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SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE ISSUES AND CORRESPONDING ACTIONS

PNC = Potential Non-Compliance

Level of PNCs severity:

- Year 1 = Minor non-compliance MI
- Year 2 = Considerable non-compliance CO
- Year 3 = Significant non-compliance SI
- Year 4 and subsequent years = Very significant non-compliance VS

Determinations of severity take into account any mitigating or aggravating circumstances.

Mitigating circumstances: May reduce the severity by one level. Aggravating circumstances: May increase severity by one level.

As from year 2/severity level CO, CPCs should submit action plans to address the non-compliance issue. Implementation of such action plans may be considered a mitigating circumstance.

Category A Non-Compliance					
Type of PNC issue	Level of Severity	Warranted Action by COC	Mitigating circumstances	Aggravating circumstances	
Catches/landings exceed limits required by ICCAT (considering catch limits by stocks on an individual basis)	Year 1 = MI Year 2 = CO Year 3 = SI Year 4 = VS Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances	MI = Letter of Concern Ensure required payback is reflected in adopted compliance table; require that the CPC rectify the overage within 2 years, along with any penalty, consistent with the specific rules for each stock CO = Identification SI = In coordination with relevant Panel, consider recommending adoption by ICCAT of additional fishery restrictions¹ VS = If no rectification, consider whether to recommend ICCAT responsive actions in accordance with para 6 of Recommendation by ICCAT Concerning Trade Measures (Rec. 06-13)²,³ All levels of severity: consider capacity building and technical assistance options	Degree of overharvest; demonstrated actions to prevent reoccurrence, including reduction in future years, monitoring and enforcement actions, strengthened laws and regulations; process of implementing in domestic law initiated but still pending Capacity building and technical assistance	Continued failure to take corrective action; degree of overharvest; increasing level of overharvests. Recurrence of overharvest in another stock/year	

¹ Fishery restrictions and/or enhanced MCS requirements may be appropriate, as specified in Res. 16-17.

² Rec. 06-13 para 6, in the pertinent part, provides "In the case of CPCs, actions such as the reduction of existing quotas or catch limits should be implemented to the extent possible before consideration is given to the application of trade restrictive measures. Trade measures should be considered only where such actions either have proven unsuccessful or would not be effective."

³ If some progress is achieved, maintain identification. Lift an identification or trade restrictive measures after non-compliance has been rectified.

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Failure to adhere to fleet	Year 1 = MI	MI = Letter of Concern	Degree of overcapacity;	Repeated or frequent;
size, fishing effort or other	Year 2 = CO	requesting rectification.	demonstrated	degree of overcapacity;
capacity limitation	Year 3 = SI		implementation of capacity	overharvest of quotas in
required by ICCAT	Year 4 = VS	CO = Identification	reduction plan; no	related fisheries
			overharvest in related	
	Consider mitigating and	SI = Identification and, in	fisheries	
	aggravating circumstances	coordination with relevant		
		Panel, consider recommending		
		adoption by ICCAT of additional		
		fishery restrictions		
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		VS = If no rectification, consider		
		whether to recommend ICCAT		
		responsive actions in		
		accordance with para 6 of		
		Recommendation by ICCAT		
		Concerning Trade Measures		
		(Rec. 06-13).		

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Failure to implement	Year 1 = MI	MI = Letter of Concern	Capacity building and	Repeated or frequent
and/or enforce time/area	Year 2 = CO	requesting rectification	technical assistance	
closures	Year 3 = SI			
	Year 4 = VS	CO = Identification		
	Consider mitigating and	SI = Identification and, in		
	aggravating circumstances	coordination with relevant		
		Panel, consider recommending		
		adoption by ICCAT of additional		
		fishery restrictions		
		VS = Consider whether to		
		recommend ICCAT responsive		
		actions in accordance with para		
		6 of Recommendation by ICCAT		
		Concerning Trade Measures		
		(Rec. 06- 13)		
		All levels of severity:		
		consider capacity building and		
		technical assistance options		
		common approximate operation		

Failure to implement and/or enforce minimum size restrictions	Year 1 = MI Year 2 = CO Year 3 = SI Year 4 = VS	MI = Letter of concern requesting rectification CO = Identification	Strengthened laws and regulations, the process of implementing in domestic law initiated but still pending	Repeated or frequent and proportion of catch under minimum size
	Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances	SI = Identification and, in coordination with relevant Panel, consider recommending that ICCAT impose enhanced MCS requirements		
		VS = Consider whether to recommend ICCAT responsive actions in accordance with para 6 of Recommendation by ICCAT Concerning Trade Measures (Rec. 06-13)		
Failure to implement and/or enforce gear restrictions/ requirements/limitations,	Year 1 = MI Year 2 = CO Year 3 = SI Year 4 = VS	MI = Letter of Concern requesting rectification CO = Identification	Strengthened laws and regulations, the process of implementing in domestic law initiated but still pending	Repeated or frequent
and/or safe handling and release requirements	Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances	SI = Identification and, in coordination with relevant Panel, consider imposing enhanced MCS requirements and/or temporary quota reductions		
		VS = Consider whether to recommend ICCAT responsive actions in accordance with para 6 of Recommendation by ICCAT Concerning Trade Measures (Rec. 06-13)		

	Category B Non-Compliance					
Type of PNC issue	Level of Severity	Warranted Action by COC	Mitigating circumstances	Aggravating circumstances		
Failure to report statistical and other required data Note: Failure to report Task 1 data is subject to Rec. 11-15 resulting in retention automatically prohibited for affected species. Prohibition automatically lifted when Task 1 data are provided to the Secretariat. Fishing on FADs is automatically prohibited starting 1 August 2022, until historical FAD data are provided, per Rec. 21-01	Year 1 = MI Year 2 = CO Year 3 = SI Year 4 = VS Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances	MI = Letter of Concern requesting rectification CO = Identification; requirement to submit a data improvement and/or reporting plan with required reporting on implementation SI = Identification and limitations on or loss of right to implement certain ICCAT Recommendations, such as to charter or request ROP for transhipment at sea/farming, if these practices are causing the failure to report VS = If no improvement, consider whether to recommend ICCAT responsive actions in accordance with para 6 of Recommendation by ICCAT Concerning Trade Measures (Rec. 06-13) All levels of severity: consider capacity building and technical assistance options	Advance notification of delay or inability to submit the report may be considered by COC. Request for technical assistance has been made but could not be met; minimal impact on the SCRS's or Commission's ability to carry out needed work Capacity building and technical assistance	Repeated or frequent; no response to requests for data or COC Chair's letters; significant impact on the SCRS's or Commission's ability to carry out needed work or ensure intersessional compliance with measures		

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Delay in reporting statistical and other required data	If delay is minor = MI If recurring over several years or delay is significant (e.g., information submitted during meeting) = CO, SI Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances	MI = Letter of Concern requesting rectification CO = Identification; requirement to submit a data improvement and/or reporting plan with required reporting on implementation SI = Identification and limitations on or loss of right to implement certain ICCAT Recommendations, such as to charter or request ROP for transhipment at sea/farming, if these practices are causing the failure to report All levels of severity: consider capacity building and technical assistance options	Major problems in communication occurred due to force majeure. First instance of failure to correctly apply the requirement, due to confusion, particularly if reporting date has recently changed; minimal impact on the SCRS's or Commission's ability to carry out needed work	Repeated or frequent; no response to requests for data or COC Chair's letters; significant impact on the SCRS's or Commission's ability to carry out needed work or ensure intersessional compliance with measures

Delay in submitting reports	If delay is short = MI If recurring over several years or delay is significant (e.g., information submitted during meeting) = CO, SI Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances	MI = Request rectification CO = Request to submit an action plan on improved reporting SI = Possible identification, depending on gravity and extent of late reporting All levels of severity: consider capacity building and technical assistance options	Major problems in communication occurred due to force majeure. First instance of failure to correctly apply the requirement, due to confusion, particularly if reporting date has recently changed	Repeated or frequent; no response to requests for data or COC Chair's letters; significant impact on the SCRS's or Commission's ability to carry out needed work or ensure intersessional compliance with measures
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Category C Non-Compliance					
Type of PNC issue	Level of Severity	Warranted Action by COC	Mitigating circumstances	Aggravating circumstances	
Failure to implement MCS measures, including catch and trade documentation programs, observer programs, transshipment controls and VMS	Year 1 = MI Year 2 = CO Year 3 = SI Year 4 = VS Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances	MI = Letter of Concern requesting rectification CO = Identification SI = Identification and consideration of limitations on or loss of right to implement certain ICCAT Recommendations related to MSC measures VS = Consider whether to recommend ICCAT responsive actions in accordance with para 6 of Recommendation by ICCAT Concerning Trade Measures (Rec. 06-13) All levels of severity: consider capacity building and technical assistance options	The MCS measure requires major investment of resources or technology not available to the CPC Transparency regarding implementation challenges. Request for technical assistance has been made but could not be met Strengthened laws and regulations, the process of implementing in domestic law initiated but still pending Capacity building and technical assistance	Repeated or frequent; no response to requests for data or COC Chair's letters. Lack of transparency regarding implementation challenges	

CPC controls Year 2 = CO Year 3 = SI Year 4 = VS Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances SI = Identification and request submission of a plan of action to implement the provisions of the relevant Recommendation(s) VS = Consider whether to recommend ICCAT responsive actions in accordance with para 6 of Recommendation by ICCAT Concerning Trade Measures (Rec. 06-13) All levels of severity: consider capacity building and technical assistance options M = Letter is clotted in investment of resources or technology not available to the CPC Transparency regarding implementation challenges Capacity building and technical assistance Capacity building and technical assistance	Failure to exercise port	Year 1 = MI	MI = Letter of Concern	MCS measure requires major	Repeated or frequent; no
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Failure to exercise flag CPC controls	Year 1 = MI Year 2 = CO Year 3 = SI Year 4 = VS	MI = Letter of Concern requesting rectification CO = Identification	Capacity building and technical assistance	Repeated or frequent; systematic failure to control fleet, no response to requests for data or COC Chair's letters
	Consider mitigating and aggravating circumstances	SI = Identification and request submission of an action plan to implement the provisions of the relevant Recommendation(s) with the intent of rectifying the failure		
		VS = Consider whether to recommend ICCAT responsive actions in accordance with para 6 of Recommendation by ICCAT Concerning Trade Measures (Rec. 06-13)		
		All levels of severity: consider capacity building and technical assistance options		