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Aker Biomarine

Antarctic Krill Fishery

Marine Stewardship Council Certification Certification Body: Moody Marine Ltd

Nominations for Assessment Team membership

Moody Marine is currently undertaking the main assessment of the above fishery against the Marine Stewardship Council Principles and Criteria for Sustainable Fishing. To assist in this assessment, we are looking to appoint a team of expert advisors with collective knowledge of the stock evaluation, ecosystem impacts and management framework applicable to this fishery.

The persons proposed as potential team members of this fishery assessment are set out below in alphabetical order, together with a brief resume of their background. Potential team members have been selected on the basis of their experience of fishery management, stock assessment and/or ecosystem interactions. The Lead Assessor from Moody Marine will be **Dr Andrew Hough**.

All stakeholders are now invited to provide any comments on the suitability or otherwise of any of the nominees. We would, however, ask for any comments by **5:00 p.m. GMT on 6th November 2008** prior to continuing the assessment process. These should be sent to:

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Paul Medley. Paul is an independent fisheries consultant, based in the UK. His expertise includes mathematical modeling of fisheries and ecological systems, techniques for multispecies stock assessment and external review of stock assessment methodologies. He has been an invited expert for a number of stock assessment working group meetings. He has a wide practical experience in marine biology, including design and implementation of surveys and fisheries experiments. This includes addressing wider environmental issues of ecological management, including maintenance of marine biodiversity. He has also taken part in the MSC assessment of the South Georgia Patagonian Tooth fish fishery and has worked with MSC on new methodology developments.

Andy Payne. Dr Payne is currently employed as Science Area Head: Fisheries Management at CEFAS, UK. Previously (to 2000) he was Director of offshore research at the Sea Fisheries Research Institute in South Africa (now Marine & Coastal Management). He is greatly experienced in fishery-independent surveying, assessment and advice. From 1982 to 1989, he also attended the International Commission for the SE Atlantic Fisheries as representative of South Africa and for several years was chairman of that organisation's Standing Committee on Stock Assessment.

Graham Pilling. Graham is Fisheries Biologist & Advisor with the Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture Science, UK. His experience includes a review of the NMFS Gulf of Mexico red snapper stock assessment, a review of the NMFS Pacific hake stock assessment, development of a fisheries management plan for Lake Paliastomi, Republic of Georgia, review of bycatch in the US Atlantic pelagic longline fleet for the US National Marine Fisheries Service, and implementing review recommendations, growth parameter estimation and effect of fishing on the assessment and management of snappers and emperors in the Indian Ocean, including capacity building of local institutions to improve stock assessment techniques, assessment of squid and finfish resources on the Patagonian shelf, South Atlantic.

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