

From: Craig Loveridge
Sent: Friday, 27 October 2017 10:38
To: Luis.MOLLEDO@ec.europa.eu
Cc: Secretariat; Johanne Fischer
Subject: RE: 131-2017 1st Draft of a revised VMS CMM 06-2017
Attachments: Chair VMS WG proposal CMM 06-2017 26 September 2017 TC_CraigL_27Oct2017.docx

Dear Luis,

Thank you for sending through the Draft VMS CMM and for the opportunity to comment. Overall we like the structure of the proposed measure.

Most of our substantive comments relate to the specific differences between SPRFMO and other similar RFMO VMS. Things like the size of the Secretariat and its office premises are quite different to other more established RFMOs. We also feel that there is too much internal office policy being placed in the current draft CMM. While we agree that such policies are needed (and in fact we have drafted an internal office policy), we don't feel this is the right place for them.

Our VMS is outsourced and the physical servers are located in France - hence concerns regarding data security, back-up and office access are much less applicable in our situation. Appropriate controls should be considered given that access to the VMS system will be through the web, and we feel that any person who has access to the Commission VMS should be held to the same standards as the Secretariat. Indeed we were recently pleased to confirm that user access can be associated to a specific IP – this is a feature we think the Commission should consider implementing as a default to enhance access security.

I hope you find the comments helpful – please forgive any abruptness, it's not intended and only reflects my eagerness to provide you with comments!

Best regards,

Craig L

It is the Secretariat's intention to acknowledge all emails within 3 days. If no such acknowledgement is received, then we advise sending a follow-up communication to check that the initial transmission was successful.

From: Johanne Fischer
Sent: Tuesday, 26 September 2017 9:50 PM
To: Hector Soldi <hsoldi@produce.gob.pe>; Osvaldo Urrutia <ourrutia@subpesca.cl>; Commission Chairperson <chairperson@sprfmo.int>
Cc: Secretariat <secretariat@sprfmo.int>; Luis.MOLLEDO@ec.europa.eu
Subject: 131-2017 1st Draft of a revised VMS CMM 06-2017

Dear Members and CNCP, VMS WG members,

Please refer to the attached letter and documents from the Chairperson of the VMS Working Group, Mr. Luis Molledo.

Best regards,

Johanne

Dr. Johanne Fischer
Executive Secretary

South Pacific Regional Fisheries Management Organisation (SPRFMO)



www.sprfmo.int

Tel: +64-4-4999889

PO Box 3797, Wellington 6140, New Zealand

It is the Secretariat's intention to acknowledge all emails within 3 days. If no such acknowledgement is received, then we advise sending a follow-up communication to check that the initial transmission was successful.