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2025	Commission Intersessionally	
		Secretariat to compile and share necessary catch data for MSE by April per workplan.
		SCRS to establish an ALB-S MSE Technical Team.
		SCRS to review:
		- Major sources of uncertainty to be considered in the MSE; - MSE framework structure;
	SCRS Development	- Initial development of candidate MPs and testing of MPs.
	SCRS Implementation	
	Commission at Annual Mtg	COMM (Panel 3) to provide feedback to the SCRS on preliminary CMP performance results.
2026		
	Commission Intersessionally	SCRS to conduct a stock assessment using Stock Synthesis 3
		SCRS to incorporate feedback from COMM/PA3, and:
		-Finalize MSE framework;
		-Finalize reference and robustness operating models;
	SCRS Development	-Refine CMP development and testing.
	SCRS Implementation	
		COMM (Panel 3) to provide feedback to the SCRS on revised CMP performance results.
	Commission at Annual Mtg	
2027		COMM (Panel 3) at an intersessional and/or Ambassador Meeting to review draft final MSE results and
	Commission Intersessionally	narrow down CMPs.
		SCRS to update data and/or indices used in the CMPs.
	SCRS Development	SCRS to incorporate feedback from COMM/PA3 and finalize CMP development and testing.
	SCRS Implementation	
		COMM (Panel 3) to evaluate final list of CMPs and adopt an MP at the Annual Meeting.
	Commission at Annual Mtg	
2028 and beyond	Commission Intersessionally	
	SCRS Development	SCRS to develop an exceptional circumstances protocol.
	SCRS Implementation	SCRS to evaluate application of exceptional circumstances, to the extent possible.
	Commission at Annual Mtg	Commission to adopt exceptional circumstances protocol as a new Annex in MP to complete MP adoption.

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