

The American Institute of Fishery Research Biologists (AIFRB) – an organization established almost 50 years ago to advance excellence in fishery science and to promote stewardship, sustainability and wise utilization of natural resources – has selected the Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission for its **Outstanding Group Achievement Award** for August 2014-August 2015.

The award has been presented to the Commission at an AIFRB gathering on November 14, 2015 at Cabrillo Marine Aquarium in San Pedro, California, United States of America.

The selection of the IATTC as a recipient of this award is a recognition of its dedication to nurturing excellence in fishery science, as a most important factor for the achievement of its objectives under the Antigua Convention.



AIFRB President Tom Keegan and IATTC Director Guillermo Compean receiving award



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