



21ST REGIONAL OBSERVER COORDINATORS WORKSHOP

(VIRTUAL MEETING)

9 – 12 FEBRUARY 2021

(1000 - 1500 Hrs, Solomon Island Time)

THEME - COVID CHALLENGES AND RECOVERY POST-PANDEMIC

DRAFT PROVISIONAL AGENDA ITEM

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ITEM #	AGENDA	LEAD	TIMES (LOCAL-SI)	PAPER (IP/WP/DP)
DAY 1 - TUESDAY 9 FEBRUARY 2021				
1	Opening of Meeting	DG/DFO	1000-1010	
2	Chair and Conduct of Meeting Remarks	Chair	1010-1020	
3	Apologies & Adoption of Agenda	Chair	1020-1030	
Theme - Updates				
4(a)	Status of ROCW20 recommendations	Phil	1030-1100	ROCW21/IP.1
4(b)	(MCSWG23 Outcome) **	Phil	1100-1110	ROCW21/IP.2
4(c)	(DCC outcome)**	Tim	1110-1120	ROCW21/IP.3

4(d)	(WCPFC outcome)**	Karl	1120-1200	ROCW21/IP.4
BREAK – 1 HOUR				
4(e)	POAM8 outcome**	POAM8 Chair	1300-1315	ROCW21/IP.5
4(f)	COVID19 Impacts on observer operations	Phil	1315-1330	ROCW21/IP.6
	<i>Theme - Observer Safety & Protection</i>			
5	COVID operational safety measures for Observer Redeployment	Phil	1130-1200	ROCW21/DP.1
6	Observer Regional Pre-deployment Medical Check-up Form	Jude/Ambrose	1300-1330	ROCW21/WP.1
7	Sea safety refresher course	Ambrose/Jude	1330-1400	ROCW21/WP.2
8	Man Overboard and Personal Safety Devices	S.McGrath	1400-1430	ROCW21/DP.2
9	Electronic Reporting	Phil	1430-1500	ROCW21/WP.3
DAY 2 - WEDNESDAY 10 FEBRUARY 2021				
10	Observer Insurance	Phil	1000-1100	ROCW21/DP.3
11	COVID19 National & Regional Risks Assessment	Phil/MRAG AP	1100-1130	ROCW21/IP.7
12	Onboard Surveillance Cameras	D.Byrom	1130-1200	ROCW21/DP.4
BREAK – 1 HOUR				
13	Emergency Response Coordination	D.Byrom	1300-1330	ROCW21/DP.5
14	Regional Asset Tracking	S.McGrath	1330-1400	ROCW21/DP.6
15	COVID-19 PPEs	Jude/Ambrose	1400-1420	ROCW21/WP.4
16	Structured System for reporting vessel safety issues by observers	D.Byrom	1420-1500	ROCW21/DP.7
DAY 3 - THURSDAY 11 FEBRUARY 2021				

17	Fixed Two-way communication onboard vessels for observers	S. McGrath	1000-1030	ROCW21/DP.8
Theme – Sustaining Observer Livelihood				
18	Practical plans to redeploy observers (with supplementary brief)	Phil/DFO	1030-1100	ROCW21/DP.9
19	Temporary on-shore jobs for observers	Phil	1100-1130	ROCW21/DP.10
20	Mental Health Awareness Training	Phil	1130-1200	ROCW21/DP.11
BREAK – 1 HOUR				
21	Asset Management training course	Phil	1300-1330	ROCW21/WP.5
22	Other necessary training	Phil	1330-1400	ROCW21/WP.6
Theme – COVID-19				
23	COVID19 Vaccine Update	Dr. Sala Saketa	1400-1430	ROCW21/IP.8
24	COVID Risk mitigation Training	Dr. Sonny Magboo	1430-1500	ROCW21/IP.9
DAY 4 - FRIDAY 12 FEBRUARY 2021				
Theme - SPC's Special projects & updates				
25	Tagging and tag recovery (Caro to update)	SPC	1000-1020	ROCW21/IP.10
26	Biological sampling (Caro/Francois to update)	SPC	1020-1040	ROCW21/IP.11
27	Biodegradable FADs (Lauriane to update)	SPC	1040-1100	ROCW21/IP.12
28	Observer data and data management (Colley/Aurélien to update)	SPC	1100-1130	ROCW21/IP.13

29	Transshipment study - moratorium on coverage?	SPC	1130-1200	ROCW21/IP.14
BREAK – 1 HOUR				
30	New sampling approaches on purse seiners (Jed to update)	SPC	1300-1330	ROCW21/IP.15
31	Observer Job Board	Phil	1330-1340	ROCW21/DP.12
32	Regional observer ID update	SPC/FFA	1340-1350	Verbal update
<i>Theme – PIRFO Training</i>				
33	PIRFO Training Plan & New Mode of Delivery	Sifa/Tim	1350-1450	ROCW21/IP.16
34	AOB	FFA/SPC	1450-1530	
<i>Theme – Clearing Records & Closing</i>				
35	Next Meeting/Clearing Records/Close of Meeting	FFA/SPC	1530-1600	