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Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 70/75, the Workshop to discuss implementation of paragraphs 113, 117 and 119 to 124 of resolution 64/72 and paragraphs 121, 126, 129, 130 and 132 to 134 of resolution 66/68 was held at United Nations Headquarters in New York, from 1 to 2 August 2016.

In accordance with resolutions 69/109 and 70/75 States, the Food and Agriculture fhe-4Tj 5 Tm1]T0 0ted

fisheries management organizations and arrangements in response to paragraphs 13, 117 and 119 to 124 of resolution 64/72 and paragraphs 21, 126, 129, 130 and 132 to 134 of resolution 66/68, with a view to ensuring effective implementation of the measures therein and to make further recommendations where necessary and also recalled the value of preceding such a review with a two-day workshop as in 2011.

In paragraph 170 of the same resolution, the General Assembly requested the Secretary-General to convene, with full conference services without prejudice to future arrangements, a two-day workshop on 1 and 2 August 2016 in order to discuss implementation of paragraphs 13, 117 and 119 to 124 of resolution 64/72 and paragraphs 21, 126, 129, 130 and 132 to 134 of resolution 66/68, and to invite States, FAO and other relevant specialized agencies, funds and programmes, subregional and regional fisheries management organizations and arrangements, other fisheries bodies, other relevant intergovernmental bodies and relevant non-governmental organizations and relevant stakeholders in accordance with United Nations practice, to attend the workshop;

Background documentation

- x Information on the 2011 Workshop to discuss implementation of paragraphs 80 and 83 to 87 of resolution 61/105 and paragraphs 17 and 119 to 127 of resolution 64/72 on sustainable fisheries, addressing the impacts of bottom fishing on vulnerable marine ecosystems and the long-term sustainability of deep-sea fish stocks
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