
APPENDIX VII**CONSOLIDATED SET OF RECOMMENDATIONS AND REQUESTS OF THE 96TH SESSION OF THE
IPHC INTERIM MEETING (IM096) (18-19 NOVEMBER 2020)****RECOMMENDATIONS*****FISS redesign discussion***

IM096-Rec.01 (para. 35) The Commission **NOTED** some existing opportunities for stakeholder engagement in the FISS design review process and **RECOMMENDED** that additional formalised opportunities should be added to the review timeline for future presentations. An option is to hold the annual RAB meeting in November or December of each year.

FISS design endorsement (2021-23)

IM096-Rec.02 (para. 46) The Commission **RECOMMENDED** that the IPHC 2021 FISS design be considered for decision at the 9th Special Session of the Commission (SS09), at a date and format to be agreed upon intersessionally. The IPHC Secretariat will develop necessary material to support the decision making process.

IM096-Rec.03 (para. 47) The Commission **RECOMMENDED** that the IPHC Secretariat provide the Commission, at AM097, an expanded schematic of the rationalisation of the FISS following the 2014-19 expansion series. The intent is to show all the steps from design to implementation of a FISS.

IPHC Management Strategy Evaluation

IM096-Rec.04 (para. 74) The Commission **RECOMMENDED** that a Special Session of the Commission be held prior to the AM097 meeting in January, to look at potential modifications to existing MPs as part of the IPHC Secretariat's MSE program of work. The IPHC Secretariat will seek to establish agreeable dates, and publish the meeting invitation accordingly, noting that all meetings of the Commission are public unless otherwise decided by the Commission.

IPHC Fishery regulations: Proposals for the 2020-21 process

IM096-Rec.05 (para. 90) The Commission **RECOMMENDED** that interested stakeholders note the deadline for submission of IPHC Fishery Regulation proposals, for consideration at the 97th Session of the Annual Meeting (AM097), of **26 December 2020**. Late proposals will not be considered at AM097.

REQUESTS***Size limit review***

IM096-Req.01 (para. 58) **NOTING** the indication from some Commissioners that there may be regulatory compliance concerns to be considered, the Commission **REQUESTED** that relevant Contracting Party agencies, led by NOAA and DFO, consider and present those concerns (if applicable) at AM097.