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**Twenty-Fifth Annual Meeting of the Council
Tryp Rey Pelayo Hotel Melia, Gijón, Spain**

3-6 June, 2008

Provisional Agenda

- 1. Opening Session**
- 2. Adoption of Agenda**
- 3. Election of Officers**
- 4. Financial and Administrative Issues**
 - 4.1 Report of the Finance and Administration Committee
- 5. Scientific, Technical, Legal and Other Information**
 - 5.1 Secretary's Report
 - 5.2 Report on the Activities of the Organization in 2007
 - 5.3 Announcement of the Tag Return Incentive Scheme Grand Prize
 - 5.4 Scientific Advice from ICES
 - 5.5 Scientific Research Fishing in the Convention Area
 - 5.6 Report of the International Atlantic Salmon Research Board
 - 5.7 Report of the Standing Scientific Committee

6. Next Steps for NASCO

- 6.1 Special Session: Progress with the Next Steps Strategy
 - (a) Report of the First *Ad Hoc* Review Group on the Parties' Implementation Plans
 - (b) Questions to the Parties from the Second *Ad Hoc* Review Group on the Focus Area Reports on Management of Salmon Fisheries
 - (c) Presentations by the Parties and Jurisdictions on their Focus Area Reports on Management of Salmon Fisheries and responses to Review Group questions

6.2 Decisions by the Council in the light of the 'Next Steps for NASCO' Special Session

6.3 Progress in implementing a Public Relations Strategy

6.4 Performance Review of the Work of NASCO

7. Conservation, Restoration, Enhancement and Rational Management of Atlantic Salmon under the Precautionary Approach

7.1 Annual Reports on Implementation Plans

7.2 Aquaculture, Introductions and Transfers, and Transgenics

(a) The Williamsburg Resolution

(b) Liaison with the Salmon Farming Industry

7.3 New or Emerging Opportunities for, or Threats to, Salmon Conservation and Management

7.4 Report of the Working Group on Socio-Economics

7.5 Progress with the Development of the Database of Salmon Rivers

7.6 St Pierre and Miquelon Salmon Fishery

7.7 Impacts of Acid Rain on Atlantic Salmon

7.8 Reports on the Work of the Three Regional Commissions

8. Other Business

9. Date and Place of Next Meeting

10. Report of the Meeting

11. Press Release

Secretary
Edinburgh
24 January, 2008

Note: The agenda item shown in a grey shade is designated a 'Special Session' when all delegates, including all NGOs, are encouraged to participate.