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**STREAMLINING OF ICCAT RECOMMENDATIONS
(Request for Removal of one Expired Recommendation)**

ICCAT Secretariat

Recommendation 13-16 remains active in the ICCAT Compendium by inadvertence, and it was agreed at the meeting of the Working Group on Integrated Monitoring Measures (IMM) that this be removed for the following reason:

Rec. 13-16: *Recommendation by ICCAT Amending Annex 1 of Recommendation 11-20 on an ICCAT Bluefin Tuna Catch Documentation Program* amends 11-20, which has been replaced with 18-13, paragraph 35 of which states “This Recommendation repeals and replaces the *Recommendation by ICCAT Amending Recommendation 09-11 on an ICCAT Bluefin Tuna Catch Document Program* (Rec. 11-20)”.

The Commission’s endorsement of this removal is sought.

Recommendations specifically rescinded by measures adopted in 2020:

BCD

Rec. 18-12: *Recommendation by ICCAT Replacing Recommendation 17-09 on the Application of the EBCD System*

Reason: 20-08: This Recommendation repeals and replaces the *Recommendation by ICCAT Replacing Recommendation 17-09 on the Application of the EBCD System* (Rec. 18-12)

Rec. 13-16: *Recommendation by ICCAT Amending Annex 1 of Recommendation 11-20 on an ICCAT Bluefin Tuna Catch Documentation Program*

Reason: This Recommendations amends 11-20, which was replaced with 18-13, paragraph 35 of which states “This Recommendation repeals and replaces the *Recommendation by ICCAT Amending Recommendation 09-11 on an ICCAT Bluefin Tuna Catch Document Program* (Rec. 11-20)”.

MISC

14-14 *Recommendation by ICCAT Amending the Recommendation 11-26 on the Establishment of a Meeting Participation Fund for Developing ICCAT Contracting Parties*

Reason: 20-09: This recommendation replaces and repeals Recommendation 14-14 in its entirety.

16-23: *Resolution by ICCAT on Ecosystems that are Important and Unique for ICCAT Species*

Reason: This Resolution provided for specific tasks to be carried out by the SCRS in 2018/2019 and is limited in time. The SCRS currently considers this item closed until further instructions from the Commission, and its removal was agreed by the Commission (see PLE-120/20).