

# Climate & Environment Focus Group

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# Meetings:

- **2020: 3 meetings, 1 workshop**
  - 9 October 2020
  - 20 October 2020
  - 29 October 2020
  - 26 November 2020
- **2021: 3 meetings**
  - 28 January 2021
  - 15 February 2021
  - 12 March 2021



# Achievements:

- **NWWAC Workshop on the Impact of Climate Change on Fisheries**
  - Preparations: ToR, agenda & speakers (thanks Secretariat!)
  - Follow up: Workshop Report, ToR Draft Advice, Draft Advice (under discussion)
- **Consultations:**
  - Ocean Energy
  - Evaluation Biodiversity Strategy (2011-2020), Restoration Target, Invasive Alien Species (under discussion)



# What's ahead:

- **NWWAC Workshop on the Impact of Climate Change on Fisheries**
    - Draft Advice
  - **Consultations:**
    - Evaluation Biodiversity Strategy (2011-2020), Restoration Target, Invasive Alien Species (under discussion)
    - CO2 emissions of fishing vessels engines – methodology
- **Next meeting:** This Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> of March



# Challenges:

- **Commission extremely active:**
  - Green Deal developments
  - Global processes (UNFCCC, CBD, BBNJ etc...)

## However:

- **Reduced capacity**
- **Important decisions taken by few members**

**We need more Members!**



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