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## AGENDA FOR THE FOURTH WORKING PARTY ON TEMPERATE TUNAS

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**Date:** 20–22 August 2012

**Location:** Old campus of Shanghai Ocean University, Shanghai, China  
2nd Meeting Room, Distant-water Fishery Training Centre

**Time:** 09:00 – 17:00 daily

**Chair:** Dr. Zang Geun Kim; **Vice-Chair:** Vacant

1. **OPENING OF THE MEETING** (Chair)
2. **ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION** (Chair)
3. **OUTCOMES OF THE FOURTEENTH SESSION OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE** (Secretariat)
4. **OUTCOMES OF SESSIONS OF THE COMMISSION** (Secretariat)
5. **PROGRESS ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF WPTmT03** (Chair and Secretariat)
6. **REVIEW OF THE DATA AVAILABLE AT THE SECRETARIAT FOR TEMPERATE TUNA SPECIES** (Secretariat)
7. **NEW INFORMATION ON BIOLOGY, ECOLOGY, FISHERIES AND ENVIRONMENTAL DATA RELATING TO TEMPERATE TUNAS** (Chair)
  - 7.1 Review new information on the biology, stock structure, their fisheries and associated environmental data
    - Catch and effort
    - Catch at size
    - Growth curves and age–length key
    - Catch at age
  - 7.2 Effect of piracy on temperate tuna catches
8. **REVIEW OF NEW INFORMATION ON THE STATUS OF ALBACORE TUNA**
  - 8.1 Nominal and standardised CPUE indices
  - 8.2 Stock assessments
  - 8.3 Selection of Stock Status indicators
9. **DEVELOPMENT OF TECHNICAL ADVICE ON THE STATUS OF THE ALBACORE TUNA STOCK**
  - 9.1 Indian Ocean albacore management advice
  - 9.2 Update of species Executive Summaries for the consideration of the Scientific Committee (Chair)
10. **RESEARCH RECOMMENDATIONS AND PRIORITIES**
  - 10.1 Revision of the WPTmT work plan (Chair)
11. **OTHER BUSINESS**
  - 11.1 Southern bluefin tuna (Secretariat)
  - 11.2 Date and place of the Fifth Session of the WPTmT (Chair and Secretariat)
  - 11.3 Development of priorities for an Invited Expert at the next WPTmT meeting (Chair)
  - 11.4 Election of a Vice-Chairperson of the WPTmT for the next biennium (Chair)
  - 11.5 Review of the draft, and adoption of the Report of the Fourth Session of the WPTmT (Chair)