



AGENDA

LDAC Executive Committee

Thursday 7th March 2024, 14:30-17:00h CET / GMT+1

Venue: Hotel Martin´s Brussels EU (Bd Charlemagne 80, 1000 Brussels)

14:30h

- 1. Welcome by the LDAC Chair, Mr. Iván López van der Veen**
- 2. Adoption of the agenda**
- 3. Adoption minutes of the last Executive Committee – Madrid, 8 November 2023**

14:40h

- 4. Presentations on horizontal topics of relevance for the LDAC:**
 - 4.1. Trends in Global Ocean Economy and “Ocean Trade” database (UNCTAD - D. Vivas)
 - 4.2. EU “Fishers for Future” initiative (DG MARE)
 - 4.3. Update on the evaluation of the EU Regulation 734/2008 on VMEs in the high seas (MARE)
 - 4.4. [5th Joint FAO-IMO-ILO ad hoc WG on IUU fishing and related matters](#), Europêche

15:50h

- 5. Update by Secretariat on:**
 - 5.1. LDAC-CFFA Seminar on Fisheries Investments in Third Countries (Berlin, 23 May)
 - 5.2. Inter-AC event on European Maritime Day (Svendborg-Denmark, 30-31 May 2024)

HEALTH BREAK (16:15-16:30H)

16:30h

- 6. Report on actions agreed at LDAC working groups and Inter-AC meetings:**
 - 6.1. Summary report by the Chairs and/or Vice Chairs of:
 - Working Group 1 (Highly Migratory Stocks and its RFMOs)
 - Working Group 2 (North Atlantic fisheries agreements and RFMO)
 - Working Group 4 (SFPAs with third countries)
 - Working Group 5 (Horizontal Issues)
 - 6.2. Report on the inter-AC coordination meeting with MARE (Brussels, 6 Feb 2024)
 - 6.3. Creation of an Inter-AC Forum on coastal states negotiation and bilateral & trilateral dialogues between the EU and North East Atlantic third countries (Norway, UK, Faroe Islands...)

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- 7. State of play of partnerships and collaborations:**
 - 7.1. FAO
 - 7.2. ATLAFCO-COMHAFAT
 - 7.3. AFRIFISH-NET

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