

# IOSEA QUESTIONNAIRE – 2011 \*

## NATIONAL NETWORKS / COMMITTEES FOR MARINE TURTLE CONSERVATION (Pursuant to Objective 6.4 of the IOSEA CMP)

**Signatory State:**

United Kingdom

**IOSEA Focal Point (or name of person completing this form)**

Stacey Hughes

**National network or Committee ( give the name, if applicable ):**

N/A

**Brief Description / Status / Terms of Reference:** (Is the network/committee formally designated by legislation, ministerial accord, MoU or some other administrative formality? Or is it an *ad hoc* organisation?)

We have no formally-established national committee in the UK but simply liaise with relevant parties by email, as necessary.

**Lead agency / organisation / institution:**

Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra)

**Representation in the national network / committee (list all members ):**

▪ **Government agencies:**

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▪ **Academic and research organizations:**

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▪ **Environmental NGOs:**

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▪ **Development and human rights NGOs:**

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▪ **Fisheries sector:**

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▪ **Tourism sector:**

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▪ **Other private sector:**

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▪ **Others:**

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**Specific resources for developing and maintaining the network / committee:**

**Means of communication** (e.g. meetings, conference calls, email etc.)

Email.

**Number of meetings / conference calls held each year:**

- **2006:**
- **2007:**
- **2008:**
- **2009:**
- **2010:**
- **2011:**

**Most important topics of discussion (past / current ):**

**Most important advances and contributions resulting from the work of the network / committee:**

**Most important challenges and difficulties encountered by network / committee:**

**Plans for the future functioning and development of the network / committee:**

**Other comments:**

**The information in this form was last updated: (*month / year*):** September 2011.

**\* PLEASE REFER TO PREVIOUS QUESTIONNAIRE (2008), AS APPROPRIATE**