

ADDENDUM 1
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SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL COMMENTS
(arising from ScC-SC6)

IMPORTANT MARINE MAMMAL AREAS

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RECOMMENDATIONS TO COP14

ScC-SC6 recommended the Decisions for adoption, with the proposed amendment set out below.

GENERAL COMMENTS ON THE DOCUMENT

No comments.

COMMENTS ON SPECIFIC SECTIONS / INCLUDING POSSIBLE PROPOSALS FOR TEXT REVISION

- Page 11, amend 14.CC as follows:

14.CC The Secretariat shall

- a) (13.57 a) The Secretariat shall, subject to the availability of external resources inform Parties of transfer information on newly identified IMMAs and the relevant CMS-listed species received from the IUCN Joint SSC/WCPA Marine Mammal Protected Areas Task Force to the Scientific Council and to the Parties and invite contributions from Parties and Range States.
- b) reach out to other relevant regional and international organizations to bring the value of the identification of IMMAs for conservation planning, as well as already identified IMMAs, to their attention.