

**INTERNATIONAL DOLPHIN CONSERVATION PROGRAM**

**WORKING GROUP TO PROMOTE AND PUBLICIZE THE**

**AIDCP DOLPHIN SAFE TUNA CERTIFICATION SYSTEM**

**2<sup>ND</sup> MEETING**

**Lima (Peru)**  
**7 June 2004**

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING**

**AGENDA**

1. Opening of the meeting
2. Adoption of the agenda
3. Actions to promote AIDCP dolphin safe tuna
4. Other business
5. Date and place of next meeting
6. Adjournment

**APPENDICES**

1. List of attendees

**1. Opening of the meeting**

The meeting was opened by Dr. Robin Allen, Director of the IATTC, and in the absence of Dr. Guillermo Compeán, chairman of the working group, Lic. Ricardo Belmontes, of Mexico, chaired the meeting.

**2. Adoption of the agenda**

The provisional agenda was adopted as proposed.

**3. Actions to promote AIDCP dolphin safe tuna**

Dr. Allen indicated that the actions planned to promote the AIDCP dolphin safe tuna program included seminars in Santa Cruz and Monterey, California.

Mexico explained that a promotional event in Europe is being organized by WWF Italy, and that the event would probably take place in Rome. Mexico indicated that attendance of AIDCP nations at this event would be important, and that the participation of Dr. Allen was expected. Mexico advised the meeting that a promotional event in Mexico was also being planned.

Some of the members of the working group indicated that a campaign in the United Kingdom and/or Germany was desirable, and asked for the opinion of the delegation of the European Union regarding the

viability of such an action. The EU indicated that such promotional events are welcome in Europe, but reminded the group that the conditions and criteria previously expressed by the EU delegation and reflected in the minutes of the 33<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the IRP, are still applicable.

The United States expressed its support for promotional events in Europe, but reiterated its view that the costs associated with any such events should not come from the AIDCP budget.

#### **4. Other business**

The United States updated the working group on the status of the lawsuit in that country regarding the dolphin safe label.

#### **5. Date and place of the next meeting**

The working group decided to schedule its next meeting for October in La Jolla, but noted that the meeting could be cancelled if it was considered unnecessary.

#### **6. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned.

### **Appendix 1.**

#### **ATTENDEES - ASISTENTES**

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