

DECISION 11-2021

Intersessional Decision to Insert a New Paragraph into CMM 14e-2021

The Members of the Commission of the South Pacific Regional Fisheries Management Organisation:

Agree to insert a new paragraph (6bis) into CMM 14e-2021 (Exploratory Toothfish EU) as follows:

6bis. The EU exploratory toothfish fishing trip in 2021 shall have a maximum duration of 60 consecutive days, which may occur any time between 1 May and 15 November 2021. From 1 to 15 November 2021, lines shall be set at night-time only and all fishing shall cease immediately if the death of the following occurs:

- a) any of the following five species: *Diomedea exulans* (Wandering Albatross), *Thalassarche chrysostoma* (Grey-headed Albatross), *Thalassarche melanophris* (Black-browed Albatross), *Procellaria cinerea* (Grey Petrel), *Pterodroma mollis* (Soft-plumaged Petrel), or
- b) three individuals of any of the threatened albatross and petrel species that breed on Macquarie Island: *Phoebetria palpebrata* (Light-mantled Albatross), *Macronectes giganteus* (Southern Giant Petrel) and *Macronectes halli* (Northern Giant Petrel).