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First MedSuit Regional Workshop on indicators and targets to ensure GES of commercially exploited marine populations in the GFCM area

FAO HQs, Rome, Italy, 6-7 November 2014

AGENDA AND TIMETABLE

THURSDAY 6 NOVEMBER 2014

Morning, 09:30–12:30 hours

- 1. Opening and arrangements of the meeting**
 - Speech by the Italian Ministry of Environment (Mr Renato Grimaldi)
 - Introduction by GFCM Secretariat
- 2. Overview of relevant frameworks for the definition, monitoring and proposed measures to ensure GES of exploited marine living populations and their ecosystems in the Mediterranean and the Black Sea**
 - Presentation by FAO
 - Presentation by UNEP-MAP
 - Presentation by Black Sea Commission
 - Presentation by EU
 - Presentation by ICES
- 3. Overview of current status of exploited populations in the Mediterranean and Black Sea (by GFCM Secretariat)**

Afternoon, 14:00–17:00 hours

- 4. Discussion on common indicators for the definition of GES of exploited marine living populations at regional and sub-regional level**
 - Presentation on the indicators proposed to the SAC (by GFCM Secretariat)
 - Discussion on common indicators applicable to the Mediterranean and Black seas

FRIDAY 7 NOVEMBER 2014

Morning, 09:30–12:30 hours

- 5. Presentation of available monitoring programmes at national level** (by national experts)

Afternoon, 14:00–17:00 hours

- 6. Identification of key elements to undertake joint monitoring programs in the GFCM Area, with special focus on selected case studies at sub-regional level** (e.g. Adriatic Sea, the Strait of Sicily, others)
- 7. Closure of the workshop**

N.B. Coffee breaks will be served at 11:15 - 11:30 and 15:30 - 15:45.