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**Notification of publication of Final Certification Report for the SZLC, HNSFC & CFA
Cook Islands EEZ south Pacific albacore longline**

Following the completion of the MSC Objection Process, ME Certification Ltd (MEC) announces the publication of the Public Certification Report (PCR) for the SZLC, HNSFC & CFA Cook Islands EEZ south Pacific albacore longline fishery.

MEC can confirm the fishery is now certified for a period of five (5) years and will be subject to on-going surveillance audits.

Product caught after the Actual Eligibility Date of the 8th June 2014 may now be eligible to enter into further chain of custody as MSC certified product (in-line with the MSC requirements on Under MSC Assessment Product).

MEC would like to thank all stakeholders who have participated in the assessment process for this fishery.

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