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**ADDENDUM**

**SCENARIOS OF THE IMPACT ON THE TUNA RESOURCES IN  
 THE EPO OF VARIOUS INCREASES IN FLEET CAPACITY**

During its 89<sup>th</sup> meeting in Guayaquil, Ecuador, in July 2015, the Commission considered under item 7 of its agenda the matters related to fleet capacity. As recorded in the minutes of the meeting, Colombia “referred to its claim (...)and requested that the 4.772 m<sup>3</sup> still to be allocated from the historical claim recorded in the footnote to Resolution C-02-03 be included in the report SAC-06-INF-B, specifically in its “scenario 11”. The Director commented that since this document had been already considered and approved it could not be modified retroactively but that an appendix would be added to it in order to fulfil the request made by Colombia.”

The purpose of this addendum is therefore to update the table that appears on pages 3 and 4 of the original document and illustrates the eleven scenarios that were used to calculate the impact of different combinations of capacity increases in terms of the number of days of closure required to meet the conservation goals over and above the recommendations of the staff in June 2008 and October 2010.

With the modification introduced not only in scenario 11 but also in scenarios 1 and 2, in response to the request made by Colombia, the updated table is as follows:

		Capacity (m <sup>3</sup> )	Days of closure 2014
Base	Status quo	<b>236,089</b>	62
Scenario	Description	Additional capacity	Additional days of closure
1	All pending cases are resolved, increasing capacity	43,573	48
2	All pending cases are resolved, increasing capacity; the US fully utilizes its paragraph 12 capacity.	53,973	58
3	Only pending disputes are resolved, increasing capacity	12,618	16
4	Pending disputes are resolved, increasing capacity; US fully utilizes its paragraph 12 capacity	23,018	28
5	Pending disputes are resolved, increasing capacity; only requests based on footnote in resolution C-02-03 are approved; US fully utilizes its paragraph 12 capacity	45,232	50
6	Only Guatemala and Venezuela disputes are resolved, increasing capacity	5,430	7
7	Only Guatemala dispute is resolved, increasing capacity	3,762	5
8	Difference between current operative capacity and active capacity	35,987	41
9	Using only the current available capacity	18,039	22
10	Using only the current inactive/sunk capacity	5,743	7

11	All pending cases (disputes and requests) are resolved, increasing capacity; US fully utilizes its paragraph 12 capacity; and all available, inactive/sunk, and active (not currently operating) capacity becomes operative	113,742	101
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In addition, the tables corresponding to these scenarios in Annex 1 of the original document must be also updated, as follows:

**1. All pending cases are resolved, increasing capacity  
Se resuelven todos los casos pendientes, incrementando la capacidad**

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Requests based on footnote in Resolution C-02-03 Solicitudes basadas en el pie de página en la Resolución C-02-03	Colombia	4,772
	Costa Rica	5,851
	Perú	7,058
Disputes Disputas	Guatemala	3,762
	Venezuela	1,668
	Vanuatu	1,358
	Bolivia	5,830
New requests Nuevas solicitudes	El Salvador	2,105
	Nicaragua	4,200
	Honduras	3,000
Other cases Otros casos	Ecuador	3,969
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>43,573</b>

**2. All pending cases are resolved, increasing capacity; US fully utilizes its paragraph 12 capacity.  
Se resuelven todos los casos pendientes, incrementando la capacidad; EE.UU. utiliza en su totalidad su capacidad del párrafo 12**

		m <sup>3</sup>
Requests based on footnote in Resolution C-02-03 Solicitudes basadas en el pie de página en la Resolución C-02-03	Colombia	4,772
	Costa Rica	5,851
	Perú	7,058
Disputes Disputas	Guatemala	3,762
	Venezuela	1,668
	Vanuatu	1,358
	Bolivia	5,830
New requests Nuevas solicitudes	El Salvador	2,105
	Nicaragua	4,200
	Honduras	3,000
Other cases Otros casos	Ecuador	3,969
Paragraph 12 of Resolution C-02-03 Párrafo 12 de la Resolución C-02-03	USA	10,400

<sup>1</sup> m<sup>3</sup>: Increase in capacity on the Regional Vessel Register, in cubic meters

m<sup>3</sup>: Incremento de la capacidad en el Registro Regional de Buques, en metros cúbicos

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>53,973</b>
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[...]

**11. All pending cases (disputes and requests) are resolved, increasing capacity; US fully utilizes its paragraph 12 capacity; all available, inactive/sunk , and active (not currently operating) capacity becomes operative.**

**Se resuelven todos los casos pendientes (disputas y solicitudes) , incrementando la capacidad; EE.UU. utiliza en su totalidad su capacidad del párrafo 12; toda la capacidad disponible, inactiva/hundida, así como la activa (no operando actualmente) se vuelve operativa**

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Available, inactive/sunk , and active (not currently operating) capacity becomes operative. La capacidad disponible, inactiva, y hundida (no operando actualmente) se vuelve operativa		59,769
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>113,742</b>