## Conseil Consultatif pour les Eaux Occidentales Septentrionales

## North Western Consejo Consultivo para <br> Waters las Aguas Noroccidentales

## AGENDA

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

## CNPMEM - 134 Avenue de Malakoff, 75116 Paris Wednesday $1^{\text {st }}$ of March 2017 14:00-17:00

## 1. Welcome and introductions

- Welcome from the Chair (Emiel Brouckaert)
- Apologies
- Adoption of the agenda
- Action points from the minutes of the last meeting (15 September 2016, Paris)

2. Progress in cooperation with Member State groups (Presentation by the chair)

- Consultation processes
- Landing Obligation report, planning
- Article 11 report, planning
- AC representation at meetings and workshops


## 3. Reports from meetings

- Meeting InterAC (5 December 2016)
- Meeting between ACs and ICES (MIACO, 19-20 January)
- Meeting on Technical Conservation Measures (link) with MEP Mr Matos (25 January)
- 'Our Oceans 2017' Meeting (EC, Brussels, 14 February)

4. Actions arising from the Working Groups

- Working Group 1 (West of Scotland) Chair
- Working Group 2 (West of Ireland) Chair
- Working Group 3 (Channel) Chair
- Working Group 4 (Irish Sea) Chair
- Horizontal Working Group on the Landing Obligation
- Discussion / Adoption of Actions by the Executive Committee


## 5. Administration

a) Request for additional compensation for small-scale fishermen

- Proposal based on EC guidance (Secretariat)
- Decision
b) Governance of the NWWAC company
- Involvement of AC members in the Board of Directors of the Advisory Council (Secretariat).

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6. Presentation on genetic identification of fish stocks in catches

Presentation by Edward Farrell (University College Dublin)

## COFFEE 15:30-16:00

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7. Information points
a. Focus Group progress
i. Skates and Rays - Horizon 2020 project proposal
ii. Nephrops
iii. Seabass
iv. Brown crab
v. Sole
vi. Control and Compliance
b. EFCA meetings and representation (Secretariat)
c. Update of Rules of procedure (Secretariat)
8. Summary by the Chair of actions agreed and decisions adopted

