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Forty-First Annual Meeting of the Council

Knockranny House Hotel & Spa, Westport, Ireland

3 – 7 June 2024

Agenda

- 1. Opening of the Meeting**
- 2. Adoption of the Agenda**
- 3. Financial and Administrative Issues**
 - a) Report of the Finance and Administration Committee
 - b) NASCO Calendar and Working Group Membership
- 4. Scientific, Technical, Legal and Other Information**
 - a) NASCO News 2024
 - b) Announcement of the Tag Return Incentive Scheme Grand Prize
 - c) Scientific Advice from ICES
 - (i) Scientific Advice from ICES
 - (ii) A new approach / presentation of the ICES Advice
 - d) Report of the International Atlantic Salmon Research Board
 - e) Report of the Standing Scientific Committee
 - f) Report of the Stocking Guidelines Working Group
 - g) The Wild Atlantic Salmon Atlas
 - h) Update on the Review of the Effect of Salmon Aquaculture on Wild Atlantic Salmon Populations
- 6. The Working Group on the Future of NASCO**
 - a) Special Session: The Working Group on the Future of NASCO
 - b) Decisions taken on the Future of NASCO
 - (i) NASCO's Strategy
 - (ii) NASCO's Action Plan
 - (iii) The Fourth Reporting Cycle

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

- a) Theme-based Special Session: Management of Pink Salmon in the North Atlantic and Their Potential Threats to Wild Atlantic Salmon
 - (i) Theme-based Special Session: Management of Pink Salmon in the North Atlantic and Their Potential Threats to Wild Atlantic Salmon
 - (ii) Decisions Taken in Light of the Theme-based Special Session
- b) Evaluation of Implementation Plans and Annual Progress Reports Under the Third Reporting Cycle (2019 – 2024)
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 - (ii) Decisions Taken Regarding the Evaluation of Implementation Plans Under the Third Reporting Cycle (2019 – 2024)
 - (iii) Decisions Taken Regarding the Evaluation of Annual Progress Reports Under the 2019 – 2024 Implementation Plans
- c) Liaison with the Salmon Farming Industry
- d) New or Emerging Opportunities for, or Threats to, Salmon Conservation and Management
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 - (ii) The NASCO Working Group on Pink Salmon
- e) Management and Sampling of the St Pierre and Miquelon Salmon Fishery
- f) Reports on the Conservation Work of the Three Regional Commissions

8. Other Business

9. Date and Place of the Next Meeting

10. Press Release

11. Report of the Meeting

12. Close of the Meeting