

TECHNICAL AND COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE Twentieth Regular Session

25 September to 1 October 2024 Pohnpei, Federated States of Micronesia (Hybrid)

Update from TS-IWG Co-Chairs

WCPFC-TCC20-2024-21¹ 17 September 2024

Aloha TS-IWG Colleagues,

Your co-Chairs are pleased to share the attached TS-IWG Draft Annotated Agenda for next week's meeting in Pohnpei.

As noted in the WCPFC20 Outcomes and in the attached draft annotated agenda, we will resume our work on the unagreed provisions of WCPFC20-2023-TS-IWG01Rev2, which is available for TCC20 as a supplement to this paper (also hyperlinked in the agenda).

Meeting logistics are posted to the Indicative Schedule at the top of TCC20 meeting page.

We look forward to seeing everyone in Pohnpei and online next week!

Sincerely, Felix & Alex

¹ This email communication was conveyed to the participants of the TS-IWG on 17th September 2024



Transhipment Intersessional Working Group In-Person Meeting (TS-IWG @ TCC20)

24 September 2024 COM/FSM China Friendship Sport Center Palikir, Federated States of Micronesia (Hybrid)

DRAFT TS-IWG Annotated Agenda

16 September 2024

1. Opening of the Meeting

- a. Welcome address by co-Chairs
- b. Meeting arrangements by the Secretariat
- c. Adoption of agenda

2. Objectives of the TS-IWG In-Person Meeting

The workshop will evaluate the un-agreed provisions of WCPFC20-2023-TS-IWG01Rev2 and invite additional proposals from CCMs for text revisions to CMM 2009-06. The meeting will also develop a plan for required intersessional work between TCC20 and WCPFC21 such that the TS-IWG achieves WCPFC20 Outcomes 61 and 62.

3. Background Information

WCPFC20 Meeting Outcomes Outcomes (p.9)

- 61. The Commission noted the TS-IWG did not conclude its work and requested the TS-IWG meet in-person/hybrid for at least a one-day workshop in conjunction with TCC20 to continue its review of the measure. The workshop will evaluate the un-agreed provisions of WCPFC20-2023-TS-IWG01Rev2 and invite additional proposals from CCMs for text revisions to CMM 2009-06.
- 62. The Commission requested that after the TS-IWG meets in September 2024, the TS-IWG shall provide recommendations for further revisions to the transshipment CMM to WCPFC21.

All information related to past work of the TS-IWG can be found on the <u>WCPFC TS-IWG</u> page.

4. Additional proposals from CCMs for text revisions to CMM 2009-06

In accordance with WCPFC20 Outcomes paragraph 61, the co-Chairs invite additional proposals from CCMs for text revisions to CMM 2009-06.

Review of Un-agreed provisions of WCPFC20-2023-TS-IWG01Rev2

After incorporating any proposed text from Agenda Item 4, this review will proceed using the revision key in the document header (bold, blue highlights, and yellow highlights).

[Note the paper reference/symbol is correct and is different from the document's filename and header which refer to "Rev 3". A new document naming convention will be used for the in-person TS-IWG.]

6. Administrative Matters

- a. Additional In-person meetings during TCC20?
 - i. Are members interested in continuing work on a revised measure during TCC20 breaks, or in the mornings or evenings around TCC20?
- b. Intersessional Work ahead of WCPFC21
 - Would members prefer email correspondence or prefer to use an Online Discussion Forum to

7. Next TS-IWG meeting

- a. Virtual Meeting
 - i. Would members recommend a virtual meeting ahead of WCPFC21 to review and finalize revisions to the Transhipment CMM?
- b. In-person Meeting
 - i. Would members recommend an in-person meeting on the margins of WCPFC21 to review and finalize revisions to the Transhipment CMM?