ADDENDUM 1

SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL COMMENTS

(arising from ScC-SC6)

REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONCERTED ACTION FOR SPERM WHALES (*Physeter macrocephalus*) OF THE EASTERN TROPICAL PACIFIC

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RECOMMENDATIONS TO COP14

Recommended for extension.

GENERAL COMMENTS ON THE DOCUMENT

- The Scientific Council recommended that the Concerted Action be extended, as suggested in the report.
- The Scientific Council expressed its thanks to Red de Cachalotes del Pacífico for the progress made, and strongly supported the proposed renewal of the Concerted Action as outlined in section 5.
- The International Whaling Commission welcomed the report and proposal for future work and noted that any information gathered on the species would support IWC work as well.