

**AGREEMENT ON THE INTERNATIONAL DOLPHIN CONSERVATION PROGRAM**  
**RESOLUTION ON THE CREATION OF A WORKING GROUP TO PROMOTE AND**  
**PUBLICIZE THE *AIDCP DOLPHIN SAFE LABEL*, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF**  
**THE AIDCP**

**10 October 2002**

*The Parties to the Agreement on the International Dolphin Conservation Program (AIDCP):*

*Considering the Resolution to establish procedures for AIDCP dolphin safe tuna certification of 20 June 2001, including point 5, paragraphs a, b and c, which refers to the obligation to publicize, disseminate and support the worldwide promulgation of the AIDCP dolphin safe label, and*

*Recognizing the importance of coordinating among the Parties the efforts to promote and disseminate the AIDCP dolphin safe certificate, and*

*Noting the importance of information in the strategy for publicizing the AIDCP dolphin safe label, and of ensuring the support of the program that sustains it,*

*Agree:*

1. To create a Working Group to promote and publicize the *AIDCP dolphin safe* Tuna Certification system.
2. Establish a schedule of meetings to coincide with the meetings of the Tuna Tracking Working Group.
3. The items for the agenda for the first meeting of this working group, to be held in January 2003, shall be defined by the Secretariat, after consultations with the Parties.
4. Ask the Secretariat to prepare an estimated budget for the first meeting of this working group.
5. The funding for the logistical costs of the meetings of this working group, as well as the future costs of the dissemination of information by the Secretariat and related to the results of the IDCP, shall be defined at the meeting of the working group in January 2003, once all the costs and income of the IDCP have been thoroughly analyzed, and the participating Parties shall explore the financial possibilities of covering the logistic and publicity costs of the proposed working group through direct funding.