

TO ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS, COOPERATING NON-MEMBERS, PARTICIPATING TERRITORIES AND OBSERVERS

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Status of the Special Requirements Fund

Dear All,

I write to provide an update on the status of the Commission's Special Requirements Fund (SRF). As of 30 October 2023, the fund has been fully depleted. Requests for the use of the fund will be noted for any funding that may become available, on a first come, first served basis.

Members and Observers are invited to consider making a financial contribution to the WCPFC SRF to ensure that it continues to serve its vital role in assisting developing members of the Commission to meet their obligations under the Convention.

Please feel free to contact me (Rhea.Moss-Christian@wcpfc.int) or the Finance and Administration Manager (Aaron Nighswander, Aaron.Nighswander@wcpfc.int) with any questions on the SRF or for assistance in making an SRF contribution.

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Yours sincerely,

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