

PROPOSED AGENDA
Highly Migratory Species Management Team

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Public comment on items on the agenda will be provided at the discretion of the committee chair. In addition, an opportunity for comments on issues not discussed under the agenda has been provided.

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 2008 - 8A.M.

A. Call to Order (15 minutes)

Leeanne Laughlin

1. Introductions
2. Approval of Agenda

B. Recommendations to the U.S. Section to the Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission (1 hour)

Suzy Kohin

Report due under Agenda Item J.2. Report to be turned into Council Secretariat no later than 8:30 A.M. Friday.

C. High Seas Shallow-set Longline (1 hour)

Steve Stohs

The Highly Migratory Species Management Team (HMSMT) reviews alternatives as adopted by the Council at the March 2008 meeting to specify various elements, such as the qualification criteria for limited entry. The HMSMT will brief the Highly Migratory Species Advisory Subpanel (HMSAS) under item E, below. This issue is not on the Council agenda in April.

HMSAS and HMSMT meet jointly in Seattle Ballroom 2 and 3.

D. Exempted Fishing Permit for Shallow-set Longline Fishing in the EEZ (1 hour)

Steve Stohs/Pete Dupuy

E. High Seas Shallow-set Longline (2 hours)

Steve Stohs/Doug Fricke

The HMSMT reviews the details of the alternatives and receives feedback from the HMSAS.

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