Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks;

 United Nations Conferences to Support the Implementation of Sustainable Development Goal 14: Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development;

The following associate members of regional commissions: American Samoa, Anguilla, Aruba, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Curaçao, French Polynesia, Guam, Montserrat, New Caledonia, Puerto Rico, Sint Maarten, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands; and

Relevant specialized agencies, as well as other organs, organizations, funds and programmes of the United Nations system.

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2. The organizational meeting of the Preparatory Commission will be held in person at United Nations Headquarters in New York. It will not be possible to follow this meeting virtually. the names and functional titles of the delegation attending the meeting. In addition, the letter must include a name and an official email address of the focal point handling the request(s). The letter must be addressed to:

Ms. Beatrix Kania Chief of Protocol Protocol and Liaison Service Att. Ms. Wai Tak Chua

- ii. Complete an SG.6 form for each member of the delegation (the SG.6 form can be found at https://www.un.org/dgacm/en/content/protocol/meetings).
- Send both the letter and the SG.6 form to the Protocol and Liaison Service by email to <u>unprotocol@un.org</u>, copied to <u>chuaw@un.org</u>.
- iv. Transmit a copy of the letter to the Division for Ocean Affairs and Law of the Sea (Att. Mr. Bingzhuo Li, email: <u>bingzhuo.li@un.org</u>, copied to <u>doalos@un.org</u>).

6. Requests for registration following the procedure outlined in paragraph 4 above must be received by . The Secretariat will not be in a position to process late registrations.

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signed by the head of the organization, with the names and functional titles of the delegation attending the meeting.

11. Requests for registration through the Indico portal must be received by

12. Participants will be notified via email once their registration request has been approved. A hard copy of that email must be presented by the participant together with a valid passport or government photo ID to the United Nations Pass and Identification Unit (located on the ground floor of the FF Building, at 320 E. 45th Street) for the issuance of a United Nations grounds pass.

Associate members of regional commissions

13. Representatives of associate members of regional commissions are required to follow the following registration steps to obtain a United Nations grounds pass:

i. Submit a letter to the Protocol and Liaison Service (see details below), stamped and signed by an authorized official, with the names and functional titles of the delegation attending the meeting. <u>In addition</u>, the letter must include a name and an email address of the focal point handling the request(s). The letter must be addressed to:

Ms. Beatrix Kania Chief of Protocol Protocol and Liaison Service Att. Ms. Wai Tak Chua

- ii. Complete an SG.6 form for each member of the delegation (the SG.6 form can be found at https://www.un.org/dgacm/en/content/protocol/meetings).
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14. Requests for registration to the organizational meeting of the Preparatory Commission must be received by . The Secretariat will not be in a position to process late registrations.

15. The focal point will be notified of the registration approval(s) via email. A hard copy of that email must be presented by the participant together with a valid passport or Government photo ID to the United Nations Pass and Identification Unit (located on the ground floor of the FF Building at 320 E 45th Street) for the issuance of a United Nations grounds pass.

Specialized agencies and related organizations of the United Nations system

16. Representatives of specialized agencies and related organizations are required to submit their requests via the online "e-Registration system" at <u>https://edelegate.un.int</u>. Information regarding the e-Registration system can be found at <u>https://www.un.org/dgacm/en/content/protocol/meetings</u>. Online requests for registration to the organizational meeting of the Preparatory Commission must be received by

Other organs, organizations, funds and programmes of the United Nations system

17. Representatives of other relevant United Nations system organs, organizations, funds and programmes without a valid United Nations grounds pass issued in New York may gain access to United Nations Headquarters by presenting a valid United Nations Laissez-Passer at the visitor entrance or the staff entrance at 42nd Street.

18. Registration will require a formal letter signed by the entity's Principal or designated official, listing the member(s) of the delegation to be sent to:

Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea Secretariat Att. Mr. Bingzhuo Li