ADDENDUM 1

SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL COMMENTS

(arising from ScC-SC4)

PROGRESS IN IMPLEMENTATION OF CONCERTED ACTIONS

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RECOMMENDATIONS TO COP13

- Adopt a list of species designated for Concerted Action for the intersessional period between COP13 and COP14 as per the approach proposed in the document.
- Delete Decisions 12.103 and 12.104 as completed

GENERAL COMMENTS ON THE DOCUMENT

- The document reflects correctly the approach proposed by the Sessional Committee to address the mandate included in Decision 12.103 concerning the completion of the transition to the revised Concerted Actions process established by Resolution 12.28.
- Proponents of Concerted Actions should be requested to report on progress in implementation using the template well in advance of document submission deadline, highlighting successes and plans for activities for the new triennium as appropriate, preferably submitting a single report rather than separate reports when different activities are led by different entities.

COMMENTS ON SPECIFIC SECTIONS/ INCLUDING POSSIBLE PROPOSALS FOR TEXT REVISION

Page 5, para. 20

- Supports the recommended actions by COP13 included in the paragraph

Pages 6-7, Annex 1

- Supports the template for reports on the implementation of Concerted Actions included in the Annex

Page 8-9, Annex 2

- Supports the proposed amendment of the format of Annex 3 of Resolution 12.28