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Provisional Agenda

Agenda Item 1. Opening of the Meeting

Agenda Item 2. Adoption of Agenda

Agenda Item 3. Review of previous SSC NFS01 outcomes and intersessional activities

- 3.1 Overview of stock assessment methods and management measures that have been used for squids or other short-lived species
- 3.2 Updates on NFS management strategy simulation work

Agenda Item 4. Updates on Members' fishery status

4.1 Member presentations prepared in advance using the provided template

Agenda Item 5. Review of biological information for NFS

5.1 Common sampling protocol for collecting NFS age and size data

Agenda Item 6. Review of potential input data for the surplus production model

- 6.1 Historical catch data, including data collection methods and fishery-dependent abundance indices (e.g., nominal/standardized CPUE)
- 6.2 Fishery-independent abundance indices (e.g., scientific surveys)

Agenda Item 7. Stock assessment modelling

- 7.1 Review of any updates and progress on the surplus production models
- 7.2 Discussion of alternative stock assessment approaches
- 7.3 Recommendations for future work

Agenda Item 8. Review of the SSC NFS Work Plan

- 8.1 Climate change related issues
- 8.2 Review and update of the SSC NFS Work Plan
- 8.3 NPFC Performance Review recommendations

Agenda Item 9. Other matters

- 9.1 Species summary for neon flying squid
- 9.2 Observer Program
- 9.3 Invited expert
- 9.4 Election of Chair and vice-Chair
- 9.5 Other

Agenda Item 10. Recommendations to the Scientific Committee

Agenda Item 11. Adoption of Report

Agenda Item 12. Close of the Meeting