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**DRAFT: AGENDA FOR THE 94<sup>th</sup> SESSION OF THE IPHC CONFERENCE BOARD (CB094)**

**Date:** 23-24 January 2024

**Location:** Anchorage, AK, U.S.A.

**Venue:** [Hotel Captain Cook](#)

**Time (AKST):** 23<sup>rd</sup>: 14:00-17:30; 24<sup>th</sup>: 09:00-17:30;

(Available if needed: 25<sup>th</sup>: 0800-11:00)

**Co-Chairperson:** Mr Jim Lane (Canada); Ms Linda Behnken (United States of America)

Vice-Chairperson: Mr Brian Ritchie (USA)

**Notes:**

- **Document deadline:** 24 December 2023 (30 days prior to the opening of the Session)
- All sessions are open to observers and the general public.
- All sessions will be webcast.

1. **OPENING OF THE SESSION** (Co-Chairpersons)
  - 1.1 Accreditation of CB Membership (2021-25): new members
2. **ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION** (Co-Chairpersons)
3. **IPHC SECRETARIAT INFORMATIONAL SESSION**
  - 3.1 Mortality Limits and TCEY (I. Stewart)
  - 3.2 MSE Update (A. Hicks)
  - 3.3 FISS 2024 (R. Webster & K. Ualesi)
4. **FISHING PERIODS: SEASON OPENING AND CLOSING DATES**
5. **MORTALITY LIMITS** (Co-Chairpersons)
  - 5.1 Coastwide perspectives
  - 5.2 Regulatory Area perspectives
  - 5.3 Distribution Strategy – discussion/recommendations
  - 5.4 TCEY Recommendations
6. **IPHC FISHERY REGULATIONS: PROPOSALS FOR THE 2023-24 PROCESS**
  - 6.1 IPHC Secretariat fishery regulation proposals (B. Hutniczak)
  - 6.2 Contracting Party fishery regulation proposals (Contracting Parties)
  - 6.3 Other Stakeholder fishery regulation proposals (Stakeholders)
7. **INCIDENTAL CATCH (BYCATCH)** (Co-Chairpersons)
8. **OTHER BUSINESS** (Co-Chairpersons)
  - 8.1 Election of Vice-Chairpersons

**9. REVIEW OF THE DRAFT AND ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE 94<sup>th</sup> SESSION OF THE IPHC CONFERENCE BOARD (CB094) (Co-Chairpersons; IPHC Secretariat)**