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**Paragraph 21 of CMM 2012-02 Compliance Monitoring Scheme states "Each CCM shall include, in its Part 2 Annual Report, any actions it has taken to address its non-compliance in the previous year. The list below shows the 2012 CMR issues that were highlighted in TCC8s provisional CMR report for European Union - covering 2011 activities**

***Key: A = Compliant, B = Not Applicable, C = Compliance Review***

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| **Category** | **Any issues identified or additional information required for 2011?** | | | | **CCM Response (*if none received to date*)** | | **Compliance or Implementation Status** | **AR Part 2 2012 CCM Reponses** |
| 1. **Catch and effort limits** | 2008-01 para 10 High seas: limit purse seine effort in days fished to 2004 or average of 2001-2004  Potential implementation or compliance issue, provisional purse seine days fished estimate for 2011 appears to exceed the limit   * PS licenses limited to the number permitted under bilateral fisheries agreements with coastal States inthe Convention Area. * The EU applies limits on catches as per paragraph 7, and Schedule 7 of 2008-01. The number of licenses has been limited by internal legislation. The presence has not been increased over the years. | | | |  | | C | EU responded “YES” and state “The flag State was reminded of this obligation |
| 1. **Catch and effort reporting** | None | | | |  | | A |  |
| 1. **Spatial and temporal closures and restrictions on the use of FADs** | None | | | |  | | A |  |
| 1. **Observer and VMS coverage** | None | | | |  | | A |  |
| 1. **Provision of scientific data through Part 1 and the Scientific Data to be provided to the Commission** | Estimates of discards:   * Need additional information on estimate of discards for sharks. | | | | For LL: EU state that, there were no reported sharks discards because sharks are usually kept. And yes, bycatch data is provided for PS. | | A |  |
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| **Provisional Assessment of CCM’s Compliance** | ***Compliance Review*** | |  | | |