INTER-AMERICAN TROPICAL TUNA COMMISSION

2ND TECHNICAL MEETING ON DORADO

Lima, Peru 27-29 October 2015

Defining stock structure assumptions and identifying potential stock status indicators for dorado in the eastern Pacific Ocean

AGENDA

SCHEDULE:

8:00 Tuesday only: Registration (open all day)
9:00 Start (except Tuesday: inauguration at 8:30)
10:30-10:45 Coffee break

13:00-14:30 Lunch

15:30-15:45 Coffee break 18:00 Close (flexible)

AGENDA ITEMS:

- 1. Inauguration and opening (starting at 8:30 on Tuesday):
 - 1.1. Welcome. Juan Carlos Requejo Alemán, Vice-Minister of Fisheries and Aquaculture, Peru
 - 1.2. Presentation of the event. Guillermo Compeán, Director, Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission (IATTC)
 - 1.3. Review of results from the 1st Meeting on Dorado and structure of the 2nd Meeting. Alexandre Aires-da-Silva, IATTC
- 2. Update on knowledge about the fisheries (brief presentations by participants)
- 3. Review of biological aspects and defining stock structure assumptions for population modeling
- 4. Potential stock assessment methodologies for dorado:
 - 4.1. General review of stock assessment methodologies
 - 4.2. Stock status indicators (SSIs)
 - 4.3. Bayesian surplus production model
 - 4.4. Depletion estimator (step-by-step tutorial in MS Excel)
 - 4.5. Stock Synthesis length-based age-structured model (demonstration)
- 5. (tentative) Discussion of a Management Strategy Evaluation (MSE) for dorado
- 6. Others
- 7. Adjournment