

# FAO-COFI Side Event

Wednesday, 13 July 2016, 12:30 – 14:00

Philippines Room

## INTEGRATING FISHERY MANAGEMENT & BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION:

### IMPLEMENTATION OF AICHI TARGET 6 AND THE ROLE OF MPAs FOR FOOD SECURITY AND FISHERY LIVELIHOODS

*FAO, CBD Secretariat, the Fisheries Expert Group of the IUCN Commission on Ecosystem Management (CEM/FEG) and the European Bureau for Conservation and Development (EBCD)*



**AICHI TARGET 6** : Building on previous and ongoing collaboration among CBD Secretariat, FAO and IUCN/CEM/FEG, this event aims to highlight the results of the *Expert Meeting on Improving Progress Reporting and Working towards Implementation of Aichi Biodiversity Target 6*, convened in Rome on 9-11 February 2016, and the relevant considerations made by the CBD Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA). In particular, it will discuss a set of actions and potential indicators that can be used by Parties, other Governments and relevant organizations to accelerate, monitor and report on progress towards the achievement of Aichi Biodiversity Target 6.

**MPAs AND FISHERIES** : The side event will also discuss issues related Aichi Targets 6 and 11, in particular fisheries and marine protected areas (MPAs). It will present two recent publications on this issue by FAO in collaboration with IUCN-FEG following the IUCN World Parks Congress (Sydney, 2014): (i) an FAO technical paper on “MPAs: Interactions with fishery livelihoods and food security” and (ii) an Aquatic Resources special issue article on "Fishing Livelihoods as Key to Marine Protected Areas: Insights from the World Parks Congress”.

# PROGRAM

Event Chair : Serge Garcia

## 1) AICHI TARGET 6

12.30 Welcome by FAO

12.35 Introduction by Serge Garcia

12.45 Presentation of the outcome of the FAO-CBD-FEG Expert Meeting on Target 6

13.00 Briefing by CBD Secretariat on the relevant outcomes of SBSTTA 20

13.10 Discussion

## 2) MPAs AND FISHERIES

13.25 Presentation on recent developments in relation to MPAs and Fisheries by FAO

13.40 Briefing by CBD Secretariat on the relevant outcomes of SBSTTA 20

13.45 Discussion

14.00 End of meeting

*Lunch will be served from 12:00 to 12:30.*

### **CBD AICHI BIODIVERSITY TARGETS**

#### **Target 6**

By 2020 all fish and invertebrate stocks and aquatic plants are managed and harvested sustainably, legally and applying ecosystem based approaches, so that overfishing is avoided, recovery plans and measures are in place for all depleted species, fisheries have no significant adverse impacts on threatened species and vulnerable ecosystems and the impacts of fisheries on stocks, species and ecosystems are within safe ecological limits.

#### **Target 11**

By 2020, at least 17 per cent of terrestrial and inland water, and 10 per cent of coastal and marine areas, especially areas of particular importance for biodiversity and ecosystem services, are conserved through effectively and equitably managed, ecologically representative and well connected systems of protected areas and other effective area-based conservation measures, and integrated into the wider landscapes and seascapes.

