

Ninth Meeting of the Seabird Bycatch Working Group

Florianópolis, Brazil, 6 - 8 May 2019

Draft Meeting Agenda SBWG Convenors and Vice-convenors

SBWG9 Draft Agenda

- 1. Welcome and opening remarks
- 2. WG membership and introduction
- 3. Adoption of Agenda
- 4. ACAP seabird bycatch mitigation best practice advice definition and criteria
- 5. Seabird Bycatch Mitigation in Trawl Fisheries
 - 5.1 Review recent developments in mitigation research and update Best Practice Advice
 - 5.2 Update Mitigation Fact Sheets if required
 - 5.3 Consider priorities for mitigation research
- 6. Seabird Bycatch Mitigation in Demersal Longline Fisheries
 - 6.1 Review recent developments in mitigation research and update Best Practice Advice
 - 6.2 Update Mitigation Fact Sheets if required
 - 6.3 Consider priorities for mitigation research

7. Seabird Bycatch Mitigation in Pelagic Longline Fisheries

- 7.1 Review recent developments in mitigation research and update Best Practice Advice
- 7.2 Update Mitigation Fact Sheets if required
- 7.3 Consider priorities for mitigation research

8. Seabird Bycatch Mitigation in Gillnet Fisheries

- 8.1 Consider recent developments in mitigation research and consider priorities for further research
- 9. Risks posed to ACAP species from net fishing methods other than gillnet and trawl
 - 9.1 Assessment of risks and development of ACAP advice, particularly for purse-seine fisheries

10. Artisanal and Small-scale Fisheries

10.1 The further development of a 'toolbox' template for mitigation advice in artisanal and small-scale fisheries

11. Laser technology to mitigate seabird bycatch

11.1 Consider recent research/use of laser technology

12. Drivers and barriers in the uptake of best practice seabird bycatch mitigation measures

13. ACAP Performance Indicators: Seabird Bycatch

13.1 Review of intersessional work to further develop bycatch indicators and a reporting framework for ACAP, and review the information submitted to the reporting framework

14. Coordination of activities relating to RFMOs

14.1 Feedback on and update of RFMO engagement strategy

15. Electronic Monitoring

15.1 The further development of advice for the use of E-Monitoring in relation to seabird bycatch

16. Risk Assessment

16.1 New bycatch information for species/fisheries, including overlap of seabirds and fishing effort

17. Deliberate take/killing of ACAP species

17.1 Review of knowledge on deliberate take/killing of ACAP species at sea

18. FAO IPOA/NPOA-Seabirds

18.1 Review of status of implementation of NPOA-Seabirds

19. Listing of species on Annex 1

- 19.1 Criteria for listing and delisting of candidate species
- 19.2 Proposals to list new species on Annex 1

20. ACAP Priority Populations

20.1 Review key research and management actions for current ACAP priority populations

21. ACAP funded Programmes

22. Tools and Guidelines

- 22.1 Updates and new guidelines
- 22.2 Mitigation Fact Sheets

23. SBWG Work Programme

23.1 Work Programme 2019 -2021

24. Any other business

24.1 3rd World Seabird Conference, 19-23 October 2020

25. Adoption of Report

26. Close of Meeting