14TH MEETING OF THE PARTIES

LA JOLLA, CALIFORNIA (USA) 20 OCTOBER 2005

PROTOCOL FOR PUBLICIZING TTF NUMBERS FOR TUNA CAUGHT IN CONTRAVENTION OF IATTC RESOLUTIONS

The 14th Meeting of the Parties to the AIDCP adopted the following protocol for publicizing the numbers of Tuna Tracking Forms (TTFs) associated with tuna caught in contravention of resolutions of the Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission (IATTC):

- 1. TTF numbers shall be made available only for specific purposes as agreed by the Parties.
- 2. Beginning in 2005 and until decided otherwise, TTF numbers shall be made available for the purpose of assisting in the implementation of the IATTC tuna conservation program.
- 3. The name of the flag state of the vessel and the numbers of the TTFs for fishing trips conducted in contravention of an IATTC conservation and management resolution shall be made publicly available.
- 4. Only the numbers of the relevant TTFs shall be made available; all other information on the TTFs shall remain confidential.
- 5. The TTFs themselves shall remain confidential.
- 6. The effectiveness of these procedures shall be reviewed annually, and the Parties shall report on any measures taken utilizing the TTF numbers.