

10th MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

26 to 30 September 2022, Seoul, Korea

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Call for Interest to Host Forthcoming Scientific Committee Meetings

Secretariat

Background

According to Rule of Procedure 3 “*Before the end of each annual meeting, the Commission¹ shall, if possible, decide on the date and location of the next annual meeting*”.

To facilitate medium-term planning for both the Secretariat and the SPRFMO Member administrations, the Scientific Committee (SC) members are asked to consider their feasibility to organise and host forthcoming SC meetings².

This exercise is not a formal commitment (unless confirmation is given by the SC Member), but a scoping exercise to check where SC meetings could potentially take place in the next years. Therefore, each year column is open to more than one Member.

MEMBERS and CNCPs	Past years	2023	2024	2025	2026
Australia					
Belize					
Republic of Chile	2018				
People's Republic of China	2017				
Cook Islands					
Republic of Cuba	2019				
Curaçao					
Republic of Ecuador					
European Union	2016				
The Kingdom of Denmark in respect of Faroe Islands					
Republic of Korea	2022				
Republic of Liberia					
New Zealand	2020 (v)				
Republic of Panama		2023			
Republic of Peru					
Russian Federation					
Chinese Taipei					
The United States of America	2013, 2014				
Republic of Vanuatu	2015				
Virtual	2021				

¹ Rule of Procedure 1: For the purpose of each subsidiary body, in the following rules, the word Commission shall be understood as referring to the concerned Committee, and the word decision as referring to advice or recommendation.

² Ideally in October, in order to enable consideration of SPRFMO data submissions (due date – 30th September each year).