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COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES

Thirtieth Session

Rome, Italy, 9 - 13 July 2012

PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND TIMETABLE

Monday, 9 July 2012

Morning: 9:30 hours

1. Opening of the session
2. Adoption of the Agenda and arrangements for the Session
3. Designation of Drafting Committee
4. Adoption of the revised Rules of Procedure of the Committee and related changes in practice¹
5. World fisheries and aquaculture: status, issues and needs (including Presentation of The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture (SOFIA) 2012)²

Afternoon: 14:30 hours

5. Continued

Tuesday, 10 July 2012

Morning: 9:00 hours

6. Progress in the Implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries and related instruments, including International Plans of Action and Strategies, and other matters

¹ The Chairperson (Islamic Rep. of Iran), First Vice-Chairperson (Norway) and other Vice-Chairpersons (Canada, Chile, India, Spain, Zimbabwe) of the Twenty-ninth Session of the Committee on Fisheries (COFI) will continue serving during the Thirtieth Session of COFI until the Election of the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson of the Thirty-first Session of COFI under Item 13

² The presentation of SOFIA 2012 is for information only

Afternoon: 14:30 hours

7. Decisions and recommendations of the Thirteenth Session of the COFI Sub-Committee on Fish Trade, Hyderabad, India, 20-24 February 2012
8. Decisions and recommendations of the Sixth Session of the COFI Sub-Committee on Aquaculture, Cape Town, South Africa, 26-30 March 2012

Wednesday, 11 July 2012

Morning: 9:00 hours

9. Ocean governance and relevant outcomes from Rio+20

Afternoon: 14:30 hours

10. Recent major developments and future work in selected fisheries and aquaculture activities of FAO (since the Twenty-ninth Session of COFI)
 - a. Update on the development of International Guidelines for Securing Sustainable Small-scale Fisheries
 - b. Combating Illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing

Thursday, 12 July 2012

Morning: 9:00 hours

11. FAO's Programme of Work in fisheries and aquaculture
 - a. Vision of the future
 - b. Priorities in the Programme of Work and Medium Term Plan (MTP)

Afternoon: 14:30 hours

12. Multi-year programme of work (MYPOW) of the Committee
13. Election of the Chairperson and Vice-Chairpersons of the Thirty-first Session of COFI
14. Any other matters
15. Date and place of the next Session

Friday, 13 July 2012

Morning: FREE

Afternoon: 14:30 hours

16. Adoption of the Report