



Presentation of good practice by Advisory Councils:

Ensuring high quality recommendations and their delivery in due time

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Key Factors high quality recommendations

- 1. PelAC Initial objectives 2005**
 - a. Develop management strategies every stock
 - b. No discussion sharing arrangements



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2. Based on robust scientific advice

- a. Great support scientific community
- b. Development & funding additional scientific research projects
- c. Participation ICES ADGs, Benchmarks and Workshops



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3. Building trust amongst Stakeholders

- Vital component

4. Consensus Recommendations the norm

- Only one non-consensus recommendation in 14 years
- Total recommendations = 155
- Over 99% success rate



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5. Teamwork

- a. Effective & efficient administration
- b. Key roles WGs, FGs, ExCom, MT, Chairs & Secretariat
- c. Preparatory Work in advance of meetings
- d. Active Participation of Members
- e. Focused Agendas
- f. Follow up on action items

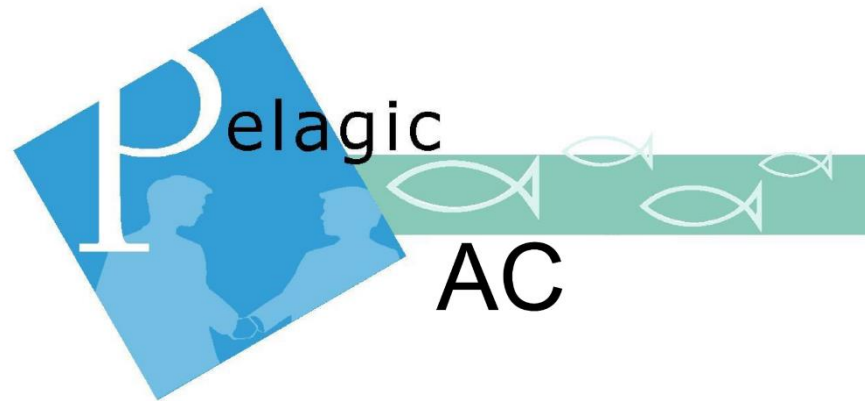


Delivery in due time

1. Setting appropriate meeting dates based on
 - a. ICES advice release dates
 - b. Coastal States meetings
2. Aware of Commission's deadlines
3. Anticipating difficulties
4. ExCom Flexibility adoption recommendations
5. Pro active Secretariat



Thank you!



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