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Meeting Notice: The 10th Joint IATTC and WCPFC-NC Working Group Meeting on the Management of Pacific Bluefin Tuna (JWG-10) and the 21st Regular Session of the Northern Committee (NC21)

Dear All,

The attached announcement is shared by Japan and contains meeting information for the 6th CDS Technical Meeting, the 10th Joint Working Group between the IATTC and WCPFC-NC (JWG-10), and the 21st Regular Session of the Northern Committee (NC21). Participants intending to attend NC21 and its associated meetings in person are urged to make travel and accommodation arrangements as early as possible. Online participation using the Zoom platform will also be supported for NC21 and associated meetings.

Please contact the Science Manager, Dr SungKwon Soh (SungKwon.Soh@wcpfc.int), with any questions. Your assistance in distributing this Circular to all relevant officials and representatives in your area is appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

Rhea Moss-Christian
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



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18th February 2025

Ms. Rhea Moss-Christian
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RE: Meeting date and venue of the Tenth Joint IATTC and WCPFC-NC Working Group Meeting and Twenty first Regular Session of the Northern Committee

Dear Ms. Rhea Moss-Christian,

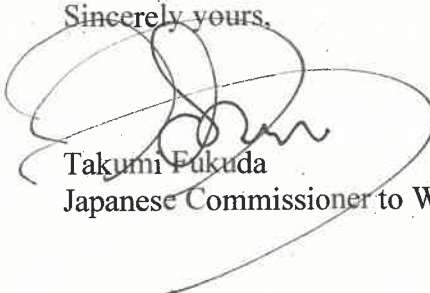
At the 9th Joint IATTC and WCPFC-NC Working Group Meeting (JWG09), the 20th Regular Session of the Northern Committee (NC20) and 21st Regular Session of the Commission (WCPFC21), Japan expressed its intention to host the JWG10 and NC21 back-to-back, next year.

After consulting with Co-Chairs of JWG and the Chair of NC as well as other relevant people, Japan is planning to host the meetings in Toyama city (at WOHLFARHRT TOYAMA), Toyama prefecture of Japan, with the following schedule:

July 9 th (Wed) – 12 th (Sat)	JWG10 (4 days)
(July 9 th (Wed)	CDS Technical Meeting)
July 13 th (Sun)	Rest day (1 day)
July 14 th (Mon) – 15 th (Tue)	NC21 (2 days)

In addition, Japan would like to provide logistical information on the meeting venue, accommodations and transportation as attached, for travel arrangement by participants. Please be informed that Toyama including Toyama city is a popular tourist destination that has been as one of the “52 Places to Go in 2025” by the New York Times, so earlier reservation for accommodation and connecting flights is advisable.

Sincerely yours,


Takumi Fukuda
Japanese Commissioner to WCPFC

【Logistical Information for Travel Arrangement】

1. Meeting Date

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2. Meeting Venue

The meeting venue will be “WOHLFARHRT TOYAMA” (ボルフアートとやま) .
Attachment 1 is a map of the meeting venue.
Address: Okudashinmachi 8-1, Toyama, 930-0857, Japan.
TEL:+81-76-431-1113, FAX:+81-76-432-4691

Japanese website (No English site available):
<https://www.wohlfahrt-toyama.co.jp/company>

[Direction from Tokyo to Toyama]
BULLET TRAIN

From JR Tokyo station, you can take bullet train (Hokuriku Shinkansen) to Toyama. Duration of the trip is around 2~2.5 h.

For more information, please check the following sites,
<https://www.jreast.co.jp/multi/en/routemaps/hokurikushinkansen.html>

FLIGHT

There are daily flights from Haneda airport to Toyama Airport. To reach downtown Toyama from the airport, airport buses are available.

For more information, please check the following sites.
<https://www.toyama-airport.jp/en/>



3. Accommodation Options

A number of accommodation options with reasonable access to the meeting venue are available. Please refer to the following link.

<https://www.toyamashi-kankoukyoukai.jp/en/accommdation/>

4. Other Notes

Further tourist information of Toyama City is available in the link below.

[ABOUT TOYAMA | Official Toyama City Travel Guide | Toyama City Tourism Association](#)

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