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**PREPARATORY CONFERENCE FOR THE COMMISSION FOR  
THE CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT OF HIGHLY  
MIGRATORY FISH STOCKS IN THE WESTERN AND  
CENTRAL PACIFIC**

First session  
Christchurch, New Zealand  
23 – 28 April, 2001

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**AGENDA**

- I. Welcome and opening of meeting
- II. Preparatory Conference Organization
  - election of Chairman
  - election of any other officers
  - adoption of rules of procedure
- III. Draft rules of procedure for Commission
- IV. Draft rules and regulations concerning financial management and internal administration of the Commission
- V. Draft organizational structure of the Commission
- VI. Draft budget for the first financial period of the Commission
- VII. Draft scheme of contributions to the budget
- VIII. Recommendations concerning the establishment of the headquarters of the Commission
- IX. Provision of interim scientific advice
- X. Draft provisional agenda for the first meeting of the Commission
- XI. Mechanisms to promote participation
- XII. Prepare agenda for next meeting of the Preparatory Conference
- XIII. Other Business

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