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# FOURTH INTER-GOVERNMENTAL MEETING ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CENTRAL ASIAN AND CAUCASUS REGIONAL FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE COMMISSION

Issyk Kul, Kyrgyzstan, 22 – 24 June 2011

#### DRAFT ACRONYM(S) AND LOGO OF THE COMMISSION

#### **Background**

The Third Intergovernmental Meeting, held in Trabzon, Turkey, December 2010, initiated the discussions on the acronym and logo of the Central Asian and Caucasus Regional Fisheries and Aquaculture Commission. The report of the Third Intergovernmental Meeting states as follows:

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#### **Acronym of the Commission**

The meeting discussed various variants of possible acronyms for the Commission, in view of the fact that some delegations were not in favour of using the acronym CACFAC. The discussion was not finalized on this agenda item and was differed to the next session of the preparatory meeting for finalization.

#### Logo of the Commission

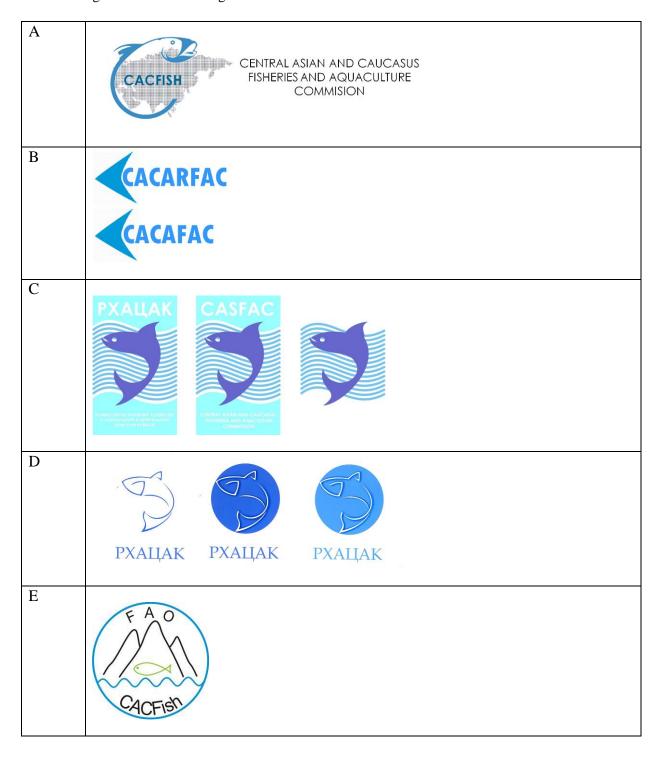
The meeting appreciated the work of the FAO Secretariat on possible logos for the Commission. The meeting agreed to finalize the discussion on this agenda item in coordination with the agenda item on the acronym at the second session of the preparatory meeting. "UNQUOTE

Moreover, the Third Intergovernmental Meeting recommended (amongst others) that the following action should be taken: "The countries should send before the end of February 2011 proposals for the acronym and logo of the Commission to the FAO Secretariat, to enable final discussion on these at the next session of the preparatory meeting."

The FAO Secretariat requested, on behalf of the Chairperson of the Preparatory Meeting (Mr Atilla Ozdemir), the countries to send suggestions for the logo and for the acronym of the Commission.

The Chairperson and the FAO Secretariat would like to thank Iran, Kyrgyzstan, Turkey and Ukraine for their preparation of various draft logo's and acronyms for the Commission. The draft logos and acronyms received were communicated to the countries on 14 March 2011.

Please find the draft logos received, as well as two draft logos that were presented and proposed to the Third Intergovernmental Meeting below.





It is recalled that the Chairman requested the Preparatory Meeting to discuss the acronym for the Commission. The Third Intergovernmental meeting discussed various variants of possible acronyms, in view of the fact that some delegations were not in favour of using the acronym CACFAC. Variants in English language included CACFish, ACAC, ACC, CCAF and CACAF. Most delegates preferred either CACFish or CCAF. The variants in Russian language were diverse. The meeting did however not come to a conclusion on this agenda item and forwarded it to the next session of the preparatory meeting for finalization.

Please find below the list of acronyms received, as well as those that were presented and proposed to the Third Intergovernmental Meeting:

	Acronym	Explanation		
Α	CACFish	C (Central Asia) + C (Caucasus) + Fish		
В	CACARFAC	C for central, A for Asia, CA for Caucasus, R for Regional, F for Fisheries, A for Aquaculture and C for Commission		
С	CACAFAC	C for central, A for Asia, CA for Caucasus, F for Fisheries, A for Aquaculture and C for Commission.		
D	ЦАКАР	Ц(Центральная) + А(Азия) + К(Кавказ) + А(Аквакультура) + Р(Рыболовство)		
Е	ACC	Aquaculture + Central Asia + Caucasus		
F	CCAF	Central Asia + Caucasus + Fisheries + Aquaculture		
G	ACAC	Aquaculture + Central Asia + Caucasus		

The fourth Intergovernmental Meeting is requested to finalize the discussion on this agenda item and put forward one logo and one acronym for endorsement to the Inaugural Meeting of the Commission.

To facilitate the discussion on this agenda item the FAO Secretariat kindly request each delegation (country) to complete the enclosed form before the lunch break (12 AM) on Wednesday 22 June and provide it to the FAO Secretariat. Please note that only 1 completed form per delegation is accepted. Thank you for your collaboration in this matter.

## LOGO AND ACRONYM PREFERENCE FORM

Please indicate your preference for the various draft logos and acronyms by giving points.

Our preferences for the <u>logo</u> and the <u>acronym</u> of the Central Asian and Caucasus Regional Fisheries and Aquaculture Commission are:							
This is the preference of: (country)							
Please follow the same procedure for allocating points to the acronyms.							
Logo of the 3 <sup>rd</sup> choice - 1	point						
Logo of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> choice - 2	2 points						
Logo of the 1 <sup>st</sup> choice - 3	points						

Logo	Points	Acronym	Points
A		A	
В		В	
С		С	
D		D	
Е		Е	
F		F	
G		G	

If you have suggestions for changes to your logo of preference, please write them below: