The Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission (IATTC):

Conscious of the importance of transparency in information on total catches for purposes of stock assessment and compliance with management measures, and

Notwithstanding the confidentiality provisions of the Rules of Procedure,

Agrees as follows:

The Director will report annual catches of species covered by the Convention, by flag and gear, to the Parties before 1 June of the following year, except that categories containing two or less vessels or companies shall be pooled.