



DRAFT AGENDA

HORIZONTAL WORKING GROUP

Ghent, Tuesday 04 July 2023 | 09:00 – 15:00

09:00 – 09:20	1. Welcome and introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcome from the Chair (Emiel Brouckaert)• Apologies• Adoption of the Agenda• Action points from the minutes of the last meeting (14 March 2023)
09:20 – 09:40	2. ICES Advisory Process – Joanne Morgan, ICES ACOM Vice-Chair
09:40 – 10:10	3. EU Nature Restoration Law – Alice Belin DG ENV
10:10 – 10:40	4. MSFD – the work of TG Seabed – Alice Belin, DG ENV
10:40 – 10:55	COFFEE
10:55 – 11:25	5. Evaluation of seafloor impact in the Belgian bottom trawl fishery - Hans Polet, ILVO
11:25 – 12:30	6. Focus Groups update <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Inter-AC Brexit Forum (Chair)• CFP (Alexandra Philippe)• Landing Obligation (Chair)• Climate & Environment (Jacopo Pasquero)• Skates & Rays (John Lynch)• Control and Compliance (Secretariat)• Social aspects (Tamara Talevska)• Brown Crab (Norah Parke)• Seismic & wind energy (Secretariat)
12:30 – 13:30	LUNCH
13:30 – 13:45	7. EFCA / NWWAC liaison – Discussion led by Patrick Murphy, HWG Vice-Chair
13:45 – 14:05	8. CIBBRiNA update – Lotte Kindt-Larsen, DTU Aqua
14:05 – 14:35	9. CABFISHMAN update – Arantza Murillas, AZTI
14:35 – 14:40	10. AOB
14:40 – 14:45	11. Summary of actions agreed and decisions adopted by the Chair
15:00 – 17:00	COFFEE Choke Tool Workshop (in person only)