

HIGHLY MIGRATORY SPECIES ADVISORY SUBPANEL REPORT ON LEGISLATIVE
MATTERS

During the April 2008 meeting of the PFMC on legislative matters, the Highly Migratory Species Advisory Subpanel (HMSAS) expressed serious concerns about a proposed administration bill to implement the Antigua Convention by amending the Tuna Conventions Act of 1950, as amended. [Please refer to agenda item C.2c, HMSAS Report, April 2008.]

This is to strongly request the Council to seek an update on efforts taken by Congress, Department of Commerce, and the Department of State in proposing amendments to the Tuna Conventions Act of 1950, as amended.

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