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Japanese Pole and Line Skipjack and Albacore Tuna

Marine Stewardship Council Certification

Certification Body: Acoura Marine

Notification Public Certification Report

Acoura Marine have received no notice of objection during the 15 working day time period required for comment on the Final Report.

Therefore, Acoura Marine are delighted to announce the release of the Public Certification Report for the above-named fishery and, subject to successful outcomes from surveillance audits, Japanese Pole and Line Skipjack and Albacore Tuna fishery is now certified under the MSC requirements for Sustainable Fisheries from the date of certification and for five (5) calendar years following this date.

Following completion of this final consultation period the above named fishery is therefore now able to use the MSC's logo on all products defined within the Public Certification Report for the specified units of certification for this assessment.

Acoura Marine would like to express our thanks to all individual and organisational stakeholders who participated throughout this assessment process.

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