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**2019 ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC OBSERVER REPORT FOR CHINA TUNA
LONGLINE FISHERY IN THE ANTIGUA CONVENTION AREA**

*Postponed until a later date to be determined

Template for annual summary reports on fleet information and observer data for longline vessels >20 m LOA
operating in the EPO

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CPC China

| FLEET INFORMATION (vessels > 20 m LOA) | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|----------|---------------|---|----------|---------------|---|----------|---------------|
| | Both set types combined | | | Shallow sets (< 15 HPB/HBF ¹ or <100 m max hook depth) | | | Deep sets (≥15 HPB/HBF or ≥100 m max hook depth) | | |
| Period covered | Date range 01-01-2019-12-31-2019 | | | Date range DD-MMM-YY-DD-MMM-YY | | | Date range 01-01-2019-12-31-2019 | | |
| Area fished | from 80°W to 150°W and from 15°N to 35°S | | | from(XXX)°W to (XXX)°W and from (XX)°S/N to (XX)°S/N | | | from 80°W to 150°W and from 15°N to 35°S | | |
| | Total Fleet | Observed | % observed | Total Fleet | Observed | % observed | Total Fleet | Observed | % observed |
| No.of vessels that fished | 220 | 17 | 0.077 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 220 | 17 | 0.077 |
| No.of trips | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| No.of effective days fishing | 24150 | 1874 | 0.078 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24150 | 1874 | 0.078 |
| No.of sets | 24150 | 1874 | 0.078 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24150 | 1874 | 0.078 |
| No.of hooks (in thousands) (if unknown, approx.no.of hooks/set, using a *) | 70035 | 5517 | 0.079 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 70035 | 5517 | 0.079 |
| Predominant ² hook type/size (IATTC code) | C-16 | C-16 | | | | | C-16 | C-16 | |
| Predominant bait type ³ | F | F | | | | | F | F | |

¹ Hooks per basket/ Hooks between floats

² Predominant' means most common, i.e. >50%

³ Bait codes: SQ-squid; F-fishes (e.g. Scomber spp.); A-artificial lure (e.g. plastic jig)

