 2700
E-mail: thagri.rome@gmail.com

Tonga
Semisi FAKAHU
Minister for Agriculture and Food, Forests and Fisheries
Ministry of Agriculture, Food, Forestry and Fisheries
Nuku'alofa
Phone: (+676) 23038 28579
E-mail: minister@mafff.gov.to

Poasi NGALUAFE
Head of Aquaculture Research
Fisheries Department
Ministry of Agriculture, Food, Forestry and Fisheries
Nuku'alofa

TURKEY/TURQUIE/TURQUÍA
Esra DENIZCI CAKMAK
Ministry of Food Agriculture and Livestock
General Directorate of Fisheries and Aquaculture
Ankara
Phone: (+90) 312 258 30 73
E-mail: esrafatma.denizci@tarim.gov.tr
Hilmi Ergin DEDEOGLU
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of Turkey
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4459 4249
Fax: (+39) 06 4941 526
E-mail: ambasciata.roma@mfa.gov.tr

Robert SABIITI
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO
Permanent Representation to FAO
Embassy of the Republic of Uganda
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 335 1582 795
E-mail: rsabiiti@yahoo.com

Mirghani Hassan OBEID ALI
Coordinator of UAE relations with the UN agencies in Rome
Embassy of the United Arab Emirates
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4674 3500
Fax: (+39) 06 4674 3535
E-mail: gibbons-fly@state.gov

Malcolm LARGE
Head of International Trade and Regions
Seafish Industry Authority
Edinburgh
Phone: (+44) 1772 798924
E-mail: malcolm.large@seafish.co.uk

Ayoub Jones MNDEME
Agriculture Attaché
Embassy of the United Republic of Tanzania
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3348 5820
E-mail: mndeameay@gmail.com

Salvator Marcus MBILINYI
Chargé D'Affaires
Embassy of the United Republic of Tanzania
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 3348 5801; 06 3348 5820
Fax: (+39) 06 3348 5828
E-mail: info@embassyoftanzaniarome.info

David LANE
Ambassador
Ambassador to FAO
United States Mission to the United Nations Agencies
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4674 3500
Fax: (+39) 06 4674 3535
E-mail: USUNRome@State.Gov

Douglas T. BEARD
Chief
National Climate Change and Wildlife Science Center
United States Geological Survey
E-mail: dbeard@usgs.gov

Rebecca DORSEY
Foreign Affairs Officer
Office of Marine Conservation
Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs
U.S. Department of State
Washington, DC
Phone: (+1) 301 427 8369
Fax: (+1) 301 427 8380
E-mail: warner-kramerdm@state.gov

Todd DUBOIS
Assistant Director
Office of Law Enforcement National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
U.S. Department of Commerce Silver Spring, MD
E-mail: todd.dubois@noaa.gov

William GIBBONS-FLY
Director
Office of Marine Conservation
Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs
U.S. Department of State
Washington, DC
E-mail: gibbons-flywh@state.gov

Deirdre WARNER-KRAMER
Senior Foreign Affairs Officer
Office of Marine Conservation
Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs
U.S. Department of State
Washington, DC
Phone: (+1) 301 427 8369
Fax: (+1) 301 427 8380
E-mail: warner-kramerdm@state.gov

Cheri MCCARTY
Foreign Affairs Specialist
Office of International Affairs and Seafood Inspection National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
U.S. Department of Commerce Silver Spring, MD
Phone: (+1) 301 427 8369
Fax: (+1) 301 427 8380
E-mail: cheri.mccarty@noaa.gov

Robert MEARKLE
Alternate Permanent Representative United States Mission to the UN Agencies
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 4674 3500
Fax: (+39) 06 4674 3535
E-mail: USUNRome@State.Gov
Greg SCHNEIDER  
Senior International Trade Specialist  
Office of International Affairs  
and SeaFood Inspection  
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration  
U.S. Department of Commerce  
Silver Spring, MD  
E-mail: greg.schneider@noaa.gov

Richard ROBINS  
Chairman  
Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council  
Suffolk, Virginia  
E-mail: RichardBRobins@gmail.com

Russell SMITH  
Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Affairs  
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration  
U.S. Department of Commerce  
Silver Spring, MD  
Phone: (+1) 202 482 5682  
E-mail: russell.smith@noaa.gov

Anna Marie LAURA  
Senior Manager  
Policy Engagement  
RARE  
Arlington, Virginia

URUGUAY

Daniel GILARDONI  
Director General  
Dirección Nacional de Recursos Acuático (DINARA)  
Ministerio de Ganadería, Agricultura y Pesca  
Montevideo  
Phone: (+598) 2409 2969  
Fax: (+598) 2401 3216  
E-mail: dgilardon@dinara.gub.uy

Oscar Gabriel PIÑEYRO  
Representante Alterno  
Representación Permanente ante los Organismos de las Naciones Unidas con Sede en Roma  
Embajada de la República Oriental del Uruguay  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 4821 776  
E-mail: oscar.pineyro@ambasciatauruguay.it

VENEZUELA (BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF)/VENEZUELA (REPÚBLIQUE BOLIVARIENNE DU)/VENEZUELA (REPÚBLICA BOLIVARIANA DE)

Blanca BOTTINI  
Viceministra de Produccion Primaria Pesquera y Acuicola  
Ministerio del Poder Popular de Pesca y Acuicultura  
Caracas  
Phone: (+58) 4266 118184  
E-mail: dgpi.minpesca@gmail.com

Porfirio PESTANA DE BARROS  
Encargado Negocios a.i.  
Representación Permanente ante la FAO  
Roma, Italia  
Phone: (+39) 06 8081 407  
E-mail: embavenefao@iol.it

Jose Miguel JAIMES VIVAS  
Director de Soberanía Territorial  
Ministerio del Poder Popular para Relaciones Exteriores  
Caracas  
Phone: (+58) 4261 315596  
E-mail: oai.minpesca@gmail.com

VIET NAM

Thu Nguyet NGUYEN THI  
Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development  
Hanoi  
E-mail: nguyennit.vtc@mard.gov.vn

Thuy Hang NGUYEN THI  
Second Secretary  
Embassy of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 344 1362162  
E-mail: ngyuenhangt@gmail.com

Trang Nhung NGUYEN THI  
Embassy of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 344 1362162  
E-mail: trangnhungicd@gmail.com

ZAMBIA/ZAMBIE

Lawrence EVANS  
Deputy Minister of Fisheries and Livestock  
Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock  
Lusaka

Kayoya MASUHWA  
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of the Republic of Zambia  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 3221 655  
Fax: (+39) 06 9761 3035  
E-mail: kayoyamasuhwa@gmail.com

Silumelume MUBUKWANU  
Counselor Economics  
Embassy of the Republic of Zambia  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 3221 655  
Fax: (+39) 06 9761 3035  
E-mail: zamrome@rdn.it
Getrude MWAPE  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of the Republic of Zambia  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 3221 655  
Fax: (+39) 06 9761 3035  
E-mail: zamrome@rdn.it

John MWENYA  
Protocol Officer  
Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock  
Lusaka

Glyne MICHELO  
First Secretary  
Economics and Trade  
Embassy of the Republic of Zambia  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 3221 655  
Fax: (+39) 06 9761 3035  
E-mail: zamrome@rdn.it

ZIMBABWE

Godfrey MAGWENZI  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of the Republic of Zimbabwe  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 6830 8282  
Fax: (+39) 06 6830 8324  
E-mail: zimrome-wolit@tiscali.it

Placida Shuvai CHIVANDIRE  
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of the Republic of Zimbabwe  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 6830 8282  
Fax: +39 06 68308324  
E-mail: zimrome-wolit@tiscali.it

Shephard GWENZI  
Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO  
Embassy of the Republic of Zimbabwe  
Rome, Italy  
Phone: (+39) 06 6830 8282  
Fax: +39 06 683 08324  
E-mail: zimrome-wolit@tiscali.it

ASSOCIATE MEMBER/MEMBRE ASSOCIÉ/MIEMBRO ASOCIADO

FAROE ISLANDS/ÎLES FÉROÉ (LES)/ISLAS FEROE

Elin MORTENSEN  
Head of Unit Oceans and EU Affairs  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade  
Tórshavn  
Phone: (+298) 556 142  
E-mail: elinm@uvmr.fo

Kate SANDERSON  
Head of Mission to the EU  
Brussels, Belgium  
Phone: (+324) 7725 0160  
E-mail: kates@uvmr.fo

Jens Helgi TOFTUM  
Ministry of Fisheries  
Tórshavn  
Phone: (+298) 353030  
Fax: (+298) 353035  
E-mail: jens.helgi.toftum@fisk.fo

OBSERVERS FROM FAO MEMBER NATIONS/ 
OBSERVATEURS D’ÉTATS MEMBRES DE LA FAO/ 
OBSERVADORES DE LOS ESTADOS MIEMBROS DE LA FAO

DJIBOUTI

Ahmed DARAR DJIBIRL  
Directeur de la pêche  
Ministère de l’agriculture et de la pêche  
Djibouti  
Phone: (+253) 7784 5776  
E-mail: djidarar@hotmail.com

GAMBIA/GAMBIE

Salifu CEESAY  
Fisheries Officer  
Department of Fisheries  
Ministry of Environment, Climate Change, Water and Fisheries  
Banjul  
Fax: (+220) 4229 997  
E-mail: sceesay@mof.gov.gm

GRENADA/GRENADA/GRANADA

Angus E. FRIDAY  
Ambassador  
Embassy of Grenada to the United States of America  
Washington, D.C, USA  
Phone: (+202) 7138 563  
Fax: (+202) 2652 468  
E-mail: angus.friday@gmail.com

GUYANA

Denzil ROBERTS  
Chief Fisheries Officer  
Fisheries Department  
Ministry of Agriculture  
Georgetown  
Phone: (+592) 225 9559  
E-mail: bert99@yahoo.com; fisheriesguyana@gmail.com

MONACO/MÓNACO

Jean-Philippe BERTANI  
Conseiller  
Ambassade de la Principauté de Monaco  
Rome, Italie  
Phone: (+39) 06 8083 361  
Fax: (+39) 06 8077 692  
E-mail: info@ambasciatamonaco.it

Martine GARCIA  
Troisième Secrétaire  
Ambassade de la Principauté de Monaco  
Rome, Italie  
Phone: (+39) 06 8083 361  
Fax: (+39) 06 8077 692  
E-mail: info@ambasciatamonaco.it

MONTENEGRO/ MONTÉNÉGRO

Maja SIMONOVIC
PAPUA NEW GUINEA/
PAPOUASIE-NOUVELLE-
GUINÉE/PAPUA NUEVA
GUINEA

Alois KINOL
Manager
Catch Documentation and Certification
Papua New Guinea National Fisheries Authority
Port Moresby
E-mail: alois.kinol@gmail.com

SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS/SAINIT-KITTS-ET-NEVIS/SAINIT KITTS Y NEVIS

Marc WILLIAMS
Director of Marine Resources
Ministry of Agriculture
Bay Road, Basseterre
Phone: (+1) 869 465 8045
Fax: (+1) 869 466 7254
E-mail: marcwili3@aol.com; dmrskn@gmail.com

VANUATU

Roy M. JOY
Ambassador to the EU/ACP
Embassy of the Republic of Vanuatu to the Kingdom of Belgium and the European Union
Brussels, Belgium
Phone: +32 2 771 74 94
E-mail: rmjoy@vanuatu.gov.vu

Shirley JOY
Sapai Moana TIMAKATA
Samson VILVIL FARE

HOLY SEE/SAINT-
SIEGE/SANTA SEDE

Mgr. Fernando CHICA ARELLANO
Observateur Permanent du Saint-Siège auprès de la FAO
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 6988 7234
Fax: (+39) 06 6988 7195
E-mail: osserfao@mhsfao.va

Vincenzo BUONOMO
Bureau de l'Observateur Permanent du Saint-Siège auprès de la FAO
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 6988 7234
Fax: (+39) 06 6988 7195
E-mail: osserfao@mhsfao.va

Salvatore CAVALLO
Bureau de l'Observateur Permanent du Saint-Siège auprès de la FAO
Rome, Italie
Phone: (+39) 06 6988 7234
Fax: (+39) 06 6988 7195
E-mail: osserfao@mhsfao.va

PALESTINE/PALESTINA

Mai ALKAILA
Permanent Representative to FAO and Ambassador
Embassy of Palestine to Italy
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 7008 791
E-mail: roma@ambasciatapalestina.com

Mamoun BARGHOUTHI
Assistant to the Permanent Representative of FAO
Embassy of Palestine in Italy
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 7008 791
E-mail: roma@ambasciatapalestina.com

REPRESENTATIVES OF UNITED NATIONS AND SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND RELATED ORGANIZATIONS/REPRÉSENTANTS DES NATIONS UNIES ET DES INSTITUTIONS SPÉCIALISÉES/REPRESENTANTES DE NACIONES UNIDAS Y ORGANISMOS ESPECIALIZADOS

GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY/FONDS POUR L'ENVIRONNEMENT MONDIAL/FONDO PARA EL MEDIO AMBIENTE MUNDIAL

Nicole GLINEUR
Phone: (+202) 4732 512
E-mail: nglineur@thegef.org

INTERNATIONAL LABOUR OFFICE/BUREAU INTERNATIONAL DU TRAVAIL/OFICINA INTERNACIONAL DEL TRABAJO

Brandt Ernest WAGNER
Unit Head
Transport and Maritime Sectoral Policies Department
Geneva, Switzerland
E-mail: wagner@ilo.org

INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION/ORGANISATION MARITIME INTERNATIONALE/ORGANIZACIÓN MARÍTIMA INTERNACIONAL

Lawrence BARCHUE
Director
Department for Member State Audit and Implementation Support
London, United Kingdom
Phone: (+44) 207 5873 109
E-mail: lbarchue@imo.org
Vivian IWAR
Head
Animal Resources Development
Department of Agricultural and
Rural Development
ECOWAS Commission
Nigeria
Phone: (+234) 80 2305 7219
E-mail: ethelwar@yahoo.com; viwar@ecowas.int

Joseph Alfred Rodrigue MBANE OGOONOUM
Project Assistant
Fish Trade
Phone: (+254) 20 3674216
E-mail: joseph.mbane@au-ibar.org

Haladou SALHA
African Union/NEPAD
Representative
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 5705 3731
E-mail: haladou.salha@mail.com

Yugraj Singh YADAVA
Director
Chennai, India
Phone: (+91) 4424 936 188
Fax: (+91) 4424 936 102
E-mail: yugraj.yadava@bobpigo.org

Benguela Current Commission/Commission
Du Courant de Benguela/ Comision de la Corriente
De Benguela

Hashali HAMUKUAYA
Executive Secretary
Swakopmund
Namibia
E-mail: hashali@benguelacc.org

Graciela PEREIRA
Director
Montevideo, Uruguay
Phone: (+598) 2902 8701
Fax: (+598) 2903 0501
E-mail: graciela.pereira@infopesca.org

CENTRAL AMERICAN ORGANIZATION OF THE
FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE SECTOR/
ORGANISATION DU SECTEUR DES PÊCHES ET DE
L'AQUACULTURE DE L'ISTHME CENTRAMÉRICAINE/
ORGANIZACIÓN DEL SECTOR PESQUERO Y ACUÍCOLA DEL
ISTMO CENTROAMERICANO

Mario GONZALEZ RECINOS
Director Ejecutivo Regional
SICA/OSPESCA
El Salvador
Phone: (+503) 2248 8841; 2209 9364
E-mail: mgonzalez@sica.int; mgonzalez@oirsa.org

CENTRE FOR MARKETING INFORMATION AND
ADVISORY SERVICES FOR FISHERY PRODUCTS IN LATIN
AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN/CENTRE POUR
LES SERVICES D'INFORMATION ET DE
CONSULTATION SUR LA COMMERCIALISATION DES
PRODUITS DE LA PÊCHE EN AMÉRIQUE LATINE ET DANS
LES CARAÏBES/CENTRO PARA LOS SERVICIOS DE
INFORMACIÓN Y ASESORAMIENTO SOBRE LA
COMMERCIALIZACIÓN DE LOS PRODUCTOS PESQUEROS EN
LA REGIÓN ARABE

Abdellatif BELKOUCH
Managing Director
INFOSAMAK Centre
Casablanca, Morocco
Phone: (+212) 5225 40855
E-mail: abdellatif.belkouch@infosamak.org

Olaya MAHTATE
Quality and Marketing Specialist
Managing Director
INFOSAMAK Centre
Casablanca, Morocco
Phone: (+212) 5225 40856
E-mail: olaya.mahtate@infosamak.org

COMISIÓN TÉCNICA MIXTA
DEL FREnte MARINO

Roque Maria BOURDOEU
Presidente Alterno
Montevideo, Uruguay
Phone: (+541) 14819 8063
E-mail: romabu10@gmail.com

Carlos MATA
Vicepresidente de la Delegación
Uruguay
Montevideo, Uruguay
E-mail: carlos.mata@mree.gub.uy

Ramiro Pedro SANCHEZ
Technical Secretary
Buenos Aires
Phone: (+598) 2916 1973
E-mail: rsanchez@ctmfm.org
Jean François PULVENIS  
Senior Policy Advisor  
La Jolla, CA., USA  
Phone: (+1) 858 546 7100  
Fax: (+1) 858 546 7133  
E-mail: jpulvenis@iattc.org

INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION FOR MARKETING INFORMATION AND COOPERATION SERVICES FOR FISHERY PRODUCTS IN AFRICA/ORGANISATION INTERGUVERNEMENTALE D'INFORMATION ET DE COOPÉRATION POUR LA COMMERCIALISATION DES PRODUITS DE LA PÊCHE EN AFRIQUE/ORGANIZACIÓN INTERGUBERNAMENTAL DE INFORMACIÓN Y COOPERACIÓN PARA LA COMERCIALIZACIÓN DE LOS PRODUCTOS PESQUEROS EN ÁFRICA

Mohamed EL MALAGUI  
Director  
Phone: (+225) 202 3198; 2021 5775  
Fax: (+225) 202 8054  
E-mail: infopeche@aviso.ci; elmalagui@hotmail.fr

INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL POLICE ORGANIZATION

Thomas J. MCDONNELL  
Criminal Intelligence Officer  
INTERPOL General Secretariat  
Lyon, France  
Phone: (+33) 47244 6651  
E-mail: a.mcdonnell@interpol.int

INTERNATIONAL MONITORING, CONTROL AND SURVEILLANCE (IMCS) NETWORK

Harm KOSTER  
Executive Director  
International MCS Network  
Washington, D.C., USA  
E-mail: hkoster@imcsnet.org

Shirlene Maria ANTHONYSAMY  
Acting Director  
Selangor, Malaysia  
Phone: (+60) 3806 49295  
E-mail: shirlene@infofish.org

Cephas RALF  
Chair  
Washington D.C., USA  
Phone: (+1) 202 3381 310  
Fax: (+1) 202 3381 810  
E-mail: cefas.rafl@gov.scot

Melinda SOFFER  
Director of Finance and Administration  
Washington, D.C., USA  
Phone: (+1) 202 3381 300  
Fax: (+1) 202 3381 810  
E-mail: msoffer@igsd.org

Elise STULL  
Network Coordinator  
Washington, D.C., USA  
Phone: (+1) 202 338 9915  
Fax: (+1) 202 338 1810  
E-mail: estull@imcsnet.org

INTERNATIONAL WHALING COMMISSION/COMMISSION BALENIÈRE INTERNATIONALE/COMISIÓN BALLENERA INTERNACIONAL

Sarah SMITH  
Project Development Officer  
Cambridge, United Kingdom  
Phone: (+44) 1223 233 971  
Fax: (+44) 1223 232 876  
E-mail: sarah.smith@iwc.int
LAKE TANGANYIKA
AUTHORITY/AUTORITÉ DU
LAC TANGANYIKA
Kaitira Ibrahim KATONDA
Director of Fisheries
Bujiambura, Burundi
E-mail: kaitira.katonda1@gmail.com

Jean-Marie NIBIRANTIJE
Executive Director
Bujiambura, Burundi
E-mail: jeanmarie.nibirantije@lta-alt.org

LAKE VICTORIA FISHERIES
ORGANIZATION/ ORGANISATION DES PÊCHES
DU LAC VICTORIA/ ORGANIZACIÓN PESQUERA
PARA EL LAGO VICTORIA
Godfrey Vincent MONOR
Executive Secretary
Jinja, Uganda
Phone: (+256) 7767 05634
E-mail: monorgv@lvfo.org

NEW PARTNERSHIP FOR
AFRICA’S DEVELOPMENT
(NEPAD)
Kristín GUNNARSDÓTTIR
Sandy DAVIES
Adviser
Gaborone, Botswana
Phone: (+267) 392 6298
Fax: (+267) 392 6290
E-mail: sdavies@nfds.info

Hamady DIOP
Head of Natural Resource
Governance and Food
Security
Johannesburg, South Africa
Phone: (+27) 1125 63600;
(+27) 734 994 002
E-mail: hamadyd@nepad.org

Sally FREE
Communications Officer
Gaborone, Botswana
Phone: (+267) 3926 298
E-mail: sfrankcom@nfds.info

Mwanja NG’ANJO
Senior Communication Officer
Johannesburg, South Africa
Phone: (+271) 1256 3600;
(+278) 2882 6866
E-mail: mwanjan@nepad.org

NORTH ATLANTIC SALMON
CONSERVATION
ORGANIZATION/ ORGANISATION POUR LA
CONSERVATION DU SAUMON
DE L’ATLANTIQUE NORD/ ORGANIZACIÓN PARA LA
CONSERVACIÓN DEL SALMÓN
DEL NORTE DEL ATLÁNTICO

Peter HUTCHINSON
Secretary
Edinburgh, United Kingdom
Phone: (+44) 1 3122 82551
E-mail: hq@nasco.int

NORTH EAST ATLANTIC
FISHERIES COMMISSION/ COMMISSION DES PÊCHES DE
L’ATLANTIQUE NORD-EST/COMISIÓN DE
PESQUERÍAS DEL ATLÁNTICO
NORDESTE
Stefan ASMUNDSSON
Secretary
London, United Kingdom
Phone: (+44) 20 7631 0016
Fax: (+44) 20 7149 9950
E-mail: info@neafc.org;
stefan@neafc.org

NORTH PACIFIC
ANADROMOUS FISH
COMMISSION/COMMISSION DES POISSONS ANADROMES
DU PACIFIQUE NORD/ COMISIÓN DE PECES
ANÁDROMOS DEL PACÍFICO
SEPTENTRIONAL
Vladimir RADCHENKO
Executive Director
Vancouver, Canada
Phone: (+1) 6047 7555 50;
(+1) 77899 60108
Fax: (+1) 6047 7555 77
E-mail: vlrad@npafc.org

NORTH PACIFIC FISHERIES
COMMISSION
Dae-Yeon MOON
Executive Secretary
Phone: (+81) 3 5479 8717
E-mail: dymoon@npfc.int;
dymoon1001@hotmail.com

NORTHWEST ATLANTIC
FISHERIES ORGANIZATION/ ORGANISME DES PÊCHES
DE L’ATLANTIQUE NORD- OUEST/ORGANIZACIÓN DE
PESQUERÍAS DEL ATLÁNTICO
NOROESTE
Geoffrey Frederick
KINGSTON
Executive Secretary
Nova Scotia, Canada
Phone: (+1) 902 468 5590
ext. 202
Fax: (+ 1) 902 468 5538
E-mail: fkingston@nafo.int

PACIFIC ISLANDS FORUM
FISHERIES AGENCY/ ORGANISME DES PÊCHES DU
FORUM DU PACIFIQUE/ORGANISMO DE
PESCA DEL FORO PARA EL
PACIFICO
Megan STREETER
Training Adviser
Honiara, Solomon Islands
Phone: (+677) 211 24
E-mail: megan.streeter@ffa.int

SOUTH EAST ATLANTIC
FISHERIES ORGANIZATION/ ORGANISME DES PÊCHES DU
SUD-EAST/ORGANIZACIÓN DE
PESQUERÍAS DEL ATLÁNTICO
MERIDIONAL ORIENTAL
Barend Johannes VAN ZYL
Executive Secretary
Swakopmund, Namibia
Phone: (+264) 6440 6885
Fax: (+264) 6440 6884
E-mail: bvanzyl@seafo.org
ORGANIZATION FOR PROMOTION OF RESPONSIBLE TUNA FISHERIES/ORGANIZACIÓN PARA LA PESCA RESPONSABLE DEL ATÚN

Daishiro NAGAHATA
Managing Director
Tokyo, Japan
Phone: (+81) 3 3568 6388
Fax: (+81) 3 3568 6389
E-mail: nagahata@oprt.or.jp

AFRICAN CONFEDERATION OF ARTISANAL FISHING PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS/CONFÉDÉRATION AFRICAINE DES ORGANISATIONS PROFESSIONNELLES DE PÊCHE ARTISANALES

Sid Ahmed ABEID
Président
Nouadhibou, Mauritania
Phone: (+222) 2236 0087
E-mail: abeid1957@hotmail.fr

Dawda FODAY SAINÉ
Treasurer
Banjul, Gambia
Phone: (+220) 7453 623
E-mail: dawda-saine@yahoo.com

Micheline DION SOMPELHI
Coordonnatrice des femmes
FENACOPECI
Abidjan, Cote D’Ivoire
Phone: (+225) 060 11602
E-mail: avepffa@yahoo.fr

Khady DIOP
Assistant
Médine-Mbour, Senegal
Phone: (+221) 3395 470 90
E-mail: caopa.pech@gmail.com

Antonia Adama DJALO
Vice-Présidente
Bissau, Guinée-Bissau
Phone: (+245) 9668 740 38
Email: antoniadamadjal@gmail.com

GLOBAL SUSTAINABLE SEAFOOD INITIATIVE

Niklas WEHNER
Advisor
Phone: (+49) 6196 793 497
E-mail: kai.wehner@giz.de

INTERNATIONAL COALITION OF FISHERIES ASSOCIATIONS/COALITION INTERNATIONALE DES ASSOCIATIONS HALIEUTIQUES/COALICIÓN INTERNACIONAL DE ASOCIACIONES PESQUERAS

John CONNELLY
Adviser
United States of America
Phone: +1 703 752-8881
Fax: +1 703 752-7583
Email: jconnelly@nfi.org

Akane MINOHARA (NAKAMURA)
Research Fellow
Japan Fisheries Association
Phone: (+81) 358 417 501
Fax: (+81) 358 417 501
E-mail: akane-m@mail.ecc.u-tokyo.ac.jp

Julio MORON AYALA
Adviser
Madrid, Spain
Phone: (+34) 91 431 4857
Fax: (+34) 91 576 1222
E-mail: opagac@opagac.org

Graham PATCHELL
Scientific Advisor
Nelson, New Zealand
Phone: (+64) 3545 9538
Fax: (+64) 3546 7458
E-mail: gip@sealord.co.nz

 CENTER FOR DEVELOPMENT OF SUSTAINABLE FISHERIES

Ernesto GODELMAN
Chairman
Buenos Aires, Argentina
Phone: (+50) 764 458 638
E-mail: ernesto.godelman@cedepesca.net

COALITION FOR FAIR FISHERIES AGREEMENTS/COALITION POUR DES ACCORDS DE PÊCHE ÉQUITABLES/COALICIÓN POR ACUERDOS DE PESCA EQUITATIVOS

Kai KASCHINSKI
Chairman
Bremen, Germany
Phone: (+49) 1 5229 517 004
E-mail: fair-oceans@gmx.info

Francisco Jose MARI LOPEZ
Senior Policy Officer Maritime Affairs
Berlin, Germany
Phone: (+49) 306 521 118 22
E-mail: Francisco.mari@brot-fuer-die-welt.de

Anahit PANOSSIAN
Legal Expert
Rabat, Morocco
Phone: (+33) 6186 404 68
E-mail: anahit.panossian@gmail.com

Emeka Lucky UMEJEI
Delegate
Johannesburg, South Africa
Phone: (+277) 3056 8010
E-mail: mosieds@gmail.com

Nicholas Stephen John WATTS
Humberto SPEZIANI
Director
Madrid, Spain
Phone: (+51) 142 288 44
Fax: (+51) 1611 1401
E-mail: hspeziani@tasa.com.pe

INTERNATIONAL COLLECTIVE IN SUPPORT OF FISHERWORKERS/COLLECTIF INTERNATIONAL D’APPUI AUX TRAVAILLEURS DE LA PÊCHE/COLECTIVO INTERNACIONAL DE APOYO AL PESCADOR ARTESANAL

Sebastian MATHEW
Executive Secretary
Chennai, India
Phone: (+91) 4428 275 303
E-mail: icsf@icsf.net

Ravadee PRASERTCHAROENSUK
Executive Director of Sustainable Development Foundation
Bangkok, Thailand
Phone: (+66) 2 9353560/61/62
Fax: (+66) 2 3952721
E-mail: adjthai@gmail.com; ravadee.prasertcharoensuk@gmail.com

INTERNATIONAL CONFEDERATION OF SPORT FISHING

Ferenc SZALAY
President
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+36) 30 962 0059
E-mail: ferenc@cips-fips.com

INTERNATIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE FOR FOOD SOVEREIGNTY/COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL DE PLANIFICATION POUR LA SOVERAINETÉ ALIMENTAIRE/COMITÉ INTERNACIONAL DE PLANIFICACIÓN PARA LA SOBERANÍA ALIMENTARIA

Dmitry BEREZIKOV
Artic People

Stefano MORI
Centro Internazionale Crocevia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8880 5845
E-mail: stefano.mori4@gmail.com

Audrey MOUYSET
E-mail: aoudri@yahoo.fr

Philip SEUFERT
Programme Coordinator Natural Resources
FIAN International Secretariat
Heidelberg, Germany
Phone: (+49) 622 1653 0030
E-mail: seufert@fian.org

Giulia SIMULA
Crocevia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 3489 1285 54
E-mail: simula.giulia@yahoo.co.uk

Federica SPERTI
Centro Internazionale Crocevia
Rome, Italy
Phone: (+39) 06 8880 5845
E-mail: f.sperti@croceviaterra.it

Mauro CONTI
Centro Internazionale Crocevia
Rome, Italy
E-mail: m.conti@croceviaterra.it

Benedetta MERLO
E-mail: b.merlo@croceviaterra.it

INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT WORKERS’ FEDERATION/ FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DES OUVRERS DU TRANSPORT/ FEDERACIÓN INTERNACIONAL DE LOS TRABAJADORES DEL TRANSPORTE

Nichola SMITH
ITF/IUF Fisheries Programme Assistant
London, United Kingdom
Phone: (+44) 207 940 9314
E-mail: smith_nichola@itf.org.uk

Hideo KON
Indonesian Representative of All Japan Seamen
Jakarta, Indonesia
Phone: (+62) 212 941 0098
Fax: (+62) 21 2941 0093
E-mail: hkon@cbn.net.id

Kenji TAKAHASHI
Member of Central Committee All Japan's Seamen’s Union
Tokyo, Japan
Phone: (+81) 3541 0823
Fax: (+81) 3541 0836
E-mail: ktakahashi@jsu.jp

Shinichi TANAKA
Vice President
All Japan Seamen’s Union
Tokyo, Japan
Phone: (+81) 3541 0832
Fax: (+81) 3541 0836
E-mail: stanaka@jsu.jp

INTERNATIONAL UNION FOR CONSERVATION OF NATURE/UNION INTERNATIONALE POUR LA CONSERVATION DE LA NATURE/UNIÓN INTERNACIONAL PARA LA CONSERVACIÓN DE LA NATURALEZA

Serge GARCIA
Chair of the Fisheries Expert Group
Gland, Switzerland
E-mail: grcsgm@gmail.com

Despina SYMONS
Coordinator IUCN-CEM-FEG
Gland, Switzerland
Phone: (+32) 223 030 70
E-mail: despina.symons@ebcd.org

INTERNATIONAL UNION OF FOOD, AGRICULTURAL, HOTEL, RESTAURANT, CATERING, TOBACCO AND ALLIED WORKERS’ ASSOCIATIONS - IUF

Kirill BUKETOV
Fish and Seafood Workers Coordinator
Geneva, Switzerland
Phone: (+41) 227 932 233; (+41) 228 7905 10
E-mail: kirill.buketov@iuf.org
Astrio ALEXANDERSEN
Observer
Denmark
Phone: (+45) 2236 0879
E-mail: astridalexandersen@gmail.com

Alessandro FOSSI
Resource person
Pesc’Art
Florence, Italy
Phone: (+39) 366 3814 332
E-mail: alexosfossi@gmail.com

Mogamad Naseegh JAFFER
General Secretary
World Forum of Fisher People
Cape Town, South Africa
Phone: (+27) 21 685 4549
Fax: (+27) 21 685 3816
E-mail: naseegh@masifundise.org.za

Natalia LAINO LOJO
Observer
La Coruna, Spain
Phone: (+34) 607 446 581
E-mail: natalia.laino@gmail.com

Mitchell LAY
Coordinator WFFP/CNFO
Antigua, Antigua and Barbuda
Phone: (+1) 268 7844 690
E-mail: mitchlay@yahoo.co.uk

Moises OSORTO CACERES
Observer
Honduras
Phone: (+50) 4979 17097
E-mail: apagolfo@gmail.com

Benchawan PENGNOO
Association of the Federation of Fisherfolk
Phatthalung Province, Thailand
Phone: (+66) 81 898 2842
E-mail: mai002545@gmail.com

Caroline BJERGLUND ANDERSEN
Observer
Denmark
Phone: (+45) 2737 5474
E-mail: carolinebjerglund@hotmail.com

Elizabeth HOGAN
Program Manager for Oceans and Wildlife
New York, USA
Phone: (+1) 202 374 7068
E-mail: ehogan@worldanimalprotection.org

Joshua KAILE
UK Head of Public Affairs and Communications
London, United Kingdom
Phone: (+44) 7702 3282 83
E-mail: joshkaile@worldanimalprotection.org.uk

Lynn KAVANAGH
Campaign Manager
Toronto, Canada
Phone: (+1) 416 893 4505
Fax: (+1) 800 363 9772
E-mail: lynnkavanagh@worldanimalprotection.ca

Joanna TOOLE
Global Campaign Lead
London, United Kingdom
Phone: (+44) 0 207 239 0500
E-mail: joannatoole@worldanimalprotection.org

Juan Pablo LAZO CORVERA
President
World Aquaculture Society
Los Angeles, USA
Phone: (+1) 225 578 3137
Fax: (+1) 225 578 3493
E-mail: jplazo@cicese.mx

Antonio GARZA DE YTA
Director
World Aquaculture Society
Los Angeles, USA
E-mail: agama@crm-agc.com

Elizabeth HOGAN
Program Manager for Oceans and Wildlife
New York, USA
Phone: (+1) 202 374 7068
E-mail: ehogan@worldanimalprotection.org

Joshua KAILE
UK Head of Public Affairs and Communications
London, United Kingdom
Phone: (+44) 7702 3282 83
E-mail: joshkaile@worldanimalprotection.org.uk

Lynn KAVANAGH
Campaign Manager
Toronto, Canada
Phone: (+1) 416 893 4505
Fax: (+1) 800 363 9772
E-mail: lynnkavanagh@worldanimalprotection.ca

Joanna TOOLE
Global Campaign Lead
London, United Kingdom
Phone: (+44) 0 207 239 0500
E-mail: joannatoole@worldanimalprotection.org

Juan Pablo LAZO CORVERA
President
World Aquaculture Society
Los Angeles, USA
Phone: (+1) 225 578 3137
Fax: (+1) 225 578 3493
E-mail: jplazo@cicese.mx

Antonio GARZA DE YTA
Director
World Aquaculture Society
Los Angeles, USA
E-mail: agama@crm-agc.com

Eugene LAPOINTE
President
Lausanna, Switzerland
Phone: (+41) 2161 65000
E-mail: iwmciwmc.org; elapointe@iwmc.org

WORLD FORUM OF FISH HARVESTERS AND FISH WORKERS (WFF)/FORUM MONDIAL DES AQUACULTEURS ET PÊCHEURS/FORO MUNDIAL DE PESCADORES Y TRABAJADORES DEL SECTOR PESQUERO

Laguna CAIRO
Co-Presidente del WFF
Phone: (+50) 5225 017 12
E-mail: caireloguna@gmail.com

Editrudith LUKANGA
Co-Presen of WFF
Mwanza, Tanzania
Phone: (+255) 7674 372 85
E-mail: elukanga@yahoo.com

WORLD WILDLIFE FUND INTERNATIONAL

Jessica BATTLE
Global Ocean Policy Manager
Gland, Switzerland
Phone: (+41) 7947 735 59
E-mail: jbattle@wwfint.org

Samantha BURGESS
Head, Marine Policy
Brussels, Belgium
Phone: (+32) 4796 078 68
E-mail: sburgess@wwf.eu

Michele KURUC
Vice President
Oceans Policy
Washington D.C, USA
Phone: (+1) 202 4954 140
Fax: (+1) 202 4954 377
E-mail: michele.kuruc@wwfus.org

WORLD CONSERVATION TRUST

Christina Sophia DIXON
Trevor DOWNING  
Consultant to WWF  
International  
Loughton, United Kingdom  
Phone: (+44) 208 5088 877  
E-mail: tdowning@tjdconsult.co.uk

Steven HANSON  
Associate Provost and Dean  
Michigan State University  
Michigan, USA  
Phone: (+1) 517 355 2352  
E-mail: hansons@msu.edu

James GRAY  
Vice President for Research Emeritus  
Professor of Food Science  
Michigan State University  
Michigan, USA  
Phone: (+1) 517 3559 601  
E-mail: gray@msu.edu

Daroomalingum MAUREE  
Indian Ocean Commission  
Regional Project Coordinator  
Swiofish1 – World Bank Project  
Phone: (+230) 5 4214 183  
E-mail: dmauree@gmail.com; Daroomalingum.mauree@coi-ioc-org
OFFICERS OF THE COMMITTEE AT THE THIRTY-SECOND SESSION

Chairperson: Mr Fabio Hazin (Brazil)

First Vice-Chairperson: Mr William Gibbons-Fly (United States of America)

Vice-Chairpersons: Ghana, Kuwait, New Zealand, Poland and the Republic of Korea

DRAFTING COMMITTEE

The Committee elected Mr Johan Williams (Norway) as Chairperson of the Drafting Committee, with the following membership: Argentina, Bangladesh, Brazil, Canada, Congo, Egypt, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Morocco, New Zealand, Norway, Oman, Republic of Korea, Slovakia and Spain.

FAO FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE DEPARTMENT

Assistant Director-General: Árni M. Mathiesen

Director, Fisheries and Aquaculture Policy and Economics Division: Manuel Barange

SECRETARIAT

Secretary: H. Watanabe

Secretary, Drafting Committee: M. Camilleri
## APPENDIX C

### List of documents

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Document Code</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/1</td>
<td>Agenda and Timetable</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/2</td>
<td>State of world fisheries and aquaculture and the progress in the implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries and related instruments</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/3</td>
<td>Decisions and recommendations of the Fifteenth Session of the COFI Sub-Committee on Fish Trade, Agadir, Morocco, 22-26 February 2016</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/3.1</td>
<td>The Voluntary Guidelines for Catch Documentation Schemes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/4</td>
<td>Decisions and recommendations of the Eighth Session of the COFI Sub-Committee on Aquaculture, Brasilia, Brazil, 5-9 October 2015</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/5/Rev.1</td>
<td>Combatting illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/6</td>
<td>Second International Conference on Nutrition Follow-up: The contribution of fisheries and aquaculture to improved nutrition</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/7</td>
<td>Securing sustainable small-scale fisheries: towards implementation of the Voluntary Guidelines for Securing Sustainable Small-scale Fisheries in the Context of Food Security and Poverty Eradication (SSF Guidelines)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/7.1</td>
<td>Outcome of and follow-up to the Global Conference on Inland Fisheries, Freshwater, Fish and the Future</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/7.2</td>
<td>Outcome of and follow-up to Tenure and Fishing Rights 2015: Advancing knowledge on rights-based approaches for fisheries for enhancing food security and nutrition, poverty eradication and achieving the Sustainable Development Goals</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/8</td>
<td>Global and regional processes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/8/Sup.1</td>
<td>FAO’s work relating to the elements of a draft text of an international legally binding instruments under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea on the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity of areas beyond national jurisdiction</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/9</td>
<td>FAO's Programme of Work in fisheries and aquaculture under the FAO Strategic Framework</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Document Code</td>
<td>Title</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>---------------</td>
<td>----------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.1/Rev.1</td>
<td>List of documents</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.2</td>
<td>List of participants</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.3</td>
<td>Statement by the Director-General</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.4</td>
<td>Annotations/guide notes on agenda items</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.5</td>
<td>Follow-up to the decisions and recommendations of the Thirty-first Session of the Committee on Fisheries, Rome, 9–13 June 2014</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.6</td>
<td>Report of the Thirty-first Session of the Committee on Fisheries, Rome, 9–13 June 2014</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.7</td>
<td>Progress in the implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries and related instruments</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.8</td>
<td>Safety at sea in the fisheries sector</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.9</td>
<td>Report of the Fifteenth Session of the COFI Sub-Committee on Fish Trade, Agadir, Morocco, 22–26 February 2016</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.11</td>
<td>Report of the Eighth Session of the COFI Sub-Committee on Aquaculture, Brasilia, Brazil, 5–9 October 2015</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.12</td>
<td>The Global Record of Fishing Vessels, Refrigerated Transport Vessels and Supply Vessels (Global Record)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.13</td>
<td>Towards implementation of the Voluntary Guidelines for Securing Sustainable Small-scale Fisheries in the Context of Food Security and Poverty Eradication (SSF Guidelines)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.14</td>
<td>The Rome Declaration: ten steps to responsible inland fisheries</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.15</td>
<td>Advancing Knowledge on Rights-based Approaches for Fisheries: A global work programme for enhancing food security and nutrition, poverty eradication and achieving the Sustainable Development Goals</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.16</td>
<td>Regional Fishery Bodies established within the FAO framework</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.17</td>
<td>Discussion paper on strategy for FAO’s work on climate change</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.18</td>
<td>FIA Strategy for Fisheries, Aquaculture and Climate Change for 2017–2020</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.19</td>
<td>Expert Consultation on Gear Marking</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.20</td>
<td>Agenda 2030, Sustainable Development Goals and fisheries and aquaculture</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.21</td>
<td>FAO's considerations regarding UNFSA's issue of reporting distinctly catches inside and outside the EEZs</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Document Code</td>
<td>Description</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>------------------------</td>
<td>------------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.22</td>
<td>Developments in fora of importance for the mandate of COFI</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.23</td>
<td>Statement of Competence and Voting Rights submitted by the European Union and its Member States</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.24</td>
<td>Mainstreaming of biodiversity within and across sectors</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COFI/2016/Inf.25</td>
<td>International Year of Artisanal Fisheries and Aquaculture</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
It is an honor to welcome you to the 32nd Session of the FAO Committee on Fisheries. This is a remarkable COFI Session.

As we all know, the Port State Measures Agreement to Prevent, Deter and Eliminate Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing, the PSMA, has just entered into force.

This is the first-ever binding international instrument that specifically addresses IUU Fishing.

Let me congratulate all of you, in particular the Contracting Parties of the Agreement, for this historic achievement.

Illicit fishing may account for up to 26 million tons of fish a year, or more than 15 percent of the world’s total annual capture fisheries output.

The Agreement provides an innovative and practical way to tackle this problem by preventing vessels from using ports and landing their illegal catches, thereby reducing the incentive of such vessels to operate and blocking products from reaching national and international markets.

Now it is time to work in order to guarantee the implementation of the Agreement. FAO has elaborated a Global Capacity Development Umbrella Programme to step up assistance to developing countries in the implementation of the PSMA and complementary instruments. This Programme will be implemented through national, regional and global projects in collaboration with FAO’s partners.

More information will be provided later today, during the high-level Special Event to celebrate the advent of the Port State Measures Agreement. I invite all of you to participate. Also in this COFI Session, you will consider the approval of a declaration to establish the “International Day for the Fight against IUU Fishing”.

FAO has already received support letters from heads of state and ministers of more than 40 countries.

Ladies and gentlemen,

The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture 2016, released last week, sets the scene for the Committee to review the status and the needs of world fisheries and aquaculture, as well as to provide guidance on FAO’s work.

SOFIA 2016 shows us, for example, that aquaculture has gained fundamental importance in the supply of fish for human consumption.

In fact, there is a revolution going on in terms of fish production.
Terrestrial food production shifted from hunter activities to agriculture many millennia ago. But only in the 21st century has aquatic food production for human consumption definitely transitioned from being based on the capture of wild fish to the culture of farmed species.

Twenty years ago, aquaculture accounted for 26 percent of fish for human consumption. In 2014, aquaculture’s contribution to the supply of fish for human consumption overtook that of wild-caught fish for the first time.

SOFIA 2016 also show us that, in 2013, fish accounted for about 17 percent of the global population’s intake of animal protein and 6.7 percent of all protein consumed.

An estimated 56 million people were engaged in the primary sector of capture fisheries and aquaculture in 2014.

Small-scale fisheries are the source of employment for more than 90 percent of the world’s capture fishers and fish workers, about half of whom are women.

All these people play an important role in our quest to implement the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

Fisheries and aquaculture are not only important for the eradication of poverty and hunger and for the sustainable use of marine resources, they are also key to improve nutrition.

A significant growth in fish consumption has improved people’s diets around the world through diversified and nutritious food.

In addition to being a rich source of easily digested, high-quality proteins containing all-essential amino acids, fish provides essential fats, vitamins and minerals. It can thus play a major role in correcting unbalanced diets and in tackling obesity.

The Second International Conference on Nutrition stressed the benefits that fish provides for achieving healthy diets.

And the Committee will be invited to discuss key areas of work related to fisheries and aquaculture that were identified at ICN2, including food loss and waste.

Excellencies,

I would like to briefly refer to other issues that you will discuss during the week.

At the last Session of COFI, one of the outstanding achievements was the endorsement of the Voluntary Guidelines for Securing Sustainable Small-scale Fisheries in the Context of Food Security and Poverty Eradication, the SSF Guidelines.

In this Session, progress towards the implementation of the SSF Guidelines will be reported and your advice on further developments would be appreciated.

The Committee will also review various global and regional processes, as well as climate change and other environmental issues in which FAO is actively involved.
I would like to draw your attention to the Strategy for FAO’s Work on Climate Change, which is presented for your consideration.

I look forward to receiving your guidance on the appropriate roles and functions that FAO can assume to strengthen fisheries and aquaculture governance at global and regional levels.

Finally, the progress of implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries, and its related instruments, will be reported based on the outcome of the questionnaires. The response rate to the questionnaires has greatly improved with the use of the electronic format.

Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen,

The very busy agenda of the next five days reconfirms once again the paramount importance of the FAO Committee on Fisheries as the only global inter-governmental forum where major international fisheries and aquaculture problems and issues are examined.

I wish you every success in your deliberations and encourage you to actively participate in both the main sessions and side events.

Thank you for your attention.
APPENDIX E

Multiyear Programme of Work (MYPOW) of the Committee on Fisheries 2016–2019

I. OVERALL OBJECTIVES FOR THE COMMITTEE

1. The Committee on Fisheries (COFI) reviews the Organization's work programme in the field of fisheries and aquaculture, oversees the implementation of such programmes and is mandated to review specific issues pertaining to fisheries and aquaculture that have been referred to the Committee by either the FAO Council, the Director-General, or pursuant to the request of a Member State(s) periodically.

II. RESULTS FOR 2016–2019

A. Strategy and Priority Setting, and Budget Planning

2. Result:

The Committee's recommendations provide a solid basis for Council’s guidance and decisions on strategy, priorities, programmes and budget for the Organization.

3. Indicators and targets:

The Committee further promotes the FAO’s Questionnaire on Implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries (the Code) to solicit responses and reduce obstacles impeding responses.

Members respond to the FAO Questionnaire on the implementation of the Code, including the Questionnaire regarding the Implementation of Article 11, Post-harvest Practices and Trade as well as the Questionnaire regarding the Implementation of Article 9, Aquaculture Development and provide the FAO with statistics and other information in fisheries and aquaculture via the Committee, its Sub-Committees and the regional fisheries bodies.

Clear and specific recommendations are made by the Committee to the Council regarding the strategies, priorities, programmes and budget in fisheries and aquaculture.

The Committee’s recommendations made on the pertinent aspects of the Strategic Framework, the Medium Term Plan and the Programme of Work and Budget are reflected in the Council Report.

4. Outputs:

Report of the Committee that provides clear, precise and consensual recommendations for the Council on sectoral strategies, priorities, programmes and budgets.

5. Activities:

Review decisions and recommendations from the Sub-Committee on Fish Trade and the Sub-Committee on Aquaculture, statutory bodies and other relevant organs or institutions.

Review advice from the Regional Conferences in the field of fisheries and aquaculture.

Review the implementation of the Programme of Work and Budget in fisheries and aquaculture.
Formulate recommendations on the strategies, priorities, programmes and budget in fisheries and aquaculture.

6. **Working methods:**

Close collaboration with the relevant FAO Departments through the Chairperson and the Bureau.

Liaise with Sub-Committees on Fish Trade and Aquaculture and other statutory bodies.

Liaise with the Finance Committee on financial and budgetary matters.

Liaise with the Programme Committee on strategy and priority matters.

Report the outcome of the Committee on the programme and budgetary matters to the Council appropriately.

**B. Review of the World Situation in Fisheries and Aquaculture**

7. **Result:**

The Council, the Conference and the international community at large are provided with updated information and specific advice on the world situation in fisheries and aquaculture and in relation to the specific issues of significance addressed during the scheduled sessions.

8. **Indicators and targets:**

Clear, precise and consensual recommendations that are based on updated information of the State of world situation in fisheries and aquaculture are presented to the Council and the Conference as a solid basis for its guidance and decision.

9. **Output:**

Clear, precise and consensual recommendations are favourably considered by the Council and the Conference and provide a solid basis for its guidance and decision.

10. **Activities:**

The Committee undertakes general discussions on the current world situation in fisheries and aquaculture.

Specific issues of topical significance are addressed during the scheduled sessions.

11. **Working methods:**

Chairperson liaises with the Secretariat.

Intersessional work by the Bureau, supported by the Secretariat, to identify topics of significance for agenda setting.
C. Advise on Global Policy and Regulatory Matters

12. Results

The Committee recommendations provide a sound basis for decisions by the Conference on global policy and regulatory matters.

13. Indicators and targets:

Member Nations obtain value from the deliberations of the Committee, using the advice and recommendations to guide domestic actions and policies as reported by FAO.

Clear and specific recommendations made in a timely manner by the Committee to the Conference regarding global policy and regulatory matters in its areas of mandate.

The Committee’s recommendations made on global policy and regulatory matters are reflected in the Conference Report.

14. Output:

The Committee provides clear, precise and consensual recommendations for Conference on policy and regulatory frameworks or instruments.

Members of the Committee undertake all necessary action in order to:

Facilitate further the implementation of the Voluntary Guidelines for Securing Sustainable Small-scale Fisheries in the Context of Food Security and Poverty Eradication;

Facilitate further the implementation of the Voluntary Guidelines for Flag State Performance;

Facilitate the implementation of the Port States Measures Agreement once it has entered into force.

15. Activities:

Review the status of relevant international instruments in areas of competence for the Committee.

Consider possible solutions with a view to support concerted action by Members themselves or collectively through FAO and other relevant bodies in areas of competence for the Committee.

Report the outcome of the Committee on global policy and regulatory matters to the Conference appropriately.

III. EFFECTIVE WORK PLANNING OF COFI

16. Result:

The Committee works effectively and efficiently, in an action-oriented, inclusive way.

17. Indicators and targets:

The Committee's agendas are focused and reports are concise and containing specific action-oriented recommendations to both the Council and the Conference.

Evaluation of results and implementation of MYPOW for the Committee.
18. Outputs:


19. Activities:

Review the Committee’s practices and rules of procedure, if necessary.
Consider ways to improve the conduct of sessions, including more efficient use of the time available.
Recognizing the importance and usefulness of side events, facilitate more focusing and coordination of the side events in line with key issues addressed in the main sessions.
Facilitate further coordination and collaboration with the Sub-Committees and other Technical Committees.
Pay continued attention to effective arrangements for the formulation of agendas and drafting of the final report.

IV. WORKING METHODS

20. The Committee collaborates with statutory and other bodies under FAO auspices, liaises with the Programme Committee on strategy and priority matters, and with the Finance Committee on financial and budgetary matters as well as other relevant FAO Governing Bodies.

21. It liaises with other international organizations active in the areas of Fisheries and Aquaculture.

22. The Committee undertakes regular intersessional activities facilitated by the Chairperson and the Bureau with support from the Secretariat. Liaison amongst the Bureaus of the Committee and the Sub-Committees is also further strengthened.

23. It encourages and facilitates participation of observers including civil society’s organizations.

24. The Chairperson liaises with FAO through the Fisheries and Aquaculture Department.
The Thirty-second Session of the Committee on Fisheries (COFI) was held in Rome, Italy, from 11 to 15 July 2016. This is a report of the Session reflecting the discussions which took place and containing all recommendations and decisions taken by the Committee. A synopsis of the outcome of the Session is presented in the abstract and all supplementary information is included in the appendixes.